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The Citizen is asked to thank the Asheville Register for many complimentary remarks about Chairman F. M. Simmons of the state Democratic

It was just as well for the Black-and-Tan organs to admit that the amendment will not disfranchise white men. They couldn't keep the deception up during the whole campaign.

Pritchard shouldn't make such a rumpus about disfranchising negroes. In his own county no negro ever gets a show at an office. They are all deofficized. Pritchard doesn't want them of the state.

IN CHARLOTTE.

Charlotte has a White Supremacy club, organized last Thursday night. that this campaign is the most important that North Carolina has ever had, and that every white man in the state should be alive to the situation. "It is impossible," he said, "to reform the negro in politics. He is exactly where we found him in 1865. He votes the Rethe proper thing to do, and the only black pages in North Carolina's hislican party was in power."

We do not wholly agree with Mayor McCall in these assertions. We believe | teaching hygiene to the people, and it is possible to reform the negro in politics, and that the way to do it is to reform the ignorant negro out of poli- to divert the organization into comtics. That will give the negro an incentive to learn something, to know something, to be something besides the readily bought tool of the Black and-Tans. Take away the privilege, and he | mercial interests to the board of trade will then begin to prize it as something that means more to him than a promise or a \$2 bribe in election years. Nor does he vote the Republican ticket because he thinks it the proper thing to do. The idea of propriety does not enter his head.

Mr. McCall said that with co-opera tion on the part of the white men of the state there is no doubt about the amendment's being carried, but he emphasized the necessity of earnest work for it. This warning is entirely proper. We've got the Black-and-Tans on the run, and the thing to do is to keep them on the run. The way to keep them on the run is to keep chasing them.

Raleigh is to have an amateur minstrel show. If the capital city wants engage "Hull and McLoud's Mammoth Minstrels, Terpsichorean and Jocular Artists," who played to an Asheville audience last week. It is a collection of stars, but doesn't look much like the

The Asheville Register pretends to think that the vaccination ordinance was passed to enable the doctors to ex- | kind, and thereby the disease, in a hutort money from the people of the city. If some one would discover an antidamphool virus the Register would have a sore arm to nurse.

GATLING-GUN CHRISTIANITY.

The Citizen is glad to find one religlous paper that looks at our war on the Filipinos and the British war on the Boers from a christian standpoint. That paper is the Epworth News of the North Carolina Journal of Education as follows:

"The Philippine war costs the United States \$1,000,000 a day; which is twice as much as the average daily cost of the public should understand States with their army of 400,000 teachers. Could the expenses of one year | the public buildings, the citizens and of this war be added to the school fund, the visitors, and thus make the city the educational facilities of the whole country could be doubled for two years. The African war is costing England about \$2,000,000 a day-nearly 10 times the average daily cost of all her rublic schools, which in many cases are poor enough. But great is war and the road to glory is wet with human

The dollar argument against unjust wars might have been longer and more effective. At the same time it is being used in favor of these wars, especially cure against the Filipinos, and it apchristians seven days in the week. the Journal of Education the Epworth

"This is one way to estimate the hor rors of war. Another is by the number of valuable lives sacrificed. If it were to defend our soll, our homes, our institutions from a ruthless and barbarous foe no cost would be too great but if it is to protect one's national standing, to gain territory and wealth, the cost is far out of proportion. It seems very strange that any one should in this day favor wars of conquest for the christianizing of the subjugated. That might do for Constantine, but even then such conversions incorporated paganism into the church

and produced the dark ages." It is not necessary to try to estimate the horrors of war. They are admitted. The question is as to the justice of these or any other wars. There are some who say this is a christian country. But what is christianity without justice? Can an unjust country be a christian country? Again says the

"Where are they who a few years ago were crying universal peace, arbitration, etc.? What meant the peace congress? Why should the two most christian nations be the leaders in the bloodiest wars? It reminds one of the wrefuse to see the handwriting on the bloodiest wars? It reminds one of the wrefuse to see the handwriting on the bloodiest wars? It reminds one of the bloodiest wars? were crying universal peace, arbitra- stand. We should make of Asheville who in our judgment are not capable of self-government we shall have a busy time the rest of our life. It makes the heart sick to read of the battles and the slaughter of noble men. We cannot believe the Lord has chosen these ways of bringing His kingdom on the earth. May the God of peace in "Well, I all

FOR ASHEVILLE

PEOPLE SHOULD KNOW HOW TO AVOID AND PREVENT DISEASE AND THEN THEY WILL

FEAR IT LESS.

