THE JOURNAL.

NEW BERNE, N. C. SEPT., 12th 1894

CITY AND VICINITY.

The seed cotton market has opened at 2 cents.

Mr. John Simmons was in with 147 bales old cotton which he sold to Mr. J. E. Latham at 6½ cents.

A dog that acted a little queer created a little excitement yesterday near the depot—some supposing him to be mad. A policemen decided otherwise and the dog still lives.

The Ellis turpentine distellery with all the naval stores on hand was burned yesterday morning. Also adjacent buildings formerly used by the New Berne Lumber Company.

Our young townsman Mr. John Stanly Thomas now at Evangelist D. L. Moody's Bible Institute, Chicago, has had an invitation to supply the pulpit of the Park Ridge Congregational church.

Manager R. P. Williams of the Electric Light Co., put up 40 incandescent lights last week—25 for Hotel Chattawka and 15 for Mr. Jas. F. Taylor along his wharf. There are eight of the latter outside and seven inside of the buildings.

Mr Edward Clark has recovered his dog which was advertised in the JOURNAL. The advertisement did the work. The dog was at Swansboro where he had followed a gentleman home.

Mr. G. B. Driesback of Washington city and Miss Sallie Bousball of Beaufort, N. C., were married on the 5th inst. by Rev. R. F. Bumpass. They left for Washington their future home the next day.

Mr. Henry R. Bryan, Jr., was on yesterday appointed a magistrate to fill the vacancy occasioned by the [illegible] E. B. Cox. Being the son of one of North Carolina's esteemed judges it ought to come somewhat natural for him to preside at trials.

The books are now open at the sheriff's office for the collection of taxes. One man has already settled. Mr. Wiley A. Ewell of No. 1 Township came in yesterday and paid up Thats number one for No 1 Township It's ahead both in number and action.

Mrs. Belle Boyd—Hammond—High, who lectured the previous night on the war and her career as a Confederate spy, left yesterday for Winston. Friday night she will lecture at Goldsboro for the benefit of the monument fund being raised there. Her husband Mr. N. R. High, left New Berne in advance to make arrangements for her coming.

We have read the letter of Mr. Piland referred to in a communication. We will simply say we have a high regard for both Messrs. Thomas & Street. No one who knows them would doubt a word either says and the attempt of Mr. Piland to divert attention from the point at issue in the charges against Mr. West by assigning sectional and denominational prejudice is an unworthy one. Mr. Piland says "the evidence for the defence was preponderant." That may be. A hundred men may have seen Mr. West during the several times he was here without seeing anything to besmirch his character, but when a good reliable man does see something amiss, the testimony of other good men who were not present and really did not see it does not offset in any way the testimony of those who were about at the time of the misconduct and did see it.

Advices to Keep Away From Baltimore

A postal from Baltimore to a gentleman in this city advices those contemplating going there not do so now, as the chance of the yellow fever spreading is considered great, and there is fear that the city will be quarantined against, and those who go in will have to stay a month or more.

The Baltimore Evening News contains a full account of the yellow fever there.

Tried to Escape.

Mr. J. D. LaRoque had a lively chase after a colored prisoner who tried to escape Saturday night, the man being Jesse Whitfield, nicknamed Jay-bird. He was arrested towards night, for threatening another colored man with a deadly weapon, tried before E. G. Hill, Esq., placed under a $200 bond for appearance at court and as he was approaching the jail, not being able to give bond, he broke and ran and turned up New street.

Mr. LaRoque caught him as he was trying to jump a fence near Mr. W. M. Watson's. Before overtaking he fired at him once.

Death of Mr. Mark Ipock

Mr. Mark Morton Ipock died at his residence in this city on the night of Friday, September 6th, of a complication of kidney trouble and malarial fever, after an illness of about three weeks. He was born Sept. 30th, 1860, and consequently would have been 34 years of age the last of this month.

Mr Ipock was born at Swift Creek. His parents moved to Pamlico county when he was three years old. From Pamlico county he moved to New Berne eight years ago, and after clerking for awhile he went into business for himself three years ago and ran a grocery store and wood yard up to the time of his death.

Mr. Ipock united with the Methodist church when twelve years of age. He afterwards changed his membership to the Diciple church and was one of its most conscientious members and a very zealous worker.

He leaves a wife and two children, also a sister and his mother to mourn his death. He was a member of the Knights of Harmony and is the third member they have lost since their organization. He was also a member of the order of Faith, Hope and Charity.

Three Trials of One Man.

Hafford Willis of Vanceboro, was tried before E. G. Hill, Esq., for an affray near that place with deadly weapons, he having threatened Mr. John O. Griffin with two knives. He was placed under a $200 bond for his appearance at Superior court, and his father, Norman Willis, who held a man that wanted to prevent the young man from making the attack was placed under a $100 bond for aiding and abetting in the affray.

Sometime after the affray the two Messrs Willis met and the younger Mr. Willis attacked Mr. Griffin and splintered one of his ribs. This case was tried at Vanceboro and a fine of $5.00 and costs imposed on the young man and $1.00 and costs on his father. The reason for the lightness of the penalties being that the seriousness of the injury was not brought out on the trial.

