THE NEGRO FAIR.

The annual State Fair of the colored people was held last week at Raleigh, and was quite a success in every particular. They were favored with good weather and the attendance was the largest ever known. The exhibits were more numerous and of a better quality than at any previous fair, and showed a very gratifying progress of the colored race in all lines of human activity. One colored farmer from Wake county had the largest exhibit ever before made by any person, the number of his entries being nearly 500.

So far as we know North Carolina is the only State that has a State Fair every year for its colored population. This is creditable to both races and is an illustration of the kindly feeling existing in this State between the two races. It has frequently been asserted by colored speakers that there is a more kindly feeling in this State be tween the two races than in any other, and this we believe is

The orator at this fair was Dr. the National Religious Training every colored person in the State. It was full of good advice that it the following extracts:

"The American negro, as a workman, receives better treatment and fairer wages than any country in the world.

yet to find in the South where in has not been vaccinated in reright to work has been denied cent years. against the black man entering into competition with the for-In the South the black contract-

"I have never lost the opportunity to make this statement, that the Southern white man is sory the best friend to the negro. The negro needs to preserve this this friendship will bring.

friends. They never fail to give it.

and if we do this, we can always sing. There is no land like our land, and no flag like our's."

than eyer before and rain did not interfere with any of them. There was a light rain on the first day of the Alamance and Guilford county fairs, but it did not interfere to any extent with them next year.

colored children than they are dismissed and put in jail. given credit for. A statement recently made by our State Department of Education shows noted women in the United that for every dollar the negroes pay in property and poll taxes the State expends nearly five dolhars for their benefit.

Last year the negroes in this State paid taxes on \$25,000,000 worth of property and on 83,171 polls, and the State paid for their benefit \$520,000, which is over \$4.50 for every one dollar paid in taxes by them. This ought to convince even any prejudiced Yankee that the white people of the South are dealing justly by our colored population.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1911, country. He was a native of and three propositions were Hungary, in Europe, and came to voted on, as follows: the United States in 1864, when he was seventeen years old and building. joined the Union army as a private. After the war he served as a waiter in a cafe at St. Louis

> two of the most influential news- the controversy as to its loca- is perfectly fat and slick papers in the United States, The tion. New York World and the St. continued in control of both pahad become a millionaire and minds. was very liberal with his wealth, among other gifts one having been a million dollars to establish a College of Journalism at Columbia University in New York.

J. E. Sheppard, the president of because the last Legislature re- works well in Georgia it may be School at Durham, and we wish for the prevention of its spread. his address could be read by This loathsome disease is more date, but hardly would apply to prevalent during cold weather should be heeded. We copy from fore precautions should now be cers. An Associated Press telethe doctors assert that vaccination is a sure preventive. This "On every hand there are op- common sense, for everybody to portunities for work, and I have be vaccinated without delay who

the black man. You will not This precaution of vaccination find this true in the North. There is especially urged upon the colthe labor unions are in arms ored people, among whom smallpox prevails more than among eigner and with the American our white population. Nearly white laborer, and hence the all the cases that have been in field for work is very limited. this county in recent years were caused by colored people bringbrick mason, the black carriage ing it from Durham and other driver, barber, cook, house ser. cities. Now, that smallpox cavant, school teacher and in every ses will not be quarantined, the walk of life finds opportunity for spread of the disease may be expected to increase and vaccination ought to be made compul-

THE revolution or rebellion in friendship. He needs the sup- China seriously affects the cotport, sympathy and love which ton industry, and it may sur-"I have yet to find the first prise many of our cotton farmnegro in business or otherwise ers to learn that they are materiwho has not had the support and ally interested in that war. Many advice of some white friend or of the Southern factories manu- tility of land is reported mainfacture cotton goods exclusively tained in 97 counties; three re-"We need to fall in with the for the Chinese trade and that spirit of the South, with the trade is very materially affected spirit of progress, with the spir- by the war in China. It is said one no change. Ninety-one counit of God, and keep on moving, that at least thirty factories in ties report labor scarce, nine South Carolina alone depend plentiful. Ninety-four counties upon the Chinese trade, which is now almost all cut off by the THE fairs held in this State war. Of course that would lesthis autumn have been fortunate sen to some extent the demand and favored in having such fine for the raw cotton, and the supweather, which contributed no plv being unusually large and little to their success. There the demand being thus restricted have been more fairs this season the price of the raw material is consequently decreased.