No better evidence of the need of a public health organization in this city | 500 good hands in this issue. could be given than the conditions exprinciples and results of vaccination, its absolute safety when practiced aseptically with pure virus, very few would be found without a vaccination car. Babies in arms would be vaccinated, as is the commendable custom n some countries where the family physician attends to this simple operation as a matter of duty, not permit-

ting his patients to go unprotected. If the people of this community, dependent as they are at present on the strangers who come here, had had the smallpox, the appearance of a few cases would have resulted in most of us seeking vaccination instead of any one rising in alarm and horror and forcing the authorities to take steps for false statements, and without reason, kind of smallpox of years ago, because vaccination working on successive gen-

present comparatively harmless na-There are people who conscientiously repudiate vaccination, but the vast majority do so from fear born of ig-Mayor McCall made an excellent ad- no organization, no system of teaching. dress, in the course of which he said such as is to be found only in a few afternoon train for Roxboro. They where good health is considered at least equal to business interests, and unfavorable comments upon their character and purposes,

With the experiences of various reserts in California, Colorado and Texas publican ticket because he thinks it is in mind-experiences that have resulted in the citizens of several localities pressing their legislators for laws excluding consumptives from their localtory are those made while the Repub- ities because of the spread of the disease even among natives of those places—a few residents of Asheville have organized for the purpose of thereby how to protect the homes and the visitors. A few enthusiastic meetings were held and efforts were made mercial channels, but without avail. Work for committees was mapped out, and plans were made to improve the community as a health resort, leaving the manufacturing and purely comwhich has proved itself earnest sincere and competent to deal with these inter-

But when the time came for execution few seemed able to spare time from their duties. The constitution provides for three business meetings and three public meetings during the year, and some public meetings for popular instruction in hygiene, and for suitable dates. As these were intended for visitors as well as for residents it was not proposed that any be held before March, so that the first one is FREE CHURCH OF THE

barely due. Now, if short practical instruction n the prevention of smallpox could eliminate from the mind of any reasonable man or woman amenable to belief in the demonstrated evidence of science the last vestige of fear or prejudice against vaccination, how much more reason have we to inculcate among the people knowledge on th a first-class minstrel show it should hygienic principles underlying the measures that prevent consumption. a disease that causes one-fifth of the deaths, and the hygiene of diphtheria. typhoid and scarlet fevers, either of which is incomparably more common

and fatal than smallpox! For example, how many people know that a speck of sputum the size of a pea may contain billions of germs of consumption, each one of which is a living factor capable of reproducing its man being when the soil it reaches is suitable food for it? Who stops to think that these germs may be scattered in homes, churches, opera house, postoffice and court house, and are raised daily with the clouds of visible and invisible dust by brooms, too often used dry, by the currents of womens' dresses and by the feet? Who thinks that the babe crawling on the germ-laden carpet or floor may begin with its dimpled hands, and has its nose constantly in contact with the

infected currents of air at the lowest this city. In its latest issue it quotes level of the room? Who thinks of applying measures that will prevent the scattering of these germs and that will destroy them when they exist in our surroundings? All these and many other questions all the public schools of the United oughly, so as to take the most effective measures for protecting the homes.

> more attractive to tourists. It is this work that the Asheville Public Health association proposes to undertake. It expects at least to try and learn from experience at the first meeting whether or not the people want free instruction, whether or not away childish things." they want an organization to foster good health and encourage sound hygienic measures that will redound to the increase of a desirable population. What good could be done to the home keeper, the hotel keeper, the mother if a series of public lectures of a practical character were given to them free, beginning, say, with a description of would of itself be of great value, for it would show what a germ is, what it

peals strongly to those who are collar germ life! A study of these mites Commenting on this quotation from looks like, where and how it lives and practical to show them to an audi-nce through a microscope it is easy enough show them on a screen through a lan-

The school authorities have accepted an offer of the association to deliver lectures to pupils on these topics, and it will be done in the course of the efforts enough to honor us with their law and not an angry Maker whose presence?

It is proposed to secure the old Library building for the first attempt. It has been suggested that the clergy may see fit to permit the use of the churches for these teachings. This would afford admirable opportunities to rach the people. The teaching of hygiene began in ecclesiastical quar- tary-treasurer from the membership at ters, and the clergy may still be of large. great help in protecting the health of

the body. The people should be so thorougaly instructed in hygiene that we may never need stern laws to protect us against diseases, and never suffer the damages now incurred by reason of ignorance of truths that we should under-

MISPLACED.

