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NORTH CAROLINA IN CONGRESS

We had noticed that some days ago when Mr. Frye of Maine, was addressing the House on the army appropriation bill, and was charging that the southern states were carried by the Democrats by fraud, violence and intimidation, he was interrupted by Col. Steele, our member from the sixth dishis remarks applied to North Carolina. Mr. Steele himself addressed the House in a speech evidently prepared with care and devoted to the general ques tion of the attitude of the southern Democracy before the country, and more especially to North Carolina.

To characterize Mr. Steele's effort very mildly, it was to say the least in the nature of an apology for the transactions which went on here from the years 1868 to 1872. It could not be considered an absolute and unqualified defense of kukluxism-not quite a bold vindication of it as a commendable of political procedure - but rather a justification of it under the existing -circumstances. He intimated, indeed, in very broad language that if ever kukluxism was justifiable, that was the particular occasion for it. Mr. Steele's caution was possibly superinduced by the fact that it is not at press ent quite as fashionable, even in the south, to compliment those masked gentlemen in night gowns as it was in the year 1870.

It is now pretty generally believed by impartial minds that the kuklux proceedings in this state closely approached to the crime of treason. It was an attempt to overturn and break down constitutional law by illegal It was an organized conspiracy to defeat law. It was a successful conspiracy, and did in fact defeat the will of the people by unlawful means. In the course of the infamous events of that period, and in furtherance of the purposes of this treasonable conspiracy, murders and other crimes were com mitted to an extent which finally alarmed the public mind. More than twelve of the ablest Democrats of the which their names were signed, fixed upon these proceedings the stamp of true: their disapprobation. And the restraining arm of the law was finally stretched out to crush these unlawful proceedings and punish these terrible crimes. Few men of either party desire to recall that black and hideous period in southern

affairs. It is therefore very much to be regretted that one of our members of Congress should so far forget the proprieties of the occasion as to present to the House the cross-roads version of our politics. There was an opportunity to present the whole history of the dozers' rule would never have been troubled years in the south since the war, and to have uttered words which might have benefitted our state in its reputation among the other states and in its material condition. We intend to take the opportunity hereafter to present some facts to our readers which will be bitter food for reflection, and nearer historical accuracy than Col. Steele's speech.

See Scott's Report of "Outrages in the Southern States," pages 19, 20 and 21. for a full list of outrages in this state. It will be seen that, there were killed at that time 1 in Rockingham, 6 in Orange, 3 in Jones, 1 in Caswell, 1 in Catawba, 4 in Alamance and 1 in Lincoln.

In the years 1869-'70 and 71 the individual instances of personal outrage committed by the so called kuklux numbered 132, besides numerous other outrages not in the count. These are matters of record, and occurred in the counties of Lincoln, Alamance, Catawba, Craven, Caswell, Chatham, Jones, Orange, Rockingham, Rutherford, Wake, Madison, Yancey, Cumberland, Cleveland, Moore, Person, &c., &c., &c. Of these more than a dozen were

murders or assassinations, Some of these outrages were of the Rockland, Mass.

most atrocious and barbarous nature. In the case of Colgrove, the sheriff of Jones, he was shot with seven bullets, bush, as be was riding along the public

Outlaw, colored, was hung on the night of the 26th of February, 1869, upon a tree near the court house in the town of Graham. There were between 80 and 100 disguised men present. There was no pretense of any charge against

highway in the day time toward the

him or against his character. Puryear, colored, was drowned in a MINGTON POST is \$1 00 per year; mill pond with a weight attached to his

> Servens, of Caswell, who was a white man who had been a state senator, was assessmated in the court house of Case weil county in open daylight.

PUFFING.

The practice of puffing weak literature received a severe blow from Macaulay in his criticism on Montgomery's poems. In this country, where nine-tenths of the reading public derive their pabulum from newspapers, a habit perhaps more injurious to enlightenment, than puffing literature, trict, with an interrogatory as to whether has been acquired. There is scarcely a newspaper published in this state, On that occasion Mr. Frye did not seem | especially those of Democratic politics, to be in possession of the kuklux his- which does not employ terms in speaktory of this state, and rather evaded ing of political leaders, which would position at the rate of 6,000 yards per Mr. Steele's question. But on the 19th require qualification if used respecting month, by Mr. Geo. Z. French, the licero, Pitt or Napoleon.

