



SUMMARY.

President on Wednesday sent twelve veto messages to the House. Reports only two new cases of fever death; all danger of the disease is over. Sitting Bull and a delinquent Sioux chief are in Washington. The Chicago wheat market is still high. The Pope will instruct his legation throughout the world to continue the restoration of his temporal power. The lease of the East Tennessee and Danville Railroad Company has been agreed to. Report says the increase at Fernandina is rather on the increase at Fernandina. The crowd that listened to Judge Blaine at Shelbyville, Ind., was estimated at 50,000. Mr. Blaine is reported to have been in Chicago. The Spanish Consul General in London has been reported to have been in London. The said seventy-five families starting in a Dakota town. A New York suit for \$10,000 for services in lobbying a street railway bill through the Legislature. Mayor Hewitt was elected by acclamation a member of the Democratic Club. The committee of New York determine to support Mayor Hewitt independent of all parties and factions. Officers of the Women's Christian Temperance Union deny their organization is being used for political purposes. Sister St. Mary, a nun, has forsaken the cloister and married state. Hon. Amos Cummings declines to run for Congress on the Democratic ticket.

Silk ribbons have been paying a duty of fifty per cent. Judge McKinnan has just decided that this duty is higher than the law warrants and that they should pay a duty of only twenty per cent.

A Mrs. Manning, of Peoria, Ill., took to her bed nine years ago, declaring that she would never leave it because her son married a girl she did not like. She kept her word and stayed in bed till the day of her death, which occurred a day or two ago.

Quite a naval battle took place on Chesapeake bay Monday night between the Maryland oyster navy and the dredgers. About three hundred shots were fired, but none of the naval force were wounded; it is not known how many of the dredgers were hurt.

The Atlanta Southern Star attempts to be witty, but becomes cruelly heartless when it says: "Florida prohibitionists have named an electoral ticket, but the plague vetoes an active campaign and will no doubt reduce our vote. Thus does the Yellow Jack unite with King Alcohol to block prohibition."

A little boy in the New York Juvenile Asylum dies from injuries inflicted by the Superintendent. On his death bed he told his mother that the Superintendent seized him by the throat, threw him down and beat and kicked him. The matter is being thoroughly investigated. If the charge be true what ought to be done to such a man. Suppose this were your child.

A correspondent of the New York Herald, writing to that paper, says: "I find that there is a large purchasable vote in Albany, Columbia and Dutchess counties. It will go to the party having the longest purse. In Hudson there is one ward where 300 votes can be bought at so much a head and the Republicans intend buying them. The figure is estimated at \$2,000."

TOWN TALK.

Warm, windy and dusty. Rev. Sam Jones to-morrow. First premium for the Durham Fertilizer at the State Fair. Oh for a Street Commissioner that can tell as soon as anybody else when it is dusty. Work is progressing upon the new brick factory of the Morris & Son Manufacturing Co. Let no Democrat lose his vote by failing to register. Attend to this important matter at once. The young men are cordially invited to attend the meeting of the Y. M. C. A., at 7:30 o'clock, to-night. Jim Harris, colored, harangued a crowd of negroes last night, on the vacant lot between Main and Parrish streets. Stand by the Democratic nominees and in so doing you will stand by the best interests of the whole people. The Golden Belt Manufacturing Co., want one hundred bag stringers. See advertisement in this issue of THE PLANT. Parrish's warehouse will be lighted, during the Sam Jones meetings, by seven arc electric lights and one incandescent light. Close the stores next week at 7 o'clock, p. m., so the employe may attend the meeting to be conducted by Rev. Sam Jones. Remember that registration in the town election does not entitle you to a vote in the general election. Be sure your name is on the proper book. The funeral of Mr. John T. Driver took place from Trinity Church this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. J. Renn officiating. He was buried with Masonic honors.

Don't forget the special train and low rates to the Richmond Exposition next Tuesday. Only \$4.25 for round trip from Durham, including admission to grounds.