"John has been one of the officers of the foreign missionary society for 10 years, and is as poor as ever." "Well, I always said he wasn't fitted for that work."

Caretannell months

IN NORTH CAROLINA.

-Goldsboro Argus: The jury in Raieigh yesterday awarded \$12,500 to Mr. Sam Coley against the Southern railway for the loss of his arm, which was cut off by the shifting engine in this city about two years ago.

-Boone Democrat: The Cranberry Iron and Coal company is now beginning operations on an extensive scale, which will be a great advantage to our laboring classes. They advertise for

-Concord Standard: Last Saturday isting today as a direct result of the evening, shortly after 6 o'clock, public fear or disregard of a harmless southbound freight train struck an old negro woman, Mary Pharr, a short and very useful preventive measure, distance the other side of the Cole viz.: Vaccination against smallpox. If man cotton mill. She was not badly the people understood the underlying only enough to throw her aside. The woman is 68 years old.

-Kinston Free Press: We learn from good authority that the cabbage crop people over the age of six months of eastern North Carolina has been cut off fully one-third by the several cold snaps since January 1. On light sandy lands the crop has been cut off one-half. The crop will not be much, if any, heavier than last season

-Salisbury Truth-Index: The concentrating mill at the Union Copper mine turned out the first lot of concentrate Saturday and from this time on will be in full blast. The capacity of this mill is 1,000 tons per day and i is safe to say that the mill will be run to its full capacity for thousands upon benefit of practical instruction in the thousands of tons of ore have been hygiene of such infectious diseases as taken out and are ready for the concentration.

-Wilmington Messenger: The Messenger is glad to announce that the organization of a strong stock company the public safety; measures that have for the establishment and operation of been followed by the publication of a mammoth fertilizer factory at Castle Hayne, about eight miles from the city, keeping prospective visitors away. The has been practically perfected. The outbreak was a mere bubble, easily stockholders have not yet met for the punctured as compared with that grave | purpose of organizing, but the Messenger is advised that this will be done very soon and the capital stock will to hold office except in the eastern part | erations has modified the disease to its | very probably be \$200,000. About all the stock has already been subscribed.

> -Durham Herald: A disgusting sight was witnessed in the Lynchburg and Durham depot Friday afternoon. A norance of facts that they should un- northern man and his grown daughderstand, but to impart which there is ter, who have been visiting in this community for several days, left on the favored and progressive communities were carried to the depot by an old negro man and when the father and daughter told him good bye the woman the doctrines of which are preached by laid her hand on his shoulder and kissphysicians without danger of drawing ed him. Such cattle as this should stay at home. They are not wanted in Durham or the state.

-Lincolnton Journal: Charlie Bolick Hickory youth, wanted to marry last ek, and applied to the register of leeds of Catawba for license to wed diss Fannie Miller, who lives near The Catawba register delined to issue license, having been informed by the boy's father by telephone that he was under age. Young Bolick, accompanied by his sweetheart walked here and applied for license claiming to be of age, but his looks vere so youthful that Register Self declined to issue the papers. So he and his sweetheart sadly footed it back

-LaGrange Sentinel: LaGrange Is eadily progressing. Within the last ive months the following new enterrises have been started: A weekly paper, a canning factory, a brick factory, several new mercantile houses, and everal new residences. In addition to this, we are almost certain to have in the near future a new bank, an electric light plant, a furniture factory and a cotton factory. This is very gratifytens are waking up to a realization of their some entertainments to be held at many advantages and are progressing as never before in the history of La-Grange.

FRIENDLY SPIRIT

PLAN OF URGANIZATION OF THE NEW MOVEMENT ADOPTED

AT SUNDAY'S MEETING. At the people's meeting at Hilliard hall Sunday afternoon the following

was adopted by those present as the plan of organization of the new move-"The name of this society shall be The Free Church of the Friendly Spir-

t of Asheville. "The objects of this society are to freely and reverently consider ethical. religious and social questions; to strive for a closer fellowship; to work for justice among men; to promote the interests of truth and its bearings on the welfare of humanity.

"The Free Church of the Friendly Spirit of Asheville does not seek to commit its friends to any fixed statement of belief, but permits each perto carry these germs into its mouth son to be true to his own conscience. "A cordial invitation is extended to

all who believe in being good and doing good and in cultivating the friendly, kindly spirit and who expect to show the same courtesy to others' beliefs that they would wish shown to their own.