We are led into those remarks by the following squib of the Raleigh News.

The habit of puffing anything and everything from a poodle dog to a pothe day. Every speaker is not elo-quent because he is a Democrat nor is every young aspirant a genius. It is an insult to the intelligence of the pub- | plished.

lic to tell them so. How true the above! Yet in the very issue of the News before the one in which the above appears, a barber, God save the mark! recieves an adulatory mention; and it has been copied into more than one Democratic paper, because it included a chance to puff Senator Matt Ransom-an opportunity which servility could not

beca said of a noble European family the Purcell House. They will have women could refuse nothing. There is surgical appliances, and will be preno flattery, no sycophancy, too puerile | pared to treat all kinds of Deformities or too strong to be applied to every and Chronic Diseases, such as Club politician of its own party, and no Feet, Hip Disease, Spinal Disease, abuse or scufrility too low for its Paralysis, Piles and Fistula, Catarrh. opponents, by a large majority of our | Private Diseases, Diseases of the Eve, state Democratic cotemporaries. Soldier, &c. For full particulars, Address, patriot, statesman are the qualities of National Surgic I Institute, Atlanta the cross road ranter, and of Governor Ga. Vance; liar, thief, and scoundrel, the qualities of all Republicans, according to these newspapers. These terms, so indiscriminately given, soon loose al meaning and force-and the man o sense has one for those who so use

of those faithful frieuds to the southern | city, give judgment against Mr. Egan Republicans, that are always ap- for ten dollars and costs, and on his restate finally, in a public declaration to by and defended the Union men of the in the custody of the Chief of Police. south. Every word it says below is Mr. London immediately applied to

> leaders of the Republican party who, during the past eight or ten years have refused time and again to support and much responsible for the negro exodus as the bull dozers are. If they had done their duty to the extent of enforcing the logical results of the war, and had consistently and persistently refused to tolerate any infringement upon the original design of reconstrucnow be in the enjoyment of Republican forms of government, and the bullasserted. As it is the acceptance by of Bourbon bogus Home Rule as the genuine article has given the blacks of the south abundant cause not only to leave the homes of their birth, but to then deserted them to the inevitable fate of political persecution or assassination at the hands of the pro-slavery

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CITY ITEMS.

The "Star" local is heavy on a fi-h story, but then he is intended to a Muse the readers of that paper.

A colored boy fell overboard at the foot of Orange street dock on Monday last, and narrowly escaped drowning.

DIED.-Geo. D. McMillian, who for many years was a printer on the Post, died with consumption on Monday the 21st inst.

The U. S. Circuit and District Court convenes at Raleigh on the first Monday in June next. His Honor Hugh L. Bond and Geo. W. Brooks presiding.

Gov. Jarvis and Secretary of State Saunders arrived in the city on Tuesday night last, and left yesterday morning for home. They were entertained while here by a few Democrats.

CROSS FIRING.-Henderson Davis had Mr. A. C. Wessell before Justice Hall last week, and a day or two afterwards Wessell had Davis before Justice Wagner. "You pays your money and you takes your choice."

Capt. Bacon claims that the works at New Inlet were not damaged by the late storm, but were very greatly benefitted. Rocks are now being placed in contractor.

Capt. Jno. W. Gordon has taken hold of the Whiting Rifles in good earnest, and he is determined to make litician is the crying newspaper vice of | it a first-class company. He is one of those men when he undertakes to do a thing, does not stop until it is accom-

> The German fleet in port had their flags displayed on Monday, the 21st instant, in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the wedding of the parents of Hon. E. Peschau, the German Consul at this port, who are well and residing in Germany.

NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE. Two of the Surgeons of this notable Institute will visit Wilmington, N. C., These puffs remind one of what has May the 26 and 27, 1879, stopping at -the men could give nothing, and the with them a fine outfit of braces and

COMMERCIAL TAX .- W. J. Egan Esq., of New York, a commercial agent was arrested here on Wednesday last for selling goods without first obtaining a city license. He was carried before the Mayor who, after hearing able arguments from M. London Esq., for the The Natioal Republican has been one defendant, and Mr. F. H. Darby for the preciated. It has at all times stood | fusing to pay the amount he was placed Judge Meares for a writ of habeas cor-"Those law-makers and would-be pus, which was granted and the case heard by Judge Meares the same day. His honor held that Mr. Egan was not enforce the legitimate consequences of liable to a city tax under the state law; equal suffrage in the south, are as therefore discharged the defendant. The city appealed to the Supreme

The Rev. Dr. Geo. Patterson, Rector of St. John's Parish, some weeks age tendered his resignation to the Vestry. tion, all of the southern states would They unanimously refused to accept it, and requested the Rev. Doctor to withdraw it, which he did not do. So, when the new Vestry was elected on Easter weak-kneed Republicans in the north | Monday, he again sent it is, but it met with the same result from the new Vestry that it did from their predecessors, and the Vestry appointed a curse the false friends and recreant special committee to wait on Dr. leaders who made them citizens and Patterson and request him to withdraw it, which he was finally pursuaded to do,-every member of the congregation joined in the petition asking him to remain. There is no Minister in the city who has the entire confidence and affections of his congregamore completely than Dr. Patterson.

Our neighbor the Review says: "On service, Mr. Henry Nutt, Chairman of a Special Committee from the Vestry who had been appointed to confer with Dr. Patterson, read to the congregation their report, setting forth the fact of their conference and the welcome intelligence that he had been induced to withdraw his resignation. The result was very gratifying to the entire congregation, who crowded around their beloved Rector with warm con-

gratulations. himself and his congregation. We are glad that he is to remain,"

No Tannery yet.

Buy a home of your own. See ad o W. P. Canaday.

Spring chickens have commenced coming in market.

The subscription price of this paper s only \$1.00 per annum.

PURCELL HOUSE .- Gov. Jarvis and party stopped at the Purcell House while in the city.

Col. S. G. Hall, book and job printer, would be glad to hear from any one who desires work in his line.

Mr. John W. Dudley, the grandson of Governor Dudley, died in this city list of jurors : on Tuesday, the 22d instant.

Corn is plentiful and cheap. Several county during the past week. To FARMERS.-Come on with your

country carts, bring in your produce, the city can't tax your carts now. Kemp P. Battle and Mr. Henry Nutt went'down the river and inspected the government works on Friday

House and lot on Ninth street, near Red Cross street, for sale; apply to W. P. Canaday. Cheap for cash, or on reasonable terus.

Mr. David S. Saunders, for many years a County Commissioner for New Hanover county, is quite ill at his residence in Cape Fear Township.

Hill last week for larceney of a lot of Bell. She was bound over in a bond

NEXT.-Now Gen. S. H. Manning, court house put in first class condition. We understand the Register of Deeds is to come in next.

MARRIED.-Mr. Bruce Williams of Lillington, Pender county, and Miss Flora M. Baldwin, of Whiteville, N. C., were married on Wednesday last. We wish them happiness and long life.

The Ladies of St. Mark's Parish wil hold a festival at the City Hall on next Tuesday evening, April 29th, for the purpose of raising funds to aid in paying off the debts of their church, -go | Moon and Miss Painter. The religious and help them.

The past week, take it all in ali, has een the finest weather we have ever known, not a cloud in the sky, every day has been perfectly clear, warm and are nightly disappointed, and many delightful. We believe, take the years straight through, that Wilmington beats | in order to secure seats. No such relithe world for delightful weather.

We took the trouble yesterday to count the sailing and steam vessels in port, and found 21 sailing vessels and 11 steamers. There are ordinarily from 40 to 60 of the former and about 20 of the latter. The dullness of the times account for the scarcity of shipping.

