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RALEIGH.

Fever Introduced Into Cattle By Ticks.

San Jose Scale from New Jersey. Military Ordered Out at Waynesville. War Department Claims Negroes Go North.

RALEIGH, N. C., August 28. The efforts of the commissioner of agriculture to secure a lower rate of postage on the Monthly Bulletin have all failed. The August number is an admirable one. It contains a list of 600 manufacturers, exclusive of cotton mills, of which the list was published in this correspondence a fortnight ago.

The agricultural department is advised of an outbreak of splenic fever in a head of cattle in Richmond county. At present the State veterinarian is somewhere in the vicinity of Murphy. The board of agriculture finds that the first brood of cattle ticks began hatching early in April in this part of the State and the second brood by the middle of June. It is found that practically all the cattle which have died in the State this year have died of this tick or splenic fever. The losses so far investigated aggregate thousands of dollars. Losses in the Black Mountain range, at \$15 per head, aggregate \$1,500. Investigation shows clearly that the regulation prohibiting traffic in tick-infested cattle is the only means of combating the spread of the fever. It was said the other day at Hendersonville in a talk by the veterinarians to cattlemen, to be very careful and at the same time legal, to prevent the bringing in of cattle from South Carolina into that territory.

The crop pest commission finds that the San Jose scale was introduced into the peach orchards in the Southern Pines section in 1892, by cheap nursery stock bought in New Jersey. About 200,000 trees are more or less imported and nearly 100,000 have been cut down and burned. The condition of the other orchards there is yet far from satisfactory.

Governor Russell received the following telegram, dated Waynesville, from Solicitor J. W. Ferguson, of the twelfth district: "Burt Smith confined in jail here on the charge of rape, is threatened to be lynched. Sheriff asks that Waynesville military company be placed at his disposal." To this Governor Russell at once replied through Col. J. C. L. Harris, acting assistant adjutant general: "Capt. Thomas H. Stringfield, commanding Company H, First Regiment, Waynesville: You are commanded to assemble your company under arms and report to the sheriff at once and execute his orders in protecting Burt Smith from mob violence. You will preserve the peace and uphold the civil law."

The corporation commission is advised that next week the Piedmont Savings Bank, of Winston, Salem, will open its doors. T. J. Brown, president and L. W. Peggam, cashier.

The revenue collector says there are now 20 registered whiskey distilleries in this district. He was asked to say how many illicit ones there are, but declined to say.

The Baptist Female University will have as physician to the college, Miss Della Dixon, of Shelby. Dr. Della Dixon is very talented and comes very highly recommended. She comes as professor of physiology and hygiene and resident physician at the college.

A batch of claims of the State against the War Department on account of last year's mobilization of volunteers is allowed, aggregating \$12,327. Among the larger items are these: Southern Railway, transportation, \$1,750; S. A. L. \$1,744; W. & W. \$123; Capt. Gray J. Toole, subsistence, \$312. Claims amounting to \$9,166 are held up or suspended. Congress will have to pass a relief bill for the latter.

Fifteen negroes have left here to go to New York State to work in a brick yard. They are promised \$1.25 and \$1.50 per day.

In Wilkes county John Wagoner and his father in law, James Nelson, got into a dispute when the former struck the latter on the head with a stick, killing him instantly.

The chestnut crop will be a very light one. Only few trees are bearing, and none had a heavy crop in all of a large area.

Men who saw the convicts who escaped from the penitentiary last Monday running declare there were seven of them. They have been seen by a dozen people. Comment is made that the penitentiary guards should have pursued them at once and that there was really fear of the convicts, who were no doubt armed.

The following members of the committee appointed to draft the constitution and by-laws for the North Carolina Democratic Press Association met here. There were present: H. A. Lendon, chairman; J. A. Thomas, J. S. Fagan, C. L. Abernethy, R. M. Fortman and C. P. Sapp. It was decided that the object of the association shall be to disseminate true Democratic principles and to secure the supremacy of the Democratic party and that any editor or publisher of a Democratic paper in North Carolina supporting the adopted Democratic principles, platform and nominees may become a member. The association is called to meet here on Tuesday during the State Fair in October.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

Results of Saturday's Baseball Games. Special to Journal.

