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OUR STATE SECOND TO NONE

And Far Superior to any in the West, so Declared One of the Ablest and Best Known Northern Editors.

Col. A. K. McClure writes the following truths about North Carolina in the Philadelphia Times:

There is no better State in the South, and *none in the West that approaches it*, in its many superior inducements to men who desire to till the soil. Considering the genial climate, cheap lands, the abundant timber and water, the proximity to markets, North Carolina is second to no State of the Union in offering the richest rewards to agricultural emigrants."

At last the claim that North Carolina is one of the grandest countries of the world, is being acknowledged by those who have heretofore decried her. The truth for the first time in her history is being told to the world and its effect will soon be apparent.

North Carolina today offers greater inducements to the man who is willing to work for a living, be he farmer or not, than any other country under the sun. The "Old North State" offers a cordial welcome to the honest and industrious of all nations.

Remember the above facts, and remember, too, that the ninth exhibition of the East Carolina Fair will give you a splendid opportunity to make investigations. The Fair begins the 24th of February and holds the entire week.

MARSHALS FOR THE FAIR.

Over a Hundred From the Chief Cities of the State and a Representation From Several Neighboring States.

NEW BERNE.

Chief Marshal Milan R. Howard.

Clarence Disosway, J Leo Burrus, G. W. Waters, N. C. hughes, T. W. Waters, P. S. Cox, F M Green, D. W. Roberts, M. M. Manly, Frank Hyman, Dan Roberts, C D Bradham, Dr. C M Benton, Edward Clark, W. W. Clark, Dr. Leinster Duffy, Fred Whitty, E Ellis Williams, Harris Lane, W D McIver, Sam Dill, J D Gaskins, T C Daniels, C B Foy, T W Dewey, J Stanly Thomas, Mark Stevenson, O H Guion, N H Street, J W. Daniels, B B Neal, F C Goodwin, CM Dockham, Dr. R S Primrose, A H Powell, George Green, J C Watkins, Guion Dunn, T G Hyman, F M Hahn, Dr. J F Rhem, E K Bishop, J F Carraway, Jonas Wahab Alexander Justice, B S Guion, Dr. J W Duguid, M M Marks, W T McCarthy, Henry Bryan Jr.

RALEIGH.

Messrs Barnett Douglas, John Andrews, Henry Miller, Wm. Snow, S S Batchelor, Earnest Bain, H W Ayer, Tom Denson, W W Robards, Henry King, Thomas Pescud, T B Mosely, T M Lee, Allan Higgs, A B Andrews, Jr, J M Ayer, Frank Stronach, V H. Boyden, Norwood Carroll, Clifford Carroll, Jim Litchford.

DURHAM.

J Fleming, Wiley Paul, C Sneed, E P Carr, Jr., Fred A Green.

WILMINGTON.

Armand Meyers, Hugh L. Miller, Percy Munson, Geo. Southerland, Robert Cowan.

GOLDSBORO.

Murray Borden, Jno. Sizer, Frank Miller, Harriod P Dortch.

WASHINGTON.

W K Jacobson, Frank Jordan, Frank Rollins, Dr. Jno. Rodman, Dr. Joshua Taylor.

KINSTON.

Ben Stanly, T M Parrott, Wayne Mitchell, W R Miller.

CHARLOTTE.

Chase Adams, S B Alexander, C L Hopkins.

HENDERSON.

Robert Lassiter, J E Ingle, Jr., Jim Mitchell.

TARBORO.

Geo. A Holderness, Henry Station, Henry Johnson.

BURLINGTON.

Finley Williamson, J H Holt, Ed Williamson.

WILSON.

E W Woodard, T M Washington.

ASHEVILLE.

W P Powell, Thomas Rollins.

FAYETTEVILLE

Walter S McRae, L H McRae, S H Strange.

SCATTERING.

