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## A BATCH OF LOCAL NEWS.

**Picked Up and Put in Shape by Our Hustling Pencil Pusher**

Concord has an abundance of melons.

Nobody ever finds the tombstone of the dead-beat.—Galveston News.

The Williams-Settle contest case is postponed until December.

Dr. J. E. Cartland leaves tonight to be absent a week at the Friends yearly meeting in High Point.

Mr. Taylor Cline has just returned from a ride through Stanly. He said he never saw such crops as they have in Stanly.

Joe Marshall, who gave John Young his first lessons in telegraphy, passed down the road, bound for Savannah. Joe was, in days gone by, telegraph operator here.

The state of mind called impatience is always unreasonable, always foolish, always prejudicial. It is sort of fighting in the dark at we know not what.

Dr. W. H. Wakefield, of Winston, will be in Concord at the St. Cloud on Saturday, August 18th, for one day. Practice limited to eye, ear, nose and throat.

The Standard thanks Mr. Taylor Cline for a very large melon of splendid favor. The gift is greatly appreciated, coming as it does from a constant subscriber, and one who pays every year for his paper.

Lawyer Duls, of Charlotte, was here Monday evening looking up the title deed to the Rocky River mine. When the papers are completed the mine will change hands, and about \$30,000 will also change hands.

The Standard learns through a private party that Mr. A. G. Bost will be married tonight (Tuesday) at 8 o'clock in Greensboro, to Miss Lizzie Moore, of Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Bost will return to Concord on the 11:15 train tomorrow.

The regular monthly meeting of the Concord Hose and Reel company was postponed Monday night until tonight. At its meeting tonight delegates to the State Firemen's Association, which convenes at Winston on the 28th, 29th and 30th of this month, will be elected.

No institution in the State has ever grown more rapidly than the Agricultural and Mechanical College. Its success shows that the times are ripe for its work, and that our young men need and are seeking such an education as it offers. See its advertisement in this issue.

A colored man, claiming to be a Pinkerton detective, was at the depot. He made himself conspicuous. Occasionally he pulled out his stomach pump and looked at it. He turned to a party of gentlemen saying he had as much right to carry a pistol as the sheriff of the county. The negro was nothing short of a big fool.

The Vigilant somewhat retrieved her reputation Saturday in a splendid tussle for a prize of \$500 over the course of the Royal yacht squadron. She beat the Prince of Wales cutter, the Britannia, in a brisk breeze, that held almost through from start to finish, over a course of forty-eight nautical miles, by six minutes and thirty-three seconds, actual time, and four minutes and twenty-nine seconds correct time.

## THE RUSH OF HUMANITY.

**People Who Travel as Seen by Our Reporter.**

—Mr. Pleasant Brown, of Bear Poplar, spent the day in the city.

—Miss Mattie Miller, of Bear Poplar, is visiting Miss Connie Cline.

—Miss Jessie Sears, of Mt. Pleasant, leaves tonight for Washington City, to visit relatives.

—Miss Effie Brown returned to Concord this morning after a pleasant visit to friends in the city.—*Salisbury Herald.*

**Music School.**  
Miss Josephine Adams will open a music class at the residence of Dr. Houston the first of September. Will teach vocal and instrumental music, hand-culture, solfeggio and harmony. a6 1 wk

**To The Voters of Cabarrus County.**  
I announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer for Cabarrus county, subject to the action of the Democratic Nominating Convention. J. N. O. A. CLINE.  
Aug. 1st. tf.

**For County Treasurer.**  
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county Treasurer, subject to the Democratic Nominating Convention. July 30, '94. tf. A. E. LENTZ.

**What Concord Did.**  
Mr. N. M. Lawrence, superintendent of the Oxford Orphan Asylum, has just made his first visit to Concord. He had with him a class of orphans. They gave a concert Monday night in the court house. We hear nothing but compliments for the little children.

Mr. Lawrence must carry away with him a good opinion of Concord. There was raised for the asylum in Concord just \$133.31.

