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RALEIGH, N. C., SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 6, 1896.

IT IS ANTI-RUSSELL

A Mass Meeting to be Held in Raleigh.

DATE, JULY SECOND.

here and Decided to Issue a Call-Sentiment Favorable to the Support of Gubrie was Manifested.

The Russell gubernatorial boom got another puncture Thursday afternoon. The structure is rapidly associate fatness, sometimes called Warwick Harris, is an up-to-date inflater, but he cannot cope with the Russell wreckers.

Thursday afternoon a number of prominent colored men from various eastern counties, held a meeting here, and it was decided to issue a call for an anti-Russell mass-meeting, to be held in Raleigh July 2nd.

The meeting, which was held here day before yesterday, has been kept very quiet and it was not intended that the news should get out as early as this. Dr. Leak, who was a leading spirit in the meeting, was seen, and he confirmed the news of the meeting. He stated that a number of leading colored citizens held a meeting here to discuss the educational, material and political welfare of the negro race. All phases of the three subjects above mentioned were discussed.

The meeting held here was comof them with one or two exceptions have always voted a straight Republican ticket. Among those who attended the meeting were R. B. Russell, editor of the Maxton Blade, W. H. Quick of Rockingham, R. B. Fitzgerald of Durham and Dr. A. M. Moore and J. E. Shepherd of Durham, R. H. W. Leak, editor of the Johnson, Profs. Bruce and Capehart, of Shaw University, and a number of others.

One of the delegates said that the past. mass meeting in July would be more can Convention.

The nomination of Judge Russell was discussed at the meeting here, and all of those present expressed their determination to work against the Judge. The sentiment seemed to be favorable to Maj. Guthrie in the event that he is nominated Governor. The question of greatest im portance which will come up at the July mass-meeting, will be the selection of a cadidate whom the dissatis fied colored Republicans will support for Governor.

Dr. Leak stated that he had never voted anything but a Republican ticket, and would never vote for a Democrate but that he would never support Russell.

TO PROSECUTE THE S.A. L.

Postmaster General Turns the Case Over Recommendations.

Washington, June 6.—Postmaster-General Wilson has turned over to the Department of Justice the case of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad. recommending the prosecution of the officials of that road, if, in the opin ion of the Atttorney General, such action is advisable. The papers in the case submitted to the Depart ment of Justice allege that the Sea board Air Line is guilty of an attempt to defraud the government by padding the mails during the month of March last, during which month the test weighing of mail matter over that line was made in order to form an estimate of the amount of mail matter carried by the road, which would enable the Postoffice Department to make a four years contract for such service and fix the rate of compensation.

Will be a Pleasant Trip.

The Tabernacle excursion to Norfolk, Tuesday, June 16, will be complete in every detail. The school will spend the greater part of the day at Ocean View, going there by of the train will return Tuesday at 11:30 o'clock, giving seven hours in Norfolk, Old Point, Virginia Beach. Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock, ararriving at 3 o' clock p. m. Baggage will be checked and the friends of been very lengthy. the school are cordially invited to enjoy this delightful occasion.

DEATH OF MRS. BARBEE.

She Passed Away in Richmond Last Night-The Funeral this Afternoon.

At 9:30 o'clock last night telegrams from Richmond brought the sad in telligence that Mrs. C. C. Barbee mother of Messrs. E. B. Barbee and Claude B. Barbee, of this city, and Mrs. G. D. Rand, of Richmond, had breathed her last. For days past the end has not been unex pected, and all day yesterday news was anxiously awaited by friends here, as telegrams already received indicated that life was hanging by a thread. Still while there was life there was hope, and the most skilled medical attention has been rendered for days at the bed-side of the sick, approaching that flabby state. His in the hope that life might be prowas near at hand, and when human aid and tender and affectionate love and care could do no more, the thread of a beautiful and useful life was gently severed, and the soul of purity and goodness, which had for four score years dwelt in its carthly tenement, passed out through cured from all railroads in the State. the sun-set of a useful life into its eternal reward in the great beyond.

her eightieth year. She was a native of Harnett county, where she was married, and the family removed to Raleigh some eighteen years ago. All who have known Mrs. Barbee have known her to esteem and love her for those many good and grand qualities of the loving and dutiful mother and wife, and the crowning attributes of a useful and Christian She has passed from earth with the reverence and affection of all those who came within the posed of intelligent negroes, and all gracious benediction of her beautiful and Godly presence here, and who will ever hold her in memory as one who has gone to realize the promise of Him who said: "Well done thou good and faithful servant." Her surviving children, Messes. E. B. Barbee and C. B. Barbee, and Mrs. G. D. Rand, were with their mother Outlook, Dr. L. A. Scruggs, E. A. two sisters, Mrs. Easter Raboteau, usually enthusiastic over the coming of Aberdeen, and Miss L. I. Barclay, the latter having been with her are arranging to give all who attend sister in Richmond for some time a royal welcome

The remains arrived here at largely attended than the Republi- 3:30 o'clock this afternoon via the Seaboard Air Line, accompanied Closing of the D. D. and B. Institutionby Mr. E. B. Barbee, Mrs. Rand and Mr. Barbee's daughters. Mildred and Mary. Mr. C. B. Barbee arrived on the early vestibule from Richmond this morning.

