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HAPPENINGS OF THE DAY.

Somebody once said that that the two principal desires of a rich man were to get into swell society and to get elected to office. A third will soon have to be added—to escape income tax.

Recent figures show that the total value of the matches made and consumed every year throughout the world is but little if any thing short of $200,000,000.

Advices from St. Petersburg on the 25th, tell of the arrest of thirty-eight additional Nihilists within the last twenty-four hours.

The Hickory Press-Carolinian says threshing is progressing, but it is very doubtful if one-third of an average crop of wheat is being threshed.

Ex-Queen Liliuo Kalani protests against certain Senate resolutions, and requests the United States not to recognize the Hawaiian Republic.

The Knox express warehouse in Washington City was burned yesterday morning, July 25th, and 150 horses were roasted to death. The loss is about a quarter of a million dollars.

John Cash, white, and Andrew Thomas, colored, were fatally crushed under a derrick in Dinwiddie county, Va. Both men were employed in construction of the belt road of the A. C. L., around the city of Petersburg.

Work has been resumed at the West Milwaukee shops of the St. Paul company, giving employment to 800 men. The Illinois steel plant at Milwaukee has resumed with 1,000 men and the Fuller-Warren stove works with 400 men.

The reports of correspondents of the Weekly Weather Crop Bulletin, issued by the North Carolina State Weather Service, indicate that over the greater part of the state the weather conditions have been very favorable for crops.

A special to the News and Observer from Wake Forest says: Near Forestville on Mr. D. F. Fort's plantation, Ransom Brodie and "Judge" Wiggins got into a dispute about killing a dog. Brodie shot Wiggins through the heart, killing him instantly. Brodie was arrested.

The Senate committee on Territories ordered a favorable report on the admission into the Union of the Territories of Arizona and New Mexico. The bill is drawn on the same general lines as that of the admission of Utah.

Frank Gorshoff, 25 years of age, property manager at the Auditorium, Baltimore, was killed on the night of the 23d by coming in contact with an electric wire. He was watering flowers on the roof garden, and striking one wire with his head, he was thrown across two others.

According to Treasury experts, the result of the income tax will be that the revenue from private incomes will be small, and will hardly cover the cost of collection: and that the revenue from corporations may reach as high as $9,000,000, but it is more likely to be nearer $12,000,000.

Director Preston is informed that the San Francisco mint on the 25th day began the coinage of standard silver dollars, striking off that day $30,000. The same number were struck off at New Orleans, bringing up the total coinage since it was renewed a week ago, to $175,000. The coinage will be continued in the discretion of Secretary Carlisle.

The gold reserves in the United States Treasury is now at the lowest point it has ever reached. On Thursday the Treasury lost day $2,300,000 in gold—$2,000,000 at New York for European export, $100,000 at Boston for European export and $200,000 at New York for shipment to Canada. This reduces the gold reserve to $58,050,000, the lowest point ever reached. All the gold taken will be shipped on Saturday.

The Christian Advocate gives the following: "Two native Chaldeans have been in Raleigh from Mesopotamia, in Asia. They come highly recommended by several promincnt ministers, and are soliciting subscriptions for a mission school in Mesopotamia. They called upon State officials and others, and met with good success in their work."

The Lexington Dispatch says the following: "George Wagoner has been producing big crops of fine potatoes every year, and has not bought seed potatoes in 25 years—just used his own potatoes for seed, and has succeeded in raising as fine tubors as any of his neighbors who use northern seed."

The Salisbury Herald tells the following: "Mr V.S. Lusk and W.G. Chandler have sold to Geo. W. Vanderbilt a tract of land in Buncombe, Henderson and Transylvania counties comprising 6,400 acres, which adjoins his vast estate near Asheville. The price paid is understood to be between $30,000 and $40,000.

The Hickory Press Carolinian speaks as follows concerning white washing shade trees: What a pity to have decorated the shade trees in the beautiful cemetery with white wash. It was discovered by actual experiment 514 years ago that it is a mistake to white wash shade trees. Just watch and see how they will look about next February.

The Goldsboro Headlight tells of the death of Elder James R. Parker of Mt. Olive, aged ninety years. He died of paralysis.

The Charlotte News tells that on the night of the 23d Leilbetter's cotton mill, near Rockingham, Richmond county, was struck by lightning and completely destroyed. The residence of Mr. F. K. McNeill, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in that district was struck by lightning the same night, and Mrs. McNeil was considerably stunned. The building was not greatly damaged.