F B. Davis, Armstead Coward, Morganton; J Walter Williams, Graham; Frank O Landis, Oxford; J E Mattocks, Pollocksville; Ion Leary, Morehead City; W A Thompson, Aurora; A F Midyette, Oriental; Robert Collins, Jacksonville; R J Southerland, Jr., Mount Olive; Dr. Fred L Potts, Vanceboro; J M Holt, Jr., Haw River; C Duncan, Beaufort; A S Wooten La Grange; Fred L Carr, Castoria; Oliver P. Dockery, Mangum; Eugene Johnson, Littleton; O H Kenan, Kenansville; J L Patterson, Salem; H S Lake, Chapel Hill; Jim Williams, Elon College.

VIRGINIA.

C J McHenry, George Cooke, Howard S Nulton, Richmond.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Jos. McCreary Columbia; W C Schenck, New Berry.

GEORGIA

Marion Knowles, R B Hall, Atlanta.

LOUISIANA.

Archie Harris, New Orleans.

TENNESSEE.

S B Waters, Jr., Chattanooga; D Boyd Kimball, Middleburg.

MARYLAND.

Jos. Seger, Baltimore.

Died.

At his home in Lynwood, Onslow county, last Saturday night, the 18th inst, of pneumonia, after a lingering illness, Mr. Zadoc Jones, in the 55th year of his age.

Mr. Jones was a christian gentleman, belonging to the M. E. church, South. He was a good Confederate soldier, and lost his leg in battle at Malvern Hill, during the seven day's fight around Richmond so we understood. Since the war he has worked for a living with only one leg, and made an honest one though he was a poor man at the time of his death. He was miller for Rev. Isaac N. Henderson. He leaves children, but no wife to mourn his death. W.

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

By the Management of the East Carolina Fair Association.

Of Their Intention and Plans to Hold Again the Best Fair in North Carolina—Ninth Annual Exhibition.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The East Carolina Fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Association have the honor to announce that they will hold their Ninth Annual Fair at their grounds in New Berne, N. C., on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th, 1896.

They offer, for progress in the branches of industry and art, liberal premiums.

The following arrangements for the transportation to and from the city of all articles and animals entered for exhibition have been made with the Railroad and Steamboat Companies:

All articles intended for exhibition at the Fair will be transported when pre-payment of freight at regular rates, and receipted, will be given to shippers by R. R. Agts specifying articles in detail and charges on each article. This receipt, but accompanied by certificate from Secretary of the Fair Association that the articles specified were exhibited at the Fair, will entitle the original shipper of such articles to free transportation of them back to the original shipping point.

The above does not apply to race horses. Negotiations for special rates will be given race horses.

The committee will take every precaution in its power to secure the safety of all articles and stock, after arrival and arrangements for exhibition, but will not be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.

The grounds are 1000 in extent and easily reached, being directly on the line of the Atlantic & North Carolina, and Wilmington, New Berne & Norfolk Railroads. Cabs and carriages from all principal streets in the city.

Hotel and boarding house accommodations are fully up to the requirements of the occasion.

Strenuous efforts will be put forth to make this the most attractive and most successful Fair yet held by the Association.

We have and are making arrangements for many new novelties and attractions for our Fair and confidently expect to maintain our past reputation by having the Best Fair held in North Carolina.

Our Premiums Aggregate Over $6,000.

There is no charge for entry in any department, race excepted.

Our Race Premiums amount to $3,000—the largest ever offered in the State.

Remember, the Season Tickets purchased Before the Fair opens are $1.50—during the Fair $2.00. Child's Season Ticket 25—during the Fair $1.00.

Come and induce your friends to do likewise. You will be pleased.

OFFICERS.

The President and Directors shall have the general supervision of the Fair.

It shall be the duty of these officers to take speedy and efficient means to quell any disturbance that may arise upon the grounds and to see that proper order is kept. The employees and policemen will obey any one or more of them to accomplish this end.

The President will wear a white rosette; each of the Vice-Presidents, red and white; each of the Directors, blue, the Secretary, red; Marshals, green.

AWARDS.

To secure an intelligent and impartial award is the end to be attained by all the machinery of the Fair, and the Judges will be selected with that view by the Directors.

The will carefully examine all articles in the class to which they are assigned, and give the awards.

If there is no competition the Judges will not award a Premium, unless there is decided merit, and if they find any article on exhibition not mentioned in Premium list deserving mention, they will report same to the Secretary and file to the Board of Directors.

