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THE COTTON CROP.

A Rather Discouraging Report from the Memphis District.

MEMPHIS, October 4.—The cotton crop report for September of the Memphis District, comprising Western Tennessee, Northern Arkansas and North Alabama, indicates a decrease of 15-16 per cent, as compared with the previous year. The loss is attributed to the hot, dry weather which prevailed from the latter portion of August to the middle of September, causing heavy loss by rust and shedding and entirely destroying the top crop. Several correspondents note a greater proportion of seed than usual, which if general will still further largely reduce the number of bales of lint produced in this district.

The Bicycle Champions.

WASHINGTON, October 5.—The last day of the bicycle tournament here drew a large crowd to the Athletic Park this afternoon. The one mile heat race was won by Jno. S. Prince, Keen, the Englishman, won the first heat in 3 minutes 48 1/2 seconds; Prince won the second heat in 3 minutes 47 1/2 seconds, Keen passing the cord 1/2 second later. Prince also won the third heat and the race in 3 minutes 47 1/2 seconds. Keen 3/4 of a second behind. Higham, the English champion came in 3d heat. The five mile race between Hanna and Borden, of Washington, was won by Hanna in 16 minutes 47 1/2 seconds. Borden crossing the line in 16 minutes 47 1/2 seconds.

A New Chicago Journal.

CHICAGO, October 5.—Announcement will be made here to-morrow of the first publication (on Christmas day) of the Current, a weekly literary journal on preparations for which its projector, Edward L. Wakeman, for many years the Northern representative of the Louisville Courier Journal, has been engaged for nearly ten years. Among those who are engaged as contributors are Rev. Dr. Parker, Alphonso Dandel, Emily Zou, Robert Collier, Joaquin Miller, Jno. Ruskin, Tennyson, Cannon, Farrar, M. Clemenceau and a score of others.

Postal Rates to Foreign Countries.

NEW YORK, October 3.—From the fact that over 500 letters were deposited in the postoffice on Thursday for dispatch to foreign countries, each prepaid by a two cent stamp, it would appear that a considerable portion of the public are under the erroneous impression that the rate for the foreign as well as the domestic rate of letter postage has been reduced. This is not the case, the rate on letters to foreign countries of the Universal Postal Union of which this city is a member and their colonies are members) remaining as heretofore, at five cents per half ounce.

Miss Aggie Goes for Sharon.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Miss Hill in answer to Senator Sharon's suit, filed against her on Wednesday in the United States Circuit Court, replies through her attorney that she declines to commence immediate proceedings against the Senator in the Supreme Court. She says Senator Sharon only gains access to that court as a citizen of Nevada, but that records of this city show that on different occasions within the last 23 years he has sworn as a citizen of California.

A Railroad Bond Decision.

CHICAGO, October 5.—A special from Little Rock, Ark., says that the decision of Justice Miller of the United States court that railroad aid bonds issued by the State are not a lien upon the roads, is creating a wide spread sensation. The total issue of bonds is nearly \$6,000,000. The amount involved in the decision was \$3,000,000, a suit for that amount having been brought by the bondholders against the Ohio and Mississippi road in New York.

Career of Two Stage Coach Robbers.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—A dispatch from Tucson, Arizona, says Jacob Elmer and Chas. Hinsley, two stage robbers belonging to the gang of messengers Collins on August 10th, were overtaken by sheriff Paul and a posse 10 miles from Tucson on Wednesday. Elmer was killed and Hinsley wounded. The latter escaped into the mountains but was pursued and yesterday was found and killed.

Going Home to Vote.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—A number of department employees who have residences in Ohio will leave Washington this week and go home to vote. They have secured half-rate tickets for members of the Ohio Republican Association from the railroad companies. Those who go, however, will not be allowed any vote by the department except such as is taken from their annual leaves of absence.

Kentucky Races.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 5.—The Louisville jockey club continued its meeting today. The track being heavy owing to the heavy rains yesterday. The first race for three year olds, one mile was won by Cardinal McClosky, the second race Falls City stake for all ages, mile and a half, won by Washburn, Silvia third. The third race, a handicap for two year olds at five furlongs, won by Billy Gilmore, Admiral second.

A Demand for \$26,000,000 of Bonds.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—A crazy woman created this morning in the subterranean building and later in the United States court, presided over by Judge Blodgett, by demanding the immediate payment of \$26,000,000 "bond." Efforts to quiet her by promising fifteen millions and the balance next week failed and she was finally ejected by four stout balliffs whom for a time she fought desperately.

