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### What They Do and Where to Find Them.

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LEADER IN LOW PRICES.

### G. F. CARTER, General Merchandise & Broker.

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Pure Drugs and Medicines, Standard Patent Medicines, Paints and Oils.

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MILLINERY and FANCY NOTIONS. Latest styles and lowest prices guaranteed.

### DR. D. McBRYDE,

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CHEAP CASH GROCERY. Everything in the grocery line at lowest cash prices.

### S. O. F. ROSTICK, ROSTICK,

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### Dressed Flooring and Casing a specialty. Orders receive prompt attention.

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Millinery and Fancy Goods, Notions, Clothing & Shoes. Keeps up with the leading fashions and guarantees satisfaction. Headquarters for lowest prices.

### C. A. HOLLAND,

HARDWARE, CROCKERYWARE and Lamp, Guns, Pistols, Stoves and Pumps, Saws, Doors and Blinds.

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BRANCHVILLE, N. C. Manufacturers of all kinds of Rough Lumber and Laths. Sawing of bill lumber a specialty. Orders solicited and promptly filled.

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Manufacturers of Doors, Sash and Blinds. Make and repair Steam Engines, Boilers, Saw Mills, Cotton Gins and Presses, etc.

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Headquarters for Cheapest and Smoking Tobacco, Cigars, etc. Fine stock of fancy and heavy groceries, and Confectioneries, W. O. Stone and Glassware.

No. 15 East side Patterson St.

## Selling Ice Water.

A St. Louis firm has started a new business—that of selling ice water to cabmen, coachmen and others. A can is supplied to each carriage, which is filled with ice before starting out on a journey, the contents of which are to be used both for the horses and occupants of the carriage. Sponges are used on the horses' heads during hot weather, and they are saturated with water from the can as often as necessary.—Boston Transcript.

"Let your worthy mother that I am coming to see her soon," said a lady on Austin avenue to Mrs. Snively's little boy, who was playing in front of the gate. "I am glad you are coming, and my wife will be glad to see you, too." "How do you know she will be glad to see me?" asked Mrs. Snively. "Because I heard her say yesterday she would be glad to see somebody who didn't come here to collect a bill."—Texas Siftings.

## W. E. Croom and Co., WHOLESALE and RETAIL GROCERIES and BANKERS.

Managers of the Maxton Collection and Exchange Agency.

H. H. SAMPSON, H. H. SAMPSON,

Dealer in General Merchandise, Soft Drinks and Confectioneries.

Best restaurant in town.

## J. W. Robbins, Cheap Cash Store.

DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES.

## MOSES FINE, EXCELSIOR RACKET STORE.

Full stock General Merchandise. Special line of Confectioneries, etc. Country Produce bought and sold. Fresh Fruits and Vegetables a specialty.

## Dr. H. W. McNatt, Practitioner and Surgeon.

## Milton L. McRae, Dealer in General Merchandise, Soft Drinks, Confectioneries, Tobacco and Cigars.

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Manufacturer of Buggies and Wagons. All kinds of repair work done promptly and at hard-time prices. Full line of pleasure vehicles on hand at all times.

## City Barber Shop, R. E. Allen.

Latest styles in hair cutting, Shaving, shampooing and hair dyeing done in best style.

## John Leach, Cotton Buyer and Dealer in Farm Supplies.

## J. S. McRAE, Merchandise Broker.

A. J. MCKINNON, A. J. MCKINNON,

Cotton Buyer and proprietor Maxton Livery, Feed and Sale Stables.

## W. E. McNeill, Proprietor, Main Street Market.

BEEF, PORK, SAUSAGE, CHICKENS, ETC., at all times.

## The Blocker House, R. R. HAYES, Prop'r.

Now open for regular and transient boarders. Table supplied with best the market affords. Next to C. C. Depot.

## Black & Patterson, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, MAXTON, N. C.

Will practice in any of the courts of the State

## Dr. EUGENE HOLCOMBE, DENTIST

Over McLeod's, ELM STREET, Lumberton, N. C.

Will be at the McCaskill House, Maxton, N. C., on the first Tuesday afternoon, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of each month on professional business.