No competitor can act as Judge in the class in which he or she exhibits.

Competitors for premiums cannot be present during the examination of the Judges.

ENTRIES.

The Secretary will receive entries at his office and record them in the Entry Book and give the exhibitor a tag for same.

The name of the exhibitor shall not be attached to any article or stock exhibited until the awards have been made to the Judges.

Parties from a distance may ship their goods to the Secretary who will follow their instructions in regard to them and have them exhibited to the best advantage.

All articles entered for Premiums must be upon the grounds on Monday, the 24th day of February.

Every article or animal entered for competition shall be under the control of the Board of Directors.

No premium will be awarded on any exhibit when owner is a duly sworn Judge of ownership.

Exhibitors will not be allowed to remove any article or stock until the close of the Fair without the permission of the Director in charge of Department.

The Association reserves the right to withhold premiums where it may not pay the amount offered for premiums who have been awarded premiums.

All premiums not called for within 10 days after awarded will be considered donated to the Fair.

SALES.

The members of the press generally are invited to attend the Fair, and if they wish to dispose of stock to the Secretary, he will gladly furnish them a list of articles.

For each Adult, 50c.
For each Child, under 10 years, 25c.
Grand Stand, 25c.
Local Trains, 25c.
Season Tickets, $1.50.
Season tickets, purchased before February 24, $1.50.
Season tickets, for children under 10 years, $1.00.
Season tickets, purchased before Feb. 24, 75c.
For each two-horse vehicle, 50c.
For each one-horse vehicle, 25c.

A well-poised mind make a cheerful countenance.

NEXT FAIR AT NEW BERNE

It Will be the Best in the History of the Association.

Everybody Getting Ready for the Great Event—The date is February 24th to 29th Inclusive.

Mr. H. B. Hardy, staff correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer, was in the city the first part of the present month.

The News and Observer is a long established and ably conducted paper at North Carolina's capital. Its influence is strong from one end of the state to the other—what it says carries weight, consequently we select from its columns what Mr. Hardy, its staff correspondent, who has been nearly if not quite as long as any of the East Carolina Fair, had to say about it, and our city on his last visit. It shows the esteem in which the fair is held at large. Read it and decide to be present when the next exhibition opens Monday February 24th and remain if possible, to its close on Saturday the 29th. The article is as follows:

Every one who travels in Eastern North Carolina is struck with the many evidences of improvement in and about New Berne. Since my last trip here, six months ago, I note many improvements in all portions of the city. Residences, some of them very handsome, are going up, public improvements that will give New Berne fine shell roads, are being finished, waterworks is progressing, capacity of the new public building (to be very handsome) which is to be used as a post office, Federal Court building and custom house; there is agitation looking toward the completion of the W. N. & N. railroad from here to Norfolk; the improvements on the court house will add much to the attractiveness of the town and the convenience of this public building; brick and granite pavements being built on the north and south sides and new granite steps being placed at all three entrances; the campus of the Collegiate Institute and Academy building has been inclosed with granite curbing extending up to the entrance of the buildings.

The oyster season is very good, the fish supplies are not only large, but the succulent bivalves are bigger and finer for the season. The catch is not large, only the large supply goes to the fish houses.

"I am told that more home-made meat has been sold on this market this year than ever before, besides the great quantity of corn sent here from Hyde county, quite a large amount of cranberries and beans from that county have been sold on this market. The truck farmers here are all busy preparing their lands and otherwise getting ready for the trucking season.

"The famous poultry yards of Mr. William Dunn are in first-class order and it is worth any one's time to go out to see them. Mr. Dunn will put on the market this year some of the finest breeds of chickens ever raised in the south.

"Of course all New Berne and Craven county is working for and talking up the fair which will be held here next month from the 24th to 29th inclusive. Mr. Chas. Reizenstein tells me that his correspondence is much larger than ever before and that with good weather everything indicates that the fair will be on a much larger scale than ever before in its history. The premium lists amount to over $6,000, race purses $3,000. One of the directors of the Association told me that he was certain that the main cause of the past success of the fair are the assistance given to the Association by the ladies of the city, the exclusion of bar rooms or gambling from the grounds and the drawing of a strict line as to dead head tickets.