Cincinnati, August 26--Washington, 4; Cincinnati, 11.
Chicago, August 26--Brooklyn, 10; Chicago, 6.
St. Louis, August 26--Philadelphia, 5; St. Louis, 4.
Louisville, August 26--Baltimore, 1; Louisville, 6.
Pittsburg, August 26--Boston Pittsburg, 10.
Cleveland, August 26--New York, 2; Cleveland, 1. Five innings, rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs.	W.	L.	P. Ct.
Brooklyn	72	35	.678
Boston	67	42	.615
Philadelphia	63	44	.591
Baltimore	61	43	.584
St. Louis	61	50	.557
Cincinnati	59	48	.551
Chicago	56	51	.520
Pittsburg	55	56	.495
Louisville	49	59	.454
New York	47	59	.443
Washington	36	72	.333
Cleveland	19	95	.167

Irritating stings, bites, scratches wounds and cuts soothed and healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A sure and safe application for tormented flesh. Beware of counterfeits. F. S. Duffy.

All London is Parched.

LONDON, August 29.—London and the whole south of England are still suffering under a merciless, untempered tropical sun. The present drought has been unequalled for 70 years.

But for the exceptional rainfall in the winter and spring the effects would be far more serious. As it is, the country is no longer green, but parched and yellow.

Weils are giving out in the villages dependent on them. The Thames is lower than for 50 years, and cannot much longer furnish sufficient supplies for the London water companies, while the Lea, which runs through the most populous and poorest district in the East End, is described by the sanitary officers as merely an open sewer.

Quickly cure constipation and rebuild and invigorate the entire system—never gripe or nauseate. DeWitt's Little Early Risers. F. S. Duffy.

THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Today's quotations furnished by Lewis A. May & Co., New York, Represented by A. O. Newberry.

NEW YORK, August 28.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	154 1/2	155 1/2	153 1/2	154 1/2
Am. Tobacco	129 1/2	132 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Reading	62 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
U. S. T. Co.	50	50 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Gen. Elec.	104	104 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2
S. B. & Q.	136 1/2	137 1/2	135 1/2	136 1/2
N. P.	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
S. P.	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2
G. T. P.	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2
B. K. T.	104 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2
A. S. & W.	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
E. C. I.	97 1/2	97 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2
M. O. P.	50 1/2	51 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Wab. Pfd.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2

COTTON.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
January	6 14	6 21	6 12	6 20
Oct. Cotton	6 00	6 05	5 97	6 05

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
September	70 1/2	70 1/2	70	70
December	72 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2

GRAIN.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
September	31 1/2	31 1/2	31	31
December	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2

PERFECT NEWS.

Since the terrible storm of last week the weather has been beautiful and the farmers are hustling, gathering the fragments of fodder that remain.

The tobacco men of this community are nearly through curing and grading. Some report good while others were damaged by the storm. Among the successful are L. F. Avery who has planted, cured and graded his own tobacco with the aid of his own family. Says there is money in it.

Good Old Uncle Sam has given us a dally mail which proves to be a source of convenience to the entire community only think of getting mail three times a week remind us of long years ago when there were no railroads, nor steam boats.

I had the pleasure of calling on Mrs. W. B. Lane yesterday afternoon and found her convalescing, and fully trust she will soon be well again.

Mr. Green Blyen of your city, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lane.

Mrs. Mattie Low and son Deanie, of Goldsboro, are visiting relatives and friends in this community. M. A.

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THE CRUELTY CASE.

The Mistreatment of Convicts at the Roanoke Farm.

Insects Doing Much Damage Work For All Tobacco Pictures Damage Suit Railroad Stock For Sale.

RALEIGH, August 28.—The revelations by the legislative investigating committee of the horrible cruelty to convicts on the farm on Roanoke river, of which Lewis Sumnerell is supervisor, causes a profound sensation. Sumnerell is a Populist. Before he secured the appointment as supervisor, at the hands of the Fusionists, one of the latter, who really procured the appointment for him, made some inquiries of Sumnerell regarding rumors that he was cruel and vindictive. Sumnerell said these were lies—all lies. Only a few days ago Superintendent Day characterized the statements as to Sumnerell in the same language, only more vigorous. Governor Russell is very angry, it is said, at the revelations of cruelty. Now the question is, What will be done with Sumnerell? From the sworn statement of D. S. Russell, who was Sumnerell's steward in 1898, it appears that one man was beaten to death on Sumnerell's farm. Another was beaten so he could not get out of bed for two weeks, was left without food for two days and was denied medical attention. Numerous others were, he says, beaten in the most brutal manner, and were, some of them, disabled for days.

The voluminous paper on the State's side was prepared in the case involving the power of the corporation commission to increase the assessed value of the railway properties \$10,000,000, which comes up before Judge Simonton at Asheville, September 13. It will be the most important case of the year. J. C. L. Harris prepared the case for the Governor. Charles A. Cook is his associate, while H. G. Connor and Simmons, Poy & Ward are counsel for the corporation commission.