**To Poison a Family.**  
With the probable purpose of poisoning the family of Dr. M. C. E. Vail, at Vailsburg, near South Orange, N. J., about two pounds of rotten pork was thrown into his well on last Thursday by some unknown person. He attributes the act to the enmity of boys and laborers in the neighborhood, whom he has accused of stealing his wheat. He lives on a farm of thirty acres, and also publishes a weekly paper called the item.

In December, 1884, the doctor's English coachman, Gus Gething, went out of the house one evening to close the shutters and was shot dead. The murderer was never found. It was stated at the time that it was the doctor whom the murderer intended to kill, and he was even accused of knowing more about the murder than he would tell.

Dr. Vail is famous among horticulturists as a strawberry grower.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**  
The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chiblain, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at P. B. Fetzer's Drug store.

The surest cure for bossism is to beat the tickets nominated by bosses.—*San Francisco Examiner.*

## ELECTION IN ALABAMA.

### ANOTHER BIG DEMOCRATIC TRIUMPH.

**Oates Probably Receives a Larger Majority Than Jones Did Two Years Ago—Hear's Barrel Emptied in Behalf of Kolb, But Fails to Bring the State Into the Republican Column.**

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 6.—Everything is perfectly quiet. Rain fell all day and the vote was cut down in consequence. Only scattering returns so far received. This city and county will give about 5,000 majority for the Democratic ticket. Democrats seem to have gained in nearly every locality heard from, and some of the counties that gave Kolb a majority in 1892 have gone for Oates. No definite news before 12 o'clock.

Mobile, Aug. 6.—Returns coming in slowly. Majority for Oates in this city will be about 700. In whole county about 1,000.

**Kolb Makes Some Gains.**  
Birmingham, Aug. 6.—Election returns indicate Oates' election by majority not largely different from that of 1892. Kolb is gaining in five or six counties, principally in Jefferson where the Democrats have lost over 2,000. Oates' gains are generally distributed over the State, and are in white counties.

**The Democrats Gain in Nearly Every County.**

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 6.—So far as returns received, the Democrats have gained in nearly every county heard from. Kolb's big gain is in Jefferson county; but Democrats claim that county also. Chairman Tompkins, of the Democratic committee, says the returns come up to reports sent in prior to election and that Col. Oates and the Democratic ticket are safely elected with a good majority in the Legislature.

**Col. Oates is Confident.**  
Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 6.—The returns show steady Democratic gains in every county with only a few exceptions. The increase is mostly in the white counties. Col. Oates, who arrived here this afternoon, says he is confident of not less than 20,000 majority.

That the Senate has a good Democratic majority, he is also confident. Chairman Tompkins, of the Democratic committee feels safe in claiming 35,000 majority for the Democrat ticket, and a good reliable majority in both branches of the Legislature. At this hour (12:30 a. m.) these estimates seem to be borne out by the returns that have been received.

**Morgan's Election Assured.**  
Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 6.—The election was everywhere quiet so far as known. The new Australian ballot law worked like a charm. Returns up to midnight indicate that Oates' majority will run considerably over 20,000, while the Legislature is Democratic in both branches, with a majority of more than ten on joint ballot. Morgan's return to the Senate is assured. This, Jefferson county, was the seat of war, and though the Democrats lost heavily, they have elected their entire ticket by from 500 to 1,000.

The Japs have demonstrated that when ironclads sink they sink quickly.—*Cincinnati Tribune.*

## GOES OVER UNTIL DECEMBER.

**Williams-Settle Case Put Off.**

Washington, Aug. 6.—Secretary Bronson reported the conference on the river and harbor bill and the Senate agreed to the report.

The bill as it goes to the President carries the items previously telegraphed, \$29,000 off from Roanoke, leaves \$30,000 appropriated; \$6,000 from Cape Fear at Wilmington, leaves \$14,000; \$3,000 from the Neuse, leaves \$7,000; \$1,000 from the Trent, leaves \$4,000. This explains in detail where the small reduction on the original amendments of Senator Ransom occurred.

The House concurred in the Senate amendments of Representative Woodard's court bill.

The arrangement to send the Raleigh to Southport was made late Saturday after Representative Alexander and Mr. Geo. L. Morton had been told that no vessel was in condition to go to the naval exercises. It seems the contractors were anxious before the ship was tried formally to give her something of a preliminary trial.