It was the expressed wish of Mrs. Barbee, before she died, that she should be borne quietly from the train to Oakwood Cemetery, and be there laid to rest beside her beloved nusband, who preceded her to the grave several years ago, and this wish was carried out A large conpay their last sad reverence. All day beautiful floral offerings had Barbee, and these were placed by many of the pupils in attendance loving hands on the casket, before were induced to enter the school

The remains were horne to the come tery from the union station, followed by a large number of friends, where burial services were conducted by Rev. Dr. W. C. Norman, pastor of Edenton street M. E. church, of which the deceased was a member

The following gentlemen acted as Messrs. Joseph G Brown, W. H. Hughes, J. A. Sexton, Alf. A. Thompson, Thos. Partin, Armistead Jones, T. B. Crowder, Mike Allen and C. G. Latta.

Mr. Strongch's Resolution

EDITOR PRESS-VISITOR:

In regard to my resolution about cleaning out ditches and filling up holes, I offered it in the best inter est of the whole city, and I believe the majority of the people know that this part of the street work has been very much neglected for per manent work in certain localities of the city. Now, as to the resolution again, it was offered and sec onded, but I withdrew it upon the promise that this work should have the much-needed attention. Now special cars. The fishing and boat as to the board commending the ing at this place are not excelled on street department or any other de the Atlantic coast. The first section partment, the reporter for the News and Observer is entirely in error. He certainly didn't hear the honorable Mayor's report read as to expendi etc. The second section returns tures, etc. The street committee made no report, as will be seen by your readers. Heretofore they have

FRANK STRONACH

Alderman Second Ward.

TEACHERS ASSEMBLY.

The Annual Gathering This Year to be Held in the Mountain

proaching meeting of the N4 C the most successful ever held in this State The executive committee and Secretary Parker, and President NO BOND ELECTION. session has been shortened to a working session of five days with every afternoon for recreation. has been arranged, comprehending juestions of living interest and vi tal importance to the advancement of the teacher's profession and to the educational and material devellonged if not saved. But the end opment of the State, to be discussed by men and women whose eminent success and established reputation entitle them to speak with authority on these questions and insure able The extremely low rate of one

An exceedingly low rate of board, ranging from \$1.00 a day to \$5.00 and \$6.00 a week has been secured at many of the best hotels and private boarding houses in Asheville. These are the lowest rates ever be fore obtained for members of the Assembly. The railroad tickets remain in force till July 20th, and holders of Assembly certificates can secure the low rates of board for one month if desired.

After meeting at Morehead City for nine consecutive years, the change to the mountains will be restful and enjoyable and hundreds who had grown tired of the seashore and ceased to attend the meetings of the Assembly will take advantage of the remarkably low rates this year to renew their allegiance to the teach ers organization, and to spend a delightful vacation of a few weeks at small expenses among the incompar able mountain of Western Carolina.

The citizens of Asheville seem un-

A SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

Concert Last Night.

The session of '96, which has been ne of the most prosperous and suc-Dumb and Blind Institution, came to a close last night with a brilliant concert, which was given by the pupils of the Institution

The citizens of the State have a right to feel proud of this Institution, which is so ably and wisely managed by the excellent principal, Mr. W. J. Young. During course of the friends of the deceased | the past session, the attendance was were assembled at the station to 245, which nearly equalled the at tendance of the Institution before the deaf and dumb were moved to been sent to the home of Mr. C. B. Morganton, North Carolina. Agreat it was deposited in its last resting through the personal efforts of principal Young, who made a canvass of the State. It will be recommended to the Board at its coming meeting to increase the corps of

the most approved system in the instruction of pupils, and as a result, the institution is classed among the best in the country with the imited means at hand. Certainly there is none in the South superior to the North Carolina Institution

Today many of the pupils went home, and by Wednesday they will gain September 2.

The concert last night was a most delightful affair. It reflected much credit upon the pupils and instructruction of the blind was demonstrated in various ways and was nighly gratifying to those present.