Rev. Sam Jones will arrive tomorrow and the meetings will begin to-morrow-night, at Parrish's warehouse. Let all Christians earnestly pray for glorious results.

The Wilson Mirror says: "From all accounts Durham outdurdamed itself last week, and made one of the grandest, most imposing and most brilliant expositions ever seen in the State."

Democrats should work earnestly and vigilantly to defeat the double-headed enemy that confronts them—the enemy of the best interests of the white people of this country and State.

If you have moved from one voting precinct to another since the last county election you must register in order to vote. Don't forget this and don't forget to see that your name is on the proper book.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Baldy Nichols, which occurred several days ago at her home in Hendersonville. Mr. Nichols will have the sympathy of his many friends in this section in his bereavement.

The Radicals are stimulated by the Third party antics and are striving to wrest the control of the State government from the hands of the white man's party. Be on the alert, Democrats, and work unceasingly to defeat their purposes.

Says the Statesville Landmark: "Durham had a tobacco exposition last week and it was a very large affair. Senators Ransom and Vance, Governor Scales, Mr. J. S. Carr and others made speeches. The survivors of the old Sixth North Carolina Regiment had a reunion during the week."

Mr. John Nichols, if elected to the Legislature, will vote for the Democratic nominee to succeed Hon. M. W. Ransom in the United States Senate. Mr. Burkhead fails to say who he will vote for if he gets there and little Charlie Vickers, of course, would dance to the racket of the Radical bosses. Vote for John T. Nichols, who may be relied upon to represent our best interests by voting with the Democratic party.

A Sad Death.

With that peculiar sorrow that affects us when the destroying angel cuts down a young man, we announce the death of Mr. Robert J. Halliburton, which occurred early this morning at the boarding house of Dr. Lowe, after an illness of about ten days with typhoid fever. Mr. Halliburton was twenty-three years of age last August and was the youngest brother of our townsmen, Messrs. Jake and W. S. Halliburton. His father, Mr. Wm. Halliburton, who now resides in the western part of the State, has been informed by telegraph of the sad event and is expected to arrive to-morrow. The funeral will take place from Trinity Church, to-morrow afternoon, at 4 o'clock, Rev. Dr. E. A. Yates officiating.

Beats the Big Virginia Cities.

The Lynchburg Advance says: "Some idea of the immensity of the tobacco business of Durham, N. C., can be obtained from the fact that the sale of revenue stamps at that place in September amounted to \$66,322.07, and October, it is thought, will reach a still higher figure. This is at the rate of about \$800,000 a year. For a small town in North Carolina this is a tremendous business, but then it should be remembered that one tobacco house in Durham is said to spend \$300,000 a year in advertising. This is unquestionably a most flattering business exhibit for Durham in our sister State of North Carolina, and shows a wonderful growth within a few years. It beats our big Virginia cities of Lynchburg and Danville, which are the leading tobacco markets in the State, out of sight, and makes us feel somewhat uncomfortable. We shall be glad to shake hands with our enterprising friends of Durham in a few months, when our new Lynchburg and Durham railroad is completed to that growing city."

Plant Photographs.

Miss Ollie Snow went to Raleigh to-day.

Miss Laura Wiley is on a visit to Raleigh.

Mr. W. H. Branson is improving. It is hoped.

Hon. John W. Graham came down on the noon train to-day.

Mrs. W. J. Griswold left to-day for a visit to her former home in Kinston.

Mr. John D. Pickett, one of the cleverest of commercial tourists, is in town to-day.

Mr. George Green, who came here upon the sad mission of attending the funeral of his little daughter, returned to his home in New Bern, to-day.

Mr. D. A. Albright, who has been a resident of Durham for the past six months, has returned to Richmond to reside. Sorry to have you leave us, Mr. Albright.

Durham Leads.

