

THE CAUCASIAN.

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One year ago it was less than 900. During the last 14 weeks we have mailed over 25,000 copies.

Advertisers think of this.

CLINTON, N. C.,—SEPT. 19, 1889.

The new steel cruiser, Baltimore, is the fastest in the world. Her record is over 20 knots per hour.

Rev. Dr. W. M. Robey, one of ablest Methodist divines of the State, died at Goldsboro on last Saturday, the 14th inst.

County Business Agent Clute returned from Wilmington Tuesday where he bought a small lot of pine straw bagging. He has just received a telegram stating that a large lot of cotton bagging had been shipped him, which will arrive before Saturday.

Commissioner of Pensions, Tanner, has tendered his resignation at last. The Administration has had a happy riddance and the people a happier one in the resignation of this spendthrift, who has been squandering the people's money through the pension bureau.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger says that orders of cotton bagging by the Alliances are so heavy that it is almost impossible for the mills to supply it fast enough, but if our farmers will just be patient they will get enough to wrap every ounce of cotton and probably get more for their produce by waiting.

Capt. Daniels, the cotton buyer for Messrs. A Sprunt & Son, was sampling a lot of cotton a few days since, when he found that a bale from Sampson county graded the highest. A Sampsonian standing by expressed himself as much gratified, whereupon the buyer said that such was often the case. In view of this fact we hope the Clinton buyers can outstrip other markets in this fall.

The directors of the North Carolina Insane Asylum have elected D. W. Wood, of Halifax county, superintendent of that institution. There were twelve candidates for the position, the leading ones being Drs. Brown, Wood, Tucker, McDuffie, Miller and Hines. Dr. J. R. Pearsall, a native of Sampson county and recently located in Fayetteville, was elected as second assistant physician. There were twenty-two candidates for this place.

Mr. W. S. Chadwick, of Beaufort, has been elected President of the Atlantic and W. C. R. R. to succeed Mr. Washington Bryan, who is now President. The Board of Directors is composed of the following gentlemen: W. S. Chadwick and T. D. Webb, of Chertart; W. G. Brinson, of Craven; P. M. Pearsall, of Jones; Dempsey Webb and A. C. Davis, of Lenoir; W. T. Caho, of Pamlico; Charles Dewey, of Wayne; Clement Manly, of Craven, is State's proxy.

We have had the list of newly appointed School Committees two weeks for publication but have been unable to find room for it. We also have an interesting and valuable article, read by Prof. I. Royal before the Teachers' Institute and requested to be published by the teachers, but on account of its length has been unable to give it space, and no extracts from it would do it justice. We are constantly hampered by want of space, have several columns of matter left over each week, in fact we could fill a paper double the size of THE CAUCASIAN each week with matter that deserves and ought to be published. But it is very expensive to run a paper the size of the one we are now publishing and we ought to and must have 3,000 subscribers to justify us to continue the work we are now doing.

Sir Edward Arnold, (knighthood because of his pretty and graceful poem, "Light of Asia," is in New York. He has been to Washington and met the smallest President these United States ever had.—Wilmington Messenger.

CUMBERLAND NEWS.

SAMPSON CONGRATULATED UPON MAKING THE FAIR A CERTAINLY THIS FALL.

Centennial Committees Diligently at Work.

CONVENIENCES BY POSTAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

THE ONLY ENGRAVING AND STEREO-TYPING COMPANY IN THE STATE—A NEW COURTHOUSE NEEDED—THE GOOD WORK OF THE Y. M. C. A.

(Reg. Cor. CAUCASIAN.) FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Sept. 16th, 1889.

I am just beginning to be impressed with the real importance of the Y. M. C. A. A visit to the rooms any night will convince any one of the good it is doing. Crowds of young men go there, and are cordially welcomed by Mr. Harley, the general Secretary. A register is kept for all arrivals and it discloses visitors from many places. Two crochete tables have just been added to the amusements. It is a new, simple and interesting game. The building for the gymnasium commences this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Hepburn arrived here Saturday from Japan to spend a short while with their relatives. They have been engaged in missionary work in that country for thirty years. They will return there, and after two years more expect to come back to this country to live in their old home in New York city. Both are about 73 years old. Their lives have been devoted to the cause of Christ.