The Southern Tobacco Journal says: "Col. J. S. Carr carries the heaviest life insurance of any one in the tobacco trade. His policies amount to $545,500 on his own life and members of his family are insured for $280,000. Mr. Pierre Lorillard, senior, is insured for $310,000 and each of his four children for $100,000. Mr. Edward A. McAlpin pays premiums on $200,000.

An Oregon man claims to be the first person to go deer hunting on a bicycle. The inflated tire on his wheel allowed of his traveling swiftly and noiselessly over the ground strewn with pine needles and before he pedaled many miles he came upon an unsuspecting deer quietly browsing just ahead of him. He killed the animal and returned to the hotel with it slung over his shoulders.

An excursion party of sixty men was descending the mine in west Pittston, Pa. Thursday when the cage fell to the bottom. Col. A. G. Mason, superintendent of the Lehigh Valley company was instantly killed and three others are believed to be fatally injured as follows: Professor Jos. Borrell, of Lehigh University, Wm. Smith, of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company's works, and Frederick Mercur.

At the Pitt county Democratic convention held in Greenville Thursday delegates were appointed to the State Congressional and Judicial conventions. The indications are said to be that Battle will be nominated for judge. Resolutions favoring the election of United States Senators by popular vote in future, and for primaries now were unanimously adopted. A good crowd was present. The Democrats are enthusiastic. The convention to nominate county candidates was called for September 13th.

A special from Birmingham, Ala., says "John Collins, a gardener, residing in the outskirts of Cunningham, thought he heard thieves in his garden and with his daughter, Maggie, 16 years old, arose and went out to investigate. The closing of the door awoke Mrs. Collins, who aroused her son Willie, telling him burglars were trying to get in. The boy got a Winchester and going out mistook his father and sister for burglars in the darkness and shot them both. The father was killed instantly; the sister will die

The Raleigh correspondent on the Wilmington Messenger says that Mr. MacMackin, supervisor of roads, returned on the 25th, from road convention at Chapel Hill and says seven counties are represented, from Greensboro to Goldsboro. The interest is great, and the practical operation of the machinery was watched closely. It is said that a conference of the same character is to to be held in Raleigh later.

The Wilkesboro Chronicle says—"Merely Billings has lived in Wilkes over 40 years, within 15 or 20 miles of Wilkesboro, but Saturday was the first time he ever put his feet inside the county seat of this great "State of Wilkes." Not only this, but it was the first time he had been in a town of any kind, except that he did pass through Sparta one rainy night when it was impossible to see his hand before him. He said we had a mighty heap of people scattered around here mighty close together."

The Senate Sugar committee had a brief session July 24th and examined Edward J. Levy, the representative of Wheeler & Co. on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange. Levy gave to the committee a photograph of what was said to be an order for sugar stock, drawn by Senator Camden, of West Va. Senator Camden denies that he ever gave such an order and that if such a representation was made to the committee it was a forgery.

A special to the Times Union from Lutraville, Fla., says: About one o'clock this morning a mob of negroes, led by a negro preacher named Marshall, went to the house of a negro named Jack Thomas to lynch him for committing rape on a negro girl. As the mob approached Thomas opened fire with a Winchester. His first shot killed Marshall, the preacher. Thomas continued firing, shooting down six other members of the mob, four of which are thought to be mortally wounded. The mob fired at Thomas without effect, and finally fled. Thomas has surrendered to the authorities.

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SENATOR HILL'S SPEECH.

His Remarkable Defence of Cleveland—Better Outlook for the Tariff Bill.

A caucus of the Democratic Senators was held Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of endeavoring to reach some agreement which would result in the final passage of the tariff bill. No conclusion had been reached when the caucus adjourned after three hours discussion, but it was felt that the outlook for the bill was better than it had been for several days.

"There is said to be ground for believing that a compromise can be reached on the lines of the 40 cent duty on coal, with a proviso allowing free importation from any country that reciprocates in like fashion for Americans, and a 45 per cent ad valorem duty on all sugars, with the differential stricken out, and with the iron ore rates, like the coal, remaining unchanged.

The caucus was preceded by a comparatively brief session of the Senate, in which Mr. Hill passed a most conspicuous as well as a most remarkable part. President Cleveland could not have asked from his most devoted friend and admirer a more ardent, earnest, and even fulsome defence than was delivered Tuesday by the senior Senator from New York.

