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Wednesday Dec. 30, 1903

It has not been long since the radicals were trying to make the people believe that Providence was always with them, but since the annual statement came out they seem to have decided the other way.

A Baptist church is a democracy in the truest sense and can never be forced to attack a paper or an institution that stands for the rights of the people. If J. W. Bailey or anybody else thinks so they are very much mistaken.

Since Prof. Bassett published his article saying that Booker Washington was the greatest man borned in the south within a hundred years except possibly Gen. Lee, when a man up in this part of the country wants to insult another he does not use the common "cuss words" handed down from time immemorial but simply asks "Which are you a Masse, Bassett or Booker man?"

So far as we can learn the Baptist in this county are now falling over each other in frantic efforts to obey the call of Boss Bailey boycotting the News and Observer. This call is falling no one. It comes from the same crowd that have been trying to destroy the Democratic party for years and the attempt to destroy the leading organ of the party will amount to nothing more than leaving the smell of patching and brimstone where this little crowd of "inspiration" made its last assault. It has been whispered that Bailey aspires to be a second Marion Butler so let her go.

Senator Hanna in imitation of Roosevelt recently invited all the National Republican Executive Committee including a negro to dine with him. When Judge Robinson found this out he refused to attend and eat with the colored man. It has been suggested that the Judge may be removed from the National Committee on this account as it might have a bad effect on the Roosevelt administration if he was not taken off but however this may be a leading republican here has written Judge Robinson endorsing his action in the matter.

The sooner the Baptist and Methodist churches remove all such men as Masse and Bassett from influential positions the better it will be for the churches as well as both races. They may be sincere and wish to do good but have gone about it in the wrong manner. Ill tempered declamations and wild articles in newspapers tending toward social equality instead of doing good create racial prejudices, bring the authors into contempt and spoil the negro. It is a fearful doctrine to be taught in the South and nowhere can it be taught with more terrible results than from the lecture room and pulpit.

There is nothing the average radical sheet can't explain to its own satisfaction. The one here with the cheek of a brass monkey and the smile of a Judas gravely suggests when the figures are against it to the amount of nine thousand dollars that if half of this was taken off and added to the democratic administration both would be about equal, then as a further defense the aforementioned sheet deposes and says the bridges were the chief cause of fusion troubles but it takes special pains not to mention the real causes disgraceful bridge contracts, secret county orders and

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STATEMENT.

Office Board County Commissioners.

December 1st, 1903

In accordance with section 752 of the Code, I hereunto submit the following statement of the finances of Chatham County for the fiscal year ending November 30th, 1903, together with the names of all persons who received county orders, the amount to each, and on what account.

(Continued from last week.)

Home of Aged and Infirm Account of W. H. Ward.

Adline Jackson	112
Womble and Lineberry	32 10
J. D. Womble	1.50
G. K. Pilkington	208.76
J. S. Green	65.77
J. R. Foushee	8.30
J. R. Foushee	28.20
Bynum and Headen	63.53
David Womble	7.20
W. H. Ward	145.50
Graham Johnson	102.66
R. B. Clegg	25
Dock Griffin	15.40
John Y. Webster	75
Will Roberson	12.50
Stephen Gilmore	4.7
John Clegg	11.4
B. M. B. e	22.33
J. M. Milliken	3.67
T. A. Hanks	15.36
Mary Barringer	13.50
L. B. Bynum	5.30
West Knight	12.54
Poe Atwater Mer Co.	133.69
C. W. Hanks	6.00
J. R. Burns	25.00
Florence Ward	10.00
W. H. Ward	24.00
A. B. Riddle	4.40
M. B. Rollins	76.97
W. E. Brooks	46.55
J. W. Poe	2.80
R. J. Johnson	7.80
L. B. Rollins	31.50
Bynum & Haughton	13.28
Willie Bland	10.00
Lee Farrell	12.00
W. F. Williams	7.00
Charlie Burns	6.85
Total	1175.95

Lunatics

H. D. Mason	2.80
N. A. Gilmore	9.00
W. H. Collier	16.00
T. A. Kirkman	3.00
T. W. Hill	6
W. E. Griffin	25
J. R. Milliken	74.94
Dr. R. W. Palmer	3
D. W. Tally & N. F. Barber	2
Geo Sellars	1
G. R. Pilkington	1
R. W. Bland	650
Jas L. Griffin	46.27
J. M. Griffin	14.45
Dr. J. N. Taylor	2
W. J. Strickland	2.50
J. F. Coughlin	5.25
Total	236.11

Bridges.

Alvis Degraffenreidt	5.28
J. R. Bright	3.50
J. N. Atwater	1.41
C. Hitt	90
N. A. Bailey	280
C. D. Moore	12
J. W. Buchanan	146
H. A. Fields	2
Stephen Petty	1.70
Moses Clark	5
N. C. Yarboro	3.55
Dorsett Co.	2 15
J. D. Council	573.80
C. L. Lasater	44.60
A. N. Yarboro	17.22
M. Duhling	2.97
J. E. Sturdivant	3.55
R. F. Sturdivant	12.00
John Hearne	2.00
J. R. Burns	18.90
J. G. Robeson	3.00

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

North Carolina.  
Chatham County.

In Superior Court.