Two deputy marshals were dismissed from service last week by Judge Connor at the term of the Federal court at New Bern betheir success or the enjoyment cause they were drunk and dis- counties produce cotton at \$33.07 of them. This exemption from orderly on the railroad train per bale of 500 pounds; 31 do not rain for all the fairs is somewhat while in charge of some prison-duce wheat at a cost of 60 cents remarkable, and we hope that ers. Their dismissal was emi- a bushel; 15 counties do not prothe same good luck may favor nently right and proper, and they duce wheat. Ninety-one counjail with their prisoners. Any THE white people of this State officer (from a judge down to a have done, and are doing, much policeman) who gets drunk while more for the education of the on duty ought to be promptly report oats. Fifty-four counties

> THE death of one of the most States last week deserves more than a passing notice. She was ing interpretation was given by Mrs. Ida Lewis Wilson, who for the Supreme Court to Federal fifty years or more was the keep- Safety Appliance acts when it er of a lighthouse near Newport, Rhode Island, and was the he- to another point in the same roine of many thrilling rescues. State, if carried in a car not proje At great personal risk she had, erly equipped but which is used at different times, saved eighteen on a railway that is a highway persons from drowning.

> RALEIGH had another election yesterday. While it is nothing unusual to have an election in in this section are in full bloom. that city (for they seem to have A failure of next year's crop is one every month or two) yet the feared.

THE death of Joseph Pulitzer, election yesterday was someon last Sunday, removes from a what out of the ordinary. It From the Henderson Gold Leaf. the most remarkable men in this to do about the market house,

1. For remodeling the present

2. For its removal.

3. For its sale.

At the election yesterday a Louis Post-Dispatch, and a!- large majority voted in favor of though blind for many years he remodeling the old market house. which is another illustration of "What I always like to do," he writes, pers, dictating their policies, and the fickleness of public opinion increasing their circulation. He and how people will change their

GEORGIA'S PRIMARY.

hold a primary election on the to use it. I honestly believe it's the 7th of December for the nomination of their candidate for Gov-SMALLPOX is to be more care- ernor, and the method will be \$1 bottle. Guaranteed by G. R. Pilkfully guarded against during the different from any heretofore ington. coming winter than ever before practiced in this State. If it moved all quarantine restrictions tried in this State next year in nominating our senatorial canditaken against catching it, and gram from Atlanta, dated last Monday, is as follows:

utive committee held late yester- one of which he may lose. day afternoon at the capitol.

"The same rules will apply to house of the legislature, will be sale by all dealers. leclared the nominees.

"Each gubernatorial candidate will be assessed \$150, to be paid | Special to the Charlotte Observer. not later than November 15th, to be devoted to paying the act-

Some Interesting Statistics.

From the News and Observer.

port on Farms and Farm Labor, issued by the North Carolina Department of Labor and Printing, contain some statistics of inter-

Table No. 1 shows an increase in the value of land in 98 counties, and no change in two. Ferport that it is not maintained. Eight counties report a tendency to have larger farms; 91 smaller; report negro labor unreliable. and two, no negro labor. Fiftyone counties report employment regular; 42 irregular; one no answer. Ninety-three counties an increase in cost of living; seven

In Table No. 2 94 counties report that there is change towards diversification of crops; six no change. Ninety-seven counties report improvement in method of cultivation of crops; two not improved and one does not an

Table No. 3 relates to wages and Table No. 4 shows that 69 report. Eighty-five counties proought also to have been put in ties produce corn at a cost of 48 cents per bushel, and one county does not report. Ninety one counties produce oats at 35 cents per bushel; four counties do not produce tobacco at \$7.63 per 100 lbs: 46 counties do not report to-

Safety Appliance Law.

Washington, Oct. 30. - A sweepheld the law is violated by shipments from one point in a State for interstate commerce.

Peach Trees in Full Bloom.

Americus, Ga., Oct. 30.-Hundreds of thousands of peach trees

An Old Mule.

life of unusual activity one of was an election to decide what Mr. John Harris, a well known farmer living only a few miles things for men who were looking from this place, owns a mule for something of real worth at Harris, when a young man, he- week was the exhibit of the gan farming with this mule, Boys' Corn Club and tomatoes few years ago Mr. Harris decid These clubs are of real worth to ed that on account of the mule's boys and girls of the South, be-Not much interest seems to long and faithful service he cause they instill into their young for awhile, but soon became con- have been taken in this election, should be set entirely free from natures a liking for the improved nected with a German newspa- for only about one-half of the work and be placed on the "pen- methods of agriculture, and at per there and gradually rose to qualified voters of the city regis- sion list' for the rest of his days. the same time stimulate interest the position of its chief editor. tered for it, and there was much stall off to himself, which opens In 1883 he bought the New York diversity of opinion as to what into a good pasture, and the mule World and became a national fig- should be done. Last year an has since had perfect freedom to than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. ure in politics and journalism, election was held and by a large come and go at will. He is re- My children were all sick with whoopand was a member of the 49th majority the voters favored a quired to do no work whatever, ing cough. One of them was in bed, sale of the old building and the other animal on the place, re-At the time of his death Mr. erection of a new one, but a new ceiving the same attention that berlain's Cough Remedy and the first Pulitzer was the proprietor of one was not erected because of he did in his best work days. He

Saved Many from Death.