The speech was the principal feature of the day, and, although not equaling in dramatic intensity the powerful arraignment of Mr. Cleveland to which Senator Gorman gave utterance last Monday, was nevertheless of such a character to hold the unabated attention of the immense crowds which again thronged the galleries and the floor of the Senate.

Coming, as it did, from a man whose political enmity with the President has passed into a proverb, and who, perhaps, more than any one else, has been, in turn, the target for the assaults of the President and the friends of the administration, the speech was a unique exhibition.

Those in close relations to the President were taking occasion last night to rehearse its telling points and were rejoicing that some one had the temerity to break a lance with Mr. Gorman, even though the champion of the President was an arch-enemy in a new role.

MR. HILL'S REMARKABLE SPEECH.

Mr. Hill seemed to have searched through every corner of his mind for material with which to buttress the President against the assaults to which the Chief Executive has been recently subjected. No lawyer pleading at the bar for a client could have been more explicit in his arguments or apparently more pleased when they struck a responsive chord in the hearts of his auditors.

He asserted that the much-discussed letter, being private and unofficial, was not unconstitutional. He gave the President credit for an honest effort to carry out the policies and theories of the Democratic party; he eulogized Cleveland's famous tariff message of 1887 as a grand measure for industrial relief, and, in short, made such a gallant defense of the President, who, to use his own words, had been unjustly attacked, that one of his closest friends in the Senate, after vainly endeavoring to stem the current of his amazement, left the chamber.

As if to make the contrast of these encomiums all the stronger, Senator Hill undertook to deliver a characteristic rebuke to the Senators who emphasized executive interference when by their own confession they had been repeatedly to the White House to learn just what the President would approve and what would meet with his objection. This point, which was very vigorously presented, was emphasized by advice to stay away from the White House, as he had done, while the conclusion of his speech, wherein he likened Senators Gorman, Vest, Jones, and Harris to the conspirators who stabbed Cæsar, evidenced a keen sense of appreciation for the value of historical parallel.

Mr. Caffery, who followed Senator Hill, created something of a sensation by the plain truths which he told regarding the framing of the sugar schedule, and by his declaration, in response to a question by Senator Teller, that he would not help enact into law any bill that contained a provision for the free entry of sugar.

HILL STAYS AWAY FROM THE CAUCUS

After all this came the caucus. Its purport and its lack of result have already been told. Three members were conspicuously absent. They were Senators Hill, Irby, and Murphy, all three of whom are now placed in the category of opposition to the bill.

Mr. Hill was invited by Mr. Gorman to be present, but frankly replied that as he was trying to defeat the bill with its objectionable income tax, he did not believe he ought to participate in a conference which had for its object the settlement of threatening difficulties. Mr. Mills regarding whose position there is some interest, left his committee room to be present, but listened with evident indifference to the proceedings, and frequently left the room and wandered about the corridor.

Mr. Gorman, the chairman of the caucus, called his colleagues to order but made no speech, contenting himself with the mere announcement that he would be glad to hear suggestions as the Senators present saw fit to make. Mr. Jarvis, of North Carolina, afforded a text for the speeches by the presentation of a resolution that the bill be sent back to conference without instructions of any sort to the conferees. While no vote was taken upon this proposition, the remarks which followed during the three hours of the session were decidedly in favor of affirmative action.—Washington Post.

Solid for Jarvis.

A correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger gives the following:

Currituck held her convention. The issue squarely made there was Jarvis against Ransom. The delegates to the Senatorial convention are solid for Jarvis and Mr. W. H. Gallop, a supporter of Jarvis, was nominated for the House.

Camden has had her convention and the delegates are for Jarvis, with a small possible minority for Ransom. Issue squarely made there also was Jarvis against Ransom.

Pasquotank's recent convention sends a solid Senatorial delegation for Jarvis. The vote in convention was 23 for Jarvis and 12 for Ransom. Issue, Jarvis against Ransom of a most pronounced type. The sentiment of these counties are overwhelmingly for Jarvis.

Death of Thos. Sutton, of Lenoir Co.

On Tuesday, July 24th, at his residence in Buckleberry, at 10:30 a. m. Mr. Thos. Sutton departed this life, after a confinement of five weeks from typhoid fever. Aged about 65 years.

He was a bright Mason, a kind neighbor and a useful man to the community. Successful in worldly affairs, he has dispensed in a benevolent manner to all around him. Married the second time only about two months ago, his life seemed filled with happiness and bade fair to be one of joy and cheerfulness.

His remains were laid to rest Wednesday afternoon with Masonic honors at the family burial ground. To his devoted widow and family connections we tender our condolence.—Kinston Free Press.

