

THE RANDOLPH SUN,

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LOCAL.

Weather continues warm and dry

The candidates are gone. Let us have peace.

Peaches in town—60 cents per bushel.

Black is the independent candidate for the Senate.

See in another column what the press say about the Sun.

Attention is called to the new announcements in this week's Sun.

Asheboro seems to be infested with fleas. Where is the Mayor?

'There is no place like home,' as the candidate said when he heard he was defeated.

If candidates expect us to publish their announcements in the Sun they must not forget to send one dollar.

Dr. Hamlin is having his house nicely repainted, which adds much to the embellishment of our village.

Bean and Bingham are the independent candidates for the House of Representatives. Don't garble your tickets.

We did not say Black beans and string-um. The ticket is Black—Bean—and Bingham. Don't get things muddled.

Rev. Jesse L. Smith has an appointed meeting at Back Creek meeting house on the 3rd Sabbath in July at 11 o'clock A. M.

Benjamin I. Howze, independent candidate for Solicitor, resides at Moncure, in Chatham county, and is a gentleman of character and legal ability.

We have received recently quite a number of kind, appreciative and congratulatory letters from our readers, for which we desire to return our grateful thanks.

There will be a Sabbath school picnic at Middleton Ridge, near Kemp's mill, in Grant Township, on Saturday, July 27th. Everybody invited.

We were with the candidates at their first speaking last Monday. There was a full attendance and good order prevailed. The candidates were all present, and all had something to say. None of them, however, seemed to be posted and but few issues were presented.

The best thing connected with it was the excellent dinner prepared for the occasion by Mrs. Lewallen.

Country merchants who are struggling along with a small capital have to pay as much privilege tax as the large merchant and capitalist.

Yancey H. Cox, whose announcement appears in this week's Sun, is a good looking, intelligent farmer. He will make a good Treasurer.

Captain Black is in favor of the passage of some kind of a stay law that will protect the people against the collection of old debts till they are better prepared to pay.

The last Legislature imposed on every deed or mortgage admitted to probate a seal tax of fifty cents. This burden falls heaviest on poor farmers who are compelled to convey lands and make deeds.

For the six months beginning September 1st, 1877, and ending March 1st, 1878, the jail expenses for board and washing for prisoners amounted to \$653.85, being \$108.97 per month, and yet bacon is only from 7 to 8 cents per pound.

Capt. Wm. M. Black, candidate for Senator, lives in Moore county. He is a large-good looking man, a farmer by profession, and is full of humor and good nature.

Black is in favor of the people electing their own county officers.

RIDINGS OF THE SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES FOR THE FALL CIRCUIT, 1878.—The Judges have agreed on the following allotment. The rearrangement of the Districts rendered a new start necessary:

1st District, Judge M. L. Eure; 2d Dist, Judge A. S. Seymour; 3rd District, A. A. McKay; 4th District, Judge R. P. Buxton; 5th District, Judge John Kerr; 6th District, Judge David Schenck; 7th District, to be elected; 8th District, to be elected; 9th District, to be elected.

All through its later history the Democratic party has demonstrated that it cannot be trusted; that a just regard to the public welfare requires that it should be kept out of power. The Republican party, admitting all that its most severe critic can bring up against it, is entitled to the confidence of the country, whose great interest it has served so faithfully in trying times of war and peace, and between which and all revolutionary schemes it will continue to stand like a wall of triple brass.—Carolinian.

BRIEFS.

Always in debt—the letter B.

A waste of tea—putting in depot.

O! Nannie, wilt thou gang with me?

What is sweeter than honey?

Lass-es, of course.

The best way to train up a child in the way it should go is to travel that way occasionally yourself.

'Truth crushed to earth will rise again.

The eternal years of God are hers, But error wounded writhes in pain, And dies amid her worshippers."

Next to a rooster in a rain storm the most lugubrious looking thing is a candidate who has just overheard some friend wanting to bet three to one that he would not be elected.

THE ISSUE.

When the Republican party came into power in North Carolina, in 1868, the people had been stripped almost entirely of their rights. For years before the breaking out of the war, the masses of the people of North Carolina were completely at the mercy of a tyrannical oligarchy who ruled them as with a "rod of iron." All power was in the hands of a few privileged classes and the workingmen of the land were only automations to carry out their behests.

The Republican party set itself to the task of remedying this great evil. The election of Justices of the Peace, County Commissioners, mayors of cities and towns, were placed in the hands of the people, and for the first in the history of the State the masses were allowed to direct and govern their local affairs.