The election of Dr. W. N. Wood seems to give satisfaction. Dr. McDuffie, who was one of his chief competitors speaks of him in the highest terms, and says the directors made no mistake, as he is a polished gentleman and esteemed for his learning and ability by the medical brethren. The election of my friend, Dr. Jere B. Pearsall, of city, as second assistant physician of the North Carolina Insane Asylum was also a wise choice. We know Dr. Pearsall to be a gentleman in the true sense of the word, and the doctors say he is a young man of ability and great promise. We are sorry to lose him but glad that he was successful. He left on Friday for his new field.

The Carolina Engraving and Stereotyping company is a new enterprise here, with Mr. McKee Barclay in charge. This is the only engraving establishment in the State and one of the few in the South. Mr. Barclay is from Louisville.

Cotton is coming in at the rate of twenty bales per day. It is three weeks late. New buyers will make the market unusually lively this season. Cotton men say there will be largely increased receipts. Last year several thousand bales were marketed here from South Carolina.

The burning of the Courthouse at Carthage has caused a general demand in this county for a new Courthouse. The present structure is not worthy of the name it bears. The records are exposed, and any morning the people may wake up and find themselves in the same condition as the people of Moore county. A new Courthouse would cost something it is true, but the danger and risk of the present one is entirely too great. The question is being agitated.

The Grade School opens this morning. Prof. Melver, the superintendent, and Mr. of Pitsboro, one of the new teachers arrived last week and everything is in readiness for the opening.

The evangelistic labors of the Drummer Evangelist W. P. Fife, are being crowned with success. He has just closed a meeting at Rockingham with over 300 conversions.

It is asserted that the farmers of this county are in a better financial condition than for many years. The crops are good and they owe comparatively little money. This is good news.

The Postal Telegraph Company opened its office here last week with Mr. J. G. Cobb in charge. A very neat and tasty office has been fitted up in the corner of the Hotel LaFayette building. Call bells will be put in the offices of business and professional. By this means a messenger comes to your desk and takes your message.

The poles of the Postal Telegraph company have all been painted. It is a wonderful improvement. The Western Union and Electric Light companies ought to paint theirs.

The Centennial committees meet every Thursday afternoon. The work is moving along nicely. An order has been placed for more than a thousand dollars' worth of fire-works. It will be a grand display. Professional decorators from New York will decorate the city. Kesnick's band from Richmond will be one of the leading bands here. Many will be invited.

There is a very great demand here for dwellings. Many are in course of construction.

Several marriages of prominent society people are to take place next month it is said. Cupids

DUPLIN NEWS.

THE RE-UNION OF THE VETERANS—THE MEETINGS TO BE HELD ANNUALLY.

A New Brick Jail—Important Alliance Business—A Human Curiosity.

(Reg. Cor. THE CAUCASIAN.) KENANSVILLE, N. C., Sept. 16th, 1889.

Saturday, Sept. 14th, was indeed Veterans day in our village. As early as 8 o'clock in the morning people of both sexes, and all classes, from the wealthy farmer to the pensioner, and of all ages, from the grey-haired veteran to the tiny infant, began to arrive; some on horse-back, some walking and others in any sort of a vehicle from a two-horse carriage to an ox cart. They "stood not upon the order of their coming" just so they got here.

At 12:30, Capt. Jas. G. Koman commanding the veterans, numbering about seventy five (although there were a great many more present) assembled in marching order, on the "Bone Yard" and marched to Post Office, thence to Attorney Kornegay's Office where they halted and were greeted with an able address from Col. Thos. S. Kenan in which he urged upon them the necessity of collecting old historic letters and other reminiscences of the late war and forwarding to the Secretary, Prof. B. F. Grady, to be used in the construction of a correct history of the war. He also set forth many plans by which to make the annual reunion a complete success, but our space forbids them all. At the conclusion of Col. Kenan's address, Attorney A. D. Ward treated the assembly to an excellent little speech which was loudly applauded, after which the association adjourned for dinner and it being rather late they all did ample justice to the many good things set forth to appease their hunger.

At 3 o'clock the Association was again called to order, Vice President, Wm. Moore was called to the chair. The Secretary, Prof. B. F. Grady, being absent, Mr. S. B. Newton was elected Secretary pro tem. The first motion before the Association was whether or not they have an annual reunion and a unanimous vote for the reunion followed.