Mr. Hafford Willis, was also tried yesterday before S. R. Street, Esq., for disturbing public worship, by calling out to Mr. Griffin while services were in progress. For this offence Mr. Willis was bound over to court in the sum of $200.

No Danger in Baltimore.

The article in the Baltimore News on the yellow fever there which occasioned a gentleman there to advise his friends here who were coming not to do so just now, occupies a column of that paper. The facts, in short, as given are that the vessel with the yellow fever aboard was lying at Pier No. 1, Locust Point, for a week before any investigation was begun, and in the meantime some of the men had been paid off and had scattered among boarding houses in the eastern part of the city. There were 22 men in the crew. One man died on the vessel Wednesday. Three were taken sick Thursday and an investigation was begun, which resulted in the vessel being sent to quarantine with the yellow flag hoisted. One of the men has since died and the other two are recovering.

These are the facts and with them before us we feel satisfied there is no danger in visiting Baltimore. It possesses the best sanitary regulations in the country and never has an epidemic.

There is very little apprehension felt owing to the precautions being taken at Baltimore and owing also to the lateness of the season.

The following telegrams passed on the subject yesterday:

New Berne, Sept. 11.

Chesapeake Rubber Co.—Report current that yellow fever is in Baltimore. Merchants are warned not to come on for fear of quarantine. Wire if report is correct. W. E. PATTERSON.

Baltimore, Sept. 11.

W. E. Patterson:—No truth whatever in report of yellow fever here.

CHESAPEAKE RUBBER CO.

On the strength of this information Mr. Patterson and the other New Berne people who intended going to Baltimore left by steamer for that city.

Coming and Going

Mr. W. S. Webb and his sister Mrs. McLean who have been spending several weeks among the mountains in the western part of the State passed through enroute to their home.

Rev. T. M. N. George returned from Trenton where he went to conduct the funeral services of Miss. Rachel Simpson who died Sunday aged 14 years. She was buried Monday.

The following delegates and other gentlemen passed through or left from the city Tuesday to attend the Senatorial Convention of this District at Kinston: Messrs. N. W. Tayler, J. H. Mann, W. L. Arendell, M. F. Morton and C. L. Abernethy, John. B. Watson, Thos. Daniels S. H. Lane, Abe Lee, Capt. Dan Roberts, W. B. Lane, M. De. W. Stevenson, L. H. Cutler (he will go from the convention to Greensboro) J. W. Biddle, Capt. Galloway, Mr. J. W. Kellum, S. W. Latham W. T. Caho, and Geo. J. Dudley. They returned last night.

Mrs. C. C. Kinsey who has been spending a few weeks at Bellair has returned and moved in the Lane residence near the Collegiate Institute.

Miss Bertha Tucker, the winner of a scholarship at the last session of the New Berne Collegiate Institute in the Staunton, Va., Female college, left to enter that school.

Mr. Frank Thompson and wife of Jacksonville, came up last night en route to Kinston.

Mr. Ivane Abernathy of Beaufort, passed through en route to Staunton, Va. to take a position in a telegraph office.

Miss Lottie Roberts of Beaufort, arrived on the morning train yesterday and left in the afternoon on the steamer Neuse to perfect herself in the millinery art at Baltimore.

Rev. F. D. Swindell passed through the city enroute to Mr. C. P. Dey's near Beaufort where his family have been spending the summer. They expect to return to their home in Goldsboro next Monday.

The family of Mr. G. T. Farnell who have been at Swansboro came up enroute to their home at Bayboro.

Mr A. M. Williams of Vanceboro is in the city.

Dr E. H. Goldberg returned from Jacksonville where he has been spending a few days at his branch office.

Mr J J Disosway returned from Jacksonville where he has been on business.

Mr. W. H. Sawyer of Bayboro, arrived in the city yesterday and left in the afternoon on the steamer Neuse for a business trip to Baltimore.

First Bale New Cotton—Good Price.

The first bale of new cotton at the New Berne Cotton Exchange was brought in and sold Saturday. It weighed 515 pounds and was sold to J. E. Latham It classed as low middling and brought 6¼ cents.

The cotton was raised by Albert Butler col., on Judge H. R. Bryan's Clermont plantation, and it was ginned at Maj. A. R. Denerson's Imperial Needle tooth ginnery in this city.

The price this cotton brought is very satisfactory. Cotton has opened low this year. In adjacent markets it is selling for 5¼ cents. Our country friends can remember that New Berne has several active buyers, and one direct European exporter, Mr. J. E. Latham, and that they make cotton bring its highest market value.

Plentifulness of New River Mullets.

A New River correspondent writes us as follows:

"There was a big catch of mullets here with small seines. Messrs. Dan Ward & Co., caught about 600, Van Willis & Co., about 1200, Geo. Bell & Co., about 800 Capts G. Littleton, A. W. Moore Bill Dennis, Jim Smith and P. Hatsell about 2000 all in a short time, 11 and 13 inch size.

