The Weekly Star.

THE FORCES OF RIGHT.

Think not that God deserts the field, Though truth the battle loses; But grasp again Faith's sword and shield

And follow where He chooses. He shrouds himself in dark events. No mortal eye beholds him: And many an alverse providence As in a cloud enfolds him.

We see Truth's foes press close around Distrusting her resources; Faith fills the teeming battle ground With chariots and with horses. And Jo, God's standard rises clear Amid the smoke and thunder; Embattled armies disappear,... Or into fragments sunder.

The baffled surf ebbs to the sea, As though its task forsaking, But to return more mightily, In greater volumes breaking. What God has sworn shall yet be done No power of man can stay him; Upon the seas he plants his throne, And all the waves obey him.

Soldiers of Christ, take heart again, Fear not dark portents solemn, God moves across the battle plain In many an unseen column. The very stars of the blue night, As they fulfil their courses, Shall wheel obedient in the fight, And add them to our forces.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

- The inspiration of a noble purpose gives strength to the heart and hope to the soul.

- I have always been a quarter of an hour before my time, and it has made a man of me.—Nelson.

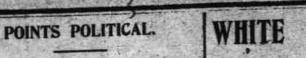
Never tell or listen to the tell ing of filthy stories. Cleanliness in word and act is the sign manual of a true gentleman. You cannot handle filth without becoming befouled.

Religion without charity can be likened to a river without water. Love without forbearance to flowers without color. Friendship without forgiveness to money without value.

- Love, hope, joy,-these are of worth as they make us. If they have made us, that is all we need ask. Then there should be no regret. There is pathos, because these great things have passed, and have not left us great.—Leslie W. Sprague.

- Secure a good name to thyself by living virtuously and humbly; but let this good name be nursed abroad and never be brought home to look upon it. Let others use it for their own advantage—let them speak of it if they please, but do not thou use it at all but as an instrument to do God glory and thy neighbor more ad-

vantage. Let thy face, like Moses, shine to others, but make no lookings for thyself.-Jeremy Taylor.



We hear of many men (and we know their names) in every town-Law of Nature. in Chatham, who have heretofore voted the Populist and Republican

Homes and Their Families From Insult and Assault, and Their State from Negro Rule.

Last Saturday after the Republi-can convention adjourned we heard a prominent Populist say: "My party may fuse with that gang if they want to, but I will vote a Demthe Union where the laws are so

oeratic ticket from now on, and don't you forget it."-Carthageand it is the only State where the ne-

REPUBLICAN HYPOCRISY. Republicans harp on the purity of the ballot box, yet under the new election law they swindled N. B. Broughton, one' of the best men in the State, out of his seat in the last Legislature and give it to his opponent, the negro Jim Young .-MENT UNION has been established, and should have on its rolls the name

200 то 35.

WILL VOTE IT NO MORE.

ticket, and who now say that they will not vote it again.-Chatham

NO FUSION FOR HIM.

Record.

Blade.

in Lowesville township, Lincoln county, in '96 polled only 35 votes and in last Saturday's primary they polled nearly 200. Those fellows plan of organization:

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

ARTICLE II.

ARTICLE III.

Neither Oaths, Grips, Signs, nor Passwords shall be allowed.

Any Union may, if it so desires, adopt

ARTICLE IV.

ARTICLE V.

ARTICLE VI.

ARTICLE VIII.

The Unions will meet at least once

month, but the work shall be constant

and each member of the Townshi

Union will be advised by the Presi

dent of his Union as to the work ex-

pected of him, and he will report, from time to time, personally to the President as to the progress he is

ARTICLE IX.

out the party vote in the township.

The Township Unions will be purely

working bodies, and their work will be:

ARTICLE X.

ARTICLE XI.

ARTICLE XIL

who have been preaching the Demo-cratic party's funeral since '90 will find it a lively corpse next Novem-ber.-Charlotte News.

NO MORE "SPLIT TICKET." Mr. J. W. Haywood, of Stout The purpose of the organization shall be to re-establish in North Carolina the SUPREMACY of the WHITE RACE; to was down to the speaking Tuesday: He is one of those who have been voting a "split ticket," but says he will not now vote anything but a Democratic ticket. No man, he says, can afford to do otherwise.-Monroe Journal.

Mr. Aycock showed from the State Auditor's report that the three years of fusion rule in North Carolina (1895, 1896 and 1897) had cost nearly four hundred thousand dollars more than the preceding three years under Democratic rule. -Pittsboro Record.