## THREE STATES' BRIEFS.

### Telegraphic Dispatches From Many Points of Interest.

### The Fields of Virginia, North and South Carolina Carefully Cleaned For News.

### VIRGINIA.

Gen. James R. Anderson, of Richmond, died Wednesday.

A great religious revival is in progress at Appomattox.

Joe Searles, aged 19, was riding a colt at Christiansburg which threw him, fracturing his skull and causing instant death.

The Free Masons have laid a corner stone at Staunton for the Methodist church, for the third time on the same spot, 1834, 1859, and 1892.

J. J. Bigley dropped dead on the street at Salem, and the coroner's jury found that the cause was "dropsy of the heart, aggravated by too much tobacco."

Two Russian Jews, of Norfolk, were arrested Friday night at the instance of Dr. Thom, quarantine officer, for attempting to smuggle immigrants from New York into Norfolk. The immigrants arrived on the N. Y. P. and N. railroad, and are now quarantined at the N. Y. P. and N. wharf.

J. W. Grant, a farmer near Claremont, beat his wife and daughter, and they fled to a neighbor's. Grant a few days after received a notice signed "White Caps," which gave him warning that if he was still in the county at the expiration of ten days he would be visited and roughly dealt with. He headed the warning, has sold out his crops and gone.

### NORTH CAROLINA.

The fox hunters of Goldsboro have all ready brought in twenty-five brushes this season.

The project of establishing a line of freight steamers between Wilmington and Baltimore is assuming shape.

The Swannanoa river is nearly dry and Asheville is threatened with a water famine.

Isaac Osborne was killed in Mitchell county by moonshiners, upon whom he had reported.

Massachusetts capitalists who own 70,000 acres in Madison county are developing the tract and building a railroad through the property from Hot Springs.

Rev. H. D. Lequeux, formerly pastor of the Baptist church of Hickory, has renounced his allegiance to that faith and has been ordained a minister in the Presbyterian Church.

The directors of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad have declared a 2 per cent dividend on the capital stock of the road, to be paid October 1st. This is the first dividend the road has ever been able to declare, and it carries \$24,000 into the State treasury.

George Harper, John Aaron and H. Mills, three desperate colored criminals, escaped from the jail in Halifax county. Harper and Aaron were recently convicted of brutally mutilating Richard Burt, and sentenced to fifty years each in the penitentiary.

Senor Jose Falius Santos, of Havana Cuba, is in Raleigh. He came to learn the English language and to find out something about American business methods.

When he arrived he knew not a word of English, but he is learning rapidly. He expressed himself pleased with our country and people.

### SOUTH CAROLINA.

D. A. Chandler was shot and killed by W. B. Boyd, his employer at Sumpter Wednesday.

Fire at Marion, Wednesday, destroyed the dental office of Drs. Hamilton & Gasque.

Columbia now uses filtered water, the capacity of their new filters being 3,354,840 gallons of pure water per day.

Gov. Tillman has respite until Oct. 7 Williams, the negro who murdered Mayor Henneman, of Spartanburg.

Jonas Robinson and J. L. Trammell, two local sports, of Greenville, have agreed to fight to a finish, with five ounce gloves, in a match, for \$250 aside.

The Republicans carried Vermont last week, electing Fuller, Governor, by 20,000 majority.

The Confederate monument at Greenville, one of the handsomest and costliest in the South was unveiled on Sept. 13th. Military from all over the State were present. The monument is the result of years of loving labor by the Ladies Memorial Association.

Governor Tillman, has respite until October 7th the death sentence of Milly Brown, a fourteen-year old negro girl, who was to have been hanged Friday for murdering a baby.

A Foster, who killed his rival and Andy Jeffries who killed a white man, two negroes, were hung at Sparta-burg, Friday.

### OTHER STATES.

The Convention of Stationary Engineers, in session at Atlanta, Ga., have adopted a resolution in favor opening the World's Fair on Sunday.

The body of a mulatto boy, arrested on Tuesday on suspicion of burglary and incense committed at Waldon, Fla., was discovered hanging from a portion of the cold storage building in the heart of the village. There is no clue to the lynchers. It is said the boy confessed the crime.

