

# Another Big Day On Raleigh Cotton Market

### Market Closed Weak at 9 3-4 Cents — Large Quantities Sold at 10 Cents—Local Situation

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want to emphasize that the negro's great need is industrial education. It is a man is a good carpenter, a successful farmer or a skillful cook he will then be able to give his children higher education of other kinds if desirable.

THE EXHIBITS. The exhibits on the grounds are very creditable, especially the poultry and farm products. The school exhibits are very good. Shaw University has a fine display of what is being done in that large institution.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONFERENCE. After the opening exercises, those especially interested in the moral and religious life of the colored people repaired to another part of the building and organized by electing S. N. Vass president and T. M. Nixon secretary.

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Convict For Pen. Deputy Sheriff H. H. Jones of Hertford county was here yesterday to commit a negro, Henry Gatling, to the penitentiary to serve a term of ten years for attempt to commit criminal assault upon a negro woman.

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since she was taken ill and Mr. Setzer arrived last week. Mrs. Harrison is survived by four sisters, Mrs. J. A. J. Robinson of Raleigh, Mrs. John Allen and Mrs. Willis Rogers of this county and Mrs. W. H. Perry of Durham county, and one brother, Mr. Wm. Yearby of Durham.

The funeral will be held at 10:30 this morning from the Raleigh Baptist Tabernacle, of which she was a devout member. The service will be conducted by Rev. J. C. Masse as assisted by Rev. Dr. W. C. Tyree. The honorary pallbearers are Messrs. A. B. Forrest, J. B. Martin, F. A. Watson, W. H. Holloway, A. H. Mooneyhan and R. H. Bradley. The active pallbearers are Messrs. F. K. Ellington, Jas. Pollard, Geo. Nottingham, J. D. Turner, James Edwards and Thornton Rowland.

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## Industrial Education the Need of Negro Race

Commissioner Patterson on the Advantages of the Farm. Pres. Middleton and Secretary Dudley Endorse His View—Farmers' Day at the Fair

The twenty-fifth annual colored fair was formally opened yesterday with an address by Hon. S. L. Patterson, state-commissioner of agriculture.

Mr. Patterson emphasized the importance of industrial and specially agricultural work and the other speakers endorsed this idea and urged the colored people to remain on the farms.

The procession headed by the New Bern band marched to the grounds and took their position in floral hall, where the opening exercises were held.

President A. R. Middleton presided and seated by him were Rev. C. H. King, vice president; Rev. S. N. Vass, Secretary J. E. Dudley of Greensboro, Col. Jas. H. Young, Rev. J. E. King, John Williamson of Louisville, Lee Person, formerly of Tarboro, Rev. A. W. Fegues, Rev. W. L. Walker and other prominent colored men.

Mr. Patterson declared that he was unequal to representing the Governor, "especially since when your distinguished citizen, Col. James H. Young, invited me to open the fair he said that only a three minute speech was expected."

Mr. Patterson, after expressing his pleasure at the evidences of prosperity and advancement shown in the industrial and agricultural exhibits, said in part: Your race has furnished the cooks, carpenters and artisans in years gone by and why should you not excel in the future as you have in the past?

Carry forward your improvements along industrial lines. Never has there been a time of greater prosperity among all classes and conditions. Never has there been a time when the demand for skilled labor was greater or when the remuneration of this labor was greater and the money would go further in buying the necessities of life.

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Mrs. Annie Harrison Dead. Mrs. Annie Harrison, aged 58, widow of John R. Harrison Jr., died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock at her home, 11 South Wilmington street, after an illness of two weeks. She suffered a stroke of paralysis and never rallied but grew gradually worse.

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