A Fatal Ladder Exhibition.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., October 4.—Alexander J. MacDonald, about 30 years of age, fell 85 feet with the Skinner ladder while exhibiting the ladder on Exchange place to-night and was instantly killed. Jefferson Bailey who was a dozen feet further down on the ladder when it fell escaped without injury.

Ice in New York.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., Oct. 3.—The thermometer last night fell to 26 degrees and ice frosts to the thickness of half an inch. Heavy frosts damaged the grapes and the buckwheat, and standing corn are utterly ruined, the crops not being worth gathering.

Every one has a will and a mind to think for himself, yet many will go about backing and coaching until a friend or friend's friend's coach strap for that count.

Sir Stafford Northcote's Consensus, the Government Policy.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Sir Stafford Northcote in a speech delivered at a banquet in Belfast last night censured the foreign and home policy.

SOUTH CAROLINA NOTES.

A negro belonging to Sell's circus was run over by a wagon near the depot in Marion last Monday night, and died soon after from injuries received.

Hayne Teague, aged 24 years, the sixth of the unfortunate Teague family of Marion, to fall by typhoid fever within a few weeks, died on Wednesday.

A drunken mob attacked the cabin of Bill Morris, an old colored man in Anderson county last Saturday and Elop Wells cut Morris so dangerously that his recovery is doubtful.

The opening ceremonies of a new seminary at Clinton for the education of orphans took place on last Monday. Gov. Thompson delivered an eloquent address on the education as a province of the State.

The county commissioners of Greenville county have taken steps to enforce the liquor law in that county. It is proposed to prosecute the retail liquor dealers of that county for violation of Section 1745 of the Revised Statutes of the State in keeping screens in their establishments to obstruct the public view.

A new schedule went into effect on the Asheville and Spartanburg Railroad on the 1st inst. The up train now leaves the Spartanburg junction at 1:30 p. m. and reaches Hendersonville at 5:30 p. m. The down train leaves Hendersonville at 7:30 a. m. reaching the Spartanburg junction at 11:30 a. m.

Joseph H. Clark, who was arrested in Lancaster county some time ago, charged with an outrageous assault on a woman at the Halls gold mine, was fined at Lancaster last week. The jury failed to agree on a verdict and the case was ordered. Christopher E. Jenkins, who was tried for the murder of Joe Clyburn, was acquitted.

Two Cousins Have a Fight About a Girl.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Oct. 5.—Two young men, cousins, named Austin Guthrie and Franklyn Meyers, near Black Creek, Clatsop Nation, rivals for the affections of a young girl quarreled and proceeded to blows on horseback and drawing knives commenced a contest which lasted several minutes, both receiving fatal wounds. Myers arm was severed and Guthrie cut about the face and breast horribly. Guthrie was fearfully wounded in the head and body. Both fainted and fell from their horses and were found unconscious in a pool of blood by the roadside.

Railroad Collisions.

COLUMBUS, Oct. 5.—A section of a freight train ran into the caboose of another freight train on the Newark division of the Panhandle Railroad this morning, killing Thomas Cranshaw, a brakeman, and injuring another man. A School Valley passenger train which was going out ran into one of the box cars. The engine was damaged, but the crew jumped off and saved their lives.

What a Member of the French Cabinet Declares.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—A Paris dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says: "A member of the Cabinet declares that the campaign in Tonquin must be energetically pushed and a decisive blow struck before France comes to terms with China, whose resistance to the French terms for the settlement of the question is largely due to the encouragement she receives from England."

Favoring an Increase of Letter Weight.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—It is understood that Postmaster General Gresham in his report will discuss the advisability of increasing the weight of letters from one half an ounce to one ounce, the rate of postage for the same to remain as at present. It is not at all improbable, also, that he will recommend a one cent rate of postage for local letters.

End of an Aged Tramp.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 5.—Bloomfield Laird fell from a foot bridge over the canal last night, and his crowded body was found this morning. He was a tramp 75 years old, and was probably at the time of his death on his way to find a sleeping place in Ripley's lumber yard. He was one time wealthy and highly respected.

Speeches Permitted at the Funeral.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 5.—The government has resolved to allow the delivery of speeches at the funeral of M. Turquetin. Four hundred deputations from various organizations have announced their intention of attending the obsequies.

A Bank Suit Against P. M. General Gresham.