The musical selections, both vocal nd instrumental, were charmingly which has worked to the detriment rendered, revealing decided talent and skill, and excellent training.

The principal, Mr. Young, told of the accomplishment and methods of work employed in the school. He ticularly pleasing address, which contained much beautiful thought. he diplomas were awarded by Dr.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6.—The will be administered. house has passed the loud bill reclassifying the second and third and fourth class matter. The bill has already passed the Senate. It prohibits the sending of freight, weighing over four pounds.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

The prospects are that the ap- Committee on Assessments Made a Report.

Licenses Grated to Twenty-seven Retailers-City to be Sued for \$6,000. Elm Street Petition

At the meeting of the Board of Aldermen last evening, the commit tee appointed to assess the property on the Morgan street extension the Bishop's residence on North Wilmington street, made its report which was re-referred to the com mittee for more specific information regarding the property on the Mor gan street extension. The commit tee's report says of the assessment on West Morgan street:

"After inspecting the property the committee is of the opinion that any damage to the property, from the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad to the city limits, will be offset by the city grading of the street and sidewalks planting trees and running all fences buildings, etc., and replacing the same properly, except as to the property of J. Rowan Rogers, which we consider will be damaged two hundred and sixty dollars.

The damages assessed the property known as the Bishop's residence, on North Wilmington street, was \$500, the city to pay all expenses incident to the broadening of the st. The lot on the corner of Wilmington and Polk street was allowed \$100

The report of the committee on finance was not offered, the chairman, Mr. Boushall, being absent The report of the police committee showed that there were 83 arrests made last month; 50 colored and 33

All the saloon keepers in the city renewed their liquor licenes. There are 27 in all.

A petition for the extension of Elm street through the Linehan lot to Jones street was presented to the Board. It was signed by J. C. Scarborough, J. D. Boushall, B. G. Cowper. A. B. Forrest, W. B. Hutch-

Mr. T. R. Pernell, attorney, pre sented a claim and demanded \$6,000 damages for Miss Dillon who was injured in a runaway on South street at the railroad trestle. Mr. Pernell stated that the young lady was badly injured, and he holds that the bridge blocks the streets, and that the injuries sustained by Miss Dillon are due to negligence of officers in charge of the streets.

An ordinance ordering an election for the issuance bonds to the amount of \$50,000, \$30,000 to be applied to street improvements, and \$20,000 for a new school building for each race, was introduced by Alderman Drewry, but was subsequently withdrawn, because of the opposition of a majority of the Board.

Mayor Russ presented a comparative statement of the city's financial condition, which showed that the has employed expenditures this quarter exceeded the last quarter by more than \$7,000. The city receipts, however effect this expenditure to a degree, having increased \$3,500 this quarter. Mayor Russ stated that the expenditures were entirely two large, and suggested that the various departments should be more economical.

Upon a motion by Aldrman John son, a resolution was passed requiring each committee to meet and make an estimate of the probable expenses it would require, and to report at an adjourned meeting of the Board of Alderman at an early date

There was a lengthy discussion as to the methods of improving and working the streets which resulted in no action being taken. Alderman Frank Stronach introduced a resolu tion directing the street committee to clean out the ditches and use the dirt for filling up holes in the streets The matter was left to the committee

At Edenton Street Church Tomorrow.

The third quarterly meeting for Edenton Street Methodist Church takes place tomorrow. Rev. Dr. Yates the Presiding Elder will be present and preach at 11 a. m., and the Sacrament of the Lords Supper

At night at the same church at 8:30 o'clock, Rev. A. D. Thaeller, of Salem-will preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the A. and M. College. Public cordially invited.

MORNING SESSION

Of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union-Oratorcial Contest Tonight

This morning at 9:30 the Woman's Christian Temperance Union commenced the second days session of the Convention, at Central M. E. church. Impressive devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Sue V Tomlinson, after which the minutes of the sessions of the preceding day were read by the Secretary, Miss Stevens, and adopted.

Miss Kearney, of Mississippi, being present, was asked by the President to make a talk, and she responded in a happy, interesting manner.

During her remarks she complimented Mrs. Cartland, the State President, upon the able and business-like manner in which she is conducting the Convention. She said: "Often in attending the W. C. T. U. meeting in some of the Southern States, I feel uncomfortable for fear something is going to be a fail. ure. But it was not so in the meeting in North Carolina." In illustrating the influence of the W. C. T. U. she told of a trip with some friends through the Catacombs of Rome. Before entering, each was given a lighted candle, and tho' the way was through a narrow, winding, slippery path in darkness, they were not in fear of danger, as the candle lighted their passage, and the way of those behind them. In comparison, she said: "Just so with the members of the W. C. T U.; they had many serious obstacles but they feared not, as each carried a lighted taper, lighted from the Throne of God.