THEY DIDN'T DRAW.

primaries last Thursday. The meet-ings were poorly attended. We do not know the number of votes cast in the primary, but we venture the assertion that not two hundred people attended the primaries .- Monroe Enquirer. THE STAR IS RIGHT.

The Wilmington STAR is right. The party in power whose adminis-



Self-Preservation is the First

White Men Must Unite to Protect Their

North Carolina is the only State in

framed as to give the negroes a con trolling voice in the government of the State, counties and municipalities,

groes are asserting that right. To prevent this it is necessary for the white men of the State, who believe in white supremacy, to come together, stand together and work together, that white supremacy may be restored and the State saved from negro domination. As a means to this end the WHITE GOVERN-

Lexington Dispatch.

of every self-respecting, family loving, The Democrats in their primary State-loving white man in the State. The following is the constitution and

The name of the organization shall be THE WHITE GOVERNMENT UNION.

promote individual effort in behalf of the party and its candidates on the part of the voters, and to bring the head of the organization in the counties and State more closely and easily in touch with the township organi-zations, and the individual party voter. COSTLY "REFORM."

badge, button, insignia or uniform The organization shall be divided into County Unions and Township Unions.

The Populists held their township

The County Union shall be composed exclusively of the chairmen of tration made possible the infamous the several Township Unions, and the

making.

speakers, etc.

the county.

tive Unions.

campaign.

-VILE AND VILLAINOUS.

HOW TO OBGANIZE.

number

person

PERS.

The Chairman of the State Com-mittee will send, immediately, into a number of the Congressional Districts, District Organizers, who will go into each county and organize one or more Unions, and leave with the County Chairman the recessory blanks Con-

Unions, and leave with the County Chairman the necessary blanks, Con-stitution By-Laws, etc. The County Chairman will become County Or-ganizer, and he is expected to press the work, and to fully organize his county during the month of August. If it shall be decided to organize mb Unions in any tographin they shall newspaper published in Wilmingsub-Unions in any township, they shall be numbered and known as Sub-Unions, according to their numerical

The Union will be working bodies, not dress parade organizations. Im-portant work will be assigned to each negro paper is necessary. Its out-This work will be such as he can perform without loss of time from his own business. It will be such work as he can do, and no work will be as as he can do, and no work will be as-signed to any member to which he objects, and no work will be assigned to any member which is not honora-ble, legitimate and proper. The Democratic party will appeal to the honor, character and highest aspi-ntions of the people and it will acou-

Read the following, white men of rations of the people, and it will son-demn any except honorable methods of campaigning. The State Committee believes that

in your State. The Record says: man can render the party better ser-vice by being a member than remaining outside. But no man's Democracy

The State Committee has a definite The State Committee has a definite plan of campaign which it will put into effect this year, and these Unions will-be a powerful ally, because for the first time definite, well-considered work will be assigned to each man. CALL ON OR WRITE TO THE CHAIR-MAN OF YOUR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR FULL IN-STRUCTIONS AND THE NECESSARY PA

THE MINISTERIAL UNION. The Negro Preachers Offer an Explana-

> tion That Does Not Explain-A Transparent Dodge.

The following has been handed the STAR for publication :

"An Explanation.

"WHEREAS, The resolutions passed by the Ministerial Union, expressing Every WHITE MAN who desires sympathy for the Daily Record are be ing misinterpreted, and the spirit and WHITE GOVERNMENT in North Carointent of said resolutions are subject to lina, and is willing to use every pracextreme hostile construction, we deem ticable and honorable means to re it our duty to declare our position. 1. store WHITE SUPREMACY therein, and We stand for peace, justice and right-eousness. 2. We earnestly desire coun-sel and labor for amicable relations who proposes to support candidates pledged to effect that purpose, in the ensuing election, shall be eligible to membership of the Township Union. between the races. 3. We deplore whatever is intended, or has a ten-

dency, to produce friction, and bring about hostility. 4. We have such a regard for virtue and, true woman-

Outrageous Attack on White Women by : a Negro Paper Published in

Wilmington. The following extract is taken from an editorial article which appeared in the Daily Record of the 18th inst. The Record is a daily

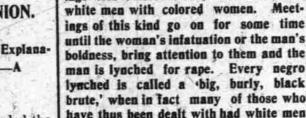
ton. It is essentially a negro paper, being owned and edited by negroes. No elaborate editorial comment on the infamous article of the

rageous, mendacious attack on white women is so plain and direct that every decent white man who reads it will make his own comment, and that comment will not be phrased in honeyed words.

