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## RALEIGH.

### Income Tax Law to be Strictly Enforced.

### King's Daughters on Reformatory Work. Condition State Institutions. Disappointed Nominees Seek New Party Formation. Democratic Field Work.

RALEIGH, August 25.—The corporation commission will rigidly enforce the income tax law. It will see that all federal office-holders whose incomes exceed \$1,000, pay it as other people do. The law is rigid. It makes no exceptions. None of the federal office holders have returned incomes for taxation.

Chairman McNeill told your correspondent the above today. He was then asked if the commission would virtually draft the next revenue act, and replied no, but that it would make both to the Governor and the legislature a full report making recommendations as to objects of taxation, and the best methods of raising taxes, etc. It will be the first report ever made and will of course be of the highest value. The commission also has this information in hand.

The King's Daughters will take active steps to push the reformatory movement. What is desired is a State aided reformatory, on a farm.

The State board recently appointed to visit, inspect and report to the Governor and the legislature the condition of all the State institutions met here today. Dr. J. P. Jeter of Morganton is its chairman and Capt. T. W. Patton of Asheville is the republican member.

Mention was made two weeks ago of the fact that several democrats who failed to get nominations in this county had started an independent movement and would have a mass meeting. Now they call this to be held Sept. 6. The regular nominees laugh at the movement. They may well do so. The independent movement which was attempted to be started in the State will be as flat a failure. It is hardly apt to last longer than the end of August.

There will in the next 30 days be a large increase in the rural free delivery routes in this State. There are six inspectors now at work in this State. This county will have six new routes within 30 days. One will be from Apex, one from Wakefield, and one from McCallers. This is quite a lively competition among the Congressmen to get the most routes.

It is said by commissioner of agriculture Patterson that there will be next term at the Agriculture and Mechanical College here five times as many agricultural students as there were 2 years ago. Active work is now in progress at Democratic State headquarters here. Secretary Field is sending out the appointments for speakers. A great deal is to be done in the next 60 days. The State will be thoroughly covered.

State baseball league officials met here last night to an accounting as to the funds on hand, to be divided among the three clubs which stayed in.

## Oriental Items.

Aug. 23.—The corn and cotton crops in this locality are very fine.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin and Mrs. Lucy Midyette and daughter went to Asheville Tuesday.

Messrs. A. Midyette and Ned DeLoar went to Baltimore recently.

Mrs. James D. Scott and children, left for Norfolk Monday.

Misses Rena Haidler and Margaret McLane have returned from Winthrop.

Mrs. Bailey and child of Norfolk are visiting relatives.

Dr. Bell left for Nags Head last week.

Miss Annie Howard has been visiting here.

Miss Lena Sanford of New Bern is visiting her aunt.

Mr. Tom Roberts was here on business this week.

R. and L.

## BRADHAM'S LAXATIVE CHILL AND FEVER TONIC

is a sure cure for Malaria in all its forms. It is a general tonic and can be given to children to improve and enrich the blood and regulate the digestive tract. Price 50c. No cure no pay. BRADHAM'S PHARMACY.

## Death of Mrs. F. S. Ernul.

Mrs. Rosa L. wife of Freeman S. Ernul, died at her home near Askin, Sunday, August 24th at 10 p. m.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. at the Klinton Free Press place copy.

## An Explanation.

The offer made in Sunday's Journal, under the heading of "A Challenge" to donate \$10.00 from the proceeds, to the Charity and Help Department of the Epworth League was done without the knowledge or consent of the League. The money could not be accepted.

T. J. W. Chown, Pres.

K. G. Richardson, Chm. of Charity and Help Dept

Don't fail to try our 40 cent Tea. It is a good and pleasant drink all at J. R. Parker Jr.