"The big seines seem not to be doing anything yet. They sell here for 12, 15 and 25c per dozen, fresh, and 2½ cents a pound, salted.

"White Oak river seems to be full of mullets of all sizes."

Greenville Booming as a Tobacco Market

Mr. L. A. Davis who has been spending a week with relatives in Greenville, returned yesterday. He reports lively times at Greenville, five warehouses for the sale of leaf tobacco and two or three thousand dollars worth being sold every day.

Mr. Davis says the farmers have gone quite largely into the raising of tobacco, and moreover that one lot which arrived last week was from South Carolina.

Senatorial Convention.

Capt. Swift Galloway of Greene county and Dr. F. A. Whitaker of Jones county were the senatorial nominees selected Tuesday by the Democratic convention at Kinston. They will carry the flag to victory.

Capt T. W. Mason made a fine address of about an hour and a half in length and Capt. Galloway a shorter one in his own happy vein.

NEW LINE TO THE SOUTH

Two Lines of Steamers From Philadelphia to Florida Begin this Month—Beaufort Should be Taken in En Route.

The Philadelphia Record says that arrangements have been completed for the opening of the Philadelphia Steamship Company's new line to the South, and the first steamer, the Vesta, will sail for Jacksonville on September 25.

The new line was organized in response to the demands of the Philadelphia merchants for a direct line to the South. Vessels will sail twice a week from Kerr's new wharf, Delaware avenue above Noble street. Four lines of railroad tracks run on to the wharf and in winter it will be heated in order to protect tropical fruits and vegetables, which will constitute the principal commodities to be brought North.

The southbound cargoes will consist of general merchandise and connection will be made at Jacksonville with the leading railroads of Florida.

Most of the larger [illegible] in that city are stockholders in the new [illegible] and will have all their shipments [illegible] South made by it. [illegible] that the new company [illegible] good paying business from [illegible] is the only line of coastwise [illegible] erated under a Pennsylvania [illegible].

The Clydes who have [illegible] to sell some of their vessels from that city will start their first steamer on September 28.

The steamers which strike the [illegible] all pass very close to Beaufort—they will scarcely have to deflect from their course [illegible] in order to stop at a Beaufort wharf or at Morehead. [illegible] is nearly half way on the journey and there is no easier porte to reach on the trip. It may prove a benefit all around. The Carteret county business men should investigate the possibilities and work for their advantage.

A Reply to M. L. Pilan.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—I see in the Washington Gazette of Sept. 6th an article signed M. L. Piland,—trying to vindicate a man whom it has been and will be farther proved beyond a shadow of a doubt is guilty of the charges preferred. Now as Mr. Piland prides himself upon what he calls honor and throws such fiery darts at my character which I assure the public and even the christian people of Ocracoke who know us both will say will compare favorably to or surpass that of the Honorable gentleman. I will ask him a few questions:

Why is it when he was in New Berne getting statements *for* Mr. West and as a great many statements have been published that we do not see any of those that were directly *against* Mr. West.

And why did Mr. Piland have his book in which he took statements closed and say to me that he wanted no one to see the other's statements. Why that looks little dark but possibly the gentleman may be able to explain that, but, when Mr. Piland went in company with Mr Woolard to Tom Midyette's who told him that he had made affadavit for Mr. West that he did not take him to a house of ill fame spoken of, but that he did carry him to a certain No., which is in reputation very much akin to the other This Midyette told Mr. J. J. Baxter yesterday.

Mr. Piland says he believes in speaking plain. Now I will leave it for christians, those who are trying to follow in the foot steps of the master to decide which of us, he or I, it is that is trying to defend the cause of Christ, and who it is that is trying to create in the minds of the people prejudice between the Northern and Southern Methodists churches. Remember it is written if we confess our sins God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and it is also written he that being often reproved and stiffeneth his neck shall suddenly be destroyed and that without remedy.

I am your plain spoken Friend,

JAMES A. THOMAS.

P. S.—If this does not suffice there is more to follow.

New Berne, N. C., September 11, 1894.

Washington Gazette please copy.

The Weather in North Carolina During 1893.

The N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station has just published the seventh annual report of its meteorological division constituting the N. C. State Weather [illegible] for 1893. This report gives in detail the various meteorological conditions in various parts of North Carolina during 1893.

The subjects treated embrace: list of the publications during the year, the annual meteorological summary for the State [illegible] 60 separate stations whose records were made for compiling its including observations of pressure, maximum and minimum temperature precipitation, state of the weather, wind direction, crop conditions, miscellaneous phenomena, [illegible] for North Carolina; list of meteorological stations, observers and crop reporters; work embraced in the monthly meteorological bulletins and the weekly weather crop bulletin; also weather and temperature forecasts, cold wave and frost warnings, and list of stations receiving them.

A valuable feature of the report is the table of comparisons between principal points in North Carolina and prominent places in the United States and abroad. These comparisons embrace normal precipitation and temperature for the whole year, for each of the four seasons, and each month of the year.