Lost Hopes.

There are hopes that never blossom,
And our joys soon are parted—
Smiles that light's a person bosom,
Smiles that beam too bright to last.
Transient as the summer flower,
Joy shines out its little hour,
Then forever fades away
Like the petals of a day.

—T. F. SIMMONS.

The Cruising Party.

We received last night the following from Mr. T.G. Hyman, who with a party, recently left here for a trip through the sounds:

"We wish to announce for the benefit of our "creditors" and friends the arrival of the mammoth palatial, double-locked sharpie "Emma S" at Ocracoke.

"After spending one hundred and twenty-six hours sailing and flying distress signals, we are here; but rudder and center board remain on Royall Shoals.

"The crew have existed on dry-salted and clear-ribbed sides and corn bread, and are now learning a song to sing to Rear Admiral Stevenson, entitled; "She Never Came Back."

(Signed.) "SKIPPER" & CREW.

Capt. Southgate is Recovering.

Captain Thomas A. Southgate, of the Old Dominion Steamship Company, who came from Norfolk, Va., July 8, to have a difficult operation performed by Dr. J. P. Tuttle, is convalescent at the Cauldwell private hospital and sanitarium, Nos 43 and 45 East Forty-first street.

The operation was most successful and the popular skipper expects his discharge from the hospital in two weeks.—N. Y. Herald, July 19.

We, in common with Captain Southgate's numerous friends in this city, are very glad to get this cheering news from him.

We hope to see him at his old post ere long as hearty and jolly as ever.

Bower and Mebane Nominated for Congress and Judge.

North Wilkesboro, July 25. The congressional convention met here today and re-nominated Hon. W. H. Bower, present member, by acclamation.

The judicial convention met immediately afterwards and W. W. Barber, the present incumbent, was unanimously renominated for solicitor. There was a considerable fight as to the judgeship. J. F. Graves, the present judge; W. N. Mebane, of Rockingham and E. L. Gaither, of Davie, were prominent candidates. Mr. Mebane, of Rockingham, was nominated after a hard fight, on the thirty-second ballot.

L. A. Potter Complimented.

Mr. Josephus Daniels, in his Washington letter to the Raleigh North Carolinian, pays a compliment to our townsman, Mr. L. A. Potter. Mr. Potter is an able man and deserves the notice. Mr. Daniels says:

"L. A. Potter, State Senator from Carteret, has arrived in Washington and taken his position in the Accounts Division of the Government Printing Office at a salary of $1,000 a year. Mr. Potter has made a most favorable impression upon Mr. Benedict and in fact upon all with whom he has come in contact. This is one of the best appointments made by this administration.—Beaufort Herald

N. C Corn and Cotton.

The Commissioner of Agriculture does not agree with the cotton buyer here who was quoted as saying that the cotton crop now growing is 25 per cent. better and that the acreage is 10 per cent. better than that of last year.

The commissioner says the crop is certainly much better, but that his observation, as well as the reports made to him, show that there is no increase in acreage. He says he cannot recall a county which reports such an increase. There is a large increase in corn acreage.—Raleigh Correspondent Wilmington Messenger.

"Grin Like a Cheshire Cat"

"Well, well! Didn't ever hear of a "grin like a Cheshire cat?" Why, you see, a man down in Cheshire had a cat which grinned and grinned until there was nothing left of the cat but the grin, just as some scrofulous people, who don't know of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, get a cough, and then cough and cough until there is nothing left of them to erect a monument to but the cough."

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is the most effective, anti-bilious, anti-dyspeptic, strength-giving remedy extant. For weak lungs, lingering coughs, spitting of blood, scrofula, sores pimples and ulcers, it is a wonderful and efficacious remedy.

Its manufacturers guarantee it to do all that they claim, or money is returned.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation, piles, sick headache, and indigestion, or dyspepsia.

Advices from Connellsville, Pa., state that a house owned by the H. C. Frick Coke company, at Le Seuring No. 3, was blown up on the 24th by dynamite. The bomb was thrown in at a second story window. The top story and roof was torn away. The strikers stole over 200 sticks of dynamite and other explosions are expected.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. jul18dwim

The Republican convention of Arkansas nominated H. L. Remmel of Newport for Governor, resolution was introduced indorsing Robert T. Lincoln for President and Col. Fred Grant for Vice President for 1896, but hundreds shouted for McKinley, and the resolution was lost in the tumult. The platform of 1892 denounces any attempt to amend or repeal the tariff legislation of the Republicans which does not recognize protection to American labor and industries, demands the use of gold and silver under such provisions as will secure and maintain the parity of values, and denounces the present administration.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by E. S. Duffy, New Berne, N. C. m16 12m.

