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LAST WEEK'S HURRICANE.

The West Indian Hurricane which visited this section last week, was notable for its destructiveness and duration.

So far as the weather bureau forecasts were concerned they were more "at sea" than the hurricane, and after the prediction of the hurricane's coming to Eastern North Carolina, it was left to the judgment of the people to shift for themselves, if they wished to escape destruction.

A feature of the storm was the length and severity of the wind when it came from the northwest, after starting and blowing in a hurricane manner from the east and northeast.

The last part of the storm came from the northwest and was the worst of all. The change in the quarter of the wind, according to all reports, from northeast to northwest, wrought the destruction on the coast, especially on the Banks, as the tide which had been blown in was suddenly by the shifting of the wind blown out again, rolling in great volumes of water over the Banks.

The change in the wind after the second day of the storm no doubt deceived many of those on the sounds as the change ordinarily would indicate that the storm was passing, when as it proved the worst was to come.

Several boats which had sought shelter from the northeaster came out, only to be caught by the northwester.

In the JOURNAL'S local columns is the recital of some of the disasters, the full extent of the loss of life and damage to property will not be known for days, as the news travels slowly from the wrecked district, it being remote from the telegraph and any regular route of travel.

The storm as a whole will be long remembered in Eastern Carolina, both on account of its character and severity. It upset local calculations after Wednesday, commencing Tuesday a. m. and lasting until Friday p. m., and it simply remained a question when it would end.

The damage has been great enough, with loss of life, property and crops, it did not wreck everything, but in the wrecked portions it carried away all before.

JIM CROW LINE IN COURT.

In the report of the Criminal Court proceedings, published in this issue of the JOURNAL, will be noted a motion of somewhat unusual character, and yet its approval by the Judge, presiding, and prompt adoption, shows that it was a motion well made.

The motion was made by D. L. Ward, Esq., a leading lawyer of the New Bern bar, that the white and colored people who attended the court sessions, should be separated, and Judge Dossey Battle promptly made it an order of court that places should be reserved for whites and blacks separately in the court room.

This is an order well made, and one which will be heartily approved by the public who attend court.

It is not merely a rule which shall emphatically preserve class distinction, but one which will preserve class comfort.

During the session of the Criminal Court, especially, and quite often during the sessions of the Superior Court, the audience part of the court house becomes crowded, and whites and blacks are crowded together regardless of comfort or health.

That such a promiscuous huddling together is demoralizing, there can be no question, and not merely demoralizing, but it is very offensive, as much so as the indiscriminate crowding together of whites and blacks in passenger trains.

This color line may not be found necessary in every county court house, as it is in Craven county, but it ought to be drawn throughout eastern North Carolina.

What is the use of enforcing the Jim Crow Car law, alone?

The time is here for a distinct drawing of the color line, and let it run through everything and everywhere the two races can each be decently served by a separation, for thereby will both classes be individually benefitted.

Both Mr. Ward, for his motion, and Judge Battle for his approval and enactment of it, deserve the thanks of this community, and as other counties follow Craven's lead they will also thank these gentlemen for the separate court house law.

THE PARAMOUNT DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL ISSUE.

The attempt to relegate or subordinate free silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, as the main issue in the next Democratic National platform, is being kept up by well intentioned Democratic politicians and newspapers.

The purpose of this, however sincere and honest it may, is probably to afford an opportunity at the next Democratic National Convention of all classes of Democrats getting together, making the gold Democrats welcome, where if the main issue, 16 to 1, and the Chicago platform, were to be offered there might be important absences of Democrats.

Imperialism and Trusts, have been offered to lead, instead of free silver, but with the Philippine insurrection going on, the issue of imperialism would not have much force, while as to trusts the chances are that the Republicans will cry as lustily against them as will the Democrats.

William Jennings Bryan, declares daily, wherever he may be, that the silver question is to be the main issue of the Democratic party next year.

In North Carolina, Chairman Simmons declares 16 to 1 ought to be the main issue in 1900, and the News Observer, the official organ on National Democratic affairs, declares for free silver as strongly as it did in 1896.

In the modified line, the free silver papers, those most anxious for 16 to 1, in 1896, are fully as eager for it as the chief issue in 1900, as ever they were in 1896.

With all this showing where is the use for anything but public amusement, that so far as National affairs are concerned, W. J. Bryan is the Democratic nominee for President, and the issue is 16 to 1 in silver coinage ratio?

On this matter the Raleigh Post says, editorially

"And we are frank to say, that with the sentiments prevailing among so very large a number of the people, specially as regards this silver question, notwithstanding the result of the last election, it may be well that the question should again come squarely before the country, and be settled.

But as to the fight, whether wise or otherwise, we are going to have it, with silver as the main issue."

And also the Charlotte News in this connection, says

"Bryan is going to be the nominee, and it behooves every Democrat, regardless of his opinions on the money question, to bow to the inevitable and lend his influence for success of the ticket. It is time to stop fixing about Bryan and platform Democrats. This is a free country and if a man does not like the platform of his party or its candidate he can go to another party, but Democrats are becoming disgusted with the fellows who claim to be Democrats and use the standing secured by this claim to disturb party harmony and encompass party defeat."

All this is a rather long notice for those Democrats who may wish to think or express themselves differently on the coming campaign, and is a decided cut off so far as discussions on Presidential nominee and platform are concerned.

As for the political aspirants for office it makes their work easy, they need fear no future crow eating but can at once shout for Bryan and free silver.

The "handful" of gold Democrats were not considered in 1896, and very likely they will not be in 1900, so they will probably still associate by themselves.

And so with the danger of crow eating eliminated, let Democracy push along towards 1900, and have Bryan and silver to overthrow McKinley and Gold.

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Pig Got Well.

A schoolmaster in a village school had been in the habit of purchasing pork from parents of his pupils on the occasion of the killing of the pig. One day a small boy marched up to the master's desk and inquired "if he would like a bit of pork, as they were going to kill their pig." The schoolmaster replied in the affirmative. Several days having elapsed, and hearing nothing of the pork, the master called the boy up to him and inquired the reason he had not brought it. "Oh," pleasantly, the boy replied, "mother got well."

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"Helava.

The next dictionary ought to contain many new words, among them the word "helava." When a man sneaks around town until 2 o'clock in the morning and then gets up with a headache like a molasses barrel and a breath like a slaughter house, he always says he has a helava time. The word is coined and should have a place in the dictionary.

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of a little daughter and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw in an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious that every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me days and days of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering. Yours truly, MRS. GEORGE F. BURDICK, Liberty, K. I. For sale by F. S. Duffy & Co.

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Locke Craig [illegible] ers. He was [illegible] speech. At [illegible] Justice for [illegible]

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