## An Unjust Report Corrected.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—In reporting the action of the Republican convention, held in this County on the 21st inst. the correspondent for the Raleigh Post has given an inaccurate and garbled statement of the proceedings which answered might to great injustice to the parties concerned. The young man was evidently in ignorance of the fact when he sent in his "special" or else he obtained his information from his bosses S. W. Hancock postmaster and Robert Hancock, money order clerk, through whose efforts largely he obtained the position he occupies as letter carrier, all of that portion of the communication referring to a free fight, etc., is a misrepresentation coming from some one's fertile imagination. No one was expelled from the floor of the convention and not a blow was passed. The facts are that the regular delegates seeing that Robert Hancock who had usurped the function of County Chairman, with the aid of his black secretary, W. W. Lawrence totally ignored them and recognized only his bogus delegates, and his son S. W. Hancock. They then withdrew from the Opera House to Stanley Hall where they organized, elected delegates to the several conventions and passed resolution endorsing the administration of President Roosevelt, and Senator Pritchard, etc.

The following are the names of the white men who refused to be bossed by Robert Hancock and his minions from the Post office.

I. W. Toler, W. R. Knox, G. L. Toler, Charles Tripp, W. K. Rowe, John Gailin, J. A. Morton, R. P. Williams, R. C. Kehoe, John U. Smith, Capt. A. C. Thompson, J. W. Smith, W. R. Dixon and W. T. Keas.

While the white men who remained at the Opera House were the Hancocks, father and son, the Biddies, father and two sons, the sons being employed at the post office. The Hancocks with two others holding bogus credentials from the negro wards of the city and county precincts where no primary meetings had been held.

The 4th ward, Bern precinct, and Pleasant Hill precinct were the only ones represented by colored delegates, from this it will be seen that it was the white delegates that refused to be bossed by Hancock & Son, the colored delegates forming a minority of those who left the Opera House for Stanley Hall.

FAIR PLAY.

## Answer to Fair Play's Correction of "An Unjust Report."

EDITOR JOURNAL.—The article in your Sunday's issue headed "An Unjust Report Corrected" and signed "Fair Play" should have been signed An Unmitigated Lie as the entire article was a tissue of lies from beginning to the ending. Mr. Thos. C. Daniels who represents the Morning Post, received no information from Mr. S. W. Hancock or myself, when "Fair Play" says that Mr. Daniels largely obtained his position in the Post Office through the efforts of S. W. Hancock and myself, he simply lies. Every man in the city knows Mr. Daniels obtained his position through the Hon. Charles R. Thomas who had the exclusive appointment of the carriers in the New Bern Post Office from the eligible list of the Civil Service.

When your correspondent says I usurped the functions of chairman, and that I ignored the regular delegates, only recognizing the bogus delegates, he is an infamous liar. I called each precinct and appointed the committee on credentials as the credentials were handed to me, appointing one from each precinct, and one from each of the contesting delegations. The committee brought in a unanimous report, which was adopted by a unanimous vote in the convention, Hahn then called upon his friends to follow him to Stanley Hall and they left the convention.

Mr. W. R. Dixon informed me before the convention met that he had decided not to attend the convention as he had not fully made up his mind as to his actions during the coming campaign that he was a populist and until some action by his State leaders was had he would not align himself with any other party, Mr. L. E. Outlaw from Dover and W. T. Weeks both populists would have acted with us but for the intervention of J. S. Baughnt and W. H. Smith populists who prevailed upon them not to do so. They did not attend the convention and afterwards told me they did not attend Hahn's meeting. Mr. Joseph A. Morton of Taylors precinct was not in the city. He sent me word by Mr. G. A. Connor that his wife was sick Mr. Connor casting his vote for him, I do not know J. W. Smith, no such name appearing upon any of the credentials either regular or bogus. The delegates remaining in the convention represented Fort Barnwell, Dover, Core Creek, Taylors, Thurman, Berns, Tidales and Jasper precincts, Second, Third and Fourth Wards, New Bern, N. C. all white delegates, Maple Cypress and Lee's Farm precincts not being represented. We have seventeen precincts in the county, fifteen were represented in the convention. The delegates that left with Hahn represented Vancoboro, Truttis, Pleasant Hill and the First Ward of New Bern. The Pleasant Hill delegates being colored and controlled by Hahn's messenger Ham. The entire trouble was brought on by Hahn as soon as he found out he would not control the convention. He had his tools and henchmen Ham and O'Hara to work up colored contesting delegates in the fourth ward and Berns precincts although he had agreed that we should have white delegates from

every precinct in the county. He has never been known to keep any of his political agreements if they interfered with his own success.