"There are more applications up to this time for race horse entrance than ever before and the stock, agricultural and poultry departments will be the finest ever seen on the grounds. Nor will the ladies be behind in their Floral Hall exhibits. They are making every effort to surpass any previous display ever made in the State. And I have no doubt they will succeed, for the ladies of New Berne always do their full duty.

"In the enclosure of the race track some novel and wonderful entertainments will be given free each day.

"As to the fish, game and oyster department it is useless for me to say anything. Every one knows full well that this is the greatest attraction of the fair here. Suffice it to say that under the management of that well known veteron fish man, Mr. George N. Ives, this department will be complete in every detail.

"Mr. Ives's hall is being rapidly filled with machinery and implements of all kinds. The knitting mill itself, in this department to which new and improved machinery is being added, is an interesting sight.

"The Marshall's ball during the week will be a series of brilliant affairs. A larger hall than heretofore has been secured for the purpose and everything possible will be done to give the young people a good time. Arrangements are now being perfected with railroads for a one-and-a-half rate each way.

"The city affords the most ample hotel accommodations. The Secretary also has on file and printed a list of private families who will take boarders during the week at moderate rates.

"New Berne extends its hospitable arms and is ready and will be welcome to this gala week.

"The owners of the Wilmington, New Berne and Norfolk railroad are doing all they can to bring into active use the lands along the line from here to Wilmington. At Maysville, a station on this road, fifteen miles from New Berne, there has recently been built a very large store and hotel. Other buildings have been erected and the indications are that Maysville will be quite a town at no distant day.

"The Atlantic and North Carolina road (no longer called the "mullet") under its present excellent business management, is in first-class order, the entire length from Goldsboro to Morehead City having been laid with new steel rails. A draw bridge is being built for this road across the Trent river.

H. B. H.

The best way to avoid scalp diseases, hair falling out, and premature baldness, is to use the best preventive known for that purpose—Hall's Hair Renewer.

TWO CLERKS SENTENCED

For Fraudulent Enrollment of Bills in the Fusion Legislature.

Brown to Work the Roads for Twelve Months and Pay $250 Fine—Satterfield to Pay $250 Fine and Cost Both Appeal.

S. P. Satterfield, $250 fine and costs.

J. W. Brown, $250 fine and costs and twelve months at hard labor on the public roads of Wake County.

These are the sentences pronounced upon the men who have been declared guilty of permitting and procuring the enrollment of the tabled Assignment Act.

At the July term of Wake County Superior Court the jury returned a true bill against S. P. Satterfield, principal clerk of the House of Representatives, and J. W. Brown, enrolling clerk of the General Assembly. The bill was in several counts, the two main counts being, 1. That they wilfully, negligently and unlawfully permitted the enrollment of the tabled bill; 2. That they wilfully, corruptly and unlawfully procured the enrollment of the bill.

After hearing all the evidence, the arguments of the counsel, and after being cautioned by the Judge not to find the prisoner guilty if they had any reasonable doubt, the jury in the Satterfield case returned a verdict of "guilty" as to the first count. They were unanimous from the first regarding the first count, but remained out for several hours debating the second count.

But at ten o'clock yesterday morning the jury was unanimous on both counts. They decided that Enrolling Clerk Brown was not only guilty of wilfully, negligently and unlawfully permitting the enrollment of the bill, but was also guilty of criminally and fraudulently procuring its enrollment.

SATTERFIELD SENTENCED.

The counsel for the Satterfield moved that the verdict be set aside and a new trial granted. The motion was denied.

They then moved for an arrest of judgment. This motion was denied.

Judge McIver then sentenced S. P. Satterfield to pay a fine of $250 and the cost of the action.

From this judgment, and from the rulings on the motion, the defendant appealed.

THE SENTENCE OF BROWN.

J. W. Brown was called to the bar to receive his sentence.

Major Batchelor moved that the verdict be set aside, and made quite an argument in support of the motion.

"It is in the province of the jury to decide upon the sufficiency of the evidence," said Judge McIver. "The verdict of juries is generally correct. I shall have to deny your motion, Brother Batchelor."

Mr. Royster then moved for an arrest of judgment.