WASHINGTON, October 5.—The National Bank of New Orleans to-day entered suit against Postmaster General Gresham in the sum of \$100,000 for libel, alleging injury to its business and good name in the sum set forth above.

Stopping Over Production.

OTTAWA, Oct. 5.—Several cotton factories will discharge twenty per cent of their operatives next week to stop over production, which has become excessive, breaking prices and over crowding the store rooms.

Business Failures.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Bradstreet reports 100 failures in the United States during the past week, four less than the preceding week, 39 more than the corresponding week of 1882 and 74 more than the same week of 1881.

Helpless and Friendless.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 5.—Col. S. Park Coon, ex-Attorney General of Wisconsin, was last night taken to a public hospital to be cared for until death, he is low with consumption, helpless and friendless.

Trying to Squelch Davitt.

DUBLIN, October 5.—An attempt to have Michael Davitt's name erased from the voters list on the ground of conviction for treasonable utterances, failed in the court to-day. The presiding Judge refused to entertain the plea and Mr. Davitt's name stands.

An Appointment for Gov. Blackburn.

LEXINGTON, KY., October 4.—It is learned from good authority here to day that Gov. Knott will in a day or two appoint ex-Gov. Blackburn superintendent of the Central Insane Asylum at the Anchorage.

Demand an Advance in Wages.

MANCHESTER, Oct. 5.—At a meeting of delegates here yesterday representing 170,000 miners an agreement was arrived at to ask an advance in wages of 15 per cent.

P. M. General Gresham Down With Malaria.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—Postmaster General Gresham is confined to his residence to-day by an attack of malaria.

Resigned from the Cabinet.

PATNA, Oct. 5.—General Tribaudin, Minister of War, has resigned.

THE CITY.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE.
Leave At Line Depot 8:30 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.
Arrive 1:50 a. m. and 1:50 p. m.

ABT LINE.
Leave 2:30 a. m. and 1:10 p. m.
Arrive 8:30 a. m. and 4:20 p. m.

CHARLOTTE, COLUMBIA AND AUGUSTA.
Leave 2:10 p. m. and arrive 4:20 p. m.

C. C. & A. T. & O. DIVISION.
Leave 4:50 p. m. and arrive at 10:00 a. m.

CAROLINA CENTRAL.
Leave 8:15 a. m. and 7:40 a. m.
Arrive 1:10 p. m. and 1:40 p. m.

C. C. - SEEBLY DIVISION.
Leave 8:15 a. m. and arrive 4:49 p. m.

MAILS.
GENERAL DELIVERY.—Opens 7:30 a. m.; closes 9:30 p. m.
MONEY ORDER DEPARTMENT.—Opens 9:00 a. m. closes 6:00 p. m.

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Miss Maurie Murphy.—To the ladies.

Indications.

South Atlantic States, local rains, northeasterly winds, falling barometer, stationary or rising temperature.

LOCAL RIPPLES.

—Of course the children want to see the animals to-day.

—One of our neighborhood papers this week gives five columns to the circus and a half column to the preachers.

—It is reported about town that Mr. W. J. Yates is contemplating the enterprise of starting another daily in Charlotte this winter.

—Mr. Ed Bailey, one of our clever young men, left last night for Houston, Texas, which place he expects to make his future home. Good luck be with him.

—Mr. James Walker Osborne has returned from Raleigh a full fledged lawyer, having stood a successful examination before the Supreme court and received a sheepskin.

—Glad to have a call yesterday from Mr. L. M. Michaux, of Greensboro, one of the best boys connected with the State press. He is now out of the editorial harness and is drumming for a Richmond house.

—Gov. Wade Hampton was among the through passengers on the train from Richmond yesterday. He was returning home to South Carolina, and stopped in Charlotte long enough to take dinner at Mrs. Howerton's house.

—The following lines were imposed by the mayor yesterday morning. Ish McKinney, drunk and down, \$2.50; Lizzie Nicholson, disorderly conduct, \$2.50; Dallas Orr and wife, disturbance, \$2.50 each.

—Mr. E. M. Gotthold, agent for Haverly's Comedy Company, was in the city yesterday. This company will present "Our Strategists," a story of kings, cigars and bonnet tea, written and acted just for fun, at the opera house here on the 13th.

—The crowd began liquoring up early for the circus yesterday evening and there were no spare berths in the station house by ten o'clock last night. A lot of fellows who came in to see the show will be breaking rocks in the city stockade while the old clown is cracking his jokes under the tent.

