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BASE FORGERY.

Mecklenburg has been stirred to its centre during the past week by the base and dishonorable conduct of the Republican leaders.

EDUCATION is still in great demand, notwithstanding its great progress. There are hundreds of men and women all over this State who cannot read and who know nothing of the great value of newspapers and books.

THE CHARLOTTE CHRONICLE has done noble work for Democracy of Mecklenburg and for the State in the last few days of the campaign and it deserves the good will of every true Democrat.

WHAT a wonderful thing is electricity! This exclamation is common, but never fails to carry with it the force of the idea which it conveys.

A writer in the Country Gentleman suggests a co-operative system by which farmers of small means might have the use of expensive and valuable tools, at little cost.



FOWLE ELECTED

BY ABOUT 18,000 MAJORITY.

Lincoln Triumphant Once More.

The latest report gives North Carolina a Democratic majority of about 18,000. It is a great pleasure to the good people of North Carolina to know that Dockey, the slanderer of good and honest men of the country, has been flogged.

JUDGE DICK'S PARTNERSHIP.

We publish the following from the Charlotte Chronicle as a matter of news and that people may be kept informed of the baseness to which some Republicans will stoop, and to aid in keeping North Carolina Democracy solid.

A special telegram to the Chronicle from Greensboro announces that Judge Dick will sit in court there today, and he will be prepared to hear arguments pro and con, if a motion be made by the Democratic Committee of Charlotte to set aside the appointment of Federal supervisors for Mecklenburg County.

He can save himself the trouble of sitting in court waiting for the Democrats to argue a case that needs no argument. They contend that the provisions of law regulating the appointment of supervisors were not complied with since there were not signatures of ten citizens of good repute to the petition on which he acted and that the fraud that was practiced when J. M. Hagler's name was forged to that document vitiated it and all the action based on it.

He has the temerity to declare that he will not revoke any appointments until the charges against McNice and the forgery of Hagler's name are established by due process of a law. What an upright judge he is to be sure! How scrupulous he is of the forms of law while the enemies of the State are arming negroes to overawe the people at the polls this judge who has evidence that the power under which the ruffians will pretend to act, has been obtained in violation of the law and while he and his court have been used as the tools of the conspirators he sits back in his chair and demands that proofs shall be submitted to him and motions be made before him. Otherwise he says he will not act. The fact that a felony has been committed to the fact that he has been made a partner to it by giving it effect the fact that his authority as a Judge has been abused by evil minded men with designs against the peace of the community—these facts do not arouse him to action.

If a judge were in his place, who was not a bitter partisan, would he suffer his court to be dragged in the mire by forgers and not instantly take steps to consign them to the penitentiary and to nullify the course which they had swindled him into adopting?

Judge Dick ought not to require argument. The indictment of McNice for misfeasance in office, is a matter of court record. The forgery of Hagler's name is evident from the card written by himself, which has been copied into The Chronicle, and the original of which is in the possession of this paper. The whole community is aware of the fraudulent base on which rests the authority of the federal supervisors, and the voters of this county propose to ignore those supervisors, and the State inspectors propose treating them as law-breakers if they attempt to exercise any functions under the worthless commissions issued by Judge Dick.

The Judge was exceedingly careful to make a condition even before offering to hear a motion about the supervisor. He stipulated that the Republican Committee must first be notified, "in order," said this upright Judge, "that both sides may be heard." What an honest and conscientious Judge he is! He wants

both sides to have a chance, so that no unfair advantage may be taken. But he didn't require that both sides should be heard over a petition laid before him for the appointment of Federal supervisors; nor did he exact from the petitioners that both sides should be heard when it came to naming the supervisors. His sense of fairness was in a comatose condition then. He could see no benefit his party could get, if the white people of Mecklenburg should be asked the insulting question whether or not they could be trusted to hold a fair election, or whether they would like to have armed negroes supervise the election and have control of the polls.

His suggestion that two names now be submitted in place of McNinch and Hagler, is ridiculed by lawyers, and has aroused the contempt and indignation of the people, as showing his utter disregard of the law and his strong partisan bias. Indeed the popular excitement is so fierce in this city over his whole action in this matter, and his coolness at accepting the situation which places his court in the position of an ally of forgers, that the sight of him at present would probably exasperate the citizens beyond bounds. This is deplorable, but it is none the less true. It is a cold fact, stated without exaggeration or passion, that the name of Judge Dick is already coupled in the minds of many of the residents of Mecklenburg county with the detested memories of the degraded men of the reconstruction period, who, clothed with the judicial ermine, used the majesty of the law to oppress the people they were bound to defend.