The time for the reunion was set at Thursday after 2nd Sunday in October of each year. It was decided that there should be a dinner furnished for the occasion.

Every veteran is cordially invited to come whether or not he is able to bring a basket, as the committee will see that he gets dinner. The committee appointed consisted of Joe. H. Carr, Kenansville township; Wm. Winders, Warsaw; W. D. Bradshaw, Island Creek; B. B. Carr, Faison; Thaddeus Jones, Wolfersape; J. W. Grisham, Limestone; J. R. Miller, Sr., Smiths; Jacob James, Cypress Creek; I. J. Johnson, Rockfish; Dr. McMillan, Magnolia; W. H. Grady, Albertsons; and F. M. Keathley, Glissons.

The county commissioners have records of the jail question and have decided to erect a brick building with steel cells instead of a wooden structure as previously stated. The contract for furnishing brick was awarded to Mr. Sam Albertson who will begin work to day. The brick will be made immediately at the jail site.

We were glad to see the able Editor of the Fayetteville Observer in town on "veterans day."

The Barbecue Lodge of farmers alliance held a regular meeting here on the 14th and took some important steps towards some new business the nature of which will not be made public until completed.

There will be a protracted meeting at the M. E. Church in

THE WILMINGTON MESSANGER.

There is a decided stir among the Alliance. It is ascertained that the late bagging trust is trying some new tactics, and is shipping its bagging, without orders, to any points in the State where it can induce people to take it, so as to have it stored. It is learned that in Sampson county the trust is offering bagging at two cents per pound. It is suspected some two or three Alliance men have turned traitors and are aiding and abetting this new movement of the trust. At all events, a searching investigation is to be made at once and if the trick has been attempted it will certainly be revealed. Some Alliance men are accused of having bought this boycotted bagging.

It is true that the Jute Trust has offered to furnish leading Alliance men in Sampson with their bagging at two cents per pound, but we don't believe that there is a member in the county traitorous enough to accept such a compromising offer. Such an offer was made, we understand, to Treasurer J. R. Baman while he was attending the State Alliance at Fayetteville, but he spurned the insulting offer and told the parties that he would not use it if they gave it to him. We admire his grit and hope every other farmer as well as Alliance men will act the same way. As we said last week "Fear the Greeks Bearing Gifts."

An Appeal to Every Cotton Farmer in the Alliance.

The National Cotton Committee of the National Farmers' Alliance held a meeting in the city of Atlanta, Ga., on the 28th ultimo, and unanimously adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved 1. That the National Cotton Committee recommend that the farmers of the South shall sell no cotton during the month of September, except what may be absolutely necessary to meet the obligations which are past due.

Resolved 2. That the National Cotton Committee instruct the President of each primary Alliance, Wheel or Union, or some person appointed by him, to meet the President and Secretary of this County Alliance, Wheel or Union, on Saturday the 28th of September, at the county site, for the purpose of receiving further instructions from the National Cotton Committee.

Resolved 3. That each State Secretary of every State be charged with the duty of placing these resolutions immediately before the respective County Presidents in every county in his State, and charge all expenses of printing and postage to the National Alliance.

Resolved 4. That every farmer be urged to exercise special care and caution in sheltering and protecting his cotton in bales from damaging weather, and also from lying on the ground.

Resolved 5. That every newspaper in the South in sympathy with the interests of the farmers is requested to publish these resolutions.

R. J. SLIDERS, Chairman, Kyle, Tex. A. T. HATCHER, Grand Care, La. W. R. LACY, Winona, Miss. S. B. ALEXANDER, Charlotte, N. C. L. P. FEATHERSON, Forest City, Ark. M. L. DONALDSON, Greenville, S. C. W. J. NORTHEN, Sparta, Ga. R. F. KOLA, Montgomery, Ala. B. M. HORN, Nashville, Tenn.

As will be seen by the second resolution, each President of the Subordinate Alliances is requested to meet (or appoint some one to meet) the President and Secretary of his County Alliance at the county site on the 28th instant, for the purpose of receiving further instructions. This Committee is well informed as to the situation, and it will have highly important information to impart to the Order on that day. Let each Sub-Alliance and County Alliance give the Committee their cordial and ready co-operation. The Secretary will please notify his President promptly on receipt of this circular. In this great matter LET US BE A UNIT.