North Carolina, and see one of the effects of Russellism and Butlerism

"We suggest that the whites guard their women more closely, or fealty shall be brought into ques-tion because he does not join. The propriety of joining is left to each as Mrs. Felton says, thus giving no opportunity for the human fiend, be he white or black.

You leave your goods out of doors and then complain because they are taken away. Poor white men are careless in the matter of protecting their women, especially on farms. They are careless of their conduct toward them and our experience among poor white people in the country teaches us that the women of that race are not any more particular in the matter of clandestine meetings with colored men, than are the



lysched is called a 'big, burly, black brute,' when in fact many of those who have thus been dealt with had white men for their fathers, and were not only not ·black' and ·burly' but were sufficiently

attractive for white girls of culture and refinement to fall in love with them as is well known to all."

SECOND REGIMENT. Ninety-five Per Cent. of the Men Desire to be Mustered Out



SYRUPOF FIGS

true and original remedy. As the genuine Syrup of Figs is manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYBUP Co. only, a knowledge of that fact will assist one in avoiding the worthless imitations manufactured by other par-ties. The high standing of the CALI-FORNIA FIG SYRUP Co. with the medial profession, and the satisfaction which the genuine Syrup of Figs has given to millions of families, makes the name of the Company a guaranty of the excellence of its remedy... It is far in advance of all other laxatives, as it acts on the kidneys, liver and bowels without irritating or weakening them, and it does not gripe nor nauseate. In order to get its beneficial effects, please remember the name of

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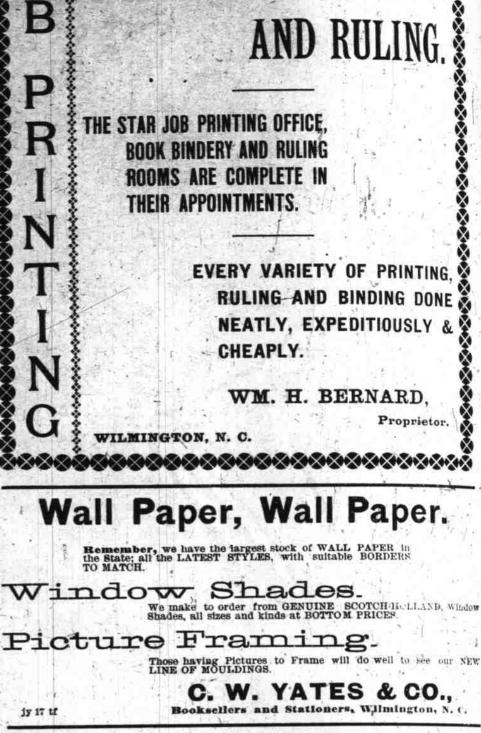
Not Made Peace. On the contrary we

are still waging A Bitter Warfare

against high prices on

Hardware and

Furnishings. and this means that the * * PLACE TO BUY anything



BOOK BINDING

OBPRINTING



- Jesus gives us much to do, but He shares in the doing. The duties are heavy and the struggles are fierce, but He never leaves us alone. O that our eyes might be opened when we are cast down and dispirited, to see the strong Friend by our side! Before the break-Friend by our side! Before the break-ing point is reached, this strong arm will always lighten the load. O blessed words—"I am with you always, even unto the end." May they give us new courage and send us forth to our duties with stronger faith

DIED VERY SUDDENLY.

Judge E. T. Boykin, at the Residence of Mr. Eldridge Lee, Dunn, N. C. [Special Star Telegram.]

DUNN, N. C., August 27-Judge E. T. Boykin died here to-day, about noon. He was at the residence of Mr. Eldridge Lee, and was found in bed unconscious, at breakfast time, and did not regain consciousness. Mrs. Boykin was telegraphed as to his condition, but reached here too late to see him alive. Judge J. C. McRae accompanied Mrs. Boykin to Dunn and will remain with her until she leaves.

Campaign Buttons.

The STAR has been introducing, free of charge, campaign buttons for the White Government Union in this part of the State for three weeks past; but the demand on us has become so general that we have turned the whole matter over to Messrs. C. W. Yates & Co., of this city, to whom all orders and inquiries should be addressed. They will supply the buttons in any quantity desired at a small fraction over actual cost. The STAR is content with the honor of having ordered the first of these buttons seen or worn in North Carolina, and of having distributed many samples. Messrs. C. W. Yates & Co. ordered one thousand buttons last night, and will probably receive them by Thursday next.