ONE LAW FOR ALL.

"The court," said the Judge, "is confronted by the verdict of the jury. There is not one law for the poor man and another law for the rich man.

"The jury has not only said that Mr. Brown was negligently guilty. It has gone further, and says that he did this act with corrupt intent and corrupt purpose. That is what the court must deal with. It is not a pleasant duty, but it is one that must be performed.

"I sentence the prisoner to pay a fine of $250 and his part of the cost, and to hard labor on the public roads of this county for twelve months."

The court-room audience had crowded around the rail to hear the sentence.

There was silence for a moment. Then Mr. Purnell arose.

"And from that judgment," he said, "the defendant does appeal."—News and Observer.

OFFICERS OF THE EAST CAROLINA.

Fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Association.

President: Wm. Dunn New Berne, N. C.

Vice-Presidents: E. H. Meadows, Joel Kinsey, W. G. Brinson, of Craven county.

Board of Directors: J. A. Meadows, J. A. Bryan, G. H. Roberts, T. A Green, Geo. Henderson, G. N. Ives, C. E. Foy, W. P. Burrus, Ralph Gray, O. H. Guion, W. H. Bray, H. A. Whiting, P. H. Pelletier, W. F. Crockett, J. W. Stewart.

Secretary: Chas. Reizenstein, New Berne, N. C.

Treasurer: P. H. Pelletier, New Bern, N. C.

Board of Managers: M. Manly, J. K. Willis, R. S. Primrose, S. L. Street and R. P. Williams.

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Vice-Presidents or Advisory Board, H C Fosche, J C Parker, J B Banks, and Lewis Benum, Jones county.

Dr. R W Ward, D S Aman, J W Mills, and Col. S B Taylor, Onslow county.

A L Stowe, and Capt. Thos Mann, Dare county.

Arnold Borden, J E Robinson, W F Kornegay, and Chas. Dewey, Wayne county.

J M Mann, T H B Gibbs, Robt. Walsh, Julian Mann, and Dr. S Credle, Hyde county.

W H Dail, J D Grimsley, D V Dixon, W D Exum, and G W Sugg, Green County.

Maj. W A Blount, J R Hodges, and John Havens, Beaufort county.

W T Caho, C H Fowler, Dr. D H Abbott, W H Sawyer, and George Dees, Pamlico county.

Thos. J Jarvis, F Harding, and J L Tucker, Pitt county.

W S Chadwick, S L Davis, J R Bell, A Lee and W L Arendell, Carteret county.

W L Kennedy, L Harvey, Dempsey Wood, J W Mewborne, J W Grainger, and W S Herbert, Lenoir county.

Ayer's Hair Vigor is certainly a remarkable preparation and nothing like it has ever been produced. No matter how wiry and unmanageable the hair may be, under the influence of this uncomparable dressing, it becomes soft, silky, and pliable to the comb and brush.

FAIR SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

Donated by Business Houses.

To be Awarded to Exhibitors at the East Carolina Fair, New Berne, N. C. February 24th to 29, 1896.

The following valuable and useful special premiums are given upon the responsibility of the parties donating them.

By E. W. Smallwood, Hardware, 1 set Knives and Forks for best rag carpet.

By Mark Disosway, Dealer in Liquors, $2.00 to be divided in four parts, awarded in Children's Department.

By Roberts & Bro., Grocers, 1 sack Diadem flour for best tub oysters.

By E. E. Harper, Editor Journal, 1 years subscription to Weekly Journal on best each of the following products: one bushel or half bushel sweet potatoes for best bushel or half bushel turnips for best bushel or half bushel rutabagas for best bushel or half bushel corn for best exhibit of apples.

By H. B. Duffy, 1 pair Ladies Fine Shoes.

By S. Cohn & Son, Batchers $1.00 for best trio Bantams.

By J. A. Jones, Livery, 1 plush carriage robe.

By F. S. Duffy Medicine Co., 1 bottle Cough Killer 25c., 1 bottle Pain Destroyer 25c., 1 bottle Diarrhoea Cordial 25c., 1 bottle Tonic Mixture 50c., 1 bottle Kidney and Liver Regulator 50c., 1 box Tonic Ague Pills 25c., 1 box Anti Bilious Pills 25c., 1 box Itch Ointment 25c., all for the best labeled Oysters.

