

ALL respectable citizens of the United States must greatly regret, and feel humiliated at, the disgraceful spectacle now presented to the world by their Chief Magistrate and their only living ex-President traversing the country and making a canvass that would be creditable to the candidates for any petty county office.

One day we read of the bitter denunciation of Roosevelt by Taft and next day we read of an equally bitter denunciation of Taft by Roosevelt, and each seems to strive to outdo the other in denunciation.

THE attempt of some of the Republican leaders to repeal our State-wide prohibition law is meeting with very serious opposition from some of the best Republicans in this State.

WE confidently predict that the Republicans will be more disastrously defeated in this State next November than they were two years ago if they nominate Tom Settle for Governor on a platform advocating the repeal of our present prohibition law.

THE 22nd annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held next week at Macon, Georgia, as has been heretofore mentioned in THE RECORD, beginning on Tuesday and closing on Thursday.

On next Monday at Kinston the corner stone of the first building of the State School for the Feeble Minded will be laid, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity.

INNOCENT men are too frequently arrested upon the evidence of hired detectives and subjected to much expense and trouble. Another instance of illustration of this is the case of the young man, named Crouch, who was arrested upon the evidence of some detectives upon the charge of being one of the burglars who broke into the bank at Hillsboro recently.

NORTH DAKOTA has a law that North Carolina might do well to adopt. It is called a "net weight law" requiring all packages to be plainly labeled with the net weight of the contents.

PRIMARIES were held in several States yesterday and resulted as follows: Wilson carried Delaware and Colorado; Underwood carried Florida; Clark carried Massachusetts; Roosevelt carried New Hampshire and in Massachusetts the vote was so close between him and Taft that it will require the official vote to decide.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Col. Archibald Gracie, U. S. A., one of the survivors of the Titanic, told of his experience to 1,500 persons in St. Thomas' Episcopal church, on Dupont Circle, to-night.

What a Cat Can Do. Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 29.—A pet cat which was owned by Ben Dilley, a bachelor and wealthy hotel-keeper, prevents the distribution of an estate of \$25,164.91.

Carthage News: Our clever county commissioner, A. J. Jones, of Glendon, enjoys the distinction of being the first man to ship a car load of hay from Moore county.

More than 200 bodies of the Titanic victims were picked up at sea by the cable steamer Mackay-Bennett and brought to Halifax, N. S.

For the second time, the University of North Carolina won the interstate track meet at Raleigh Saturday. Wake Forest took second place and A. and M. third in the following score: University, 67; Wake Forest, 33; A. and M., 24; Davidson 12; Trinity, 4; Guilford, 2; Elon, 0. Carolina took 9 first places, Wake Forest 2 and A. and M. 2.

Forty-One Lives Lost in Storm. Oklahoma City, Okla., April 28.—Approximately 41 lives were lost in the storm which yesterday afternoon swept northward from Childress, Texas, into Oklahoma and over a portion of the southwestern and central part of this State, according to reliable reports.

Children Eat Strychnine. Burlington, April 29.—Two children, aged 3 and 4 respectively, of George Hazel, a negro living here, got hold of strychnine tablets Saturday night, during the absence of their parents and ate them.

Torpedoes Sail for Mexico. San Diego, Cal., April 28.—The torpedo boat destroyers, Preble and Perry, the largest vessels of the flotilla, slipped out of the harbor today and went to sea with sealed orders.

Paint and "Paint." Paint itself costs \$2.10 per gallon—but remember that—Linseed Oil costs only \$1 per gallon, and that "Paint" ready for use consists of 4 parts Paint and 3 parts Oil.

Double-tracking by the Southern Railway, which has been in progress some years between Charlotte and Washington, is now practically complete from the capital city to Charlotte.

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Fatal Fall in Hot Water. Special to the News and Observer. Goldsboro, April 26.—A negro boy sixteen years of age met death here today by falling head first into a vat of boiling water at the plant of the Empire Manufacturing Company.

The longest train of cars ever drawn by one locomotive was one on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, last Thursday, from Richmond to Newport News.

Tin is one of the minerals in workable deposits of which the United States is lacking.