Since writing the above I understand Meyer Hahn is the author of the Fair Play article and I wish it understood that the statements made by me apply to him, in full force.

ROBERT HANCOCK.

## Tom Jones Lynched.

Special to Journal. RALEIGH, August 25.—Tom Jones, who outraged Mrs. James O. Smith, near Indian Spring was captured today and taken from jail by a mob with faces blacked and was carried to Mrs. Smith who identified him. He was then taken 400 yards away and riddled with bullets.

One of Mrs. Smith's eyes is torn out, her jaw bone broken in three places and her face terribly disfigured.

## Republicans Endorse Hill.

Special to Journal. RALEIGH, August 25.—Republicans here today say that their state convention will endorse T. N. Hill, Platt D. Walker, and H. G. Connor for Supreme Court. They say all their party amendments were settled Thursday.

## Teachers' Institute.

This week will be a busy one for the teachers of Craven county who are assembled here for Institute work. It will also be a profitable and pleasant one.

The Institute was called to order by the County Superintendent, S. M. Brinson, who expressed himself as highly gratified at the attendance both of white and colored teachers, who number respectively 35 and 40.

The exercises at the Graded School were conducted by Prof. Frost, of Goldsboro who gave a talk on arithmetic. He was followed by Prof. Harding, who gave a talk on instruction in geography. At the colored school institute Prof. Kennedy gave a talk on teaching primary arithmetic. There was no afternoon session.

Interesting discussions on the best methods of education will be given at each session throughout the week.

## YESTERDAY'S MARKETS.

Cotton, Grain, Provisions and Stocks. Range in Prices. Receipts and Shipments.

The following are the market quotations, received by J. E. Latham & Co. New Bern, N. C.

Chicago, Aug. 25.

WHEAT—	Sept.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Sept.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Dec.	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8
CORN—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	
Sept.	58 1/2	59 1/2	57 1/2	59 1/2	
Dec.	43 1/2	44	43 1/2	43 1/2	

RIBS—	Sept.	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4
Sept.	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4	10 3/4
Oct.	9 9/8	9 9/8	9 9/8	9 9/8	9 9/8

PORK—	Oct.	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4
Oct.	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4
Jan.	14 7/8	14 7/8	14 7/8	14 7/8	14 7/8

LARD—	Sept.	10 9/8	10 9/8	10 9/8	10 9/8
Sept.	10 9/8	10 9/8	10 9/8	10 9/8	10 9/8
Oct.	9 8/8	9 8/8	9 8/8	9 8/8	9 8/8

New York, Aug. 25.

COTTON—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	
Aug.	8.51	8.59	8.51	8.59	
Sep.	8.17	8.30	8.17	8.30	
Oct.	8.04	8.18	8.04	8.18	
Nov.	8.00	8.14	8.00	8.14	
Jan.	8.02	8.13	8.02	8.13	

New York, Aug. 25.

STOCKS—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	
So. Ry.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	
U. S. S.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	
C. & O.	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	
Mo. P.	117 1/2	117 1/2	116 1/2	117 1/2	
V. O. C.					
A. C. O.	66 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2	
Am. Inv.	13			13	

Liverpool

Spots 4.39-53. Sales 6,000 bales. Futures, Aug-Sept. 4.42. Sept-Oct. 4.33 Oct-Nov 4.37.

## PORT RECEIPTS.

Same week	Last year
Last week	17,500
25,414	

This week.	
Sat. 9900	5000
Mon. 7410	6000
Tues.	12000
Wed.	7000
Thurs.	10000
Fri.	10000
Total	51,000

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## RALEIGH.