The Commissioner of Agriculture says that never before has he heard so many complaints of damage to crops by insects, particularly by the army worm to corn. It was thought that the excessive cold of the winter would kill most of the insects, but the long rains of the spring appear to have caused the insects to thrive and multiply.

Work is now actively in progress on both the Alumni Building and the Julian S. Carr Building at the University of North Carolina. Both buildings will be of first quality brick. The designs are striking. Colonel Carr adds \$3,000 to his gift of \$15,000 for his memorial building, in order to provide for its completion. The buildings are to be slate-roofed, with ridges of red tiles.

The demand for labor by the railways and the building trades are greater here than ever. An idle man is the victim of only his own laziness. There is work for all, and more. Railway people say they daily receive inquiries as to the prospects of securing laborers here.

Secretary Beaver, of the agricultural department, has gone to Person county to photograph the growing tobacco, the photographs to be shown at the Paris Exposition. It is said there is tobacco in Robeson county even finer than that in Person.

It is learned that George Green, clerk of the United States Court at New Bern, went to see Judge Purnell at Asheville this week. It is said that if the judge has notified Fortson that the latter will be removed, then the removal will certainly be made. The judge has the whip hand in the matter.

Some improvements are being made at the Academy of Music. Another exit has been provided. More stage room is needed.

A conservative estimate is made that the lack of rain will cut off at least one-third of the corn crop of Guilford county.

Mr. J. A. Barringer, as counsel for M. M. Wagoner, administrator, has brought suit against the Southern Railway for \$25,000 as damages for the killing of Mr. Wagoner's son, William, who was a brakeman on the Southern.

At an adjourned meeting of the city council of Durham it was agreed to offer for sale its \$100,000 worth of stock in the Durham & Northern Railroad. They will advertise for sealed bids. The road is doing a large and constantly increasing freight business and its stock should be a good investment.

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Dismal Swamp Canal Open.
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"ACCEPT ALL MEN AS LIARS."

A Past Master in the Art Criticizes the Journal's Recent Editorial on Editors.

In reading Friday's JOURNAL I was struck by the words at the head of this communication as used in the editorial of that day. With characteristic editorial modesty(?) the impression was apparently sought to be conveyed that "All men are liars—except we Editors," and this attempt indicated such effrontery, such colossal, adamant cheek, that I felt impelled to knock the props from under any such glaring attempt and prove that the reading should be, "All Editors are liars." Commencing at home, it is only necessary to collate and republish a few of the items that have from time to time appeared in the JOURNAL, to establish the fact that our "home institution" is not a whit behind its contemporaries, and occupies a high place in the "Great and Mighty Universal Order of Ananias."

The following illustrations of mendacity are culled at random, with no special effort to reproduce the worst, and after reading them we ask a candid community and an awestruck moral conscience if they do not fully establish our contention.

Only a few days ago the following appeared: "Yesterday, a man weak, decrepit, apparently in the last stages of consumption was seen to totter across Craven street; his feeble condition excited the sympathies of the passers by, and many a look of commiseration was given him."

As he approached the Government Building he eyed it in a wondrous and covetous manner, and quickly reaching out his hands, lifted the building from its foundations, and slipping it under his coat started up the street at a rapid pace in marked contrast to his previous languid gait.

The lynx eyed and ever vigilant officer, Breck Dixon, saw the bold attempt to rob the Government and deprive us of a much needed institution, and giving rapid chase soon overhauled the robber, who was somewhat handicapped by the weight of his prize, and soon had him in custody.

Returning to the scene of the theft, the building was put back where it belonged and the culprit taken to police headquarters there to answer for his bold theft."

Isn't that a nice specimen of truthfulness? Journalism.

And this: "While Officer Montague was patrolling Queen street yesterday, he saw a man apparently at work on the Coast Line track, assuming that he was an employe engaged in repairs, he paid little attention to him, until he observed him lift a bar of railroad iron from its place, and deliberately inserting it in his mouth proceeded to use it as a tooth pick."

Considering this a somewhat strange and unusual proceeding the officer approached the man, who for the first time caught sight of the stern guardian of the law, whereupon he dropped the rail and started to run, but was soon in the clutches of the brave officer, and was quickly taken before Mayor Patterson to explain his idiosyncrasy."

