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TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

We desire to state for the information of all concerned, that we hold ourselves responsible for any and all articles that have appeared or may appear in this paper. SETH M. CARPENTER.

Democratic Executive Committee for Craven County.

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The Executive Committee is requested to meet on Saturday next, June 20th, at the office of Major John Hughes, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

STEAMER TERRY.—The steamer Ellen S. Terry, Salzer master, arrived at this port yesterday morning. The Terry will sail for New York on Friday next, at 5 o'clock P. M.

CORN.—A goodly quantity of corn, arrived at this port on yesterday from the counties of Beaufort and Hyde, which sold at \$1 per bushel. The City Granary, through Thomas Stanly, Esq., manager, purchased some 3000 bushels at the price above quoted.

ATLANTIC COUNCIL, P. OF H.—The Atlantic Council, Patrons of Husbandry, convenes at Goldsboro on Thursday next, the 18th inst. Our talented and highly esteemed citizen, James A. Bryan, Esq., will deliver an address on the occasion.

PURNELL.—Purnell must have been in town on Sunday last, though we did not see him. We make this statement upon the authority of the Times, which published a communication on that day signed "Ku Klux," and as Purnell is the only known member of that organization who has been in the city recently, we have reasonably concluded that he was the author.

SHIPPING ACCIDENT.—The Schooner Industry, Chester master, laden with corn from Hyde County, arrived at this port on Sunday last in a sinking condition, caused from running upon one of the large stakes set in the channel of the Neuse river for fishing purposes. Upon application by Capt. Chester to Mr. Thomas Stanly, of the City Granary, Stevedores were immediately engaged and the cargo removed to the granary bins. Only a small portion of the corn was damaged.

ARRIVED.—Schooner Water Lily, Peel master, with corn to J. Havens, from Hyde county.

Schr. Sadie, Burnett master, with cotton and poultry from Jones' Bay.

Schr. Janette Ann, Rose master, with corn from Hyde county.

Schr. L. Thomas, Mason master, with cured drum-fish.

Schr. Lady Gray, Flowers master, with corn and poultry.

Schr. Lively, Willis master, with potatoes, clams, eggs and hides from Beaufort.

Schr. E. Francis, Payne master, with corn from Hyde county.

Schr. Diamond, Robinson master, with potatoes, poultry and eggs from Beaufort.

Schr. Industry, Chester master, with corn Hyde county.

A FATAL BLOW.—We are informed by Mr. H. H. G. Broome, who arrived in the city yesterday from Beaufort County, that Mr. Reuben Wilkerson and Council Mr. Scott, of that county, met at the store of J. B. Bryan, Esq., of Aurora, on Saturday last, when, as it appears, a feud which had previously existed between them was renewed. Very little was said by either of the parties before Mr. Wilkerson, seizing a piece of oak plank that stood near, struck Mr. Scott, who was sitting on the counter, a blow on the right side of the head causing him to pitch forward to the floor, falling upon his head with such force as to break his neck. Mr. Scott was a very quiet and inoffensive young man, greatly liked by all who knew him, and lacked only a few days of attaining his majority. He only lived about thirty-five minutes after the fatal blow was struck. Wilkerson was arrested and lodged in jail.

SUGAR-CURED SHOULDERS, best Butter and Dried Fruit, at C. E. Slover's.

COMMENTARY ON CIVIL RIGHTS.—We invite the attention of the Radical whites of the country, to the disgraceful exhibition of colored rodyism unfolded at the Police Court yesterday morning. The congregations of two colored Baptist churches engaged in a row on the holy Sabbath, breaking the peace of the community, and exciting violence, savage recklessness of temper, and a most inexcusable violation of law. Read the account of our Reporter, which speaks for itself. This is the people, whom irresponsible Radicals wish to put into the schools, hotels and venerated cemeteries with the whites. There are a few colored persons in the city nowise identified with such a degraded state of things. Go to the Episcopal Church on Communion Sunday, and after the whites have partaken of the sacrament, you will see a small number of colored men and women, moving with a slow and solemn step up the aisles of the sacred edifice, to participate in the Lord's Supper. They are the little remnant of the pious but aristocratic blacks, who before the war held themselves above demagoguism and meanness, and still cherish the memory of purer and better days. Besides these there are some, who in their heart of hearts despise the vulgar artifice of unscrupulous politicians, who are seeking to use them for their own advantage. But they are bound hand and foot and can do nothing. Take this race as a body, and they are about as fit for self-government, as they are to control the Parliament of England. The negro needs to be governed, treated firmly but kindly, or he is a nuisance to himself. These very Radicals will presently get tired of him, and will be ready to load him with any suffering or disgrace, to appease their own conscience. In the meantime, let our intelligent white readers ponder the lesson contained in this most disgraceful Sunday riot.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.—The first case for the consideration of His Honor Mayor Campbell, was that of a colored woman, Creezy Blount, charged with assaulting Margaret West, thereby disturbing the peace and quietude of the neighborhood. Fined \$5.00.