Things went on thus until the Democratic party succeeded in taking possession of the law-making branch of the State government, when the leaders of that party began, at once, to abridge the rights of the people and restore to the favored few the right to govern at the expense of the people.

The election of Justices of the Peace has been restored to the Legislature and the whole machinery of the county governments, is in the hands of that body. The county of Wake, for instance, has no more voice in who shall be its rulers, than has the county of Cherokee. A Wake county farmer, merchant, mechanic or laboring man has no vote in regulating the affairs of his county or in saying how the money paid by him as taxes shall be spent. Members of the Legislature from Cherokee, Chowan, Richmond or Caswell have as much or more voice in spending the hard earnings of a Wake county workingman, than the man himself has, and all this great wrong has been perpetrated, merely and solely for the purpose of keeping the Democratic party in power. The time has now come when the people should look well into these matters. "Power is always stealing from the many to the few," and unless the freemen of North Carolina are on the alert, the time is not far distant when they will find themselves bound hand and foot without remedy.—Raleigh Register.

A Democrat from Randolph, who is well posted, tells us the independent ticket in that county will beat the straight Democratic ticket 500 votes.—North State.

The Democrats in Davidson have nominated A. H. Kendall for the Senate and S. A. Mock and J. H. Miller for the House.

Trinity Kindergarten.

General invitation to all the people. Come and see for yourselves. The Kindergarten exercises will begin on Wednesday, July 10. Misses Pollock, of Washington, D. C., will have charge of this department. These ladies are said to be the most accomplished Kindergartners in the Union, and we are very confident that great benefit will be derived from their work in our Normal School.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE 5TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF N. C.

FELLOW CITIZENS: I am a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the above District at the election on the first Thursday of August next. I adopt this brief plan of announcement, but hope before the election in some suitable way to present my claims to you more fully.

Respectfully,
B. I. HOWZE.
Chatham county, June, 1878.

DIED.

In Back Creek Township on the 6th inst. Mrs. Nancy Kearns, consort of Allen Kearns, died, in the 78th year of her age. A very estimable lady and a consistent member of the Methodist church for 60 years. Her last words were Hallelujah.

Near Asheboro on the 7th instant Mrs. Polly Smith, an old and infirm lady.

On the 8th instant Stephen Hodson, of New Market Township. He leaves a disconsolate wife and seven children.

WANTED,

At the office of the Sun a good No. 4 or 5

Washington Press

Notice to Merchants.

All merchants, grocers, druggists and other traders liable for a privilege tax of \$10.00 under schedule "B," section 12 of Machinery Act, are hereby notified to come forward and pay at once and avoid further trouble.
July 13 E. A. MOFFITT, Sheriff.

COUNTY CANVASS.

The candidates for the various offices will address their fellow-citizens of the county at the following times and places, to-wit:

- W T Cox's, Grant Township, Saturday, July 13th.
- Cedar Falls, Franklinsville Township, Monday, July 15th.
- Providence, New Salem Township, Tuesday, July 16th.
- New Market, New Market Township, Wednesday, July 17th.
- Payne's Mill, Trinity Township, Thursday, July 18th.
- CH Rush's Store, Tabernacle Township, Friday, July 19th.
- Widow Bulla's, Back Creek Township, Saturday, July 20th.
- Liberty, Liberty Township, Tuesday, July 23rd.
- Alfred Smith's, Columbia Township, Wednesday, July 24th.
- Yancey Craven's, Pleasant Grove Township, Thursday, July 25th.
- Riley Needham's, Brower Township, Friday, July 26th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

I hereby announce myself as an independent Republican candidate for reelection to the office of Superior Court Clerk.
A. M. DIFFER.

Having been earnestly solicited by many voters in the county of Randolph, I announce myself an independent Republican candidate for a seat in the House of Representatives in the next General Assembly of North Carolina.
J. W. BEAN.

At the solicitation of many citizens of both political parties, I hereby announce myself as an independent Republican candidate for a seat in the next House of Representatives.
L. G. B. BINGHAM.

At the solicitation of my many friends I announce myself an independent Republican candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for Randolph county.
M. C. SPOON.

At the earnest solicitation of my numerous friends of both parties, I hereby announce myself an independent Republican candidate for the office of Sheriff of Randolph county.
BENJAMIN MILLER.

I announce myself as an independent Republican candidate for the office of Sheriff of Randolph county.
W. H. B. B. B.