

NEGROES AFRAID OF US!

...the president of the ... in California. We ... that he lectured ... to a very large audience ... many allusions ... treated and vilified ... calculated to excite ... of a class of open ... such as are found ... He goes on to say ... with has done much. The ... also done something ... great change of sentiment ... Georgia used ... slave State, and the ... terrified at the threat ... there; yet ... \$8,000 annually to the ... schools for the Negroes. ... Southern States are doing ... We look hopefully upon ... that the times are ... We feel that the South ... than they can repay. ... the American people ... of the Constitution as ... Now," said the lecturer ... the American people to ... from our hands and ... us go for ourselves. ... it is our own fault, ... but do not say "Rise and ... the negro is ... WITH IGNORANCE. ... the Constitution fostered ... The negro was to the ... ally in an enemy's ... Now, we ask of the ... people—not as pay, but ... leave us not ... under the influence ... of the men of whom we ...

... If these negroes are afraid ... Oh why do they stay ... Why did they build this ... and why do they continue ... as they do? Brothers ... we tell you it is all ... the only cause of strife ... between the two races here is ... the colored people oppose the white ... way, they ... They don't forget, but they ... the fact that a few ... years ago they were slaves. ... ignorant of them are ... and anxious, if possible, to ... of their old masters. ... The writer has been West, ... imagine the indignation ... of any of its citizens ... being put on an equal with ... We acknowledge that ... the Indian the inclination ... to squally cope with the white ... would be allowed ... If the colored people ... progress they can do it here ... than in any part of the ... But they must not try to ... the management of ... There are several ... men in business here who ... from the fact that ... strictly to their business ... do not mix up in politics; ... and have the support of every citizen here. In ... to Mr. Price and his ... Our people don't wish ... harm; on the contrary they ... to the institution. The ... was born and raised in the ... and feels that his opinion ... should have some weight on this ...

WILLIAM H. VANDERBILT DEAD.

The American Crown and railway magnate died on Tuesday the 23rd at 2.30 p. m., very suddenly, of apoplexy, at his home, fifth avenue, New York. The richest man in America. He was not a philanthropist in the sense of the word; he did not accumulate wealth for the benefit of humanity, as did Peabody and Peter Cooper, but accepted it in a quiet way simply because it pleased him to do so. He did not use his wealth in questionable political schemes, but lived an exemplary private life. His taste for literature and art were only indulged in so far as would suit his fancy, but not for alteration; the pangs and fears of the poor poets or artists, though it may be said he had a kindly heart withal, and his enormous wealth gave him a prominence that he never enjoyed. His income from railroad stocks and securities gave him \$10,000,000 a year. This vast fortune will be retained in the family, the nucleus of which was all derived from the accumulation of his father, Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Thursday.

In the Senate to-day, Senator Vance introduced the Charlotte Post-office bill. He will also hand in the Ashville bill, and the prospects are good for both bills passing. The cause of Hon. John Henderson's absence from the House of Representatives on opening day was a severe cold, a chill and bilious attack. The Agricultural Department at Washington, D. C., gives the farm prices for December of the principal crops. Corn, 33 cents per bushel; cotton, 8.5 cents.

Friday.

William H. Vanderbilt was buried to-day in the family tomb, in the Morningside Cemetery, at New-Bury, Staten Island. Tramps wrecked a freight train valued at \$50,000 on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad, last night. The two agents arrived in Charlotte and sent into Kansas 158 colored people.

Saturday.

The Senate Committee instructed its chairman yesterday morning to report the Presidential succession bill on Monday next. Secretary Lamar has requested the President to ask Congress to authorize the use of \$12,500 out of \$50,000 appropriated last year, to supply food in cases of distress among Indians. The Two Hundredth Anniversary of the introduction of the art of printing in the Middle Colonies was celebrated on the 14th December in Philadelphia. A cablegram from Dublin to Patrick Eggo, president of the Irish National League of America, of Dec. 17th, says Parnell has carried a solid Irish Delegation with him to Parliament.

Sunday.

Four men killed by an explosion in a coal mine five miles from Wilkesbarre, Pa. B. Gratz Brown died at his residence in Kirkwood, near St. Louis, Mo., this morning, of pneumonia, complicated with heart disease, aged 59 years. An organization has been incorporated in Indianapolis, Ind., for the erection of a monument to the late Vice-President Hendricks.

Monday.