Shade Gates, Hardy Gates, Solomon Hand, James Lucas and Jos. Kelly were arraigned, charged with committing an assault upon the person of Rev. A. D. Baines, (col.). Hon. M. E. Manly, appeared for the plaintiff. It seems that the origination of this slight unpleasantness was occasioned by some petty jealousy between the two rival colored Baptist churches of this city. A party representing the respective factions, gathered in their usual devout and earnest manner, in a favorite place, and determined to divert their attention somewhat from their usual devotions, and engage in a friendly game of fisticuff. The feature of this case, which renders it most intolerable to every right minded person, is that professed christians, on the holy Sabbath, should be setting such an example of disorder and disobedience to law. This difficulty, under the circumstances, is a terrible reflection upon the respectability and law abiding character of the colored people. And coming at this particular time, it is calculated, to damage their interests more than anything else that could happen. His Honor decided Shade Gates, Hardy Gates and Solomon Hand guilty, fining Shade \$10 and costs, and the other two \$5.00 and cost, each. Kelley and Lucas were ordered to be discharged.

Since the adjournment of the court, the Mayor upon the petition of the adverse faction, issued a warrant against Baines and four of his confederates, who come up for a hearing this morning, upon a similar charge as the one tried yesterday.

IMPORTANT TAX NOTICE.—Delinquent city real estate tax payers are hereby notified to come forward and pay their city taxes that are now due, on or before the 20th instant, or I will proceed against them according to law. My duties and instructions render this action imperative, and in the event of a non-compliance with this notice, I shall be obliged to proceed to extreme measures. BENJ. JACOBS, City Tax Collector. June 13-td.

CITY LICENSE TAX PAYERS are hereby notified that their City License tax is due up to the 1st day of July, and unless the same be paid on or before the 20th inst., parties failing to come forward will be proceeded against according to law. The taxes must be paid, and unless done so voluntarily, they must be collected forcibly. je13-td] BENJ. JACOBS, City Tax Collector.

WHAT WHITE MEN THINK.—We clip the following from the resolutions adopted at the Conservative Convention in the 7th Congressional District. The white men of the West are at last aroused:

Inasmuch as the Republican party have by the passage of the Civil Rights bill through the Senate of the United States by a strict party vote, drawn the line of color,

Resolved, That the Democratic-Conservative party of the Seventh Congressional District accept the issue, and while we would not deprive the colored race of any right or privilege guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States, we are of opinion that the good of both races and the prosperity of the State demand that her destinies shall be controlled by the white race.

Resolved, That as it is certain that the Civil Rights bill now pending before Congress will pass the House and become a law at the next session of Congress, if not at this, unless there is a decided uprising of the white people of the State in opposition to it in the ensuing election, and as one of the most prominent features of the bill is the one relating to Public Schools, it is of great importance to the people of our State that the Superintendent of Public Instruction should be a man of that party opposed to the Civil Rights bill and mixed schools, and not of that party which is attempting to force this odious measure upon the country.

Hotel Arrivals.

GASTON HOUSE, S. R. Street, Proprietor.—June 15—A. M. Kirkland, C. H. Blank, Asa Jones, city; E. R. Page, A. & N. C. R. R.; Neal McKay, Harnett County; F. M. Simmons, Jones County; Mrs. E. R. Page, Kinston, N. C.; H. W. Goodwin, Fremont, N. C.; A. Thompson, Beaufort, N. C.; B. F. Webb, Wilmington, N. C.; R. J. Cherry, Swift Creek, N. C.; J. V. Sherard, Goldsboro, N. C.

BATEMAN HOUSE, Jerome Bateman, proprietor.—June 15—J. McCullum, Raleigh, N. C.; Capt. J. Irish, U. S. R. M., Newport, R. I.; S. Smith, Craven County; Dr. Geo. Slover, James R. Jones, D. S. Willis, E. M. Agostine, H. J. Lovick, John S. Manix, city; Geo. W. Dill, Morehead City, N. C.; A. B. Swindell, N. C.; Geo. R. Beldon, Oxford, N. C.

Miscellaneous Reading.

Hailstones measuring eight inches in circumference fell in Morris county, N. J., on Tuesday, June 9.

A chief engineer in the American navy receives \$2,800 per annum, while the pay in the British navy for similar services is \$1,100.

A Mississippi man having recovered \$15,000 for the loss of his wife by a railroad accident, thinks of marrying again and taking his bride a long journey.

"Say, Pomp, you nigger, whar you git dat hat?" "Why, at de shop, of course." "What is de price of such an article as dat?" "I don't know, nigger, de shopkeeper wasn't dar."