Female suffrage has at last won a victory in Mississippi. The first election perhaps at which women ever voted in the South is that on stock-law question just closed in Jackson county. Only a few exercised the privilege. The law says that all persons who are householders and none other shall vote on the fence question. This admits all women who own homes to the right of suffrage.

Mrs. Martin Turns up Missing.

New York, N. Y.—Mrs M. G. Martin, of Atlanta, Ga., who was arrested recently charged with smuggling lace and other goods into this port, failed to appear before United States Commissioner Hitchcock when called to appear to-day, for examination. Mrs. Martin is out on bail. Her counsel claimed she was innocent of the date of the hearing.

## NOMINATED AN EX-CONVICT.

### Predictament of Democrats in the Fourth Illinois Senatorial District.

(Columbia, S. C., State.)

CHICAGO, ILL.—Democrats of the 4th Senatorial district are indignant over the discovery that Charles A. Spring, whom they have nominated for Congress by the Representatives at Springfield, is none other than the notorious jailbird, Charley O'Brien, alias Frisco O'Brien, a notorious thief and burglar, who was hanged in the penitentiary, and who has done time in at least two penitentiaries.

He belongs to a gang of thieves infested the West Side in the seventies, and twelve years ago joined thirteen other toughs in an attempt to loot the Palace Hotel in San Francisco. Twelve of these worthies did time out West as a result of their misdeeds on the Pacific coast. They gathered later on Portland, Oregon, and from that point came to Chicago in 1880.

In February of that year O'Brien was implicated in a burglary here and was photographed by the police bureau, where his picture, numbered 241, may be discovered by some one who has been keeping a second class album, and became prominent in Democratic politics. Spring was warned not to accept a nomination, but ambition got the better of prudence, and to-day a Democratic evening paper exposes his record. It is supposed he will resign from the ticket.

### "CAN'T EUCHE CHICAGO.

### How Money Will be Made Out of the World's Fair Souvenir Coin.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Mr. H. A. Cronin, of Chicago, the stockholder of the World's Fair, who is here on a visit, has been interviewed as follows in regard to the World's Fair souvenir half dollar, and how Chicago expects to make \$5,000,000 out of \$2,500,000.

"You see, in that \$2,500,000 we will have 5,000,000 souvenir half dollars. Not one of these will sell for less than a dollar, and we have made arrangements to control the whole issue, so that they will be virtually sold at auction. There is one man who offers \$1,000 for the first one coined, and \$999 for the succeeding 999. Another man offers the same amount for the last one issued.

"Secretary Ryan of the World's Fair Commission has secured 5,000 of these coins which he is retailing at \$1 a piece to stockholders in the exposition only. Outsiders will have to bid fancy prices. On the whole, I shouldn't be surprised if we realize \$10,000,000 out of that little \$2,500,000."

"Oh, you can't eucche Chicago," said he, with a chuckle, adding as he winked his alternate optic, "and we'll have that fair open on Sunday, too—mind my words."

### Sullivan Bids Corbett Beware of Jackson.

A special from New Orleans says that when all was over Sullivan was taken to his dressing room and attended by Dr. Chas. L. Seaman, who found him in a pitiable condition, covered with blood and weeping at what he considered his disgrace. His nose had been split and his lips were cut. Sullivan felt very badly. He turned to Charley Johnson and said: "I'm sorry about my friends losing their money." "Never mind," said Johnson, "I'll put up \$20,000 on you to morrow to fight Mitchell or any one else, barring Corbett. He seems to be a very clever young fellow."

"Yes," said Sullivan, "He's cleverer than any fighter I ever met in my life. I let him hit me one or two body blows purposely with the idea of catching him as he landed, but I could not touch him. Well, he has won the championship and he had better keep it. My advice to him is that if he wants to keep it, he had better not meet the 'nigger' Jackson. If he ever does he will get licked."

### AFTER THAT CHAMPIONSHIP BELT.

PORTLAND, ORE.—The Pastime Club has raised \$15,000, and will increase it to \$25,000 for a match between Corbett and Jackson.