—Leo Willis, the old circus clown, has been missing from Charlotte with his family for several weeks, but yesterday's Monroe Enquirer and Express brought news about him. Willis was in Monroe drunk. Got on a horse, fell off and cut his knee cap and sent him to Matthew's. Poor old Willis! He was a galant confidant, but John Barleycorn has conscripted him.

A Terrible Cotton Gin Accident.

We regret to learn that Mr. Richard A. Torrence, a prominent citizen of Hopewell township, this county, met with a very serious accident in his cotton gin yesterday, by which he had his right arm torn off in the saws of the gin. The gin had become choked, and in the effort to clean it, Mr. Torrence got his hand caught in the saws which drew his arm in up to the elbow, badly lacerating it all the way. A messenger was dispatched to the city for Dr. Gibbons, who went out to give Mr. Torrence such treatment as may be necessary. From what the messenger could tell about the injury, it is evident that the arm will have to be amputated. Mr. Torrence served in the Confederate army and led a leg on a battlefield. In this sad misfortune which has overtaken him, he has the sincere sympathy of his many friends in the city and country.

There's Nobody Like Him.

If there is anybody in the world who is purely original and who cannot be imitated in any manner or form, we would like to remark that he is Gov. Z. B. Vance. This fact has been known to our people for years past, but it is demonstrated anew every day. Yesterday the Governor was seated in the Central Hotel office conversing with a number of friends, when a couple of Grangers came strolling by. They looked at the Governor like they wanted to hug him, and catching their glance he leaned back and holding out a hand to each saluted them with: "Why, hello, hello, old stick-in-the-mud and turnip tops, how'd ye do, how'd ye do, howdy, howdy." "Tollable, Governor, just tollable, thank you, how are you," they replied evidently almost choked with emotion at this warm reception.

"Tell you what it is, Jim," whispered one to the other after Vance let them go, "that's old Zeb, every time. God bless him, if he don't shake my hand just the same as if I was worth a million, and damn if I don't want a chance to vote for him again."

And that is the way with our good old Governor. A hearty shake of the hand and cheery words for every one, humble and high, rich and poor alike. It is no wonder that the people love him.

Opening Fifth Street.

The proposition to open or extend Fifth street in a certain direction to be paid for by the city taxpayers, indicates that "there is a cat in the meal tub" somewhere. Somebody wants their property increased in value at public expense as usual.

New York Drives.

Mr. S. H. Beach, proprietor of the Empire Palace, New York, states in a letter to the Herald, that he has discovered the greatest pain cure of the age.

The Circus Arrived.

The first of the circus train arrived in the city from Chester at 11 o'clock last night. There was an immense crowd in Chester to see the show yesterday and though the order was generally good, one serious fight occurred in which a man was badly cut up. From parties who saw the circus in Chester, we learn that it is a really good one, as good as any that has ever come through this country, and its employees are a much more orderly and respectable class than is usually the case. All the cages were unloaded from the cars last night and the street parade will take place to-day about noon.

Operations of a Bogus Circus Agent.

A few days since a man arrived at Monroe and announced that he was the advance agent for old John Robinson's circus which was following him and would shortly appear in Monroe. He had some old circus pictures and these he posted round about. He then made contact with Mr. E. M. Griffith, for some time the circus and made other contracts, also, the whole amounting to \$300. After having finished up his business, he found that he was short of cash and going to the People's bank drew \$75 on the circus' account. Putting the money into his capacious pockets he hid him away to regions that the people of Monroe were not of. He was a swindler, of course, and the wonder is that the people of our wide-awake neighborhood could not tell it. He took in the town almost as badly as did the hotel register fraud not long ago. And that is not all. This "agent of old John Robinson" sampled the credulity of other towns along the Carolina Central road and it makes the people mad to think about the way he fooled them.

Searching for Claimants to a Dead Man's Estate.