"We pledge ourselves to earnestly seek the truth, to present the results of our seeking and to patiently hear any opinion, with charity for all and malice toward none, it being our purose to work for right living, broader thinking and a warmer fellowship.

We do not intend our faith to come stereotyped. What we thought last year we will not necessarily consider sufficient this year. As Paul said, When I was a child I thought as a child, but when I became a man I put

"In the New Testament the question is asked, 'What is truth?' It was not answered, but the attempt to do so from that day to this has marked the path of progress and better life. any church with a rigid creed you are not permitted to present problems that endanger that creed. So your permitted to present problems seeking for truth will be limited to its catechism. We aim to keep our range

"We will not and do not condemn ther churches, for they supply the full wants of many people; and we will destroys or is beneficial. If it is im- endeavor to do our share in showing the true charity that should be the badge of real religion and make our to draw them on a blackboard and society a haven for all inquiring souls who find themselves in need of an ex panding confession of faith.

"Finally, we will insist that our free-dom of thinking shall not stand for looseness of thought, nor laxity of ideals, nor furnish any warrant for selfish greed, harshness of opinion, nor school season. Will the public grant us escape from the inevitable mandates the same favor? Will they value such of deity, who we believe is a God of "All persons who are in sympathy

with the objects of this society may become, and are cordially in the to become, members thereof. "The officers of this society shall consist of an executive committee of five members, who shall select a pres-ident from their number, and a secre-

"The executive committee shall be elected semi-annually by the members of the society and shall have control of the business thereof. It shall meet at least once a month, or at such time or times as the president shall call, or on the written demand of five members of the society. "There shall be the following com-

mittees: Music and entertainment, be left to the discretion of the execu-five committee. "The executive committee may also appoint such other committees as may

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THE FACTS QUOTED AGAINST MARYANN

REPRESENTATIVE CURTIS AMAZ-ED BY THE DECEPTION IN

THE SENATOR'S SPEECH.

Editor The Citizen:-I have just finished reading Senator Butler's speech before the senate on the proposed amendment to the constitution of North Carolina, and am utterly amazed and astonished that a son of North Carolina should be guilty of such wholesale deception as appears on the very face of his speech. It does not become necessary to read between the lines to detect his fraud, for it stands out in bold relief and "whosoever will may read.'

I do not desire to be understood attempting to answer the arguments of Senator Butler, my only wish being to call attention briefly to some of his statements which I regard as altogether false and without any founda-

He starts out with the proposition that there is no danger of negro domination in North Carolina-a proposition fallacious in itself-but not satisfied with the simple statement of this absurd proposition, he undertakes to prove its truth by quoting statistics that cannot be relied on.

Such a course would have done very well if the senator had not made the serious blunder of having his speech printed and spread broadcast over his own state, where the facts could be shown to be otherwise than the way he represented them, for not many, if any of the senators of the United States would have taken the pains to investigate the condition of affairs in North Carolina, so his speech would have produced the desired effect,

I am at a loss to know what it would take to constitute negro domination according to Senator Butler's standard of judgment. It seems to me when we have a negro congressman from the Second district, although his name be White, and a negro in the state senate and four negroes in the legislature, that we are bordering on negro domination, if not in the actual throes of

If he had stopped with that statement he would not have put himself in such a ridiculous attitude before the cople of his state, but he made the bold assertion on the floor of the United States senate, where Vance once stood and reverenced truth, that there were only 12 counties in the state having more negroes than whites. Now there is a wide discrepancy between his judgment and the statement of the North Carolina Handbook," which was revised by the agricultural department of 1896. It discloses the fact that the 16 following counties had more negroes than whites:

Bertie, Caswell, Chowan, Craven, Edgecombe, Granville, Halifax, Hert-Hanover, Northampton Pasquotank, Pender, Richmond, Vance, Warren and Washington.