### A CHINAMAN'S WEALTH.

SEM LEE, the Columbia Laundryman, Goes Home to Live Like a King.

COLUMBIA, S. C.—Very few who have noticed the unassuming life of Sam Lee, a Chinaman who has been running a laundry here for some time past, knew that he was, comparatively speaking, a wealthy man.

Sam came to this country about a decade ago and has been steadily working at his laundry trade in various cities. He saved every cent that he could make and accumulated a little fortune. A few days ago he pulled up stakes here, sold out his business, and left the city to return to China. Nestling close in his inside pocket was a draft on New York for \$50,000, and he carried in addition considerable ready money.

This has been Sam's whole aim in life. With \$50,000 in China he will be able to gratify his every wish.

### A Household Divinity Next.

ALBANY, N. Y.—Senator D. B. Hill now becomes a permanent resident of Albany. For some time the beautiful villa just north of the city line, built by Jos. K. Emmet, the deceased actor, has been offered for sale by his widow. To-day Senator Hill put down \$50,000 for it and will reside there in the future.

The place was built by Fritz Emmet and is modeled after villas he saw while in Germany. It is said to have cost him \$310,000. It is surrounded by fifteen acres of land and contains 30 rooms. The grounds contain rare ornamental shrubs and plants, etc. It was intimated here-to-day that the mansion would not be long without a mistress and that an Elmira girl would be installed there.

The First National Bank of Middletown, Ky., closed its doors Monday. Bad collections were the cause.

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## ALLIANCE COLUMN.

### National President Loucks on the Labor Troubles.

The Texas State Alliance Meets at Austin and Elects Officers.

### Bertie County Union, North Carolina, declares that as the rights and liberties of the people are being constantly abridged by the elections of presidential tickets and senators, by the money of plutocrats, that they demand of their representatives in Congress the repeal of present laws and direct election by the people. They also appeal to all good Americans for agitation and support of these demands.

During the discussion of the United States banking bill in Congress some time in 1835 or 1836 John Randolph, of Roanoke, who was opposed to the passage of the bill, which was intended to establish a United States bank, said that he had discovered a very simple and it was very simple, being the fact that—

Paper makes money, Money makes banks, Banks makes poverty, Poverty makes rage, Rage makes paper, Paper makes money, Money makes banks.

and so on forever and ever.

### TEXAS STATE ALLIANCE.

The State Alliance of Texas held a most harmonious session last week at Austin. The finances were found to be in good condition, and the order has an increased membership. The following are the new officers:

President, R. A. High, of Navarro; State lecturer, S. C. Granberry, of Travis; State lecturer, H. S. P. Ashby, of Tarrant; secretary and treasurer, Miss Fanny Moss, of Johnson.

The following executive committee was appointed for the ensuing year: Gen. H. E. McCulloch of Galvestone; J. W. Baird, of Jones county; G. L. Clark, of Erath county.

Following delegates to the National Alliance were elected:

Harry Tracy, of Dallas; L. L. Rhodes, of Van Zandt; W. R. Cole, of Dallas.

### PRESIDENT LOUCKS' VIEWS.

President H. L. Loucks advances some original and entirely logical views as to the right of the national government to interfere between Carnegie, Phipps & Co., and their employes at Homestead, Pa. He says: "It is the protective system of this government, as asserted and exercised in its patent system and in its arrangement of the incidence and rate of tariff taxation, that gives it a right to intervene between this firm and its workmen in this instance. When Carnegie, Phipps & Co. accept the patent system of this country and its protective tariff for the goods the firm makes; when it come in under these patents and these protective tariffs, and gets the benefits of them, it becomes to that extent a ward of the government. It no longer depends upon its own, unaided exertions in a field of free competition, but becomes, instead, a ward or client of the government to the full extent that it accepts the protection and the benefits of the government's patent and tariff laws. For that reason the government has a right to interpose in the conduct and management of the business of the firm, and to prescribe its relations to its workmen. This is seen very clearly in the matter of the tariff. This firm came to the United States and asked as a favor, that the people of the United States should give it a bounty upon all the goods that it makes. 'I want this bounty,' said the firm, 'to enable us to pay higher wages to the men we employ.' 'Very well,' replied the people of the United States, 'if that is what you want it for, we will agree to give you the bounty,' and the people of the United States accordingly did burden themselves with the payment of the bounty asked for. They did it in the shape of a protective tariff on the products of the firm. Therefore, now, if after the firm gets its bounty, and while it continuously is in receipt of its bounty, it, instead of advancing wages, cuts them down, and locks out the workmen because they refuse to accept the reduction, the people of the United States have a perfect right to step in and compel, not only the reinstatement of the workmen, but also to enforce such a distribution of the receipts of the firm for its products between the firm and its workmen as shall secure to the workmen that improvement of wages that the workmen, at the request of the firm, was given for."