By F. S. Duffy, Druggist, 1 lb Triple Ext. White Rose in Fancy work department.

By W. B. Swindell & Co., 1 pair Zeigler Ladies Shoes.

By New Berne Candy Factory, 5 pounds of Fine Candy.

By I. Ulrich, Wholesale Grocer, 50 pounds flour, do 50 pounds flour, do 50 pounds flour, do 50 pounds flour, do 50 pounds flour.

By J. J. Baxter, Dry Goods, 1 pair E. P. Reed's Ladies Shoes.

By S. K. Eaton, Jeweler, 1 solid silver spoon do 1 pickle castor do 1 pepper and salt.

By W. P. Jones, Furniture Dealer 1 parlor suite.

By Duffy & Lewis, Grocers, 1 set Cloud, metal and parlor vases.

By A. J. Smith, Dry Goods, 1 pair men's shoes.

By M. Hahn & Co., Livery, 1 saddle.

By J. W. Stewart, Livery, 1 Eng. bridle and martingal.

By L. H. Carter & Co., Hardware, 1 plow.

By J. H. Hackburn, Grocer, $2.00.

By J. R. Parker Jr., Grocer, 1 barrel Gold Medal flour for best display of corn.

By A. E. Hibbard Jeweler, 1 Silver Thimble.

By J. M. Howard, Clothier, 1 Silk Umbrella for Floral Department.

By R. Berry, Druggist, 1 Book of Poems for a special piece of fancy work.

By J. J. Tolson, Grocer, 1 Bowl and Pitcher.

By Hackburn & Willett, Dealers in Ladies fine Dress Goods and Shoes, 1 barrel Royal Crown flour, for best bread and rolls, made from Royal Crown flour bought from them, certificate of purchase to be shown.

By Hackburn & Willett, 1 handsome Fish Set, for best and largest display of brandied fruit.

By E. H. & J. A Meadows Co., 1000 lbs. Meadows' Special Guano for the largest yield of Fall crop Irish Potatoes on one acre, crop 1895, grown with Meadows' Guano.

By J. C. Whitty & Co., Hardware, 1 Lever Feed Cutter, for best yielk Crab Grass Hay.

By John Dunn, Grocer and Confectioner, 1 barrel flour.

By D. F. Jarvis, Dry Goods 1 handsome Parasol, for finest display of Decorated China.

By D. F. Jarvis, 1 pair Kid Gloves, for best cake, by girl of twelve or under.

By D. F. Jarvis, 1 handsome rug for best collection of plants by young lady.

By James Redmond, $5.00, Floral Department.

By N. S. Richardson & Son, 2 packages printed visiting cards.

By New Berne Bargain House, Dry Goods, 1 rug.

By Mrs. S H. Dane Millinery, 1 pair Kid Gloves in childrens department.

By Mrs. Janie Berry, Millinery and Fancy Goods, 1 Moquet Rug for best Harriton Lace work done in 1895.

By John Sater, Furniture Dealer, 1 Rocker or Table, Floral Department.

By O. Marks Co., 1 fine silk umbrella value $5; 1 Thompson's glove fitting Corset, value, $5; 1 pair Drew Sibly & Co's Ladies fine shoes value $5.

Pratt Food Company, Philadelphia, Pa., offer the following special Premiums, which will be on exhibition and awarded by the committee at the time of the Fair to the winners of the same.

For the best cock B. B R. Game Fowls, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best cock Barred Plymouth Rock, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best Hen Langshang Fowls, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best cock Light Brahmas, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best hen Buff Cochins, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best Pair of Bronze Turkeys, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best cock Silver Wyandotte Fowls, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best hen American Dominiques, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best cock B. B. R. Game Bantams, 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

For the best hen of Golden Duckwing Bantams 5-lb. package Pratts Poultry Food.

Died.

Mrs. Clarissa Gaskill, of Harkers, Island, aged 24 years, died Tuesday night. She is the mother of Capt. Howard Gaskill of the Lookout Life Saving Station and Messrs. Jno. and Anson Gaskill. She was a member of the Methodist church for a great number of years, was a woman admired for her goodness piety.