The improvements in progress at the State white institution for the blind located in Raleigh embrace painting, plastering of the first floor and the reconstruction and renovation of the second floor of both the wings. A correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger says the alterations are great. New rooms and hallways are to be prepared, and the plumbing, lighting, etc., of the entire building will be modern. The North Carolina car company of that city was awarded the contract for the work, all of which is to be completed by September 1st when the next terms begins.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.
Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.
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ANOTHER POSTPONEMENT.

The New Berne Public Building Not to Begin Until December.

Special to JOURNAL.

Washington, D. C., July 27.—Representative Grady was told by the supervising architect of the treasury department recently work would not be begun on the work on the New Berne building, which he promised would be in day to could not commence before December 1.

While the contract is building however arrangements are to work it into the autumn.

We are very sorry to learn the above news. New Berne needs her public building and need it here. We needed it when the bid for it was opened, we need it worse today, and we need the work could begin. We believe in making an effort to get this. We have waited patiently for a long, long time and we are waiting still, and we begin to think our patience has been misinterpreted. This further delay should not be. Our business men should take some action seeking to avoid it.

Grapes and Other Fruit.

Grapes shipped from Raleigh to Richmond left the latter place at half past one o'clock at night and by nine o'clock the next morning they had all been put on the market and sold. Quick work, but good early fruit does not have to do much waiting for customers, neither does it have to seek customers—the customers seek for it.

A Raleigh correspondent tells the Wilmington Messenger that car loads of grapes are now passing through there from Southern Pines and other near places.

We think more attention could be paid to grapes around New Berne than is done to the great advantage of the growers, and as for pears no finer or better flavored are grown than ours, and the raising of pecans and other nuts though heretofore carried on in a very small way is sufficient to prove that they grow to perfection. Figs thrive with very little attention, and with intelligent culture adapted to the requirements of each that is by annually bestowing the same thoughtful care upon the trees, and vines each season as is bestowed upon the field and truck crops almost every variety of fruit can be made to pay well.

It will pay our farmers to study upon fruit raising in its several branches and turn their attention more generally to it. There is increased why every farm should not have its good orchard and vineyard, affording fruit in season throughout the season. It will not only give a good profit in itself, but by its fertilizing make, perhaps a similar production of other crops, and lead in this way to advanced prices, and consequently enhanced profits on all

Proposed Removal of a Box Factory to New Berne.

A Chattanooga firm whose attention was turned to New Berne as a desirable place for manufacturing has written to Mr. Ralph Gray making investigations looking to locating a factory here. We quote from the letter:

"We have a works for the manufacture of all styles of fruit package and all lines of baskets. We have been making about 30 per cent profit every year and our timber supply is run out, hence we wish to move to a better locality. We are willing to show our books to any one that wishes to interest himself with us.

"We want to locate one half the stock and get parties who will locate to take the balance. What inducement has your city to offer for a plant with capacity to employ from 200 to 300 people according to the demand of goods.

"We have several new packages which we are having patented now.

"We lay this letter before our readers. If any one who is now engaged in making fruit packages or any one else wishes to correspond with the gentleman they may obtain the address from us. They want to hear quickly as they are figuring now with a Texas party.

As far as the material is concerned we are satisfied the company can find no better location, and Eastern Carolina as well as our adjourning coast States being a great truck-raising section, it appears that New Berne would be a good distributary point as any, especially as, in addition to having the material in abundance for the factory and the markets for the manufactured products we have easy means of reaching both the timber and the markets by both rail and water. We would like to have the factory here and we hope that the gentlemen before coming to a final conclusion will visit our city and see for themselves on the ground the opening there is for the industry they propose.

Cold Blooded Murder at Four Oaks.

A letter from Sheriff Ellington, of Johnston county, reached Governor Carr to-day, giving the news of the murder of N. P. Cole, by Herring Creech, a white man. The murder occurred at Four Oaks, Saturday night. Cole, who was formerly a county commissioner, was walking along a public road when Creech slipped up behind him and struck him a blow on the head with a pole which crushed the skull. Cole died Monday.

Creech is a moonshiner and a desperate fellow, who has a number of friends, and the sheriff says it will be hard work to capture him. At the sheriff's urgent request the Governor offers $200 reward for Creech. The latter was at one time a captain in the Salvation Army.—Raleigh Correspondent Wil. Messenger.