### NORTH CAROLINA REPUBLICANS.

David M. Furches, of Iredell, Nominated For Governor.

RALEIGH, N. C.—The Republican State convention was called to order by Chairman Eaves in Metropolitan Hall, and John T. Schock, colored, of Mecklenburg made temporary chairman.

Z. V. Walser was elected permanent auditor, by acclamation, W. B. Parker, colored, of Carteret, was made secretary.

David M. Furches, of Iredell, was nominated for Governor by acclamation, and the ticket completed as follows:

Lieut. Gov., James M. Moody, of Haywood.

Sec'y of State, Rufus Amis, of Granville.

Treasurer, H. C. Dockery, of Richmond.

State Supt. Public Instruction, E. C. Parish, of Guilford.

Auditor, H. L. Grant, of Wayne.

Attorney General, R. P. Purge, colored.

Assoc. Justice, William S. Hall, Judge of 12th district, W. K. Norwood.

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## POLITICAL WORLD.

### Candidates, Conventions, Nominations, Elections.

All the News of Political Movements of the Four Parties.

Carl Schurz is expected to speak twice in Chicago during the campaign.

Ex-Senator Blair, of New Hampshire, was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of his district Monday.

At the convention of the People's party of New Jersey, held at Trenton, Benjamin Bird, of Hunterdon county, was nominated for Governor.

Iowa went Democratic last week by 10,000 majority.

George D. Wise was for the 7th time nominated at Richmond by the Democrats of the 3rd Virginia district for Congress.

The People's party of Massachusetts have nominated Maj. Henry Winn for Governor and a full ticket. Maj. Winn was the party's candidate last year.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—J. H. Bankhead, (Dem) was renominated for Congress in the Sixth district. J. E. Cobb, (Dem) was renominated in the Fifth district.

Francis Kernan, United States Senator from 1875 to 1881, died at Utica, N. Y., on the 7th inst. He enjoyed the confidence in respect of all Democrats. He was the party candidate for Governor, and defeated Roscoe Conkling for the House of Representatives.

The Republicans of the Third Pennsylvania Congress district, in convention at Philadelphia, endorsed Cong. man William McAleer, the independent Democratic candidate who has been endorsed by the Democratic County Committee.

The Republican Montana State Convention nominated the following ticket: Governor, J. E. Pickards; Lieutenant-Governor, W. C. Botkin; Congressman, Chas. W. Hartman. The platform endorses Harrison's Administration and protective and reciprocity policy, and advises free and unlimited coinage of silver.

The Democratic State convention of North Dakota on Tuesday nominated James F. O'Brien, straight out candidate for Congress, over M. O. Tieden, independent, by a vote of 155 to 73. This was a victory for the anti fusion wing of the party.

Colonel Harris, the candidate of the Third party for Congressman at large from Kansas is a Virginian and a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington. He went to Kansas in 1890 and soon amassed a handsome fortune in real estate speculations. He resides at Linwood, in Leavenworth county, and is the owner of the celebrated herd of short horn cattle known as the Linwoods, and said to be the finest herd of that kind in the world. Up to the time of his joining the Third party Col. Harris had always been a Democrat.

### CHAMPION CORBETT.

John L. Sullivan "The Big Fellow" Has Fallen.

It Was a Battle of Science Against Strength and the "Terrible Right" Falls the Ex-Champion.