The pamphlet embraces 63 pages, contains a well prepared table of contents and index, and is replete with valuable information on weather conditions in North Carolina. It can be procured by application to Dr. H. B. Battle, Director, Raleigh, N. C.

Died.

On Sunday Sept. the 9th across Neuse river about five miles from the city, Miss Sally Wayne, aged about fifty-five years.

Sunday night, Sept 9th, near midnight at his home on the opposite side of Neuse river and about five miles from the city, Mr. Enock Fulcher a good old citizen and a well known one of hemorrhagic fever. Mr. Fulcher was 62 years of age and leaves a wife and three children two girls and a boy.

In Kinston on Sunday Sept. 9th, Mrs Eveline Myers, wife of N. D. Myers Esq. A good woman an earnest Christian and a true friend gone. A.

A Card

[illegible], N. C., Sept. 6.

Notice [illegible] people of Pamlico county. [illegible] [illegible] post office [illegible] in this county. [illegible] Post Office for 17 years. [illegible]

John [illegible] P. M.

The Maxton Fair

The next Maxton Fair, [illegible] "Border Exposition of the Two Carolinas," promises to be ahead of all its predecessors. Great preparations are now going on, and among the new features will be an exhibit, comprising many articles, of the State museum at Raleigh. The Maxton men and the Maxton maidens are all at work on the preliminary arrangements.—Wil. Star.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Josephus Daniels Interviewed [illegible] vs.—John B. Eaves, Mugwump Organ Finds Something Good to say of the Gorman Compromise.

Dr. Weeks Talks to Our Correspondent About His Historical Researches And Intended Publications—Democrats At Work—Reorganization of Treasury Department.

[illegible] North Carolina [illegible] with state and [illegible] [illegible] than Mr. Josephus Daniels, Chief Clerk of the Interior Department. Fearing some your readers would like to have his views on the situation I asked him for them. He says "I believe [illegible] North Carolina, [illegible] will result in confusion. [illegible] the democrats if the opposition [illegible] but they can't. There are [illegible] Republicans who [illegible] vote for the Populists and will never. The democrats are organizing for an aggressive campaign. Mr. Pou chairman Democratic Executive committee is second to no man in the state capacity, in wisdom in knowledge of the people and in fact, when he entered politics in Johnson it was the most uncertain county in the state. Sometime it went Republican; sometimes the Independents won and sometimes the Democrats succeeded. But it was uncertain. Now it is the safest and most reliable Democratic county in the state, Other men have helped but this change is largely [illegible] leadership. [illegible] in a measure [illegible]. He is the right men in the right place."

"What is the senatorial situation?"

"The senatorial situation is too hazy yet to see through. Personally I am not taking sides in the fight. In my view it without the bias of a partisan. Primaries will be held in many counties and therefore the result cannot be foreshadowed before the [illegible]. The two great counties like Mecklenburg and Wake. Nobody can tell how they will vote until after the primaries are held. Mecklenburg will hold primaries for both senators. Wake has not yet acted but I am confident that it will order a primary, certainly as to the eastern senator. Ransom and Jarvis both have warm friends in Wake and a primary in my judgment, is essential to keep the fight from causing the democrats to lose votes. Wake is a close and uncertain county and primary would help the democrats to win."

"Are you in favor of primaries?"

"I am in favor of a primary in my home county, Wake, for the Eastern senatorship."

"When are you going to North Carolina?"

"I expect to spend most of the month of October in N. C. and remain there until after the election."

Every democrat remembers the staunch [illegible] John B. Eaves always makes against fusion. He is a straight out Republican with [illegible] B. He does not believe in compromise. [illegible] to do his share towards stopping any compromise scheme. Dan Russell and Mary Ann have on [illegible].

Harper's Weekly, the Mugwump organ finds something to please in the Senate bill. At any rate the uncertainty is ended and if everybody will look on the bright side and go to work business will boom this fall.

Dr. Stephen B. Weeks tells me that he is making good progress on his work relating to his sketch of Judge Willie P. Mangum. He has received a number of personal letters expressing the gratification of prominent men in the state at his proposed work.

There is no doubt a great deal of latent feeling of admiration for the career of Senator Mangum which is being brought out by this book. He has had the good fortune to meet a gentleman here who was the private secretary of Clay and was in this way thrown into intimate association with Mangum, Clay, Crittenden and others and much material will be obtained for the social and private life of the Senator in Washington. In the same way some manuscript material coming into his hands from the family will throw reliable light on the social and economic life of the State at the beginning of the present century.

Dr. Weeks is also making satisfactory progress on his book relating to the Quakers in Virginia the Carolinas and Georgia, which will be published next spring. He has obtained some new material relating to the meetings in northern and western Virginia. He has read more than 20,000 pages of Quaker manuscript covering the whole period from 1580 to the present time. He will be able to reproduce the history of the N. C. Meetings almost in full from these records.