That seems like a truthful and probable happening, doesn't it? Or this:

"One day last week, while Capt. Nick Jones of the steamer Howard was bringing his boat down Trent river, and when a few miles below Pollockville the boat suddenly came to a full stop although being propelled eight miles an hour. This was a very unusual occurrence and investigation showed that a shoal of alligators blocked the way, being an impenetrable mass through which it was impossible to force the boat."

In a little while, much to the fear of the captain and crew the reptiles commenced climbing up on the deck of the boat one after the other, running across the deck to the other side, and again sliding off into the water. It seemed as though they were playing a game of "follow your leader" or "tag" and keeping the sport up for an hour or more, seemed to enjoy it immensely. At the expiration of this time they seemed to tire of their play, and diving to the bottom permitted the boat to proceed on its way, very much to the relief of the captain and his men who did not at all relish the vicinity of such a vast number of monster Saurlians.

Now was not that a nice story for a Sunday school book? But here is another.

"Some days ago Mr. Matt Smith the clever and capable superintendent of the Water Works plant, ever watchful and vigilant, got the impression that there was a slight leak in the bottom of the stand pipe. Being unwilling to deprive the city of a full supply of water even for a minute, which would result if the pipe was emptied in order to examine the bottom from the inside, and yet anxious to investigate freely he prepared some trestles and a platform about four

feet from the ground, he called to his assistance his brawny colored fireman, and by the exercise of their united full strength they lifted the stand pipe and its contents onto the platform previously arranged, and Mr. Smith was thus enabled to fully and carefully examine the bottom of the reservoir which he found to be in good condition and all right."

When it is remembered that this stand pipe is made of heavy boiler plate is one hundred and twenty feet high and contained at the time one hundred and eighty thousand gallons of water, the feat of lifting it was no inconsiderable exhibition of muscular power.

Such a plain and unvarnished tale commends itself readily to one's highest conception of veracity, and ranks with George Washington's hatchet story.

The following has some little semblance of truth because the hero of the story is quick and smart and it requires something quicker to keep up with him, but—hear it:

"The other evening during the violent thunder storm that visited our city, a singular occurrence took place at the electric light plant.

Supt. Williams while watching the movements of the dynamo saw a current of electricity spring from one of them directly toward him; hastily jumping to avoid it, he was surprised to notice that it continued pursue him, and for five minutes there was a game of lightning chasing a man, and he by his nimble action escaping it. The current of electricity became tired of the fun, gave it up as a bad job, returned to the dynamo and your Uncle Richard resumed his chair.

It has got to be a swift current of electricity that can get up with Richard Patrick."

The only apparent element of truth in all these excerpts from recent issues of the JOURNAL is the last paragraph of the lightning incident; all the others are so improbable that they tax the belief of the most credulous, and yet, the editor complacently remarks "all men are liars," and would have you believe that he is not one of 'em.

I deem this expose timely, and needed in justice to the rest of us. J. S. M.

[The Editor of this paper sticks to his contention, "accept all men as liars, might not be an inappropriate motto for an Editor's sanctum," and if justification were needed one has but to read the foregoing issue of lies conceived by a "past master of the art," and who's without doubt since the days of Manichausen, the biggest liar of them all. It is needless to say that none of the alleged items ever appeared in this paper before.—EDITOR.]

Hamilton Clark, of Channery, Ga., says he suffered with itching piles twenty years before trying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worthless and dangerous counterfeits. F. S. Duffy.

NOTICE!
Notice is hereby given the public that as a part of the following description is being held at Mr. John Pate's on Street's Ferry Road.

Description as follows: Red and white pitted saller fork the light ear and under bit the left. August 24th, 1899.

NOTICE, FORECLOSURE SALE.
In accordance with the terms, duties and powers of a certain deed of trust, made by M. H. Sultan, M. E. Sultan, H. Dannenberg, and E. Dannenberg to the undersigned and the Imperial Guaranty Company, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pamlico county in book 21, pages 416, etc. The debts therein referred to not having been paid and being in default.

I will sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in New Bern, at public auction, at 12 o'clock on Monday, August 28th, 1899, the lands conveyed in said deed. Lying in Pamlico county, on the north side of Neuse river and east side of Mill creek, it being the eastern part of the lands purchased by Ella Atkins and Wm. Salter from John O. Gardner and wife by deed bearing date Dec. 10, 1875, and recorded in book No 2 folios 371, 372, 373 and 374 of Pamlico county, known as the Benner's land formerly called the Roseville Farm and now known as the Arlington Farm, containing 700 acres more or less.

Subject to a certain mortgage deed executed to James Redmond dated October 24, 1892, for \$1,000 and interest thereon as may be due. W. D. McIVER, Trustee.

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