An interesting paper was read by Miss Ufford, on the subject of the Loyal Temperance Legion.

Next the report on Scientific Temperance Instruction was read. After this, a paper—Health and Heredity, by Mrs. M. M. Hopps, Guilford College, was offered. balance of the program was:

Press Work-Miss S. B. Stevens Department of Mercy-Miss E. D.

Physical Culture—Miss Laura Worth, Guilford College.

(Demonstrated in Physical Train-

The Union closed this morning with noontide prayer.

There will be a very interesting session tonight. Miss Kearney will make an address, and there will also be an Oratorical contest with the following contestants: Miss Oehler, of Greensbro Female College; Miss Neff, Elon College; Miss Rich, Kinsey Institute; Miss Wil-

REGALIA PRESENTED

By Marshals and Ball Managers to Young

Another delightful dance was given last evening at the University, which was participated in by the young ladies and gentlemen who remained over after the commencement

Miss Stevenson and Miss Alexander, of the Vice President's party, did not accompany Mr. Stevenson to Washington with the Misses Harden. They remained over last night to atthe german, and will return to Washington this afternoon.

The regalia of the Marshalls ball managers were presented last evening to the young ladies of their choice. A pleasing incident, and one altogether appropriate was the Mr. Burton Craig's regalia to Miss
Missouri Pacific.

General Electric. Vice President.

The german was a most charming social function and was as equally successfull as those of former years

The names of the young gentleman who presented regalia together with the young ladies, who received

Burton Craige, of Salisbury, (Chief Ball Manager) to Miss Stevenson, of Washington, D. C. (daughter of Vice President Stevenson. A. F. Williams, of Fayetteville,

to Miss Daggett, of Wilmington J. S. Williams, of ——, to Miss Henkle, of Baltimore, A. H. Edgerton, of Goldsboro, to

Miss Kirby, of Raleigh. P. M. Thompson, of Goldsboro, to Miss Smith, of Goldsboro.

F. A. Gudger, of Asheville, to Miss Gibson, of Concord. F. M. Pinnix, of Lexington, to Miss Outlaw, of Oxford.

T. L. Wright, (Chief Marshal) of Clinton, to Miss Chadbourne, or Wilmington. L. McRae, of Chapel Hill, to Miss

Winston, of Chapel Hill Mr. J. Bryan Jones, of Hickory,

is in the city.

PRIMARIES TONIGHT.

A Number of Gold Democrates will not At-Stend-Places of Meeting for the Wards

Much interest is being taken in the Democratic Primaries tonight, which meet at 8:30 p. m. The ward politicans are at work for their respective tickets. A number of cold men have expressed their determi nation to remain away from the primaries. It is almost certain that all the primaries will elect delegates favoring silver.

Remember the meeting places which are given below.

The First Ward, north of Hargett and west of Halifax and Fayetteville streets, will meet at Metropolitan

The Second Ward, East of Halifax and Fayetteville streets, will meet at the court house.

Third Ward, east of Favetteville and south of Hargrett streets, will meet at Jones' tobacco warehouse corner of Davie and Blount streets The Fourth Ward, west of Fayette ville and south of Hargett streets will meet at the Mayor's office.

Outside West and Outside East will meet in the room back of Metro politan Hall.

The following ticket headed, "First Ward-16 to 1," has been put out: Ward—16 to 1, has been put out:
G. M. Allen,
E. B. Bain,
W. W. Wilson,
C. M. Walters,
Jno. R. Ferrall,
Armistead Jones,
H. M. Ivey,
L. B. Pegram,
J. As been put out:
J. A. Briggs,
S. V. House,
J. C. Marcom,
C. Kleuppelberg,
Dr. D. E. Everett,
Chas. A. Separk,
Jno. S. Riddle.

In the Second ward the following ticket will be placed in nomination.

W. N. Snelling, F. B. Arendell, N. B. Broughton, B. F. Montague, B. R. Lacy, E. C, Smith, Jno. W. Thompson, Frank Stronach, M. T. Leach, Graham Haywood, W. W. Parish.