There has been nothing done on this line of our history up to the present time. The influence of the Quakers in the development of N. C., has been most marked and the emigration from N. C. 1802 and 1830 to the West was so great that it is said one third of the population of Indiana was made up of North Carolinians and their immediate children in 1850. Indiana is almost as clearly the daughter of N. C. as is Tennessee.

He will soon have published in the Political Science Quarterly of New York a history and status of negro suffrage in the South.

At Democratic headquarters here, the managers are getting campaign matters in fine shape for hard work. Investigation shows that in districts now democratic, 131 have made nominations. Of this number 97 are renominations and 34 are new nominations.

I learn from the Navy Department that everything is in readiness for the trial trip of the new cruiser Raleigh.

Among the last acts of Congress was one concerning the sale of leaf tobacco, which all dealers may notice with much interest. The internal revenue law as a whole remains about the same as before with the exception of this change. In section 69 of the act of August 26th, 1894 entitled "An act to reduce taxation to provide revenue for the government and for other purposes" provides that "Every person shall also be regarded as a manufacturer of tobacco whose business it is to sell leaf tobacco in quantities less than a hogshead, case or bale, or who sells directly to consumers or to persons other than duly registered dealers in leaf tobacco or duly registered manufacturers of tobacco, snuff or cigars or to persons who purchase in packages for export and all tobacco so sold by such persons shall be regarded as tobacco and such manufactured tobacco shall be put up and prepared only as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue with the approval of the secretary shall prescribe."

"Provided, that farmers and growers of tobacco who sell leaf tobacco of their own growth and raising shall not be regarded as manufacturers of tobacco."

Every bureau in the Treasury Department is in a state of [illegible] business arranged to [illegible] [illegible] D. [illegible]

Married.

Quietly last [illegible] James Guthrie, of Florida, and Miss [illegible] A. Thomas, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas of [illegible], Carteret county, by [illegible] W. Sanders, Esq., officiating.

We wish you "Eunice," all the happiness you deserve, we know you well as one of the brightest pupils in our school and one of the many kind hearted and lovely women in our land.

The happy couple left for their future home in the land of flowers soon after the wedding. May Heavens blessings attend them. D. W.

Notice.

I M. A. Patterson, hereby give notice as required by Code N. C. Sec. 1830, that from this date I cease to act as a free trader and have entered notice on the same in the office of the register of Deeds of Craven county. This Sept. 11th 1894.

s12w3w M. A. PATTERSON.

HAPPENINGS OF THE DAY.

[illegible] [illegible] and spending [illegible] European countries.

The North Carolina Institution for the colored Deaf and Dumb is said to be the first of the kind for that race in the Union.

It is again announced that Harrison is not a candidate for President. Can it be that the General sees no present prospect of that "emergency" arising?

Tom Reed says southern men have no [illegible] and the average southern [illegible] Tom Reed has no [illegible] so much for the [illegible] view.

The latest news is that the Japanese have wiped the earth with the Chinese at One [illegible], the Chinese have landed at the Japanese at Rank Fil and a big naval engagement is now taking place at Cum Oil.

It is stated that at the primary in one township in Mecklenburg county 400 more Democratic votes were cast than in the general election of 1892. Such showings indicate pretty conclusively that the days of Democratic defection to the Third party are numbered.

It was stated that the Democratic club organized at Durham recently was the first campaign club in the State but we now see a statement that a club in Asheville was organized two months ago and now has 500 members.

1200 carpenters have struck in New York and the strike is spending. Several contractors have agreed to the terms demanded. Otherwise it is thought there would not have been a union carpenter at work in the city by now.

The sixth district of Alabama appears to be going to have a repetition of the long-winded Texas convention. 336 ballots have so far been taken and it is said that it looks like frost will come sooner than a nomination.

The trial of the cruisers Raleigh and Cincinnati has been indefinately postponed. For the present the Raleigh will cruise in the Hampton Roads and Chesapeake Bay and the Cincinnati in Long Island sound and along the adjacent coast.

The Cashier of the Seaboard Air Line at Atlanta is charged with embezzlement of $3,507. He is 22 years of age and has been in the employ of the company a little over a year. He says while there may been shortage he knows nothing about it.

A human face clock is on view in the window of a St Petersburg watchmaker. The hands are pivoted on the nose, and any messages spoken into its ear repeated by a phonograph through its mouth. It is said to be the only clock of the kind at present in existence.

There has been another death at Baltimore from yellow fever, the victim being Second Engineer Cornelius Watson of the British steamer Tyzack, who was taken to the quarantine hospital Friday. The other two patients are improving. The vessel is anchored at quarantine station and every precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

The Atlanta Constitution tells this: "A little 5-year old girl in North Carolina had learned the nursery rhyme running: 'If at first you don't succeed, try, try again.' Recently she upset the family devotion by ending her little prayer in this wise: "And now, oh, God, please make Lillie a better girl, and if at first you don't succeed, try, try again !""