Can't Get Them.

The STAR is receiving letters by every mail, and from all parts of the State, asking for copies of the negro paper, the Record, of August 18th. which contained the villainous attack on the white women of North Carolina. We regret that we cannot supply the demand. We succeeded in buying some fifteen copies at 25 cents each, but all these were spoken for besponse to the letters received, we will send each applicant a copy of the STAR with this article marked.

TWINKLINGS.

- Tourist (at Bloody Gulch)-"Can you accommodate a stranger here?" Boniface—"Yes sir. Room or a fight.

by the negro Republican insult editor should and will be held responsible. But for this combination and its evil tendencies and vicious influences, no such outrage could or would have occurred .-Raleigh Post.

RUSSELL'S "SAVAGES." A few more "didoes" by Russell's 'savages" from Fort Macon, and a

few more outrages committed by these black hyenas on the good white people in Morehead City, and there will not be enough white Republicans in Carteret county in November for a corporal's guard, much less

a majority.—Beaufort Herald-Dis-A COLORED VIEW OF IT.

patch.

A Lumberton negro was discussing politics last week and was heard to say that a white man didn't have any business in the Republican party and a negro had no business being a Democrat. He said further, that if asked his politics he could answer very easily. He was a Republican because it was the party of his color. -Lumberton Robesonian.

COMING IN CABARRUS.

We are greatly encouraged with the news that all over the county where there are Populists the Democrats will make appreciable gains. The Populists are beginning to see their great mistake and are setting themselves right. Many will come straight into the Democratic convention, others will vote the ticket and some that have been, rather vehement in their advocacy will take little interest in the election.

It seems to be so all over the State. Concord Standard. WOULD HAVE TO CUSS 'EM OUT.

A gentleman who was on the train with Walter Henry the other day says Walter told him he was now out of politics-that he had no politics. Walter remarked that he was not making any speeches these days for the reason that he could not do so without "cussin out" the powers that be. In his opinion, Russell and his crowd are whoppin big rascals-or words to that effect-

and he doesn't propose to endorse anything they've said or done .-Raleigh News and Observer. CAN'T RUN 'EM IN.

Several negroes in Monroe have declared lately that their race must sit on juries and hold office in the county. But of them all, old Bob Starnes is the most outspoken and brazen in his talk. He says publicly fore we advertised for them. In re- that they must go in the jury box, and that if they "are good enough to commune with Populists" (fuse), they are good enough to hold office.

In the meantime the Populist bosses are striving to fix up fusion, but the honest men of their party are leaving-it in droyes. Green & Co. can't run Union county white men into the old Radical negro party .- Monroe Journal.

THEY SEE IT.

- Mr. Tuppy-"That Miss Smith has a lovely face; doesn't it remind you of some sort of flower?" Mrs. Tuppy (coldly)-"Yes; but I don't re-call the brand."-Life. In view of the large majority against us two years ago, we are asked how we expect to carry the county and State. Why, we expect many good men who are Republi-

Chairman of the Democratic Execu pudiate any and all utterances which tive Committee of the county, who assail virtue and assault the pure shall preside over its meetings. womanhood of any race. As a business enterprise, we endorsed the Rec-ord. We did not, and do not, en-dorse any attack on the integrity and fair name of noble womanhood." ARTICLE VII. Each Township Union shall elect

President, Vice-President, and such other officers as may be deemed proper and the President of each Township "The Resolution. Union shall be, ex officio, a member of the County Union.

"Resolved, That the Ministerial Union is in hearty sympathy with the efforts of the Daily Record in defend ing the rights of the race, and that each minister inform his congregation of the present situation, and endeavor of the present situation, and end to sustain the paper by swelling its subscription list and urging prompt payment. The word sympathy in the resolutions meant, that as the life of the paper as a medium of communication for the race was threatened, we desired to see it live, hence the resolu-

"Yours for truth, peace and purity. "MINISTERIAL UNION."