Kemp P. Battle, President of the University of North Carolina, arrived in the city on Tuesday night last, and on Wednesday night he delivered lecture before the Wilmington Historical Society. He was the guest while in the city of Edward Kidder, Esq.

MAYOR OF CHARLOTTE, N. C .-Mr. Edward Glavin, formerly of this city, but now of Charlotte, is spoken suitable person for Mayor, Mr. Glavin is an exceedingly clever gentlemen and | Painter, but learn from those who have

Mr. Frank D. Smaw, formerly of Wilmington, but for many years has been residing in New York, and a is especially creditable about the meetbrother of Mr. Walter H. Smaw, clerk ings is their divestment of sectarian for Mr. Jas. Stevenson, has received an important appointment in the city government of New York. We congratulate Mr. Smaw on his success. He has very many friends in this city who will be glad to hear of his elevation.

JUSTICE GARDNER IN CONTEMPT .-Hon. Hugh L. Bond, Judge of the U. S. Circuit Court, has granted a rule against Justice Gardner to appear yesterday, (Sunday last) after morning before him at the June term of the Circuit Court, at Raleigh, to show cause why he should not be held in contempt of the Court. The cause of this action was brought about by the act, but the lentency of the law is Justice Gardner issuing a warrant extended to those who will come foragainst Col. R. R. Bridgers, the Receiver of the Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, in a civil action for damages for a lot of cattle that have been killed by the road since it has been in the hands of the Court. The Justice gave judgment against Col. "It is only just and proper to say, Bridgers. The defendant's counsel that Dr. Patterson's resignation was taking the ground, at the time, the not the result of differences between road was in the hands of the U.S. Court, and, therefore, an action would not lay against the company.

We are pleased to learn that Colonel O. H. Blocker will be here on the 7th of May next, in attendance on the District Court, We learn from official sources that the Colonel is doing good work for the Internal Revenue Department, in New York state. He, with others, captured ten distilleries, upon the Hudson river, a few days ago, one of them the largest whiskey distillery ver found in that section-it would make 2000 gallons in 24 hours. We congratulate Colonel Blocker on his success as an officer.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT .-This tribunal convenes in this city on the 6th of May; we publish below the

New Hanover county .-- T. C. Mcllhenny; John Maunder, Alfred Hargrave, James H. Caraway, Balaam vessel loads have arrived from Hyde Fuller, John A. Scarborough, Louis S. Belden, Thos. H. Johnson, John H. Whiteman, S. W. Nobles, C. F. W.

Bissinger, A. R. Black, Henry Ohlandt, Brunswick county-Peter Rouarks, J. S. Wescott, Win. Drew, C. W. Taylor, James C, Grimes, John W, Mintz, J. Dickson McRae, Geo. W. Grisset. Duplin county - John W. Cox, Thos.

S. Watson, Abner Faison, S. O. Middleton, Robert H. Brown, Silenus Cooper, Isaac B. Kelly, Thos. Perrett.

SILVER WEDDING OF REV. DR. G. D. BERNHEIM AND MRS. E. C. BERN-HEIM .- A large number of the friends of Rev. Dr. Bernheim and lady called to congratulate them on their 25th anniversary of their marriage on Friday evening last, and representatives Martha Jackson was before Justice from all the religious denominations were in attendance to do honor to those jewelry, &c., the property of Robert highly estimable citizens. A large numbes of very valuable presents were presented to them. The Rev. Dr. and family have been residing in this city some ten years, during which time they our Sheriff, is having his office in the have made no enemies, but, by their uniform acts of kindness have succeeded in making all their friends. We wish them many years of sincere happiness

> FROM OUR RALEIGH CORRES PONDENT. RALEIGH, April 24th, 1879.