Here is a manufacturing item from the Charlotte Democrat: The directors of the Alpha Mill, of Charlotte, have declared a dividend of $8.50 per share, payable January 1 next. This plant was built on the installment plan, and by next January $91.50 per share will have been paid for, for which certificates of stock of $100, per value will be issued.

Col. Julian S. Carr, President of the State Association of Democratic clubs has invited Hoke Smith secretary of the Interior to speak at Raleigh at the gathering of the clubs Sept. 20th. The invitation will be accepted unless something intervene to prevent.

The Kinston Free Press tells that caterpillars came in great numbers a few days ago and have destroyed the crab grass around there, devouring all except the stems. There are millions of them. As yet they have attacked nothing but the grass and it is hoped they will not get in the cultivated crops.

Since the McKinley bill became a law government revenues have shrunk from $403,000,000 in 1890 to $296,900,336 for the fiscal year ending last June. Under the new tariff law the calculation is that the revenues will increase $100,000,000 for the current year. Secretary Carlisle estimates that the Treasury will receive $412,000,000, not inclusive of the $84,000,000 postal returns, which go solely to the postal service account.—Philadelphia Times.

The Snow Hill correspondent of the Kinston Free Press gives this item: "The Populist petition to the board of county commissioners of this county, asking the appointment of Populist poll-holders, contains a number of forged names. The maximum penalty prescribed by law for this offense is $1,000 fine or five years imprisonment. There is serious talk of prosecuting for the forgeries."

Justice Traux, of the Supreme court of New York has decided that Henry I Faison, of Faison, N. C., is entitled to the custody of his 4 year-old child, Raymond. The child was brought North by the mother, who left her husband a year ago. She said she could not stand the climate where she was. Justice Traux says that North Carolina is evidently the residence of the parents and that the child was taken out of that jurisdiction by fraud.

Lowering racing records seems to be all the go now, J. P. Bliss went on Hampden park, Springfield, Mass., the fastest mile ever made on a bicycle, making the records for the paced mile, flying start of 1:52 3-5 and incidentally lowering the three quarter record to 1:23. He was paced by three tandem teams. The record for the distances were 1:53 4-5 for the mile, and 1:24 4-5 for the three quarters, made at Waltham, July 28th, by H. C. Tyler.

Insolent and meddlesome Englishmen are coming to America to investigate lynching at the South. The New York World has called upon Govs, O'Ferrell, of Virginia; Northern, of Georgia, and Tillman, of S. C., for an expression of opinion on this action. Tillman says they are welcome to come and investigate and he will afford them every facility to get at the facts. The other two Governors give very scathing replies against these pharasaical, hypocritical, self appointed regulators of other peoples affairs who are looking for a way to take exception against speedy justice being meted out without the laws delays, fail to see great evils in their own country or to say that they would themselves be better employed in devising means to suppress the crime which causes lynchings.

Wanted.

Live energetic men to canvass, sell machines, and collect in Craven, Jones Carteret, Pamlico, Beaufort, Hyde and Dare counties. We furnish a nice light running wagon. Agent to furnish horse and harness and make a $500 bond. We offer a good salary, or commission contract, under which an energetic man can make and save money. Men of good make up do well, to get employment with this company, for if successful, they will be promoted to positions of greater responsibility. Address. THE SINGER MFG CO. or see J. F. NORMAN, District Agt. New Berne, N. C.

A Mammoth Pine Tree.

Mr H. A. Belk, a prominent lumberman of Thermal City, was in town yesterday and reported that they had just sawed the largest pine tree that ever was cut in western North Carolina. The tree made 3,661 feet of lumber. It was 64 feet to the first limb, and 38 feet in diameter.—Charlotte Observer.

WILL FIGHT FUSION.

The [illegible] Republican Ticket [illegible] The White [illegible] by White Republicans

Isaac H. Smith, a Colored Leader, Calls on All Colored Men of the State to Assert Their [illegible] and Resent the Snubbing They Received Pays a Tribute to the Fairness of Elections in Craven County and to the Prosperity Resulting from the Present Good County Government.

EDITOR JOURNAL: [illegible] through the columns of your paper to make my [illegible] to the colored voters of North Carolina.

Now all of [illegible] gard for true manhood [illegible] and a wanton disrespect for your wives and daughters [illegible] wrong [illegible] swallow [illegible] will differ with me [illegible] conclusion.

But that class of colored men of North Carolina who have [illegible] manhood and womanhood [illegible] an acknowledged principle [illegible] and support my course of reasoning.

It will be remembered that a thing settled in the wrong is never settled.

The last State Republican convention which was [illegible] ed Republicans [illegible] crats, two Republicans [illegible] were nominated [illegible] colored Republicans.

The colored delegates [illegible] and nearly all the leading men throughout the State were present and entered their solemn protest against such a move.

The white Republicans [illegible] the majority in said convention, [illegible] no attention to the wishes of the colored delegation, who represented one hundred thousand votes, while those white Republicans represented [illegible] white votes.

The words "[illegible]" and "negro" were frequently used referring to the colored people of North Carolina by the white Republicans.