Speaking of our grand Exposition, the Asheville Citizen says: "Mr. Robert Walker has returned from the above brilliant exhibit of the energies and progress of Durham. He says that the display and its environments far exceeded his expectations, though, as a former Durham man, he thought he knew what his old fellow citizens were capable of doing. He was our only representative there. He thinks, if the Exposition had been a little later, Western North Carolina would have been represented, and would have carried off the prizes in bright tobacco. As it was, our planters were not ready to compete, their cures not having been perfected. It is now in turn for Asheville to prepare for like exhibition; and choosing her own time, to have one, making such display of her capacities as we know she is capable of doing. Durham leads. Let us emulate her example."

Covered With Glory.

The Pittsboro Home has the following complimentary reference to our late gala events: "The Durham Exposition was a great success. Everybody who attended it is lavish of his praises. The newspapers are full of it. Gov. Scales said it was magnificent—a complete success—equal in excellence even to the great New Orleans Exposition as far as it went. Senator Vance said he had never seen anything bigger and if there was ever anything gotten up in the State bigger he did not want to see it, for he wished to live and die with the recollection of what he had seen there. He said that Durham was the biggest town in the world for its size. Durham is proud of her success and we do not blame her. She never does things by halves. In her Exposition she has eclipsed herself and covered herself with glory. They speak now of making an annual Exposition, and we may look for it again next year."

Superior Court.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON. State vs. Fletcher Hester; larceny, stealing a pair of shoes from Mr. Bowlin; guilty. Two years on the public roads. State vs. Peyton Hicks and W. T. Clarke; affray. Clarke called and failed; Hicks tried; guilty. Fined \$10 and costs. State vs. Allen Jones; assault with deadly weapon; guilty. Fined \$1.00 and costs. State vs. Ed Gill; larceny; guilty. Four years on the public roads. State vs. Joe Hester; false pretense; submitted. Judgment suspended on payment of costs. FRIDAY MORNING. State vs. Dink Merret; assault with deadly weapon, striking husband with an axe; jury still out. State vs. Daniel Watkins; convicted of larceny on Wednesday. Four years on the public roads. State vs. Lonny Rogers; former judgment of \$25 fine stricken out and judgment of three months on the public roads entered. State vs. Charles Walker; forgery of an order on John L. Markham in name of W. W. Hamlin for \$15.00; guilty. On year on the public roads.

The Bull Fertilizer Get's There.

From the following telegram we learn that the Durham Bull Fertilizer was awarded the first premium at the State Fair:

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 19, '88. Durham Fertilizer Co.

Highest prize awarded us. Our exhibition covered with blue ribbons. SAUNDERS.

The Most Thriving of North Carolina Towns.

We are permitted to publish the following kind letter from Capt. S. H. Boyd, of the Reidville Rifles, in reference to the visit of his company to our Exposition:

REIDSVILLE, N. C., Oct. 15, 1888. Capt. E. J. Parish and others, Durham, N. C.:

DEAR SIR:—In behalf of my company, the Reidville Rifles, I desire to return our thanks to you and your committee for the courtesies and very kind attention shown us while in your city, and my entire command appreciate fully your efforts in our behalf. We regret equally with you, that the weather interfered with the programme on the 11th, for your people had displayed so much public spirit and had such a magnificent display, that it was to be regretted that the citizens of this section and the entire State could not witness the material development and prosperity of the most thriving of our North Carolina towns. But you have most surely "cast your bread upon the waters" and we hope you may reap the reward you so justly deserve. With best wishes and assurances of regard, I am very truly S. H. Boyd, Capt. Co. G. 3rd Reg., N. C. S. G.

Sam Jones on Journeying to Another World.