Editor of Post: The all absorbing topic of conversa-

tion at church, mill, street corners and

market, this week, is the great revival

now progressing in our midst under the auspices of two lady evangalists, Mrs. furore pervades all classes, and judging from the crowds that fill to overflowing the two white Methodist Churches of the city every evening is rapidly spreading. Crowds unable to gain an entrance repair to church at early candle light gious excitement has existed here for years. The novelty of the case is alone sufficient to draw, as woman preachers are not a standing institution in southern climes. Mrs. Moon, the leading lady, is a matronly looking woman of perhaps forty or more, with a pleasing persuasive face, marked with a somewhat broad expansive forehead and high cheek bones, indicative (as Sam Watts, the phrenologist would say) of a penetrating intellect and strong forof character. As an elocutionist she faulty, indulging in monotone to excess and betraying the evident intent to impress rather by her manner than by any particular merit contained in her argument. None however seem to doubt the lady's sincerity, and all seem to agree that her mission to our city will of by many of the citizens as a very be productive of good. Your correspondent has not as yet heard Miss that she is a lady of superior mental caribre. She is about thirty or thirtyfive years of age, and is what may be termed a fair looking spinster. What character, being attended and participated in by members of the Baptist. Presbyterian and other churches, prominent among whom is ex-Governor Holden, of the Salisbury Street Baptist Church. The efforts of this gentleman in behalf of the good cause is especially noted and highly commended.

For some days past considerable ripple has sprung up in consequence of legal proceedings being pushed against those who failed to list their poll tax for the year 1878. Hundreds of persons in this county have laid themselves liable to fine and imprisonment under ward and pay the tax and costs. In executing the law as becomes him under the circumstances, M. B. Barbee, Esq., our leading Magistrate discharges his duty in a manner to win the respect and admiration of all with whom he comes in contact. The insolence of office, of which the bard complains, finds no favor with Mr. Barbee, and he has earned the proud title of a faithful and impartial officer.

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and this city, and spent hundreds of dollars, and found no relief until I obtained a box of Dr. William's Indian Ointment some four months ago, and it has cured me com-JOSEPH M. RYDER, Cleaveland, O.

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We stood at an open window Leaning far over the sill, And if something hadn't happened We might have stood there still: But we reached for a banging shutter In a blinding northeast breeze, So our friends will have to be invited

To join in the obsequies.

F WE COULD ONLY HAVE KNOWN what a storm was brewing (in a teapot), and how far off that shutter was, we shou never have ventured our head outside of that window; but it is too late for regrets now; we are nonplussed, completely squelched, have been sat upon, and our friends and the public generally are re-spectfully invited to attend the obsequies on

SATURDAY NEXT

and we stake our reputation on its being the grandest funeral they ever witnessed.

As he slips he slides, and every time he slides he slips up most woefully. We leave our "kind friends" to find out the meaning of the above, 'and while they are doing so we will ask the following questions:

Havn't we the ugliest and dirtiest store in

Havn't we the poorest stock of goods in Wilmington? Havn't we made prices much highesince

we commenced? Havn't we been very unaccommodating

Havn't we charged you for all he goods

Havn't we made a great many mistakes and refused to correct them when our atten-tion was called thereto? All of our friends who answer "yes" to the above questions will please not buy from us any more. Respestfully and truly,

P. L. BRIDGERS & CO.

In glancing over last Sunday's paper we egretted to notice the tacit acknowledgment from some of our brother grocers that we had taken away part of their trade, and making an appeal to the others not to leave them. We regret this exceedingly, especial-ly as they were so kind and considerate about our coming to grief, but suppose, as we have determined to do the

LARGEST RETAIL GROCERY BUSINESS

ver done in Wilmington, we will in the future have to keep from being so tender hearted, and CUT DOWN-PRICES a little

THE BLOODY CHASM HAS BEEN BRIDGED OVER.

THE LITTLE JOKERS are not quite

A fine line of TOILET SOAPS re-

ceived to-day, very low down.

The OLD CAPE FEAR is flourishing and MARTELLE swimming.

We have been over and smoked that 'Cigar of Peace." (a fine Hayana it was), but still think it would be bad policy to stop turnishing the papers with our fine literary productions, as they have the tendency to keep prices very low, which we, of course, with all other good grocers, desire; only want enough left to pay for clerk's hire! store rent and taxes.

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