1. To organize, register and bring The negro preachers composing the 2. To ascertain and report to the 'Ministerial Union" doubtless chuckled State and County Chairman the over their performance when the indoubtful and floating voters in the township, to the end that they may cubation of their "explanation" was supplement the efforts of the Union to completed. But it is an "explanation" win the votes of such voters for the party, by sending literature, public that does not explain. It is a dodge so transparent that the most obtuse mind

can see through it. 3. To arrange and organize, effective party work, at the polls on the day of election. It should be noted that the original

resolution which the negro preachers 4. To foster and stimulate individnow try to "explain" appeared in ual work on the part of the members the STAR of last Thursday, and of the Union in securing a full regis-tration, in winning doubtful and floating voters, and in persuading those white men, who have been alienated from the Democratic party, of their duty to their med. that the STAR asked them, substantially, to state whether the resolution was adopted before or after the beastly editorial was printed in of their duty to their race, themselves, and their families. the Record. But they dodge this in-

quiry absolutely, which proves conclusively that the resolution was The object of the County Union is adopted after they had seen and read 1. To secure concert of action be-tween the several Township Unions in that editorial. So, when they came to the rescue of the negro organ, they 2. For the purpose of discussing were in "hearty sympathy" with it, with the Chairman of the County notwithstanding its infamous attack Executive Committee and determining on the virtue of white women; they questions relating to matters of organization and party work. 3. Arranging for speaking in dif-ferent parts of the county, and pro-viding attractions and means for securwere in favor of "swelling its subscription list" and of "urging prompt payment;" they wished to see it "sustained;" they uttered no word of coning large attendance at such meetings. 4. For the purpose of receiving from the County Chairman such literademnation then for its "attack on the integrity and fair name of womanture as he may have for distribution hood." And even now they simply among the members of their respecindulge in "glittering generalities' and fail to specifically "denounce and repudiate" the particular article which

5. For receiving instructions con-cerning any plan of campaign that the State or county Chairman may desire to put in operation through the Unions has outraged the decency of the entire State. in the county, and to agree upon a programme to secure concert of action "As a business enterprise," say the in inaugurating such work or plan of negro preachers, "we indorsed the

Record." Yes, you wish it success, increased success, notwithstanding its Each Union shall be permitted, if it sees fit to do so, to admit as members outrageous course. If you were honest women, and boys under twenty-one years old, but such members shall not be entitled to vote. and sincere, why did you not say something like this: "We denounce and

repudiate the utterances of the Record in its assault on the virtue of the In addition to the individual work, white women of North Carolina in its before provided for, it shall be the duty of the members of these Unions issue of August 18th?" This would to promote, in every honorable and have been plain and explicit. But this legitimate way, the success of the Democratic party, and the success of its candidates, by assisting in the ad-vertisement of Democratic meetings, is just what you were determined to carefully avoid.

"Truth, peace and purity" is a fine and in securing the attendance at these meetings of as large crowds as possible; in distributing Democratic literature; in registering Democratic motto; but if the "Ministerial Union" really favors "these three" why does it still "sustain the paper" that has disgraced itself in the eyes of every voters, and in ascertaining and report-ing the names of all doubtful voters. decept man, whether white or black?



Ex-Judge E. T. Boykin died at Dunn to-day in the forty-fourth year of his age. Wake County Democratic Conven tion, a large and fine body, put out a strong ticket. Information has been given out here

to the effect that Col. Cowles has prevailed upon the administration to retain the Second regiment.

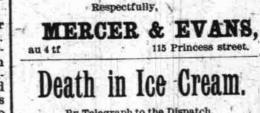
AN UNPROVOKED MURDER Conductor on the Plant System Shot and Killed by a Negro-The

Murderer Escaped. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. MACON, GA., August 27.-A special to the Macon Telegraph from Dupont, Ga., says that Conductor Cason, of the Plant System, was shot and killed at that place yesterday by Mark Gra-ham, a negro. Cason had taken a month's vacation and was on his way to South Carolina, where he was to



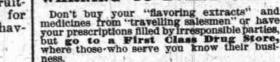
of Fine Footwear at \$2.00, \$2.50, and \$3.00. Also, Low Cut Shoes at Low Cut Prices.

Our Popular Watch Contest is now on for 60 days. Look in Our Window!

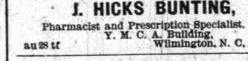


By Telegraph to the Dispatch. "MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., AUGUST 25.—Ice Cream, prepared with Lemon Extract, purchased from a travelling salesman a few days ago, has caused the death of three persons, and a score of others are sick, and more fatalities are ex-pected. Those affected are Summer residents of Greenfield. It is believed that fully six others will dia."

THE ABOVE SHOULD BE A WARNING TO EVERY ONE.



A word to the wise is sufficient We handle only the BEST of EVERYTHING.