General Robert Toombs is sinking at his home. His physicians say he cannot recover. In a report from a dispatch on Saturday says a bloody engagement had occurred between two battalions of Bulgarians and Servians at Veleki, Iosor, and the town of Ibel captured. It lacks confirmation. Mr. E. B. Glenn, of Forsyth county, has been appointed to fill the place of Solicitor in the 9th judicial district, made vacant by the death of Solicitor Joseph Dobson.

AN EPISODE IN THE HISTORY OF ROWAN.

Mr. Drage to Governor Tryon. SALISBURY, N. C., March 18, 1870. May it please your Excellency— I had the honor of your letter. I have most grateful sense of your goodness and consideration in the inquiry after my health and situation. Col. Mohock and Mr. Martyn have no way answered the expectation formed of them. Major Dunn and Mr. Giles have had a regard to your Excellency's letter. I found it necessary as the weather would permit to go into the country; was very agreeable to the people, who were desirous that I would stay amongst them, promised me support. To give them satisfaction in this respect, I made a public declaration at Salisbury, that by a license from the Bishop of London, and with your Excellency's approbation and appointment, I had fixed on this Parish of St. Luke's, there to perform the office of a Minister of the Church of England, which not with my opposition. But the declaration gave an alarm to the warm part of the Dissenters, and I explained it by telling them—know that it was agreeable to law that every parish should have a curate, until such time as there was a fixed and stated Minister, though not entitled to the Rector's income. Had all other rights, and in such a character should and would reside, until such time as your Excellency or the Bishop should think proper to revoke me. As to fees, though I am right, I am very tender, for fear of suits which would be considered into contention, and matter which is the character under which I must appear. They take advantage of this leaving me to resist entirely to my own expense, making in defiance of me under the license, though I let it be known, all I required was leave, which I should readily give to any person (possessing Clergyman or Magistrate) as they should choose, on presenting the license to me, and that without a fee, as indeed I understood the law to be, but that my leave was necessary. Col. Mohock seems think they may pass by me, or at least encourage them to do so. The members of the Church of England, on this my declaration as to residence, (in which I shall not deceive them) are forming into a firm union, and will appear in a body to chase a Vestry on the sixteenth of April, Easter Monday. It was so managed the last year, as to vote a Vestry, and in the month, whom they were before assured would not qualify, and such persons, in order to raise money to pay their fines, to become informers against the prebendaries who were absent, being enticed to half the penalty which the prebendaries are to pay, proposed to make up a sum, not only to serve their present occasion, but for years to come, a standing fund for disqualifying Vestrymen, entirely to prevent any clergyman of the Church being settled in those parts. They say, not in words only but withing, that as they have opposed England in endeavoring to intrude on their civil rights, they also shall, and have a right, to oppose any intrusion on their religious rights; a maxim, I presume, dangerous in itself, not with respect to this county and the neighboring counties, but to the whole back frontier of America, principally settled with Sectaries, and is deserving of the attention of Government, before power is added to inclination. I plainly perceive if I lose my hold it would be such a discouragement to the present members of the Church of England, they would never rally again, many of them would quit and go into those Provinces where they could have a free exercise of their religion, others would become absorbed up in and become of the same principles, as the people they stand amongst. Thus I am, may it please your Excellency, engaged in an affair unforeseen, and which the public service requires me to be steady in, however disagreeable my situation and mode of living, but as that is personal I shall pass it over in silence. I recommend steadfastness, and that the Church of England act with coolness and a christian temper. The opposite have treated my person with no incivility, my behavior is studied to give them no offence, but they are bitter against my cause. I enjoy my health and a fine air. I wish your Excellency was equally happy in these two respects. I was glad to hear that your lady and Miss* were well, and must assure you, it will always be the matter of the principal pleasure to me, to hear of the health and prosperity of your Excellency and family, which may the Almighty grant, is the constant prayer of, Your most dutiful, &c. THEODORES SWAIN DRAGE.

Tuesday.

Gen. Robert Toombs died this evening at 6 o'clock. A fearful railroad accident occurred on the Georgia Pacific Railroad last night, at midnight, 15 miles from Atlanta, by which ten persons were killed and a number seriously injured. Nomination sent to the Senate to-day, Charles H. Robinson, Wilmington, N. C., for collector of Customs; Robert P. Waring, of N. C., Assayer at Charlotte, N. C.; W. H. Scarborough, 4th district of N. C., for collector of internal revenue.

Wednesday.