As showing the untrustworthiness of the recommendations under which Judge Dick handed out commissions to the supervisors, The Chronicle mentions these two cases:

Calvin Alexander, a negro, who has been appointed at Crab Orchard, No. 2, is not a citizen of that part of the State and could not register! Here is a man who could not vote himself, deciding who shall vote among those who have a right to vote.

P. L. Moore, another one of Dick's birds, is a student of Biddie University, and is not even a citizen of North Carolina! It was supposed that the era of carpet baggers was over, but here is a stranger appointed to boss the voters of this State.

It is a pity that Judge Dick should tarnish his record at this day and in this manner. It is said that he should turn and smite his own race, and that for their own self-respect and in order to show their abhorrence of his conduct, they should have to ostracize him. At any rate, he has branded the stigma of partisanship on his own court and no future action of his can efface the evil mark.

CLEVELAND OR HARRISON.

Up to the time of this writing reports have been conflicting. Wednesday night a telegram was received here, giving Cleveland New York, New Jersey, Indiana, California and probably Illinois. But a later telegram from the New York Herald gives New York to Harrison by 13,000 and Indiana 2,000 plurality, and says that Harrison is elected. The matter, however, is still in doubt.

LATER.—There is now but little doubt that Harrison is elected President. The last telegrams bring this statement that New York has gone for Harrison and that he is elected. This, however, is not positive.

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Mr. Tiddy at Carpenters.

Communicated. Saturday, Nov. 3d, according to previous arrangement, and at the request of quite a number of farmers, Mr. R. G. Rutledge met Mr. Wm. Tiddy at the Paper Mills and in about three forths of an hour drive in the direction of "Carpenter's," was met by 37 mounted horsemen, from which point he was conducted to Mr. Caleb Carpenter's store, where the crowd was estimated to number about 100, composed of Gaston's most pure and honest citizens, who after cheer arose in deafening sounds.

The speaker, Mr. Tiddy, was introduced by Mr. M. L. Carpenter, who coming forward spoke in a clear, firm voice to 100 men, most of whom he had known through his business and friendly dealings for the past twenty years. His subject commenced by taking up the Tariff question, and we venture the assertion, that no man in Western North Carolina, can in a better way handle it, than he, his explanation from the beginning of the Tariff to the present day was the most plainly set forth it has ever been our pleasure to hear, and from those intelligent men whom we hear express their opinion gave them information long sought for. Mr. Tiddy spoke in a mild and friendly manner to one and all, but at the same time spoke of that sectional feeling in strong terms and urged upon every man to go to the ballot box and cast his vote, that vote to be handed down from generation to generation in honor of Democratic rule and a white man's Government.

In handling the "Blair bill" Mr. Tiddy at once convinced clearly his hearers as to what he thought would be best for the people of our state, that every white man wished to school his own children.

In conclusion Mr. Tiddy spoke in glowing terms of our state affairs, urging every man to do his part on Democratic principles, and if ever good work was done it was at Carpenter's, in Gaston County, at the close of an hours talk, listened to by an intelligent, sober and gentlemanly crowd. The hat of Jos. Ross was raised from his head and thrown high into the air, and from that Irish Democrat's mouth came three cheers for Grover Cleveland.

Mr. Ben T. McAden.

Mr. Benjamin T. McAden, son of R. Y. McAden, of this city, died at his home at Lowell, in Gaston county, at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. His death was very unexpected, and was due to congestion of the stomach, and heart failure. He had been sick for several days past, but his condition was not thought to be serious. He rested well Sunday, but at six o'clock yesterday morning he suddenly gave way, and died within a few minutes. The body of the deceased will be buried at Elmwood cemetery in this city, and was brought here on the afternoon Air Line train yesterday. There was a large party of citizens at the depot to meet the body. The deceased was 30 years of age, and leaves a wife and two children. He had for a long time filled the responsible position of secretary and treasurer of the McAden mills, and in the management of the affairs of the mill he showed great aptness and tact.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Resolutions of Respect.

Paper Mills Academy, Nov. 4, 1888. At the session of the Paper Mills Union Sunday School, this day the following resolutions of respect to the memory of Miss Nannie C. Bird were offered and unanimously carried to wit:

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father in his providence has removed from us by death our beloved friend Miss Nannie C. Bird just as we was entering into the full bloom of young womanhood, and

Whereas, we desire to give expression to our sorrow, and to perpetuate the memory of our friend, be it therefore, Resolved, That in the death of Miss Nannie C. Bird, our Sunday School has lost a faithful and zealous scholar, the Baptist Church a consistent member, her family a loving daughter and sister.