The white Republicans [illegible] teaching and telling the colored voters of North Carolina for thirty years to vote a Republican ballot, and taught them to stick to the principles of the Republican party; are now telling them to vote for straight-out Democrats. They look at those one hundred thousand colored voters not as intelligent citizens, but as so many lumber jacks and rotten eggs. Now at the ballot box thousands and thousands of the colored voters will prove to be [illegible] eggs and no jack [illegible] positively to swallow the mixed Democratic dose. If we the colored voters of North Carolina desire to vote for Democrats we demand the privilege of selecting them. Why did you not [illegible] Republicans and Third party men?

This would have [illegible] mixture.

Both National and State, I have undoubtedly always supported heretofore the Republican nominees, but since no Republican convention has a right to nominate men out of other parties, I shall make my own nominations at the polls and vote for Republicans or nobody.

I shall do all I can to organize the Republicans in every county in N. C. against the mixture.

In 1896, the time to the colored Republicans throughout the length and breadth of North Carolina will be to vote a Republican ticket and nothing else. So then in 1894, you know full well that the plan is to fool the colored voters of the State by telling them the ticket they are asked to support is a Republican ticket. Why did you not nominate a colored man if you expect our 100,000 votes? About twenty white Republicans in a room formulated this plan transferring with a single stroke of the pen one hundred thousand colored votes to the Democratic party.

Gentlemen, you were unlike the cunning rabbit, for he always returns to his den before it stops snowing. You returned after it stopped snowing, [illegible] like a fly stuck [illegible] one hundred thousand colored voters, see your tracks this time, and [illegible] ahead of you running up to seventy-five thousand majority.

The colored man who supports this mixed Democratic ticket may consider himself out of it, when he applies for that little office under the next National Republican administration. The Republican party will win in 1896, therefore it behooves every colored Republican to stand firm to the principles enunciated by the Republican party. Suppose it be like you say, the fusion, mixed and confusionist party wins, I ask the one hundred thousand colored voters, do you see anything in it for you? Not a single colored man is placed on the ticket. The white Republicans after monopolizing the State convention, refused outright to let colored men be on the State executive committee, but after hard begging, I believe out of sixteen committeemen, three colored men were placed on the State executive committee.

Gracious me, what is the colored man coming to, begging for a thing that already belongs to him and surrendering his manhood and rights on all sides?

Let the colored voters of North Carolina for once, rise as a unit, as one whole, and assert their manhood and independence, let them maintain the principles of the grand old Republican party as enunciated and laid down by Lincoln, Grant and Garfield.

The white Republicans while making their speeches, trying to arouse prejudice and sensation in the bosom of the colored voters of the State, often referred to the county of Craven as being politically one of the meanest Democratic counties in Eastern Carolina.

I said then to a colored delegate sitting by, that I used to teach my children in school that if a boy would tell one lie, he would tell another, and it it became necessary would tell twenty to cover the first lie.

I said to him, I now live and have lived in Craven county for several years, and I know the colored man gets all of his political rights there.

Craven county has had and now has a colored Republican [illegible] for fifteen years; it has had in the legislature colored Republican representatives every since the war, until the Hon. R. P. Williams was elected two years ago, who is a white Republican; [illegible] constables all over the county and has had for years; it has a colored jailor who is a Republican and has had ever since [illegible] was a boy. Colored teachers teach colored children and I have done so ever since the war, [illegible] the history [illegible] it ever [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] remember that Craven county is [illegible] [illegible] tinction, and yet that stalwart colored Republican, Major A. [illegible] was duly elected coroner [illegible] [illegible] the highest [illegible].

Then again, not in the history of the county since the war, has the reverse been an election and the certificate of election was not duly given to the man receiving the highest number of votes, saving and excepting one election, and that was the time Coalition was run [illegible] by Democrats and white Republicans, a little like the white Republicans [illegible] do now.

Enough, [illegible] out to change the [illegible] board was [illegible] of Democrats and white Republicans. I was present when all the motions were made. It was a white Republican who presided as chairman of the canvassing board; it was a white Republican who made all the motions to count for cause that voting precinct or the other these motions were seconded by a white Republican. These same [illegible] and are still white Republicans. Are you going to blame Democrats for the evil deeds and wrong acts of white Republicans?

By the way, before I forget it, white Republicans accepted the office, gave the bond to a Democratic Board of Commissioners and rejected [illegible] of the others [illegible] votes to elect them [illegible].

Now have the Democrats of Craven county ever done anything like this? No, not since I have been here. The white Republicans in the towns of Craven [illegible] else had better come to Craven county and get the facts before talking about the Democrats of Craven county as they did in their speeches at Raleigh. Now I state again on the honor of a man that this was the first and only time any votes of Craven county were thrown out or counted that affected the final result.

For information, although the [illegible] from a colored Republican, whose Republicanism is baptized in the dew that drops from the living principles of the Republican party whose founders were Lincoln, Grant and Garfield; from one of Craven's largest tax payers; I will tell you all the Democrats have done for the people, for the county for or against its good, its interest and welfare.