The Herald extends its sympathy to the bereaved.—Beauford Herald Jan. 16.

"A PERFECT PARADISE"

That Settlers from the West Announce their Sunny Southern Home.

During the Nebraska volume of 1894, breadstuffs aggregating upwards of $50,000 worth was shipped from the South as contributions to the relief of the distressed community.

These generous responses to the appeals of their unfortunate fellow countrymen caused attention to be drawn to the fact that the South was producing nearly one-half the total corn crop of the country and that its cribs and meat houses were filled to over flowing—enough for all and some to spare for others.

The outcome of this was, investigation started good immigration from that section southward, and deep impression which is resulting beneficially to the South was then made upon thousands and tens of thousands. Influences not thought of at the time were set at work which will flow on and on, doubtless gathering strength as they proceed.

A striking illustration of this influence is the case of the great colonization work which is now being carried on in Georgia in the settlement of 100,000 acres of land purchased by the Grand Army colony. Mr. P. H Fitzgerald, the organizer of the movement and President of the Soldier Colony Co., tells in a letter under date of Dec. 30, to the Manufactures Record of Baltimore of his delight at the results of the settlement in the following words:

Members are satisfied and everything working harmoniously. Over 500 dwellings are now in course of erection with 60.00 of the advance guard now upon the lands. With a membership of over 54,000 people we have passed the question of success, and the only question now bothering us is to know where to get lands enough to place them on. Within the next two or three years, South Georgia, within the domain of the colony, will be a perfect paradise, for our people are going at it with a will, and with the intention of making future homes.

Your efforts have been the means of locating, at least, our colony, and I want to give you the credit for it.

With best wishes, I am,
Loyally yours,
P. H. FITZGERALD,
President Colony Co.

The Record commenting on the letter says,

"The great movement of population is commanding wide attention everywhere. It has started many thousands of others coming to the South, and soon hundreds of thousands of people a year will be crowding into this favored land."

The South is full of just such charming locations, North Carolina abounds in them. When the millionaire, Vanderbilt, wanted the finest private mansion in the country and most ideally located, North Carolina was the State in which he found the picturesqueness that was just what he wanted, and from the mountains to the seashore there is beauty, variety and fertility enough to please and delight all.

The East is specially noted for its mild climate and early seasons. Even in midwinter, farming operations are carried on. The visitors who for the first time see the agricultural display at the annual exhibitions of the East Carolina Fair are astonished at the forwardness of trucking operations at such a season of the year.

Those who are interested either in finding a pleasant southern home or in finding opportunities for investment are invited to be present at the ninth annual exhibition of this Fair, which will be held in New Berne the entire week beginning Monday February 24, and ending Saturday February 29.

LARGE NAVAL STORE BUSINESS

In the Neighborhood of Hubert—New Berne's Good Standing With the Onslow People as a Market.

Rev. I. L. Henderson, a local Methodist minister, of Hubert, Onslow county, has been up to the city for a few days trading.

In addition to the farming and grist mill business which Mr. Henderson has been conducting, he has now embarked in the mercantile business. He commenced that a little before Christmas, and we are glad to hear he is making out pretty well with it. He not only keeps in variety the general assortment usually found in country stores, but he purchases country produce paying special attention to naval stores, buying for the New Berne market and in particular for Maj. A. R. Dennison.

Hubert is a few miles below Swansboro. The distance along Brown sound between Swansboro and New River is twenty-five miles, and Mr. Henderson informs us that in that length of territory, between fifteen and twenty thousand barrels of turpentine are made every year. He tells us furthermore the very agreeable fact to know that the people of Swansboro county are firmly attached to New Berne as a naval store market, because they have always found the buyers are willing to pay the highest market prices for whatever they send or bring.

While here Mr. Henderson laid in additional supplies of groceries, hardware, furniture and drygoods renewed his subscription to THE JOURNAL and placed an advertisement in the WEEKLY. He rightly wants to let the people see what he is ready to do for them.

Negro Infanticide in Onslow.