I do not know from what source Sen

ator Butler procured his statistics but I do not think it would be a rash presumption to suppose that there are fully as many counties today with more negroes than whites as there were in 1896, and unfortunately several others are dangerously near the border line. Why should we hesitate to conclude that such is the case? They have not gone in droves from eastern North Carolina and distributed themselves more evenly over the state; no epidemic or scourge has been confined to their race which would have exterminated them; so theres; a very strong probability that the same state of affairs exists in the east that has existed there for years. He says that exclusive of 12 ounties, all the other counties have a large majority of white inhabitants, when it is an incontrovertible fact that there are five other counties with a majority of white population of less

Senator Butler heaps a great deal of rersonal abuse on the Democratic party leaders in the state because they raised the issue of white supremacy, but he very consistently, no doubt he thinks, entirely ignores the fact that all the Populist members of the last legislature voted for the measure that he is so vehemently denouncing as un-

fair and unjust. The negroes are not entirely responsible for this deplorable state of affairs in the east, but following it to its last analysis, the burden falls on the corrupt party leaders who dictate to them. Isaac Smith and another one of his colored colleagues sounded the keynote to the situation when, in the last legislature, they voted to have the name of Jim Young cut out of the cornerstone of that beautiful structure for the blind white children of the state at Raleigh, saying that the two races ought to be kept separate and distinct

I agree with Senator Butler in the last sentence of his speech when he "The voters of North Carolina, even though many of them are illiter te, are not dishonest, neither are they wards," and if he will only be patient a few months longer they will show him a lesson of fortitude that will make im sick at heart. Luther, N. C., March 5.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Mountain Near Asheville Where Snow Will Disappear in an Hour

Editor The Citizen:-I want to call the attention of the people to a small mountain that I can see from my window in Chunn's Cove. I have watched or three years and the snow will melt off of it in one hour and the rest of the nountain be covered white with snow or seek which is the case now, while an sitting in my window writing this piece—this being 2 o'clock Sunday and very cold, and it is bright and no snow on it now, and all of the rest of the mountains are covered white with snow. They look very cold while it ooks bright and warm. I have been thinking of calling the attention of the eople to it for three years to see what D. M. STEVENS. means. February 25.

WHY SHE WAS JOLLY.

From the Chicago Post. "I'm not going to school today!" she ried jubilantly, "Oh, I'm sorry for you girls who'll have to sit at your desks and study. 'Why aren't you going?" they asked,

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By Ferdinand Dunkley. SELECTIONS FROM THE WORKS OF WAGNEP.

(Continued.)

The story of Lohengrin may be briefly sketched as follows: The scene t 10th century. Gottfried, the young son of the late Duke of Brabant, having mysteriously disappeared Frederick Telramund, in virtue of his wife's royal descent claims the sovereignty of Brabant and openly accuses Elsa (Gottfried's sister) of having murdered her brother to win the crown for herself. Elsa is summoned to appear and answer the charge, and the king mitted to ordeal of battle between Telramund and any champion Elsa may choose to defend her. She describes a knight whom she has seen in a vision and conjures him to fight for her. After repeated appeals, a skiff, drawn by a swan, is seen to approach the shore; in it is Lohengrin, Eisa's chosen knight, who accepts Telramund's challenge. Before they fight, Lohengrin betroths himself to Elsa first claiming her solemn promise never to question him as to his name or race, nor whence he came to her; Tel ramund is overcome in the combat and stripped of lands and honors.

Telramund and Ortrud (his wife) are

determined vet to compass the ruin of

Elsa and Lohengrin and be reinstated in their former rank. On the way to the church for the wedding of Elsa and Lohengrin Telramund interposes and accuses Lohengrin of sorcery, alleging the strange manner of his coming amongst them, and the mystery in which his name and rank are shrouded in support of the declaration. The faith of the king and his knights in Lohengrin, however, remains unshaken; doubts for a moment overwhelm Elsa, but she casts them aside; the train finally enters the church and they are united. Elsa and Lohengrin are then conducted to the bridal chamber by a train of knights and ladies, and for the first time are alone. Elsa soon begins to question her , husband with growing vehemence, unmindful of his warnings that her doubts must end their happiness, for that if she insist, to her he must reveal his secret. When their altercation is at its height a murderous attempt is made on Lohengrin's life by Telramund and four of his followers. Elsa, quick to perceive their ntent, hands Lohengrin his sword and he strikes Telramund dead. He then places Elsa in the care of her ladies, charging them to lead her into the presence of the king. There he reveals himself to be the son of Parsifal, and a knight of the Holy Grail; being known he is now bound to return to its mysterious guardianship. As he speaks the swan leading the skiff appears again on the river, and to Elsa's unspeakable grief he bids her an eter-

nal farewell. Before he steps into the skiff he disenchants the swan, who is no other han Gottfried, transformed by Ortrud's sorcery, and who now takes rightful possession of his dukedom. A dove takes the place of the swan and iraws away the skiff with Loheng in it. He is seen once more in the distance and Elsa with a shrick falls lifeless to the ground.

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