Messrs. Jones & Johnston, attorneys of this city, are at present engaged on a tough old settlement, and one that is not without interest. It is a petition for partition in the estate of Mc. Wilson Miller, an old citizen of Mecklenburg county, who died last spring, leaving about \$1,500 in personal property and 350 acres of land. He was not married, and died without a will, and his property, therefore, is to be divided among his relatives. He had eleven brothers and sisters, all of whom are dead except one and the descendants who are entitled to an interest in the estate are scattered throughout all the Southern States, West Virginia, Ohio and Illinois. The whole number interested in the case is 150. When the estate is divided among these, the shares of those way down in the fifth generation will not be more than one seven hundred and forty-second part of it. About fifty of the claimants live in Mecklenburg county. Messrs. Jones & Johnston have displayed considerable ability in tracing up the missing relatives, and Mr. Herriot Clarkson has aided them by drawing up an ingenious and skillfully prepared chart, grading the claimants. The lawyers have written large numbers of letters searching up the kindfoks, and have traced up every member of the family to the fifth generation. The only line that they have been unable to trace fully is that of Valentine Faggart, who married Sida Valentine, and who moved to Louisiana, where both died. A child survived them and went, it is said, to Texas, where all traces in this case are lost. Messrs. Jones and Johnston think that they have the names of all entitled to an interest in the estate, but if there are any yet unheard of they come in for their share. It is an interesting case, and no very easy one to handle.

Grand Commandery, Knights Templar.

As we have already announced, the Grand Commandery of the order known as Knights Templar, for the State of North Carolina, will meet in Charlotte next Tuesday evening, Oct. 9th, at the Masonic Temple, at half past seven o'clock. Delegates and representatives from Raleigh, Wilmington, Asheville and Durham will be present. They will be met at the depot by a committee consisting of Sir Knights Chas. R. Jones, A. G. Brenizer, O. F. Gregory and C. W. Alexander, and escorted to the Central Hotel, where they will be the guests of Charlotte Commandery during their stay in the city. Hon. Robert E. Withers, of Virginia, the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of the United States, has been invited and is expected to be present. This will be the first appearance of so exalted an officer of the order in North Carolina in an official capacity. He will probably arrive on Tuesday morning, coming as he will direct from the General Convention of the Episcopal church, now in session in Philadelphia, to which body he is a delegate.

The Grand Commandery will be opened Tuesday evening at half past seven o'clock, and all the members present will appear in full dress uniform. Without authority for saying so now it is expected that the commandery will make a public parade some time during the week, and our "city cousins" will have an opportunity of seeing the Sir Knights in their beautiful and attractive uniform. On Wednesday evening Oct. 10, Charlotte Commandery will give a banquet in honor of their distinguished guests. These observations are only semi-official, but they are correct enough to be read with interest. This is the first time this body has ever met in Charlotte, and we feel assured that they will receive a cordial if not knightly welcome from our people.

—W. G. Berryhill, the marble dealer is still selling out his stock of monuments and head stones at cost. Call and see him.

Consumption.

Important to the Public as Well as the Medical Profession.

Hall's Journal of Health, referring to consumption, makes the following important statement: "Consumption usually begins with a slight, dry cough in the morning, then on going to bed getting more and more frequent, with more and more phlegm. Increasing debility, thinness of flesh, shortness of breath, and quickness of pulse. In such cases an average course is about two years—since the importance of arresting the disease as early as a day is possible, and the sooner patients are cured for this purpose, the greater the chance of success. The disease is owing to irritation commencing in the throat and extending to the lungs, so that their action is interfered with, and the blood does not receive sufficient oxygen to purify it. The most marked sign of lung disease is emaciation; and the most positive indication of returning health is increase in weight.

So speaks Hall's Journal of Health, and we may add that in desperate cases, and in all cases of consumption, of troubles of the throat and lungs, Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, a medicine known for more than thirty years as an unfailing remedy for coughs, colds, bronchitis and all pulmonary and pulmonary diseases. The worst cases of consumption have been cured by the use of Hall's Balsam. It has been used by the thousands who have used it, or have been cognizant of its wonderful remedial efficacy.

Found Dead in the Woods.

Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 4.—Samuel Cass, aged 75 years, of Plainfield, N. H., was found dead in the woods last night. He had been absent from home ten hours. The cause of his death is unknown.

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The Circus Crowd.

The train coming in from Columbia yesterday afternoon was loaded to the roof and passengers were hanging on to everything except the wheels. The majority of the load was composed of cotton field hands. The Carolina Central train also brought a load and by sundown the streets were crowded, there being enough people here at the time to fill the circus tent, to say nothing of the crowds that came in during the night on the different trains and of the people who will come in this morning from the country. The threatening weather seems to have no effect upon circus goers and we will have a booming crowd in town to-day. Our city is well policed and it is to be hoped that the day will be free from disturbances of any kind.

A Fine Surgical Operation.