### Crabtree Creek Dam Breaks Setting Loose Fish.

### Troops Unnecessary at Henderson. Some Counties List No Income Tax. Applicants for Court License. Death of Flagman.

RALEIGH, Aug. 25.—The Supreme court devoted today to the examination of applicants for license. Of these there are fifty-four, 1 colored. Of the number twenty-five are from the University law school and sixteen from that of Wake Forest College.

The court will tomorrow begin the call of the 16th district. The dockets are not heavy. Perhaps the most notable case is that of the State vs Wilson for murder, which it is expected will be argued tomorrow.

Passengers who came here yesterday evening from the North brought news of the horrible death of a white flagman named Wheeler on a S. A. L. train, who was struck by the Southern railway's trestle at Franklin. One of his jaws was literally torn out. He was on the run between this city and Portsmouth.

It was a current rumor that the negroes in jail at Henderson for murdering roadmaster Stevers would be brought here and put in the penitentiary for safe keeping. So far this step has not been taken. It is said that the Henderson people are vexed at the calling out of the troops to guard the jail and say it was unnecessary.

It is said that in not a few counties in this State no incomes are listed for taxation. In some there are so few listed as to make the showing absurd. The corporation commission is looking into this matter.

Of the Cape Fear and Northern R. R. four miles have already been completed from Angler in Harnett county, towards Smiley's falls on the Cape Fear river and the other 9 miles of line to the falls is located. At Smiley's falls the million dollar cotton mill of J. B. Duke is under construction.

There are today 91 inmates of the Soldiers home, while 20 are absent on furlough.

All the justices of the Supreme Court were on the bench today. Attorney-general Gilmer arrived yesterday.

The negroes are holding a "Holiness" camp meeting in the suburbs of Raleigh.

The annual State convention of the North Carolina colored firemen's association begins here tomorrow. There will be a tournament. The first companies, came today, these being the Salamander and the Dibble, from Washington.

Private Secretary Pearsall returned today from the mountains, where he has been with Gov. Aycock. He says the trip was delightful. On the 28th, the Governor and State Superintendent Joyner will speak at a big educational rally at Columbus, Polk county. The Governor will spend several days in that section.

A dam broke on Crabtree creek, two miles north of here, last night, and today many persons went to the stream below, to catch fish with seines. Some carp which weighed as much as 15 lbs. were taken. The dam is an old one. During the war it was used by the State powder mill, which furnished great quantities of powder to the Confederate war department. Some of the most important battles were fought with powder made at this mill.

Wake Forest College begins its term Wednesday. It is said the attendance will break all records. The new school of medicine will open and has a good start.

## Bogue Items.

Aug. 23.—Mr. Robert Weeks of Maysville, accompanied by his cousin, Miss Emma Weeks of Cedar Point, left Sunday for Harlowe to visit his father, Mr. Robt. Weeks who is very sick with a carbuncle.

Dr. J. W. Sanders and family went to Swansboro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, who have been visiting Mr. J. W. Guthrie and family and enjoying the delightful breezes and water luxuries, returned to their home at Jasper Wednesday.

Mr. Durant Morton, who has been sick so long, is reported to be worse.

Mr. Reuben Rhee, an aged citizen of Pettifoot's Creek, died Monday evening.

Mr. P. M. Russell, who is having his house enlarged is very near completion and when completed will be decidedly an improvement.

Miss Beatrice Weeks of Cedar Point is visiting friends and relatives at Stella.

Mr. C. P. Snow of New Bern is in our neighborhood delivering pictures, etc.

A very large rattlesnake was seen near Bogue post office Wednesday evening, but escaped unhurt.

Mr. K. N. Bell is quite feeble at his home, Cedar Point.

One of our neighbors while stacking fodder Tuesday, heard a queer rattling in the "cap of the stack," and thinking it was a rattlesnake fell off, hollering, "What's dat?" It proved to be a bumble bee.

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## STELLA.