For U. S. Senator of Virginia, Danne received 70 votes, Millions 28. Congressman Seney, of Ohio, will soon introduce a bill to repeal the civil service law.

DEATH OF B. GRATZ BROWN.

We have to record another death of a prominent statesman, Ex-Governor and Senator of Missouri, B. Gratz Brown. He died December 13th, at his residence in Kirkwood, Mo., of heart disease, after one week's illness. The Ex-Governor was born at Frankfort, Ky., in the year 1826. He was colleague of Senator George G. Vest and Justice Harlan of the U. S. Supreme Court. In 1851 he became editor of the Missouri Democrat; in 1856 he became involved in a quarrel with T. C. Reynolds, U. S. district attorney, with whom he fought a duel and was shot in the leg. Reynolds was uninjured. He was elected to the State Legislature about that time as a Free-soil Democrat; he served a short time in the Union Army; elected U. S. Senator in 1862; in 1870 was nominated for Governor by the Liberal Republicans against Gov. McClurg. A radical republican, at a time of an important political movement, the question involved being the re-franchisement of those who had served in the Confederate Army; he gained the day and was elected Governor and adopted the platform that favored a re-franchisement of all ex-convicts; he not only carried the Democrats, but a full republican State ticket. He was nominated for Vice-President with Horace Greeley. After this Mr Brown retired from politics, and of late years took an active part in the Prohibition movement. He leaves a wife and nine children. His estate is said to be quite valuable.

Prohibition Meeting at Greensboro on the 10th.

Our fellow townsmen, T. P. Johnston and Edwin Shaver, were delegates from Salisbury in this great cause. Over one hundred districts were represented at Benlow Hall. Capt. T. L. Vail, of Charlotte, was chosen chairman of the meeting, and W. R. Odell, of Concord, secretary. Dr. W. C. Bellow, chairman of the State Executive Committee. The general conclusion of the meeting was that if a prohibition party existed it would be obliged to secede from other parties. Consequently the fight hereafter will be three cornered.

Char'ette is going to make an effort to secure Industrial School.

She has offered the site for buildings and \$5,000 in cash. "Yidetta," it is to be the name of the new paper published in Troy, Montgomery county, N. C., by our friend, McKenzie, from this city, and formerly connected with the Watchman.

The Alexander County Journal, published at Taylorville, in that county, by Mr. D. G. Floyd, of Virginia, has made its appearance. We shall be pleased to exchange.

Our representative, Hon. John S. Henderson, was unable to be out on the first day of Congress, owing to slight indisposition, from which we are happy to say he has recovered, and is at his duties heart and soul. We are under obligations to him for Congressional Records and other documents. He is located at the Metropolitan Hotel in Washington.

Major E. B. Kirk, Quarter Master, has been ordered to make an inspection of the national cemeteries throughout the United States. He will visit Salisbury, Wilmington, Newbern and Raleigh cemeteries at once.

CHINA GROVE ITEMS.

Plenty of eggs, chickens, and butter in the market here. Seven mountain wagons passed through the other day, loaded with apples, chestnuts, cheese, &c. Miss Mamie V. Owen, of Salisbury, was the guest of Mr. J. M. Edleman's family last Saturday and Sunday. The last debate at Sloop's school house was very lively. A larger crowd were present than at any previous time. We are glad to see that Messrs. Chise Bro.'s wood-yard is being covered with excellent hickory, persimmon, and dogwood, ready for shipping. Burglary! Burglary! Black Cats and Opium-eaters seem to have been the cause of a sudden alarm long given on last Friday night. What next? Heck! Patterson and Corriber are driving things tight along in the cotton business. In short, all of our merchants have a splendid trade. Mrs. Wu Lataker, who for the past six weeks has been suffering from a stroke of paralysis, died last Wednesday and was interred Friday. She leaves many friends and kindred to lament her death. Morgan's Fanny created quite a sensation among the villagers as they passed through the other day on their way to Concord. We are glad to say that Mr. M.'s debut at C. was a success. Dr. J. M. Taylor came near meeting with a sad accident a day or two since. The locomotive emitting white curling smoke which suddenly changed to black; (as the Dr. related it) frightened his horse so much as to cause it to attempt to run. No damage except a pair of broken shafts. A very pleasing and entertaining widow was the guest of Mr. Ezra Kirk yesterday. We are always ready to welcome such guests, and, as it is very probable that he is on the alert for a lovely wife, hope the day not far distant when he may realize his desire. Our venerable, highly respectable and esteemed citizen, Mr. W. S. W. Sechler, is moving onward as usual. He has been living and doing business here for a number of years, always winning the confidence of his patrons. We are glad to learn that Mr. S. is now convalescent from a severe attack of illness.