The followinging is the ticket in the Third ward, which will be voted

W. G. Forsythe, Mills H. Brown, A. H. Green. Seawell, G. O. Andrews, Fab. Honeycutt, W. H. Holloway. There is said to be no oppositio to these tickets

TODAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton Closed Steady and About 4 Points Decline from Last Night's Close-

Cotton quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 56 Broadway, New York, and 305 Wilmington street, Raleigh, over their special

MONTHS.	OPEN- ING.	HIGH- EST.	LOW- EST.	CLOS- ING.
January, February,	6 85	6 85	6 80	6 82-
March,				
April, May,				
June, July,	7 51 7 54	7 52 7 54	7 44 7 45	7 49-
August, Sept'mb'r,	7 50 6 91	7 50 6 91	7 44 6 86	7 47-
October,	6 86	6 86	6 81	6 83-
Novemb'r, December,	6 81 6 82	$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 81 \\ 6 & 82 \end{bmatrix}$	6 76 6 77	6 77- 6 79-

Steady. Sales, 92,000 bales New York opened 1 point off, went off from 4 to 9 points more, and portunity. closed at about 4 points decline from last night's closing.

New York Stock Market.

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange today:

St. Paul	76
Tennessee Coal and Iron	25
Manhattan	105
American Tobacco	64
Burlington and Quincy	77:
Western Union	85
Louisville and Nashville	49
Chicago Gas	68
Sugar	124
United States Leather	63
Southern Railroad	8
Southern Preferred	28
Atchison	14
Whiskey	17
Jersey Central	105
Erie	14
Reading	9

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool opened quiet this morn ing at an advance of about 4 points, and closed at an advance of 2 to 3 points more, making from 6 to 7 points up from last night's closing. Spots opened at 3 15-16 and closed

June-July	3.58-	9
July-August	3.58-	į
August-September		
September-October		
October-November		
November-December		
December-January		
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bargains in all lines of goods

Read Woollcott & Son's new ad-

SHORT STATEMENTS

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND THE CITY.

Dr. Carroll to Preach his Farnwell Sermon in the Morning-Jimmy Royall Sent to Jail-Other News Today,

The Presbyterian Sunday-school will pic-nic next Friday at Wake Forest.

Mr. A. M. McPheeters is having his residence remodeled and a new room built.

The Scaboard Air Line will sell educed rate tickets to St. Mary's School Commencement on the 10th

The Y- M. C. A. gymnasium class are preparing for a "classing" right. Contests for honors in several events will be held.

The meeting for men will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow at 3 o'clock. The general secretary will make the address.

The Daily Call, which has been edited and published by Messrs. P. W. McGowan and W. A. Jones, has temporarily suspended publication.

Telephone subscribers will please add to their list the following new names: C. H. Anderson, grocer, 230; S. F. Mordacai's residence, 227-3

A gentleman here today received a letter from a United States Treasury official asking for the names of delegates named by our Democratic Conventions. This gentleman, as well as some other people, want to know what the administration crowd is up to and way.

The very valuable dog owned by Mrs. Dr. Martin, and precented to her by Mr. Sam Miller, died yesterday. The animal was endowed with a great deal of sense, and at the time Dr. Martin's residence caught afire the dog gave the alarm.

Jimmy Royall is havinghe 'ays. Jimmy was shot in the thigh at Macon a few days ago and his assailant was only fined \$10.00. Today Jimmy was before Mayor Russ on a charge of theft. Facts seems to be against Jimmy and he is now behind the bars awaiting the next term of

As a result of the reference to the blackberry shipments which are being made by Messrs. Whiting Bros., which appeared in these columns day before yesterday, they sold 224 quarts of berries yesterday in 2½ hours. This was handing them out at a pretty rapid rate.

Dr. B. H. Carroll will preach at the Tabernacle Church tomorrow at 11 a. m. and will leave on the night train for Jackson, Tenn., where he has a series of 4 lectures at the Southwestern University. It is hoped that many who have not heard nim will avail themselves of this op-

The alumni of the State University have appointed F. D. Win stom. E. A. Alderman and Locke Craige, a committee in charge of ouilding the alumni memorial. s decided that this shall cost \$30,-000, and shall contain all recitation rooms: that it shall be of brick and granite. Work on it begins Aug-

NO COAXING REED.

He Will not be McKinley's Running Mate -Proctor Picked Out.

CLEVELAND, O., June 6-Indications today are that McKinley has given up all idea of persuading Thomas Reed to be his running mate, and as a result of several conferences with Hanna and others, he has decided to use his best efforts. to prevail upon Redfield Proctor, of war, and at present, United States Senator. Negotiations with that gentleman have been pending some time. Proctor is expected here today, and will go with Hanna to Canton, to talk over campaign matters.

Yale 'Varsity Crew Sails.

NEW YORK, June 6-The Yale Varsity crew, which is to take part in the contest for the Challenge Cup of the Henley Regatta, sailed this morning on the American liner Berlin. Bob Cook, the famous coach, vertisement. They are offering great | who prepared the men, sailed with