Raleigh's Arms and Colors for Raleigh.

Your suggestion of the adoption by our City of Raleigh of the colors white and red—of Sir Walter Raleigh, is very good and appropriate. They are also the colors of the Confederate States.

It would also be very appropriate, and an excellent taste, if our Capital City would adopt for its coat-of-arms and seal, the coat-of-arms of Sir Walter, in honor of whom it is named.

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First Tank Steamer in Wilming on.

The Belgian steamship Iris is in below and will come up to the city in a day or so to take on naval stores for the Anwerp Naval Stores company, of Antwerp, Germany, represented here and at Savannah, Ga., by Capt. C. Schwarz. The Iris is a very large ship and is a tank vessel, the first, we believe, that has ever come to our port for naval stores. She will take all the naval stores she can get here, and will go to Savannah to complete her cargo.—Wil. Messenger.

"NEWS ADRIFT."

"Picked-Up" by The Journal Which Is Always in "The Swim"

Mr. Buck Padrick of Onslow was in Thursday with a load of hams of his putting up. Not many country hams are on the market at this season.

Capt K. R. Jones has brightened up his store by repainting. Others near need to do likewise to keep appearances in harmony.

Mr. Wm. Dunn is laying a beautiful and substantial brick curbing fronting his lands on the west side of the macadamized road.

B. H. Bunn has withdrawn from the congressional race. This leaves the field in that district to Chas. M. Cooke, and Ed. Chambers Smith.

The Schr. Addie Henry, Capt. Wm Hill, just in from Elizabeth City, is on Meadows' railways for repairs. She will be recalked and painted.

The family of Mr. C. J. Rhem, are about to move back to the city into the house on Broad street which they formerly occupied. Miss Janie Rhem is already here visiting friends.

Mr. S. R. Street chairman of the Craven county Democratic Executive committee has received a letter from Mr. J. W. Lane, nominee for the House of Representatives, declining the nomination.

Mrs. H. B. Duffy was summoned away Thursday by a telegram announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Core, at her home in Norfolk. Mrs. Duffy left on the evening train; Mr. Duffy who was at Seven Springs joined her at La Grange.

Dr. J. W. Sanders, of Ocean, Carteret county, has been appointed a member of the executive committee of the Insane Asylum at Raleigh in the place of Mr. L. A. Potter, resigned.

Enoch Hukens, col., and wife, near Havelock, became engaged in an affray Thursday, and the latter stabbed her husband. We did not learn how serious the wound is.

Davidson county was the first in the State to send in an abstract of listed taxables, for 1894. They reached Raleigh on the 26th of July. This is an unusually early date for the receipt of an abstract.

Prof. E. P. Mendenhall and family who arrived here Thursday from Rocky Mount are established in their residence, the new dwelling of Mr. C. E. Slover's on Pollock street near Craven.

The Republican convention of this Judicial district in its session at Tarboro Thursday, nominated R. W. Williamson, colored, for solicitor. He was nominated on the first ballot, receiving fifteen votes.

The cruising party on the Emma S, were to have left Ocracoke Hotel for Morehead City a day or two ago. We expect they will soon be heard from again. They will return home from Morehead.

The remains of Mr. Jas. A. Fulcher, who died of consumption near Blanks shingle mill, on the night of the 25th, were taken to his old home in Pamlico Friday for interment. He was about 40 years old and leaves a wife and four children.

The Aurora Progressive Age says: "At a meeting of the members of the Methodist church here held on Friday night, it was decided to build a church to cost $2,000 to $2,500. We suppose that work on the same will commence in the near future."

A colored man from near Vanceboro, named John Vine, brought suit before E. G. Hill, Esq. for a peace warrant against another named Sam Hays, the latter being so sick with consumption that he could hardly walk. The complainant withdrew the action and was taxed with the costs, $0.65, and not having the money he was sent to jail.

The success and rapid growth which has attended the Agricultural and Mechanical college shows that the needs of the times demand such an institution in this State. Many a young man sees and appreciates the advantage of such an industrial education as it gives and there is no question but what its usefulness will continue to increase.

The New Berne young lady who tried to avoid kissing the Bible when a witness in recent term of the Superior court on account of its untidy appearance, may be interested in learning that the criminal Superior court of one State at least, Georgia, has discontinued the kissing of the Bible in the administration of oaths. Judge Clark in explaining the order to that effect said: "Holding up the right hand is the more convenient form. Then the kissing of the book is a very nasty thing; I have heard of persons catching disease in that way."

