

It is estimated that there are 23 acres of land to every inhabitant of the globe.

Thousands of cattle are dying in the deep snow which has fallen in South Dakota.

For the first time in twenty-eight years Ohio has two Republican representatives in the United States Senate.

There are said to be already enough applicants from North Carolina and Virginia to take every office within the gift of the new administration.

The most remarkable performance of the late legislature of Oregon was its omission to vote money to pay its own members. Its dissent down this way.

Governor Russell has accepted an invitation to press the button and start the machinery at the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, which opens at Nashville, May 1st.

The State Treasurer finds that the Legislature's appropriations aggregate \$950,000, which far exceeds any previous appropriations. It is said that the special appropriations amounted to \$130,000.

Governor Russell is manifesting much interest in having North Carolina make a highly creditable display at the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, opening in April.

Canton, Ohio, is now trying to secure a boiler factory, says the Cincinnati Tribune. The town has become so accustomed to noise that it feels the need of something to supply the present deficiency in that product.

The Alexandria Gazette rises to remark that the Yale students, who insulted Mr. Bryan last year and prevented him from speaking at New Haven, recently sent the flag of that college and their best wishes to Corbett, the prize fighter. Comment is unnecessary.

The fact that the new administration being in no great hurry in making appointments is causing a decided feeling of unrest among the army of office seekers who are waiting around Washington with an ever increasing expense account and constantly diminishing cash.

When President McKinley kissed the Bible when inaugurated, his lips touched these appropriate words: "Give me now wisdom and knowledge that I may go out and come in before this people, for who can judge this thy people that is so great." The Bible was opened as is always the custom at random.

General Weyler may give his whole attention to the interests of Spain in Cuba but he has nevertheless failed to capture that plucky little island. May Cuba fight as she never did before, with the battle cry, "Cuba Libre," ringing throughout the island and at last be awarded her freedom for her gallantry in defending her rights.

The Fifty-fifth Congress convened in extra session on Monday last. President McKinley's message emphasized the necessity of an increased revenue to meet the expenditures of the government. His remedy is a tariff law, and he expresses the hope that one will be promptly enacted which will provide sufficient revenue for all public expenditures.

Interesting

Notes From Various Points Around and About us.

Of a Personal and Newsy Character.

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EDENTON, N. C.

Hail fell here Saturday.

Supt. Pretlow, of the A. S. N. Co., is in town.

Mrs. C. S. Vann is some better, but still very sick.

Judge Eure, of Norfolk, was in the city Thursday.

Mr. E. H. Walke, of Avoca, was in town Thursday.

Mr. Edgar Rea hurt his hand at the scroll mill Monday.

There have been a good many drummers in town this week.

Mrs. D. G. Bond has gone to Bertie county on a visit to relatives.

Miss Luta Burton has returned from Washington City and Norfolk.

The ice factory is quite busy supplying the wants of the fishermen.

Mrs. C. R. Skinner returned home Wednesday from Elizabeth City.

The fishermen down this way are not doing very much this season.

Mr. Corwin, Secretary of the Branning Mfg. Co., is off on a business trip.

Paul Warren has accepted a position with R. L. Haste on Broad street.

Miss Annie Wozelka returned home Wednesday from Washington, D. C.

Messrs. Thos. Old and J. D. Bateman will leave next week for Baltimore.

Mrs. Webb, of Scotland Neck, is here on a visit to her sick sister, Mrs. Tillery.

A. T. Bush is having an awning erected in front of his store on Broad street.

T. D. Summrell and family have moved from this place to Greenville, N. C.

Mr. John H. Stephenson has accepted a position with the Branning Mfg. Co.

Glad to announce that Col. R. G. Mitchell is out again after several weeks' illness.

Miss Barber, a stenographer of Norfolk, has accepted a position with the Branning Co.

A boat loaded with salt for the fishermen is at the wharf discharging her cargo.

Miss Mary Wym, of Washington county, has been visiting Miss Pattie Warren at this place.

Mr. Will Davenport died at his home on Broad street at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, the 18th.

Mr. Walter Hughes went to Washington county yesterday to bring home a bride. He will return today.

An entertainment for the benefit of the new Baptist church was given last Friday night and was an enjoyable occasion.

The Norfolk & Southern Co. put on an extra boat this week, the freights having increased. Mr. Joe Williams went as purser.

Winborne & Rea, manufacturers of scroll and bracket work, loaded a car this week for New York. Their mill is turning out some fine building material.

The continued bad weather is dis-ouraging to the farmers who are already behind with their work; still we should look on the bright side and hope for the future.

Sheriff A. Q. Elliott was examining a pistol at his home Sunday night; it accidentally went off, the ball striking his son in the jaw, inflicting a painful wound.

A Point to Remember.

If you wish to purify your blood you should take a medicine which cures blood diseases. The record of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, proves that this is the best medicine for the blood ever produced. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures the most stubborn cases and it is the medicine for you to take if your blood impure.

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MOYOCK.

Moyock is soon to have another marriage we hear.

The fishermen are making quite good catches up here now.

The I. O. O. F. Lodge met at their hall here Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. C. Poyner returned home from Elizabeth City last Saturday.

Miss Rena Nichols was the guest of Misses Emma and Ada Barnard last week.

Mr. W. L. Wilson left last Friday for Fairfield, N. C., and up to this date has not returned.

Mrs. T. B. Jones, who has been quite ill for several days, we are glad to note, is out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Fulford, of Indian Creek, spent Wednesday with her parents near Tulls.