Resolved, That we extend to her family, our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of their sore bereavement with the prayers that our Merciful Father will grant unto them such comfort as alone can come from Heaven. Resolved, That a copy of these

resolutions be spread upon the records of our Sunday School and that the secretary be requested to furnish a copy to the family of our departed friend, and a copy to the Lincoln Courier with request to publish. A. L. FORBESON, Secy.



REMOVAL.

MY BUSINESS HAS INCREASED SO RAPIDLY OF LATE THAT I have been compelled to have a new store room fitted up in the Goodson Block two doors above corner, my old friends and patrons will now find me in a tastefully furnished store room filled with the largest and most complete stock of

Fine Jewelry Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Optical Goods, &c., &c., that has been seen in old Lincoln for many years. I have added largely to my stock and every one especially the Ladies will be delighted to see what a varied and brilliant line of new goods I have on hand; my stock so complete and my prices are below the closest competition, therefore I feel sure of having a splendid trade this season. Come and Delight Your Soul by feasting your eyes on the many beautiful things to be seen in my new store.

Respectfully, J. H. HILARY, Jeweler. P. S.—A large invoice of Clocks received this week. You should not fail to see the beautiful line of Nick's Clocks at \$1.00, and the large weight Clocks at \$2.50, they will soon be sold at these prices. J. H. H.

LAST ROUND.

I will attend as follows to receive Taxes: Lowville, Thursday, November 22, 88 Triangle, Friday, November 23, " Denver, Saturday, November 24, " McPeak, Monday, November 26, " Iron Station, Tuesday, November 27, " Besant's Store, Thursday, November 29, " Besant's Store, Friday, November 30, " Reepsville, Saturday, December 1st, " 88.

I hope to meet all tax-pays on this round. You will remember that the last Legislature passed very stringent laws in regard to the collection of taxes. Books open in my office at all times. A. NIXON, Sheriff.

LAND SALE.

BY VIRTUE of decree of the Superior Court of Lincoln county made at Fall Term, 1888, in the case of J. A. Caldwell, et al., vs. J. L. and D. S. Gilbert, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in the town of Lincoln on the first Monday in December, 1888, being the 3d day, the lands lately belonging to Jane C. Gilbert now deceased, lying in Lincoln county, on the waters of Howard Creek adjoining lands of D. R. Hoyle, John Seagle, J. A. Caldwell and others; For more particular business reference made to deed made by J. M. Michal and George Con to Jane C. Gilbert, dated 11th May, 1860, and registered in Book 44, pages 254 and 255, in the Register's Office of Lincoln county. The tract contains about 91 acres.

Trust, Six months credit. C. E. CHILDS, Clerk and Commissioner. Nov. 9, 1888.

NOTICE.

I WILL sell at the Court House door in Lincoln, N. C., on the First Monday in December, 1888, being the 3rd day, (5) five shares of the common Capital Stock of the Carolina Central Railway. Terms: C. S. MONROE SEAGLE, Adm'r. of Jacob Hoover's Estate. Lincoln, N. C., Nov. 2, 1888.

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NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of P. G. Regan, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of Nov'r, 1889, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt payment. ALFRED NIXON, JR., Executor of P. G. Regan. Nov. 9, 1888.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, having qualified as Administrator of Barbara Johnson, deceased, hereby notifies all persons having claims against the said deceased to present the same to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of November, 1889, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery thereon. All persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment at once and save costs. Given under my hand this 2d day of November, A. D., 1888. W. H. MOIZ, Adm'r. Barbara Johnson, deceased. Nov. 9, 1888.

J. P. Lynch vs Sarah L. Lyoub.

Superior Court, Lincoln County, October 6, 1888. State of North Carolina, to the Defendant, Sarah L. Lyoub, Greeting:—You are hereby notified and summoned to be and appear at the Court-house, in Lincoln, N. C., on the 4th Monday after the 1st Monday in March 1889, before our Superior Court then and there to be held and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, new ou file in my office, or judgment will be taken against you for the relief therein demanded.

You are further notified that the purpose of this action is to obtain a divorce for plaintiff a vinculo matrimonii. Witness my hand and seal this 6th day of Oct 1888. C. E. CHILDS, Clerk Superior Court. October 12, 1888.

Physicians of Lincoln and Lincoln County.

Your attention is called to Wampole's Syrup, Hyophos Comp. Wampole's Extract Malt, Wampole's Tonic, Chl Liver Oil and Wampole's Syrup Hyd. acetic Acid. You can get samples at my store free. Please give some fair trial and send your prescriptions to me and oblige yours, W. M. REEDY & Co., The Druggists. Aug. 24, 1888.

NOTICE.

GUANO Companies instruct me to hold no accounts after November 10th. R. M. ROSEMAN. Lincoln, Nov. 2, 1888. 3t.

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