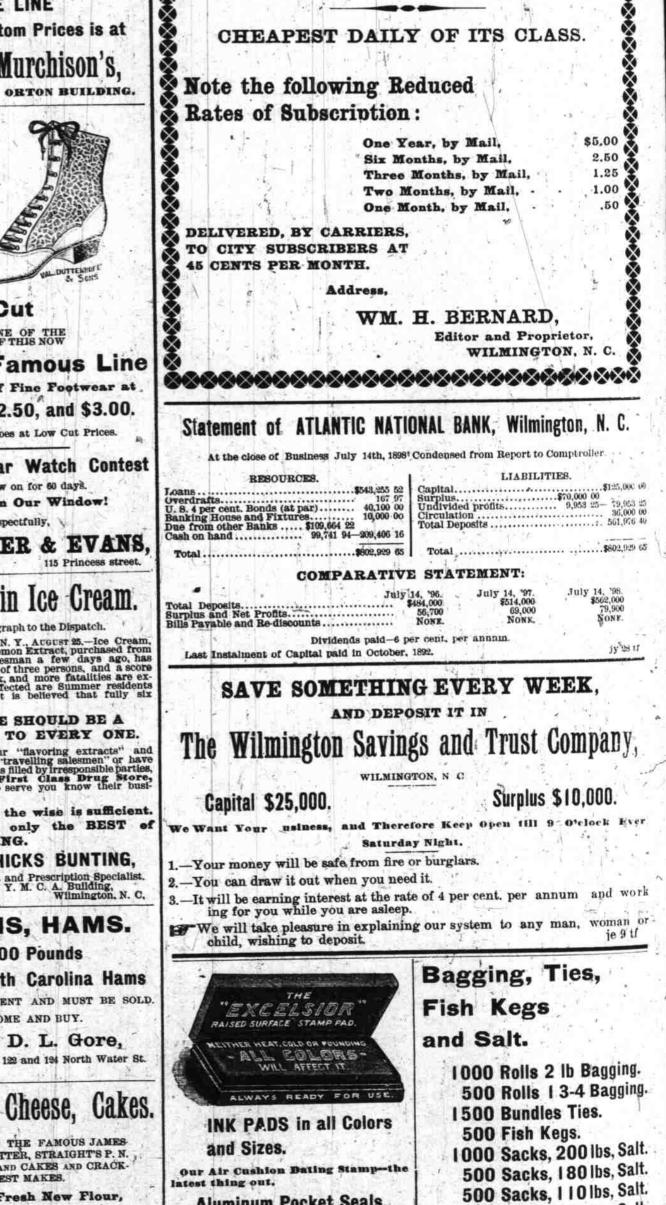
HAMS, HAMS. 600 Pounds

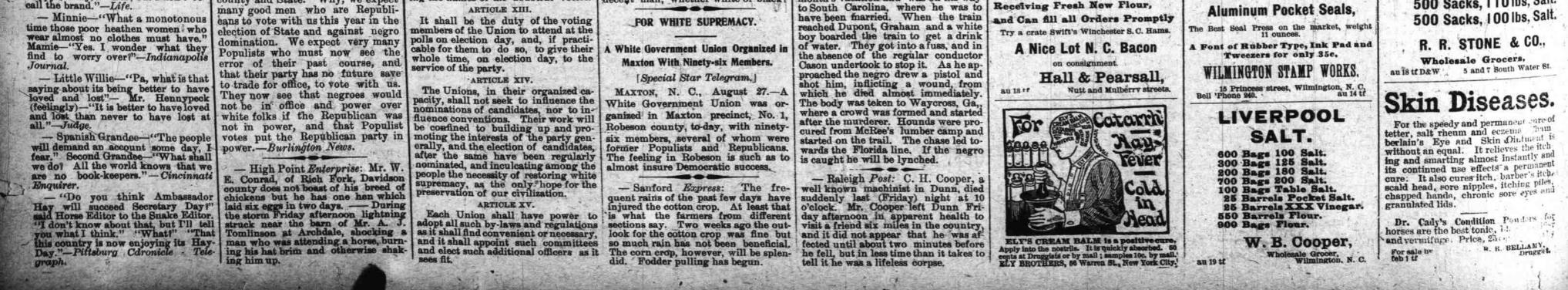
Fine North Carolina Hams ON CONSIGNMENT AND MUST BE SOLD. COME AND BUY. · D. L. Gore,

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Butter, Cheese, Cakes WE HAVE THE FAMOUS JAMES TOWN BUTTER, STRAIGHT'S P. N. CHEESE, AND CAKES AND CRACK-ERS OF BEST MAKES.

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