Dr. Henry Bahson, an eminent surgeon of Salem, N. C., yesterday performed a fine surgical operation upon the arm of Dr. John Irwin, in this city. About two years ago Dr. Irwin had a blow in the stick in the hands of a negro, in Charlotte and the broken bone was set, but failed to knit and has ever since given Dr. Irwin a good deal of trouble. Dr. Bahson yesterday cut away the flesh from around the bone, sawed off the ragged edges and drawing them closely together sewed them securely with wire. The wound will be kept open until the bone knit when the wire will be withdrawn and the flesh permitted to heal. It was a very delicate operation and was most successfully performed.

Armstrong's Minstrels Collapsed.

The Armstrong Brothers Minstrel combination, so well known in Charlotte, stranded in Indianapolis on the 4th. They organized about six weeks ago, opening at Baltimore, and played with indifferent success until last week, when they reached Louisville and dropped a cool \$1,000 on the engagement. Upon reaching Indianapolis they met the Haverly's and this contributed to making the season a poor one financially. Fields and Hanson attempted to attach the box receipts, and found the same had been sold earlier in the day to the Dicksons. Then they went for the properties, and discovered that it was covered by a bill of sale, issued to George Hammond, one of the company, in August last. The Armstrongs report that there was due Fields and Hanson about \$50, one having overdrawn \$40 and the other with a balance due of \$90. The weekly expenses of the combination were about \$1,200, of which \$625 went for salaries. The managers are behind two weeks on salary account, but have few other outstanding debts. They are said to be responsible, and announce that they will return to New York and reorganize for a tour through the south. The present combination is made up almost entirely of variety people. The comedians include Will H. Mayo, David Foster, John Sheehan, Jerry Kennedy, Arty Hughes and Frank L. Hanson. The two principal singers in the solos were Bank Winters and Van H. McPherson, both of whom it is said will join Haverly.

Hotel Arrivals.

CENTRAL HOTEL.—J. P. Bruner, Baltimore, Md.; J. F. Ferguson, Raleigh, N. C.; Montgomery Miller, G. C. & S. F. Railroad, Texas; G. W. Ragan, Lowell, N. C.; W. S. Belk, Fort Mill, S. C.; Jas. T. Tate, Mt. Island, N. C.; E. M. Gotthold, agent Haverly's Comedy Company; J. D. Moore, J. Q. Holland, Gastonia, N. C.; W. H. Crow, Raleigh, N. C.; Wm. S. Myer, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. L. J. Foil, Mount Pleasant, N. C.; P. W. Plyler, S. R. Belk, Monroe, N. C.; T. Stobo Farrow, Gaffney City, S. C.; Miss Ada Belk, Union county, N. C.; J. M. Wilhelm, Mooresville, N. C.; E. B. Drake, Statesville, N. C.; Miss E. S. McCall, Miss S. J. Nettles and two children, South Carolina; J. H. Barnett, L. M. Grier, A. G. Kirkpatrick, J. R. Wolf, Pineville, N. C.; J. F. McLean, Mooresville, N. C.; Maj. J. B. Erwin, Lancaster, S. C.; F. G. Kennedy, J. W. Kelly, Denver, C. C. Chas. Butters, New York; E. H. Crawford, Chicago; J. A. R. Hall, Philadelphia; J. V. Williams, Washington, D. C.; J. A. Setzer, Lowell, N. C.; L. J. Cromwell, E. M. Eversfield, J. M. Brown, Baltimore; L. M. Michaux, Richmond, Va.; J. R. Richardson, Ansonville, N. C.; C. W. Robertson, Mt. Gilead, N. C.; P. A. Little, J. P. Summey and son, Lowesville, N. C.; F. O. Munday, J. W. Kelly, Denver, N. C.; Pride Ratterree, Rock Hill, S. C.; V. G. Ott, North Carolina; N. P. Cannon, Mt. Holly, N. C.; J. D. Stone, Augusta, Ga. Mrs. J. C. Marsh, Beaver Dam, N. C.

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Sherman for Presidency.

From an interview in the St. Louis Republic.

"Have you any idea of being a candidate for the presidency next year?" "No, sir. I wouldn't have the office. It ruined General Grant, and whatever of honor I have gained I wish to keep."

"Whom do you think the most suitable candidate the republicans can select?" "Chester A. Arthur. He has made a good officer for the country in spite of many obstacles, and has, I think, shown himself the proper man for the place."

"What about the government's Indian policy? Is its operation satisfactory?" "Yes, everything is working smoothly, the Indians are quiet and no fears are entertained of any further trouble."