The Demons of the Swamp are mosquitos. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the icy chills and the fires of fever.

Fourteen men in Polk county were bound over to court last week on the charge of a conspiracy to burn certain public school houses, about which there had been some local disputes.

Helps a Judge in a Bad Fix. Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies.

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Democratic Convention

The Chatham county Democratic convention is hereby called to meet in the court house in Pittsboro, N. C., on Saturday, May 25th, 1912, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions.

The precinct meetings will be held at the usual voting places on Saturday, May 18th, 1912, at 3 o'clock p. m. The precincts are entitled to the following vote in this convention: Albright, 4; Baldwin, 6; Bear Creek, 8; Buckhorne, 2; Merry Oaks, 2; Centre, 8; Gulf, 2; Richmond, 5; Hadley, 4; Haw River, 2; Hickory Mt., 6; Mt. Vernon Springs, 3; Siler City, 7; New Hope, 5; Oakland 2; Williams, 3.

ANNOUNCEMENT. I announce myself as a candidate, subject to the Democratic convention, for the lower House of Legislature. I favor reducing the rate of taxation under the new assessment; also reducing the cost of the present mode of assessing the taxes.

A TIP FOR Top-Notchers as well as for all who want value and spic, span new goods for their money. There is a model for every kind of dressers among

Strouse Bros. Clothes and all we ask you is to, COME AND SEE how gracefully they hang and hug the neck and give a young fellow that smart look, and the conservative fellow that comfortable, easy look that satisfies.

SHOES, SHIRTS, HATS and all kinds of Furnishings. Everything new.

STEIN BROS., The House of Quality, SANFORD, N. C.

Undertakers' Supplies, Coffins, Caskets, etc. A full stock kept by Atwater & Lambeth, BYNUM, N. C.

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FOR

Ice Cream Freezers, Sewing Machines, Refrigerators, Porch Chairs, Lawn Seats, Furniture, Organs, Ranges, Stoves, See or Write Carter, Sanford, N. C. March 27, 1912.

Durham & Southern Railway Effective March 18, 1912.

Table with 4 columns: Direction, Station, Time, and Notes. Includes Southbound and Northbound routes.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY SCHEDULE. Effective Jan. 8th 1911.

RALEIGH AND SOUTHPORT RAILWAY Schedule of Passenger Trains, Effective Sunday, May 22, 1910.

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The Implement Co.,

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, have just issued a new and complete Farm Implement Catalog giving up-to-date information and prices of All Farm Implements.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDS. On Saturday, May 4th, 1912, at 2 p. m., in front of postoffice in Chapel Hill, we will offer for sale on terms of one-half cash and balance at twelve months with interest from day of sale, the following tracts of valuable land belonging to the heirs of Thos. R. C. Cole, deceased:

ROY BROWN, HILMA W. BROWN, HONORACE BELLIOTT, NARY BELLIOTT, ROYAL E. COLE, JNO. P. COLE, NELLIE A. COLE, Heirs of Thos. R. Cole

MORTGAGE SALE.—By virtue of a mortgage executed by A. A. Brooks and wife to the undersigned and duly registered in the office of Register of Deeds of Chatham county, in Book 84 at page 552, I will, at the courthouse door in Pittsboro, N. C., on the 4th day of May, 1912, it being Saturday, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the tract of land therein described, lying and being in Hadley township, said county.

LAND SALE.—Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court in the special proceeding therein pending, entitled "T. H. Perry, administrator of T. S. Perry, deceased, vs. Edna Perry and others," I will, on Saturday, the 11th day of May, 1912, at the courthouse door in Pittsboro, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder the following described tract of land in Hadley township, Chatham county, N. C., bounded on the north by A. J. Barry, on the east by William Crutchfield, on the south by the Jones road, and on the west by Thos. Lutterloh, containing by estimation 160 acres.

Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans, Macon, Ga., May 7th-8th. Special low rates from all points.

Seaboard Air Line Railway. Tickets on sale May 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th, good for return until 10th day of May. For full information as to rates, schedules, etc., see your agent, or address H. S. LEARD, Div. Pass. Agt., Raleigh, N. C.

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