W. L. Mock, of Mock, Ark., believes ne has saved many lives in his 25 years of experience in the drug business. 'is to recommend Dr. King's New Diseovery for weak, sore lungs, hard olds, hoarseness, obstinate coughs, la grippe, croup, asthma or other bronchial affection, for I feel sure that a number of my neighbors are alive and The Democrats of Georgia will well today because they took my advice best throat and lung medicine that's made." Easy to prove he's right. Get a trial bottle free, or regular 50c and

Scalded With Coffee.

from the Laurinburg Exchange. ton where he operates a dairy. date to get a cake. He seems to have been prepar-

ing a meal and undertaking to

Boy Accidentally Shot.

Dunn, Oct. 26. -Mr. Chatham West of Sampson county lost his ual expenses for printing tick- 4 year-old son last week by a very unfortunate accident. He sent his little son to the nouse appetite, but strengthens the stomach to get his gun and on his return another one of the chliren accompanied the little boy; the The advance sheets of the re-children stopped to play with t e Brothers, successful negro druggists of gun and ir some way it was discharged, killing the little child instantly.

Don't waste your money buying Davie and Blount streets. Raleigh strenthening plasters. Chamberlain's has no negro hotel at all now. Liniment is cheaper and better. Dampen a piece of flannel with it and bind it over the affected parts and it will relieve the pain and soreness, For sale off," said H. D. Ely, Bantam, Ohio, "alby all dealers.

that county in the last Legislature.

The Corn Boys and Tomato Girls.

From the Marshville Home. One of the most noticeable that is forty-three years old. Mr. the State fair at Raleigh last which always proved to be a very and other canned goods exhibituseful and faithful animal. A ed by girls of the Tomato Club.

> "There could be no better medicine dose eased them, and three bottles cured them," says Mrs. R. A. Donald son, of Lexington, Miss. For sale by all dealers.

Sanford Express: Hunters say there are more squirrels in this section than there have been in years. One can go the woods without a dog and kill them with but little trouble. — Mr. J. A. Parham, of Lockville, who is 84 years of age, went out one day last week and beginning at 8 !! o'clock, picked 104 pounds of cotton. A good day's work for a m man of Mr. Parham's age. An ingenious scheme for securing money for beautifying school grounds and buildings is and for some time has been in fashion in Moore county. This plan takes the form of ice cream suppers in | summer and oyster suppers in Walter Evans, Jr., son of W. winter. The usual mode of pro-P. Evans, colored, of this place, or ovsters as possible then have was seriously scalded last week a voting contest to decide the the nomination of the candidates by the explosion of a can of boil- prettiest girl present at so much than warm weather, and there- for governor and other State offi- ing coffee at his home near Max- per vote, the successful candi-

"It is a pleasure to tell you that boil coffee in a syrup can with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the "The gubernatorial primary the lid on, and the steam threw best cough medicine I have ever used," similar class of workmen in any being true, of course it is the will take place Thursday, De- off the lid and spouted the hot writes Mrs. Hugh Campbell, of Lavonpart of wisdom, and even of cember 7th, and will be on the coffee over his face. He was se- it, Ga. "I have used it with all my county unit system, as the result riously scalded over the face and children and the results have been of the meeting of the State exec- is suffering greatly with his eyes, highly satis actory." For sale by al

> Is your husband cross? An irritable, Greensboro News: A pumpkin vine the nomination of a commission- fault finding disposition is often due to of unusual qualities and bearing pumper of commerce and labor. The a disordered stomach. A man with kins of unusual number and size, grew candidates who receive the high- good digestion is nearly always good this year near the barn of W. P. Benest plurality vote, based on the natured. A great many have been nett, who lives in this city. The vine, county unit system, two votes permanently cured of stomach trouble which is known as a "volunteer," that for each member of the lower by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. For is one that grows without planting or attention, has produced 19 pumpkins, no one of which is less than a water

> > The boy's appetite is often the source of amazement. If you would have such an appetite take Chamberlain's Tablets, They not only create a healthy and enable it to do its work naturally. For sale by all dealers.

R deigh, will head a big stock company of negroes to erect a \$15,000 negro hotel to be erected on the corner of

Balked at Cold Steel.

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