The Kinston Free Press in noticing the last dividend declared by the directors of the A. & N. C. R. R., speaks as follows: The directors of the A. & N. C. R. R., have declared another 2 per cent dividend payable October 1st. This is the third dividend paid by the road, all under the present management. It speaks well for the "Old Mullet," its management, and the section it passes through, that it is the only road in the State that paid a dividend last and this year.

Not long since we spoke of complaints against newspaper carriers which in some cases were not caused by the carriers' neglect of duty. Mr. S. W. Smallwood tells us of a novel occurrence of this kind. His dog has learned to get the morning paper when it arrives and bring it to him. One morning the dog brought him a paper which he supposed then was his, but a little later he found his paper where the carrier was accustomed to leave it. The dog had evidently gone over to a neighbors and finding his morning paper had appropriated it and brought it over to Mr. Smallwood.

Crisp New Money.

The National Bank of Wilmington has received from the Comptroller of the Currency $20,000 in $5 bills, and all day yesterday they were being signed up by the president and cashier and put in circulation. Each bill has to be signed and it consequently requires President J. S. Armstrong and Cashier L. L. Jenkins each to sign his name 4,000 times, as there are just 4,000 $5 bills in the lot. The new bills contain the profile of the lamented President James A. Garfield.—Wilmington Messenger.

NAVAL RESERVE BILL.

A Favorable Report in Congress on a Bill Desired in This State.

Special to JOURNAL.

Washington, D. C., July 27. The House Naval Affairs Committee have reported favorably the Senate Naval Reserve Bill.

This is the bill which empowers the Naval Secretary to loan to any of the States having naval militia, upon their written application a vessel not in government use, with its books, charts, etc., and six men to man it. This is the Naval Reserve equipment bill so much desired in North Carolina.

New Berne's Prospects.

For several weeks past work has been in progress on seven new and handsome dwelling houses within a stone's throw from Mr. Edward Gerock's lot, corner Union and Graves streets.

Mr. Gerock is putting up two of the houses himself, Dr. Geo. Slover's intended residence is another, and the future residences of Messrs. J. B. and C. L. Ives are two more. Mr. Milton Hollowell's residence is the sixth and the dwelling which Capt. A. B. Powell has just finished is the seventh, and other improvements are in progress. This is a pretty good showing for that neighborhood. As usual building is going on in various parts of the city and also just beyond.

New Berne is growing steadily with every month that passes. This is easily observed even by the visitors, and now with a new railroad, water works, sewerage, etc., the growth is almost sure to be more rapid than ever before.

That New Berne has a bright prospect ahead is unquestioned, but we are not doing a tenth of what we should on manufacturing lines. Develope manufacturing properly and then it will indeed be hard to find a place our equal in diversified industries that bring money in the year round. Our natural resources make it so that we have great advantage over many places which have attained prominence through manufacturing and there is no reason why our people should not bring New Berne to the front rank as a manufacturing city also. Our special resources instead of making us contented should cause us to make special efforts to develop manufacturing to a high state of perfection. Do this and the growth of the city will be surprising.

Knights Of Harmony.

Mr. A. L. Heath, of Riverdale whose very unexpected death we chronicle in another column was a member of the Knights of Harmony and the New Berne brethren responded promptly according to the rule of the order to see to the burial of each deceased brother and sent down a coffin for his interment.

Within ten days the lodge will pay insurance equivalent to $1.00 for each member in it—it numbers now about 400.

This is the second death the lodge has had since it was organized and the first death was by accident. This makes not only a very good showing for the healthfulness of the city but a very good showing for the cheapness of this insurance at home where the payments are made so easy that even the poorest working man has no longer any valid excuse for not carrying at least the amount of insurance this order furnishes here at home where there are no high salaried officers to be paid, where every cent of their money is under the supervision of the men who pay it, and where consequently it is perfectly well known that everything is honestly and economically administered.

Judicial Convention.

The Democratic Judicial convention of the 4th district held at Morehead City on Wednesday the 25th inst. was a very harmonious affair, and the work was quickly and easily disposed of. The convention was in session only about thirty minutes.

Mr. O. H. Allen, the present solicitor of the district, was renominated by acclamation. He was placed in nomination by Capt. Swift Galloway of Greene county, and the nomination was seconded by Mr. T. M. Lee of Sampson.