When the Democrats took charge of the affairs of Craven county, poor colored men and women like all other persons were selling and glad to get fifty cents on the dollar for a county voucher.

The county debt has been nearly all paid. Instead of the county paying out one thousand dollars yearly for rent as the white Republicans did out of the taxes, they have built one of the finest, if not the finest and best court house in North Carolina.

They have raised the credit of the county from a half to a whole. A county voucher now is cashed up on presentation by our polite and accommodating Treasurer, Thomas Daniels, and paid in full.

The laws of North Carolina leave it to the discretion of the Board of Commissioners in regard to excepting the bond of county officers.

Now, after things got muddy in county affairs, the Democratic Board have never done anything except when an insufficient bond offered by a white Republican was rejected.

For this and other good and magnanimous acts and deeds, the good citizens should feel under lasting obligation to Mr. James A. Bryan, chairman and his associates, and for further appreciation the intelligence and wealth of the county tender them one graceful bow of congratulations and best wishes.

I am for the right whose foundation is truth. Your's yours,

ISAAC H. SMITH.

DIAMOND SHOAL LIGHT.

Changes in the Plans—The Most Difficult Light House Engineering in the World.

The light house board has for the past two months been at work devising plans for the new light which it is proposed to erect on the treacherous Diamond shoals, off Cape Hatteras, if it is possible to accomplish this engineering feat. The original designs proposed a masonary structure built on the caisson principle. The structure was to have its base at least 120 feet beneath the waters surface, and was to be built up to a height of 156 feet above the water.

The very great uncertainty of securing a caisson which could stand the terrific bombardment of the Hatterass seas, and the failure to find a solid foundation of rock or hard substance has led the board to practically abandon this scheme in favor of a screw pile light, such as have been found to be the best kind of a structure where the waves beat heavily, as it affords the least surface for their attacks. These piles will be sunk nearly 100 feet in the botton, and will tower about 160 feet above the waves. The keepers quarters will be small in comparison to those which were designed on the masonry structure, but the light will be just as high and bright.

There is a great deal of doubt among some engineers whether it is practicable to erect any sort of a light station on the shoals on account of the shifting sands and great seas, which run high the year round. The shoals extend fourteen miles off Hatteras, and the spot selected for the light would be on the outer edge. Should the light ever be finally completed it is believed that the most difficult piece of light house engineering in the world will have been accomplished—Washington Dispatch, Sept. 4th.

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TRENTON CORRESPONDENCE.

Capt. Galloway's Speech—Populist Convention—Nominates Republicans and Populists.

The Populist county Convention assembled at Trenton on Saturday last the 8th, of September. We suppose that every man in the county claiming to belong to the third party was here with quite a large sprinkling of colored people who were present we suppose to see what they would do on this august occasion. We also had a full crowd of the unterrified democrats to hear that staunch democrat and able, defender of Democracy, Capt. Swift Galoway, speak.

At 12 o'clock precisely we all—Democrats, Republicans, and Populists made for the court house. The pops organized by calling A. P. Borraw to preside and requesting a Mr. Tyndale to act as a secretary, a committee on Resolutions was appointed who retired. Then loud calls were made for a Mr. Wright to address the convention who responded in a few remarks and advised the audience to select men in the future who would act like servants, not treat them like monarchs as democrats did.

Loud call were then made for John Mercer who responded by telling the audience that he had served all parties—Democrat, Republican and populist, proceeded to give the audience a history of each and definition of the names of the different parties and when he had finished his dissertation it was about as inteligible as the Irishmans description of how cannon were made. Why, said the Irishman you dont know how easy they make cannon Just take a hole and pour iron around it. Mr Mercer in winding up his remarks told the audience not to hear the persuasions of democrats and he led to the polls and vote that ticket. "Why" said he "I know the democrats; I was a democrat up to 1860 and did lots of dirty work for them as much as any of them ever did." This remark led us to ponder a little whether there had been any reformation in the gentleman since '60. Wont a man, if he is inclined to do dirty work once, do it again? Wont he bear a little careful watching.

We noticed one thing Mr. Mercer was careful not to tell; what kind of work he done while in the Republican party, though he served them over 32 years faithfully. Mr. Mercer said there were two kind of democrats, one was a mugwump and the other was a mugway, Col. Polk was the Moses and Zeb. Vance was the Aaron Populists.

About this time the committee appeared with their Resolutions adhering to the national and state platforms and recomending the abolishment of the present county Government system. All passed unanimously—Nominees:

House, Frank Brown Pop.
Clerk of S. Court S. E. Koonce, Pop.
Sheriff, W. B. Isler, Pop.
Treasurer, Lewis King, Pop.
Register, F. F. Green, Republican;
Coroner, J. W. Bryan, Republican;
Surveyor, Amos Heeton, Pop.

Swift Galoway addressed the people in a telling speech at four o'clock which was listened to with marked attention.

Dr. Cy Thompson and the Hon. Mr. Shaw will speak in joint discussion at Trenton on Friday next, the 14th, of September.

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