Our Swansboro, Onslow county, correspondent writes us the following:

Mary Lamb, an unmarried colored woman, gave birth to a child; it died and was buried.

A few days afterwards news leaked out that she had murdered the child, and on last Saturday, the coroner, Mr. B. L. Kellum, was summoned, a jury was formed, and the child dug up. The inquest will take place.

The jury was composed of J. A. Pittman, D. G. Ward, M. W. Heady, Ed. W. Morton, Maj Russell and Jas. M. Ambrose, col, with Dr. F. H. Blount as medical examiner.

The jury, on Saturday evening found the negro woman, Mary Lamb, guilty of murder. Dipenty sheriff H. A. Jarman came down from Jacksonville and carried her to jail there.

The jury found the skull of the child broken and their verdict was, that they believed the child was killed, and from the evidence given, the mother did it.

The murder was committed on the 15th of last December, and the body was exhumed last Saturday. It was in perfect condition—not decayed at all.

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SWANSBORO CORRESPONDENCE.

News of the Village and Neighboring Country.

Misses Lely and Mary Cheesman and Gertrude Wheadey, of Beaufort, and Miss Elma Howard, of Crab Point, Carteret county, are in town visiting and they are having a huge time.

There was a big dance at Capt. Mart Jones' last Thursday night. Eop's Jess Davis and Geo. Hill made a fine for the occasion on harps and violins.

There was another dance at Mr. A. D. Freshwaters Friday night, near here. W. M. Russell Esq., and Mr. C. Foreman made the music.

Capt Bill Dennis of the Steamer Louise in New river came home last Saturday to see his family. Capt. Bill looks well.

The girls have something new here now to amuse them, a croquet club; they play night and day, hardly stop to eat or drink. Misses Mary Moore our boy-girl bird hunter; Carrie Ward and Sue Pittman, are the bosses, we believe.

The sharpie Bessie Ellis, Capt. E. Sewell, and C. Hay, Capt. C. Davis, cleared last Friday for New Berne with naval stores, cotton, eggs, chickens, &c.

The three mast schooner, George Howes, Capt. J. Beveridge, is in port loading with lumber from the Swansboro Lumber Co. for Northern markets. The schooner Dyer Capt David Ireland, cleared last week with lumber, from the same mill. Messrs. Prettyman and Palmore, the proprietors of the mill, are genuine hustlers and we don't know what we and the people would do without them.

Rev'd. D. Reid preached a good sermon at Queen's creek church last Sunday to a big congregation. We were there and noticed people from a long distance off, some from Carteret county and Beaufort town. Mr. Reid preached for us here at night. The church was filled, and in our judgment it was the best Sermon we ever heard him Preach. Brother Reid baptized little Ellie Louise, daughter of Rev. I. N. Henderson and wife.

Clams are a good price—15 cents per bushel here, and 15 cent per bushel in Morehead so we hear. Every boy and some of the girls are clammings now "for wire fence the longest."

Maysville Correspondence.

Mr. A. B. Smith of Pollocksville was in town last week.

Miss Marriotte Betts of New Berne came down Monday to take charge of the school.

Mr. D. C. McCotter, salesman for Stepen Parmer & Co., of Richmond, Va., spent Sunday our town.

Our townsman Mr. Geo. P. Rogers has gone to South Carolina to see his brother who is very ill.

Mess. David Ward, John Pittman and Nash Dennis of Swansboro, stopped over several hours on their way to New Berne.

Our village was visited on Monday by Dr G. R. Hughes of Pollocksville en route to see Mrs D. S. Aman whom we are pleased to learn is much better.

Mr. H. T. Wright, formerly of Pollocksville, but now of Suffolk Va. was in town Monday, also Mr. Tommie Simmons of New Berne en route to Wilmington on insurance business.

Mess. C. H. Foy and R. F. Wooten, two of our townsmen made a flying trip to New Berne.

Mr. C. D. Foy Jr., has gone into tobacco culture with Mr. C. H. Mattocks, who has had several years experience both in cultivation and manufacture of tobacco. From what we have learned Mr. Mattocks is well posted (on this), and it is thought that those throughout this section intend planting tobacco this year would do well to see him as they would most likely obtain some valuable information.

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