King Kalakana of the Sandwich Islands is of opinion that a father and mother raising a large family of children are benefactors of the State and should be exempt from taxation. His subjects are anxiously waiting to learn the number necessary for exemption.

State Senator Powell of Newport, R. I., returned \$50, sent him in payment of services as member of a special committee, with the statement that he never allowed himself to take pay for extra services as a member of the Legislature. Mr. Powell is not a candidate for the United States Senate.

Unless the Reno Crescent exaggerates, Senators Jones and Stewart may be left some day without a constituency. The amount of water accumulated in Lake Tahoe is more than a thousand times that which devastated the Massachusetts valley, and this inland sea is held back by an artificial dam. The Crescent thinks that it is only a question of time when the dam will give way and the valley be overwhelmed by a roaring Niagara.

A Chinese wedding in Denver, Col. was interrupted by the arrest of the bride. Gem Vow on a charge of larceny preferred by Ah Fee Ah Fee is the sub-agent of a company that imports women from China, and \$400 was claimed from Gem Vow before being entitled to her freedom. This money Ah Fee sought to force from her husband by a charge of larceny. The woman was promptly released on the facts becoming known.

An Inexhaustible Salt Mine.

Louisiana is mining salt, says the Savannah News. The work being on Avery's Island since the war, where 99 72-100 per cent. of chloride of sodium is proved by repeated analyses. The quantity is illimitable. The first attempt failed. The second sank a shaft 50 feet through solid salt, and ran galleries 110 ft. one way and 150 another, through pure crystal the whole distance. Machinery for crushing and grinding to three grades—Turk's Island. Liverpool coarse and fine table—was introduced, and 35,000 sacks were sold in 1870-'71. The capacity of the present works is 100 tons daily, or 300,000 sacks per annum, while 1,000,000 sacks were imported at New Orleans, Galveston, and smaller ports. The cost of mining and crushing is \$1 75 per ton; transportation from New Iberia to New Orleans, \$2 per ton; and incidental costs are 50 cents more—\$4 in all—against \$4 25 for Turk's Island. With these general facts, a company has been formed to buy and work the mines extensively, build a railroad from the mines to New Iberia, and so bring the trade direct to New Orleans.

G. W. Graham, the ex-army Captain, convicted of having attempted to rob a paymaster on the highway in Colorado, recently escaped from the prison at Canon City, and has not been recaptured. He belongs to a respectable family in this city, and has caused much grief to his friends by his guilty career. In his cell was found a touching letter from his sister.

Here is a squib, first published some dozen years ago, that illustrates the frankness of expression which then characterized political discussion:

A discontented Republican says the appointing power at Washington seems to be divided between Lincoln, Seward, and Chase. Lincoln appoints damned traitors, with occasionally a fanatic; Seward appoints damned loafers, with occasionally a man of ability; Chase appoints damned fools, with occasionally a great scoundrel.

Frederick the Great, who was opposed to the classics, entered a room one morning where his son Frederick William was reading with a preceptor, "Rascal, what are you at there?" broke out the rough old fellow, in his usual kingly style. "Please, your Majesty," said the preceptor meekly, "I was explaining the 'Golden Bull' to his Royal Highness." "I'll Golden Bull you, you rascal," roared his Majesty of Prussia, Up went the King's cane, away ran the terrified instructor, and the Prince's classical studies ended forever.

TAX NOTICE.—The citizens of New Berne are hereby notified to List the Real Estate Property and Polls for City Taxation, on or before the 4th day of July next.

I will be in attendance to receive said Taxables at my place of business on South Front Street until the date mentioned. June 13-td. WM. G. BRYAN, Councilman.

The rose of Florida, the most beautiful of flowers, emits no fragrance; the bird of Paradise, the most beautiful of birds, gives no song; the cypress of Greece, the finest of trees, yields no fruit; dandies, the shiniest of men, have no sense; and ball room belles, the loveliest creatures in the world, are very often ditto. Perfection exists not under the sun.

Go to the New Store next door to Meadows & Co's drug store to buy clothing at panic prices.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

SUPERIOR COURT, Carteret County, } June Term A. D. 1874.
SUSAN A. PEARCE, }
vs. } Petition for Divorce.
JOSEPH PEARCE. }

In this action, it appearing to the Court from the affidavit of the plaintiff, that a cause of action exists against the defendant, and that the said defendant is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that publication be made once a week, for six weeks successively, in the NEWBERNIAN, a newspaper published in the city of New Berne, notifying the said defendant that he is summoned to appear before the Judge of the Superior Court of Carteret County, at the Court to be held for said county, at the Court House in Beaufort, on the second Monday of August next, and answer the complaint in this action; and that if he fail to answer said complaint within the time prescribed by law, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness, James Rumley, Clerk of said Court, at Beaufort, the sixth day of June, 1874. j9 6w] JAS. RUMLEY, C. S. C.