WATSONVILLE ITEMS.

Miss Mollie Lingle, who has been sick for some time is a great deal better. Mr. Scott Watson is just recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia. Mr. Shank is expecting his sister Miss Mary Shank, teacher in the deaf, dumb and blind institute, Raleigh, to spend Xmas with him. Several of our neighbors have been to the mountains, and are back loaded with chestnuts and apples which they are disposing of at low figures. Sorry to hear that Mr. W. C. McCubbins is going to leave our neighborhood. Lum is a good jovial fellow and doubtless will be missed. Say! Had you heard that Rob had gotten him a new top buggy? He has—and that's not all—he drives two horses to it. "Bless you."

STATE NEWS.

Concord is trying to organize a company to erect a tobacco factory. Hogs are reported as dying in Stanley, Montgomery, Rowan and Stokes counties from the effects of the heavy acorn diet. The Sentinel, published at Winston, will be illustrated next issue with the business houses of Winston, Salem and Wauhtown. Next year will be the greatest year North Carolina has ever experienced for tobacco culture. About twelve new counties will engage in the culture of tobacco. The chair factory at Thomasville began by hand work in 1879. Mr. Westmoreland, the energetic owner, has worked the business up until in November he turned out 700 chairs. The Twin City Daily and Danbury Reporter & Post are "kicking" because Dr. Chance, lately employed to investigate the coal seams of Stokes, did not report favorably. One question is, Is Dr. Chance a competent man? If so, that settles it. R. L. Goodman, of Mooresville, has purchased the Poison Springs property between Troutman's and Stateville. A new depot, new hotel and tramway is to be built. The Thomasville Baptist Orphanage is now ready for the reception of children. This beautiful little village is progressing rapidly on account of its manufacturing interests.

THE LOCK BRIDGE, THE ROCKVILLE R. R., SALISBURY COTTON MILL

W.B. build up just as E. C. Miller has built up his immense stock of Groceries, Fruits. CHRISTMAS GOODS and CANDY. Housekeepers will find a fresh lot of Baking Powders, Currants, Raisins, and Extracts of all flavors. It is as good as a CIRCUS. He has everything you can think of and more coming in every day. He has begun to climb to the top and will soon have as large a stock as any house in the city.

New Business

R. R. Crawford's Building, SALISBURY, N. C. Will be opened on the first of December next, with a variety of goods, consisting of German Canary Birds, (all singers) Parrots, Parquits and other birds, Bird Cases, Bird Seed, Food for Mocking Birds and Gold Fishes. A full assortment of Fancy Groceries, Canned Goods, Fishes and Fruits, Buckwheat, Hominy, Macaroni, Grits, Rice, Fatens, Pickles, Teas and Roasted Coffee. Common and Fancy Soaps, Imported Swiss Cheese and Wooden Ware. A large assortment of Finest and Common Candies. Also Nuts, Raisins, Seedling Sultans, Citrus, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes and Bananas. Read nice assortment of Tea Cakes and Fancy Fresh Cakes and Crackers, which will be received weekly. Common and Fancy Crockery and Glassware, Lamps and Lamp Goods, Fine China Goods and Ornaments, Toys and

CHRISTMAS TREE GOODS.

Cigars, Snuff and Tobacco's in variety. PLEASE GIVE ME A CALL. E LOEPEL. THIS IS THE LAST NOTICE! All persons indebted to me by account must come forward and settle the same this month, either by cash or note secured, otherwise I shall do some thing to settle my accounts, and cannot pay them this year, and will come up like men and secure me, I will extend the time twelve months. All I ask of those who owe me is to come up now and show the same disposition to do what is right, as they did when they asked me for profit. Those who are indebted to me, and to whom I make this appeal, will know that they bought the goods from me with the promise to pay for them within a reasonable time. They also know that one, two, and with some of them three years have gone by, and still they owe me for the goods. I ask you all therefore, to ask yourselves the question—is it not right that I should pay the cash, or accept his offer of extension? Now I ask all who decline this offer never to ask me for credit again. Respectfully, W. SMITHDEAL. Salisbury, N. C. Dec 19, 1885-10 31.