Senator Butler winds up his canvass Wednesday, and returns here Saturday.

Candidate for Congress Caughman arrived today and resumed his duties in the Senate service. He predicts Butler's election and says he himself fattens on running for Congress, as well as his chief. Representative Alexander got \$100 increase for Whiteville postoffice.

At noon today Representative Woodard expected to go ahead with the Williams contest, but a little later Representative Paynter announced that it had been agreed to let the case go over until December. Mr. Woodard stoutly denies Settle's allegation that the postponement was because Williams' friends had counted noses and found they were left. The reasons assigned are two, Mrs. Woodard's illness and the fact that Messrs. Culbertson and Wolyerton, two of Williams' chief speakers were not fully prepared. Besides most of the Alabama delegation are away at the election. Mr. Williams says the case is strengthened by the delay. I know that he has had to contend with powerful personal influences inside the Democratic party, exerted in behalf of Mr. Settle, and that strenuous efforts to prejudice the public mind have been made, not without a large measure of success.

Sending a message which was never delivered to his sons, Representative Grady went to Colonial Beach Saturday night. The boys and their friends scoured Alexandria Chevy Chase and other suburbs and not finding the missing Congressman were in truly great distress, which was relieved when he returned to town last night.

Representative Bower left his parents and sister in ill health but was gratified with party prospects in the Pops losing, he says, in Caldwell and Cleveland.

Mrs. Leland Stanford asks the Government to bring a friendly suit to decide its \$15,000,000 claim.

While stealing a train ride, Paul Innerski and Adolph Schanzter, of Blackinton, Mass., were cut to pieces.

What stops Neuralgia? Dr. Miller's Pain Pills.

## JABEZ MYERS SHOT.

**Fred Oliver Shoots Him Twice—The Wounds Serious.**

Two society men of Charlotte are in trouble. A difficulty occurred at Morehead City and Monday morning it ended in Charlotte by Fred Oliver shooting Jabez Myers, once through the arm and once through the lower jaw. Oliver is out on a \$5,000 bond. There was a lady behind it.

A preliminary hearing before Squire D. G. Maxwell was held yesterday afternoon at the office of the D. A. Tompkins Co., about 3:30 o'clock. The principal witnesses were Drs. Misenheimer and Gibbon.

Dr. Misenheimer's testimony: "What chances do you think there are for Mr. Myers' recovery?"

"Moderately fair; I hope he will get well."

"Well, do you think the chances preponderate toward recovery?"

"I think they do."

"Do you think the wound fatal?"

"Not immediately; but sometimes wounds about the mouth seal, and interfere with breathing, so can't tell."

Dr. Gibbon's testimony:

"What is the chance for Mr. Myers' recovery?"

"A pretty fair chance."

Mr. P. D. Walker, who is Mr. Oliver's attorney, asked that bond be fixed at \$5,000, which was done by Squire Maxwell. Mr. D. A. Tompkins became bondsman and Mr. Oliver, being then released went home.

**Made Him Strip Them Off.**

A convict who was recently discharged from the work house, several days ago stole a pair of pants from another darkey out in the country, and yesterday he wore the stolen pants to the Eno Association. We have been unable to get the names of the two negroes, but the fellow who lost the pants recognized the stolen property and it is said he got constable Roberts, of Mangum township, to arrest the ex-convict, who was taken to the woods and made to take off the pants. The convict was told that if he did not leave the county he would be prosecuted and that vigorously. The convict took him at his word we are told, and the last seen of him he was going through the woods at double-quick time—minus a pair of pantaloons.—*Durham Sun.*

**Four Big Successes.**

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds each bottle is guaranteed—Electric Stomach, the great remedy for Liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salva, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at Fetzer's Drug store.

Since the returns from Muley Hassan's matrimonial exploits are in Charles Coghlan has quit the game in disgust.—*Washington Post.*

If the Pullman company has been no more frank with its employes than it is now with its protectors we can understand their dissatisfaction.—*Chicago Dispatch.*