Died last week of consumption at Gibbs' Woods, Currituck county, Mr. Nelson Sawyer, aged about 65 years.

Mr. Durant Gallup, a former resident of Moyock, but now of Elizabeth City, gave us a very pleasant call Saturday.

Miss Ada Sawyer, of Indian Creek, who has been visiting Miss Lindar Bright for several days, has left for Snowden.

Our new blacksmith and undertaker, Mr. J. I. Sawyer, is doing quite a good business here; it seems to be the right man in the right place.

Mrs. Thomas Sanderlin and daughter, who have been visiting friends and relatives at Norfolk, Va., for some weeks past, returned to their home on Monday.

We have often wondered why the newspapers so seldom print any sermons except those of Tallmage, while our home talent receives very little commendation from the press. The FISHERMAN & FARMER has set a good example by printing the sermon of the eloquent, talented and gifted Rev. Dr. C. S. Blackwell. We enjoyed the sermon very much.

Monday evening at half past 5 o'clock Mrs. Maggie G. Sanderlin, wife of E. W. Sanderlin, fell asleep in Jesus after a brief illness of but a few days. Aged 30 years. She was a woman of true christian character, a devoted wife, a fond and loving mother, and a faithful friend. Those who knew her best loved her most. She was a graduate from Williamsburg College. A constant and active member of Moyock M. E. Church, and will be sadly missed. Her place will be hard to fill. She leaves a husband and four small children to mourn their loss. She was buried Tuesday evening, Rev. J. H. Hall, of Elizabeth City conducted the funeral services and was followed to the last resting place by a large number of sorrowing friends and relatives. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family. Let us not mourn as those who have no hope, for we shall meet again some sweet day by and bye.

Truly Astonishing.—Miss Annette N. Mott, Fountain, Minn., says: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has had a wonderful effect in curing my brother's children of a severe and dangerous cold. It was truly astonishing how speedily they found relief after taking this preparation."

Political Notes From Billville.

We don't know what McKinley will do with the silver bill; but if he'll just hurry up the \$5 bill we'll try and be satisfied.

We want a foreign appointment quick!—We can't afford to fall in a community where rope is so cheap and people so willing.

We are not certain that we voted for McKinley, but we are sure we were on the fence and fell over his side when he was elected.

We are not positive whether we named our tenth boy after Bryan or McKinley. He's named Bill, however, and we have always been in favor of the bills we could get.

We did not go to Washington this time. We went there during Cleveland's second term, and after waiting six months for an appointment, he refused to pay our board, and we left in the night.

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MURDER AT MOYOCK.

BOSTON TURNER SHOT BY MILLS FELTON.

PREMEDITATED AFFAIR.

Felton Escaped to parts unknown.

Mills Felton shot and instantly killed Boston Turner last Saturday evening, about half past 5 o'clock in Messrs. C. R. Van de Carr & Co.'s store. The ball entered just below the heart. The cause of the trouble was Turner's ill treatment to his wife, who was Felton's sister. Both were peaceable, quiet, colored men. The murder seems to have been premeditated as they had but few words before the deed was done. Felton escaped. Turner was buried Monday at the Christian Home Colored Baptist church here.

The sooner you begin to fight the fire, the more easily it may be extinguished. The sooner you begin taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla for your blood disease, the easier will be the cure. In both cases, delay is dangerous, if not fatal. Be sure you get Ayer's and no other.

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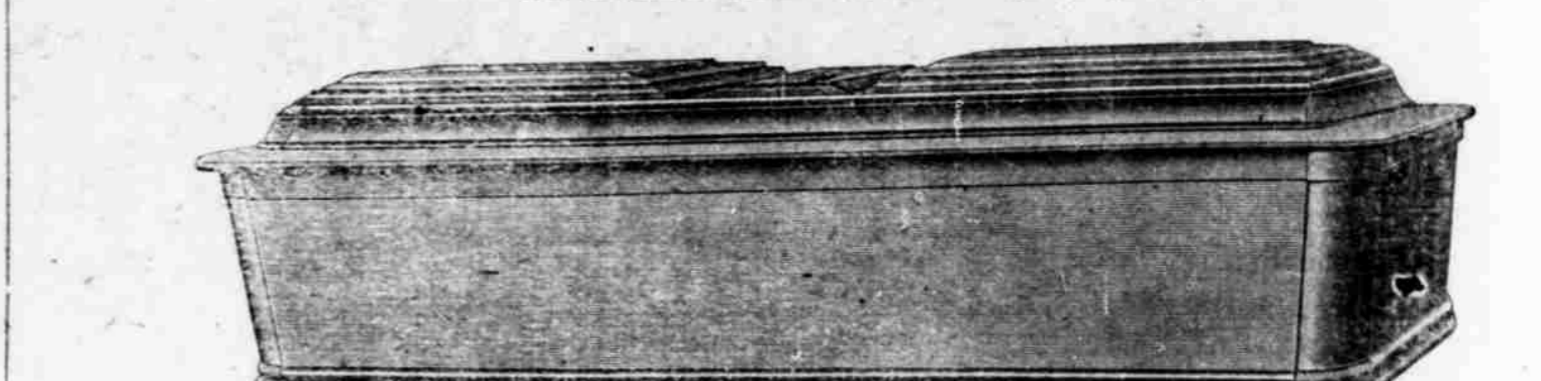
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