### Interesting News From a Busy Little Town.

Aug. 23.—Miss Essie Harget of Sliverdale, visited friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ola Barker of this place has gone to New York to visit her friend Mrs. Daisy Bell. Hope to hear of her returning soon.

Miss Beatrice Weeks of Cedar Point is visiting Miss Macy Weeks of Stella. Quite a number of visitors were in our village Sunday, among them were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mattocks, Misses Carrie Stanley, Ada Bloodgood and Geneva McGinn. Miss Geneva has just returned from an extended visit to South Carolina.

Miss Lura Pelletier is visiting at Beaufort and Harlowe.

Rev. F. S. Becton filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday night. He preached an excellent sermon.

Miss Laura Mattocks of Maysville, who is visiting her mother near here, will return home Saturday.

The farmers around here are now busy curing tobacco. Cotton picking will also soon be in progress.

Miss Nellie Barker is now visiting her uncle Mr. M. R. Sabiston at Belgrade.

Little Miss Elizabeth Morthon of Bachelor is at her grand-mother's, Mrs. Mollie Barker.

Mr. B. J. Irving who has been working on his dwelling for quite awhile, will soon have it completed, then according to "Madam Rumor" the wedding bells will soon ring out.

Mr. A. J. Collins and family of Maysville, accompanied by his niece, Miss Eilda B. Weeks of this place, returned home Tuesday from a weeks visit at Mrs. William Truckner's, of Hampton, N. C.

Mrs. Mattie Tolson of Swansboro, is spending some time with her daughter Mrs. Dan Taylor. Mrs. Walter Taylor and Miss Edith Buck of Pelletier, also visited Mrs. Taylor this week.

Misses Annie and Dannie Koonce of Richlands, also Mr. Newton Henderson and sister Cora of Hubert, are visiting Mr. D. S. Weeks' family today.

Rev. J. G. Dukes and W. E. Cowan are holding a series of meetings at We Hope this week, he will preach in our village Friday night.

We would be pleased to hear from the Cedar Point correspondent, after the moonlight excursion. FORTNIGHT.

## TRENTON.

August, 23.—A pleasant Lawn Party was given last evening on the Court house lawn by the Epworth League and Bright Jewels. The evening was enjoyed by all. Everything was artistically arranged. The glowing lights of the several lanterns, and the reflection of them on the many beautiful faces of the girls gave light to the opposite sex and to the whole lawn.

About nine o'clock an electric storm came up and the pleasure seekers had to take refuge in the Court house. They were pleasure-bent, and it was found anyway in the Court house.

The Bright Jewels seemed to enjoy it very much running and playing. They played one interesting game—"rabbit in the pea-patch" which brought sweet memories and fond recollections of the by-gone-days to the elderly ones who sat looking on thinking of the days when they were just in the bloom of girl-hood and boy-hood.

It is happy thoughts to think of some of the past, but there is many a person who wishes they could blot out a few things of it. "Let the dead past bury its dead."

After the electric storm and rain, ice-cream, sherbet and cake were served, then all looked for their sleeping quarters. All report as having a very nice time.

We noticed in the Pollockville items that a game of ball was played between Trenton and Pollockville. The score being 11 to 9. The correspondent slightly prevaricated. We do not know that he did it intentionally, or just put that way through mistake, but the score was 10 to 9 in favor of Pollockville. He wanted to brag on it by beating us one run, and had for an excuse that our team was the heavier and we ought to have beaten them—a poor excuse.

They secured a pitcher from New Bern Mr. Joe Tisdale. They gave in his name as Joe Booth, a log hauler. Quite an honor conferred on the young man. We could not perceive that he was a New Bernian, for he resembled a log-hauler, "his honored position" very much.

We challenged them to come up and play us, but they do not want to come Guess they are scared. They want us to meet them at New Bern and play them. It is our time to challenge them and it is their place to go where we say.

PLUCK.

Fresh Grape-Nuts, Postum Cereal, Saratoga Chips and Oat Flakes at J. R. Parker, Jr's.

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W. L. H.

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