Annual Statement of funds in the hands of Jas. L. Griffin, clerk Superior Court of Chatham Co., the following amounts received of R. H. Dixon Ex. C. S. O. on Dec. 4 1903, to-wit:

Judgment Docket F No. 641 for Luetta Smith	23.95
Judgment Docket F No 690 for Martha C. Straughn, Irby Straughn, Addie Straughn, Clara Straughn and Regal Straughn each	2.35
Judgment Docket E No 11 22 for Mandy B Cook and others	8.80
Judgment Docket G No 119 for Sarah Harris heirs	5.19
Judgment Docket G No 207 for O. S. Dixon	1.20
Judgment Docket G No 154 for Valle Moffit	1 0.17
Judgment Docket G No 126 for Leana E. Andrew	121.90
Judgment Docket G No 112 for Jacob Pearsons heirs	18.4
Judgment Docket G No 305 for O. S. Dixon	1.20
Judgment Docket G 322 and one half for O S Dixon	30
Judgment Docket G 373 for Booker heirs	31.4
Judgment Docket G 417 for Minnie L Grant	4.63
Judgment Docket G 419 for Eunice Briers Heirs	1.64
Judgment Docket G 416 for Anna Walker	29.7
For two Rosser heirs	14.78
Judgment Docket G 466 for O S Dixon	2.20
Judgment Docket G 254 for S. L. Riggsbee	2.90
Judgment Docket G 110 for E. H. Wren Admr. of W. P. Wren estate	185.49
Judgment Docket 517 received of William Jackson Nov term 1903 for O. S. Dixon	2.80
for U. S. Blair	3
Judgment Docket G 518 received of William Jackson, Nov. term 1903 for C. S. White	2.80
for Tom Hackney	3
for D. G. Fox	1.65
Judgment Docket G 531 received of H. A. London and J. W. Dixon commissioners for Malcolm Coles heirs	16.52
for Mrs. Lovie Johnson	19.52
for H. T. Criscoe, A. N. Criscoe, Emily Criscoe, Arteria Criscoe, J. P. Criscoe and N. Ada Criscoe each	3.25
Judgment Docket G 532 and one half, received of V. M. Dorsett and R. J. Dorsett Exrs of John D. Dorsett for S. C. Dorsett	207.90
received of Mrs R. J. Dorsett for S. C. Dorsett	12.50
Judgment Docket G 534, received of H. Hays, April 18 1903 for Myrtle Gilbert and Frank Gilbert, jointly	17.68
Judgment Docket G 535 received of J. M. Leust and I. H. Dunlap, Exrs of E. W. Phillips for Charlie Smith	84.16
for Iunie Phillips	42.08
for Bettie Phillips	42.08
Judgment Docket G 526 received of J. T. Oconnell Admr. of Eliza Cotton, April 28 1903 for A. E. Holt	86.20
Edith Mims	9.67
Marius Mims	9.57
Francis Rosser	86.20
Eddie Rollins	51.72
Catie Rollins	51.72
Marion Rollins	51.72
Judgment Docket G 547 received	

for Myrtle Gilbert and Frank Gilbert each 13.26  
Judgment Docket G 588 received of W. M. Johnson Oct. 6 1903 for J. J. Jenkins 2.90  
Judgment Docket G 587 received of R. Hayes Sept 3 1903 for Caleb Johnson 1 10  
Judgment Docket G 457 received of R. H. Hayes for Maud Goldston, Lizzie Goldston, Fannie Goldston, Jewel Goldston and Leta Frazier as a class 19.87  
Judgment Docket G received of W. D. Siler commissioners for Myrtle Gilbert and Frank Gilbert each 35.06  
Judgment Docket 538 received of Ben Dorsett for Sam Brooks 3.10  
for C. M. Covert D. S. 1.60  
Judgment Docket 538 received of B. Ncoe. for C. M. Covert D. S. 30  
As Receiver for John Ross Brewer and others received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 743.73  
00 is invested in real estate and 100 in county orders at 6 per cent.  
As Receiver for Carlyle Council received of R. H. Dixon Feb. 13 1903. 36.788  
The mother of Carlyle Council qualified in Durham county as guardian of Carlyle Council and settlement has been made in full with said guardian.  
As receiver for Culley and Lizzie Johnson received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 27.72  
which amount is invested in county orders at six per cent.  
As receiver for Lula Mims 90.11  
Eighty Dollars is invested in real estate mortgage at 6 per cent.  
As receiver for B. F. Headen received of R. H. Dixon Feb. 13 1903 1345.67, 150 of which is invested in real estate mortgage at six per cent.  
As receiver for W. R. Dark and N. B. Dark received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 778.94  
W. J. Dark having become 21 years old settlement has been made in full as to him. 360 of the funds belonging to W. J. Dark is invested in real estate mortgage at six per cent.  
As receiver for W. P. Benner, received of R. H. Dixon Feb. 13 1903. 47.79. \$40 is invested in county orders at 6 per cent.  
As receiver for W. and S. C. Forrester received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 106.34. Each of whom having become of age have been settled with in full.  
As receiver for Bessie Beavers received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 58.03 \$50 is invested in county orders at 6 per cent.  
As receiver for Z. V. Dark received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 296.81. Z. V. Dark having become of age settlement has been made  
As receiver for Lucian and Vance Dark received of R. H. Dixon Feb 13 1903 212.18. Which is invested in county orders at six per cent.  
Jas. L. Griffin being duly sworn says the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Jas. L. Griffin.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of Dec. 1903  
L. E. Rollins,  
Chairman Pro tem B. C. C.  
The above statement is hereby approved this 8th Dec 1903. L. E. Rollins Chairman Pro tem B. C. C.



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