"The question is: 'Has God prepared the way and is it suitable?' 'If I had walked up to this railroad track down here and had never before seen one, I would have said: 'What is this?' No one can tell me and I say: 'I will find out.' I get a wheelbarrow and roll it along on the rails, and I will say: 'This way was not made for a wheelbarrow and the wheelbarrow was not made for it.' I will drive a wagon along the track, but say, after a few feet: 'This way was not made for the wagon nor the wagon made for the way.' I step down here to this round-house and look at the powerful Rogers engine, look at its magnificent construction, measure its ponderous driving wheels and see the flanges upon the track, and I will say: 'This engine was made for that track.' I steam it up to 180 pounds to the square inch, hitch it to eight or ten passenger coaches and see it move off gracefully over steel rails. I say: 'The track was made for the engine and the engine for the track.' The locomotive engine on the track is a thing of beauty, speed and power, but off the track it is the most helpless thing I ever saw. It cannot move itself, much less the train. An engine in the ditch looks like a slain giant, truly; it takes steel rails and ties to make a track for that engine. You take the soul and try it on the dirt road of profanity and it runs only a few feet until it is mired in the mud and filth; try it on the dirt road of unrighteousness and it is powerless after a few feet; try it on the dirt road of Sabbath-breaking and it will stop in the earth in a few minutes; try it on the dirt road of infidelity, only a few miles and the road fills up and becomes no road. There is but one road in this universe that the soul can run upon. I tried the dirt road of profanity, drunkenness and shame, but glory be to God, the spirit of Christ lifted me out of the horrible pit in which I had mired and put my soul on the way to Jesus Christ, and I have been running sixteen years toward the good world, and as certain as an engine needs cross-ties and steel rails, we cannot make the run until we get on the way of Christ Jesus our Lord. I wish more men could see that. What would you think of a locomotive on a dirt road mired to its cylinders and axles and making fun of the track and cross-ties and saying, 'I have no use for such a thing; it is a farce and a humbug; nothing in it.'"

Y. M. C. A.

Monthly business meeting, at 7:30 o'clock, to-night. Reports of committees, election of new members, etc. Every member is earnestly requested to be present at the appointed time.

Death of Mr. I. A. Paschall.

We learn with regret of the death of Mr. I. A. Paschall, clerk to our Register of Deeds, which occurred at an early hour this morning, at his home in the northern part of the town, after an illness of about a week with pneumonia. We were unable to ascertain at the time of closing our columns at what time the funeral will take place.

Outrageous Treatment.

The wind and dust again held high carnival upon our streets this morning to the aggravation and discomfort of our merchants, and yet the street sprinkler did not appear until eleven o'clock. The treatment our merchants receive in this matter is simply outrageous and this grievance should be brought before the town authorities in pretty plain terms. The merchants have complied with the demand of the town authorities by creating a fund to defray the expense of operating the sprinkler and they have a right to demand a compliance with the contract under which this money was raised.

One of the commissioners informs us that the failure to run the sprinkler rests solely upon the street commissioner, who has positive instructions to bring out the sprinkler whenever it is needed. If this be true, the town commissioners should haul the street commissioner over the coals and give him to understand that if he will not perform the duties of his office he must step down and out and make room for some one who will. This is plain talk, but we mean it and the circumstances justify it. Our merchants are sick and tired of being trifled with and having their goods damaged, when the means are at hand to prevent it and when they have paid to have these means put into use. Let a reform along this line be speedily inaugurated, Messrs. Commissioners, if you please.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Groceries of all kinds, daily received at Perry's. Largest and best assortment of Plain and French Candy, at Perry's. Perry leads in Groceries. Perry will save you money in Groceries. If you wish to purchase or rent property of any kind, call on R. I. Rogers, Secretary and Treasurer Durham Land and Security Co., Wright building, second floor. Fine Apples, Pears, Grapes, Bananas, Oranges, Lemons, at Perry's.

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FLY FANS, Ice-Cream Freezers, WATER-COOLERS, Common Sense Sash Balances, very useful in this warm weather. Durham Cook Stoves, &c., &c., at J. T. WOMBLES Hardware Store. 179-8m