Fraternally, J. L. POLK, Secretary N. C. F. S. Alliance.

A Voice from Bluff.

When the Alliance passed resolutions against the use of jute bagging, it should have passed similar resolutions against numerous other trust goods and also resolved to stick to home productions and to the fattening of all the hogs that could be procured, raise its own corn, wheat, oats, hay and fodder; also resolved not to vote for any man to legislate for us or to hold any important office in the gift of the people who could be bribed by the monetary influence of any man, body or corporation, then the mail would have been driven to the door, down trodden farmer to look after his own interest and cease listening to the oily-tongued office-seeker, who has nothing but his own selfish desires to gratify. Will the toiling masses never be anything but mere tools and slaves for the kid-glove gentry who have been banqueting so long on their hard earnings? "How long, O! how long" will such continue to exist? Think over this, brethren.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief? Price 10 cents, 50 cents, and \$1. For sale by D. B. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, N. C.

IF YOU'RE BACK AGAIN! Or you are all worn out, really good for nothing in general disability. Try BROWN'S IRON BITTERS. It will cure you, and give a good appetite. Sold by all dealers in medicine.

The Tricks of Jute Men. The Raleigh correspondent of

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W. M. A. JOHNSON'S

FALL STOCK

OF

MERCHANDISE

Will Soon be Ready,

Wait Its Arrival!

The Final Crash

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A. F. JOHNSON & CO'S

STORE!

FOR TWO WEEKS ONLY!

They will offer for sale their ENTIRE stock of Summer Dress Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Low-Cut Silks, Slippers, &c., AT PRICES THAT WILL BE SURE TO TAKE THEM OFF. We make this special sale in order to reduce our LARGE STOCK at ONCE and make room for Fall Goods, which are now beginning to arrive.

Don't fail to visit our store and secure some of these RARE BARGAINS before it is too late.

FARMERS—Don't buy Western Hay any longer. Buy Reap Hooks, Rice Hooks and Grass Blades from us and SAVE YOUR OWN FORAGE. Our stock of these goods, and in fact all kinds of Hardware, is unequalled in this market.

Merchants will find it to their interest to get our prices on Snuff, Tobacco, Soap, Potash, Soda, Wrapping Paper and Twine, Paper Bags, &c., which we are fully prepared to JOB at LOWEST PRICES.

Don't forget that we are Headquarters for Groceries and will always GUARANTEE PRICES—especially MEAT and FLOUR. Respectfully,

A. F. JOHNSON & CO.

FAIR! FAIR!

We all expect to have a big Fair this fall, so we must get ready for it. We have just received a full stock of

HARDWARE,

Consisting of Nails, Hinges, Screws, Locks, Bolts and all kind of Edge Tools. Also a big lot of Axes, every one guaranteed to stand.

We carry a complete line of STANDARD SHOES. Sold cheap for cash.

Fresh Groceries

Always on hand. Another lot of those CELEBRATED HARNESS just received at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. Also Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Tinware, Potware, Crockery and Glassware.

We ask you to examine our Goods and Prices before buying. Respectfully,

T. H. PARTICK & BRO.

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MATHIS & BIZZELL,

A First-Class Grocery!

Everybody must eat, and eating is the most expensive thing in keeping body and soul together.

Then since you must eat, the first question is, where to buy? Come to our store and our answer.

We sell out our stock fast, therefore have a fresh lot of Groceries on hand and are able to sell you a small profit, because we turn over our money quick. Therefore it is to your interest to buy from us. Sept-19

CLINTON Harness Establishment!

ESTABLISHED IN 1867. I am now located on Fayetteville Street, opposite CAUCASIAN office.

I put up and keep in stock, or make to order, any style of Harness, from \$10.00 to \$40.00. I also make all styles and grades of Saddles, Bridles, Halters and everything in this line.

Good, honest work at the least living figures, is my guide and motto in business.

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Don't wait to get sick, but when you begin to feel bad and get a dose of medicine and prevent sickness. This is the best of medicine. If you will do this you will surely never have a doctor's bill to pay or the months of time, and put your friends and relatives to such a deal of trouble.

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