EVERYTHING FRESH.

I am receiving regularly in fresh lots every week, consequently have no old stock. I am making a specialty of this line and can carry the wholesale trade. My new goods are arriving daily, and are being offered at cheap rates in the city. I want to supply all the families with the best goods at a reasonable cost. All goods delivered to any part of the city free of cost. Try me once. A. C. HARRIS. 1878. Established 1878. Family Groceries of all kinds, CONFECTIONERY, TOYS, CIGARS, TOBACCO, TEAS and COFFEE, SUGAR, SPICES, CANNED GOODS.

SALE

OF TOWN LOTS. By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County, in the case of H. M. Jones Guardian of Julia and Chas. W. Thomas, executor, I will sell at the Court House door in Salisbury to the highest bidder on the 4th Day of January 1886. One lot fronting on Main street, adjoining J. K. Burke and others. Biddings in open at 9:11. And one lot fronting on Church street, adjoining J. K. Burke and others. Biddings to open at 9:00. TERMS—One third cash, and the balance in twelve months with interest from day of sale at eight per cent per annum. H. M. JONES, Guardian. Dec. 26, 1885. 4t

FOR SALE!

100 Acres, about one half wood land, three miles northwest from Salisbury, on the new Rockville road. Price, \$2,000. JOHN C. MILLER. 62c-*

Look at This!

We keep on sale the celebrated PIEDMONT WAGONS, Made at Hickory, N. C. THESE WAGONS ARE NOW AT THE FRONT. They were awarded FIRST PREMIUMS by the North Carolina State Exposition, at Raleigh, N. C., October 1884, by the Carolina Fair Association, at Charlotte, October 20th, 21st, 22nd, and 23rd; and also by the Chester county, (S. C.) Fair in October 1884—over all other wagons. These wagons are sold for cash or on time. We also sell the COLUMBUS BUGGY CO'S. Unrivalled Vehicles. They have no equal, when price, quality and style are considered. REMEMBER They took six Gold Medals at the World's Exposition, at New Orleans in 1884 and 1886, over all competitors. ALSO Standard Buggies, Carriages, and Spring Wagons. That are fully warranted, together with the Newark Machine Company's popular Grain Drills, Wheel Grindings, Saw Mills, Straw Cutters, &c., &c. PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. Also Double and Single Harness. JOHN A. BOYD, J. O. WATTS.

NEW STORE.

Having opened a New Store in two doors above the Court House, I propose to keep a first class stock of FAMILY GROCERIES, MEAT, FISH, CHICKENS, EGGS, BUTTER, and all kinds of Country Produce. Also Cigars, Tobacco and Snuff. A fine new line of Family Confectionaries. I make a specialty of doing in Fresh Fish every Friday morning. Call on me for a new store and call for yourself. HONES A. SMITH. 117

Banner Tobacco Warehouse.

Sales Daily. SALISBURY WOOLEN MILLS. Manufacturers of Cottons, Jeans, Felties, Linens, Cottons, Buckram, Ties, &c. SALISBURY LODGE. Knights of Honor Meeting nights first and third Monday in each month. EUGENE JOHNSON, Manufacturer of Plug and Twist Tobacco. FARMERS WAREHOUSE. SALES OF TOBACCO EVERY DAY. Wholesale and Retail DRUGGISTS. THEO. F. KLUTTE & CO. SUBSCRIBE FOR THE North Carolina Herald. Only \$1.00 per Year. Mill Stones and Granite Gold Grinders. Rock Work of all kinds. J. T. WYATT, Successor to E. K. Phillips. P. O. Box 14th. H. C. BOST & CO., DEALERS IN Leaf Tobacco. Civil Engineer, JOHN A. RAMSAY. Attends to Railroad Construction, Surveys and Mapping of Road Estate, Estimating of Water Power, Plans for the Erection of Mills, Dredging, &c., and attends to the purchase of all kinds of Machinery, Building Materials, &c., &c. JOHN HATLEY. Shop four miles from Salisbury, on Bringle's Ferry Road, does Blacksmithing of all kinds, Horse Shoeing, and Buggy Repairing and Painting. Guarantees as good work as is done in the county, and at low rates. Administrator's Notice. Having taken out letters of administration upon the estate of Henry Klutze, dec'd, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit the same to me on or before the 31st day of October, 1885. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt settlement. A. W. KLUTZE. This, Oct 30, 1885. 2-5t Advt