The Executive committee appointed consists of J. J. Royal of Carteret, G. M. Linsey of Greene, A. D. Ward of Duplin, T. M. Lee of Sampson, S. T. Bland of Pender, Hurbert McClammy of New Hanover, Rodolph Duffy of Onslow, C. H. Koonce of Jones, M. D. Pollock of Lenoir.

The chairman of the convention was P. M. Pearsall; secretaries, L. A. Bethune and C. L. Abernethy.

Lenoir County Convicts on the Roads.

We learned from a gentleman who has travelled through Lenoir county, that as far as the county has worked the roads, by convict labor they in fine condition full eighteen feet wide, and thrown up round. While they are making slow progress when once they get around, it will be but a small job to keep the roads in fine condition.

The roads are clear of stumps and roots and weeds, and cannot wash when thrown up higher in the centre. They commissioners are utilizing the convict labor of the county, with a small tax to meet the expense. Portable houses are used for the convicts.

A road machine has been brought into requisition and the work where finished is well done and enduring.

Lenoir is setting a good example to other eastern counties. Let us follow her example.

Leg Crushed by Train.

A negro boy about fifteen years old named Alexander Tillett met with the misfortune of having his foot severished by the train, taking the colored excursion to Wilmington that it had to be amputated a little above the ankle. Dr. R. S. Primrose assisted by Dr. J. L. Rhem performing the operation.

The boy had ridden through the city until near the limits and jumped off. Then in attempting to get on again, he slipped with the result stated.

The boy was not a passenger, had no right on the train, and the trainmen say they at one time had made him get off.

THE STORE-BREAKERS.

$500 Bond Each—In Jail to Await Court.

The two negroes here, Alonzo Moore and Nathan Fisher, who broke into and robbed Mr. Gus Lane's store at Bellair Station, made their preliminary examination before Esq. E. Street Esq., Friday afternoon. W. E. Clarke represented the defendants and O. H. Guion the State.

The magistrate, after hearing the evidence against them, bound them over to Superior court in the sum of $500 each.

The commitment to Alonzo Moore, confined in the jail. The older one did not. The latter appears to be a consumed rascal.

Another warrant was issued for stealing an ox about a week ago from Sylvester Joiner of the Bellair neighborhood. On this charge Fisher was bound over in the sum of $50 each.

The day they stole this ox they were supposed to have been at work for a man of the neighborhood named Ed. Hill, who went off for the day, and while he was away they stole the ox, brought him to town and sold him to John Warren, a colored butcher. The ox was first sold to Mr. Swart, but finding out that suspicious circumstances were connected with Fisher having the male him take the ox back and return the money.

A former of Hill was ready to get out a warrant against him for stealing a hog from him, but Mr. Street told him there were ox enough against them to hold them until court, and it was no use.

Of course they could give no bond and they are now in Hot-Hole Lane taking a rest from their night prowlings and depredations.

But it is not that owing to circumstances some are keeping in the store that night, which was entirely contrary to custom, Moore and Fisher would be on trial for their lives. As it is they are simply candidate for the penitentiary.

Prof. Mendenhall Arrives.

Prof. E. P. Mendenhall, who was recently elected principal of the New Berne Collegiate Institute, arrived last night with his family, consisting of wife and child, coming to the city from Mt. Olive. They are at the Hotel Albert.

Prof. Mendenhall proposes to commence in a business-like way and to proceed at once to a thorough canvass of the city and vicinity for pupils. In this effort Prof. Mendenhall should have the encouragement and support of all our citizens. New Berne needs and should have a good well-conducted and well-patronized school of the high character Prof. Mendenhall proposes to give us. We will from time to time speak of the school more particularly.

Raising Good Melons.

The JOURNAL'S sixty-six and a half pound melon, presented to Mr. Chas. W. Bray, was cut Tuesday at noon and it delightfully fed all the staff and force and a mess of the neighbors as would come in.

Mr. Bray's melon was spread out at S. H. Scott's store and made a pretty display. Some of them running sixty five pounds in weight went down to the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead, yesterday.

Of course good and intelligent culture must be given in order throughout their growing to attain such results, but Mr. Bray tells us that the proper growing of seed has much to do with it, that a seed watermelon does not belong to be pulled at the stage of ripeness which fits it for being eaten, but it should be allowed to remain on the vines as long as it will and mature to the fullest and then be stored away the same as is customarily done with cucumbers. He considers that to obtain the best results this is essential and as he is a successful it would seem that he is pretty good authority.

Death of A. L. Heath.

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