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FRIDAY, August 25, 1899.

CORRESPONDENTS of this paper are earnestly requested to send in copy not later than Wednesday afternoon, with signatures attached.

THE RACE PROBLEM.

The following extract is an utterance of the Rev. L. A. Broughton, one of the most noted Baptist divines of the South.

The one great enemy of the colored man in the South to day is politics. He has absolutely no political conscience.

The national administration has made for itself a record that will hardly cause the people to give it the support next year necessary to re-elect McKinley.

But the people met last November and elected a Legislature pledged to relieve the State of this load of infamy.

Yes—it will meet with opposition in that quarter where it is intended to strike—the negroes and their leaders will vote against it.

The farmer is the supporter of the trusts. If he rebels and refuses to purchase their products, their end is only a matter of time.

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Thomas Vance Holt, a young white man, formerly in the employ of the Southern Railway has entered suit against that company for the modest sum of \$60,000.

FIGHTING THE AMENDMENT.

The Republicans are making an effort in every part of the State to organize their forces in opposition to the proposed Constitutional Amendment.

The matter of the adoption or rejection of the amendment can be resolved into the question, "Shall negro rule continue in North Carolina?"

Let them fight it—it is natural that they should do so. They placed North Carolina under negro rule and they will do everything in their power to keep it in bondage.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures, have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere.

CLAYTON NEWS.

Mr. A. J. Barbour returned from Raleigh Wednesday. Mr. S. R. Horne, of Morrisville, spent Sunday here.

Mr. John A. Robertson spent a few days in Raleigh this week. Miss Mayme Griffin has gone to Franklin county to visit friends.

Rev. J. W. Fry was here last week in the interest of the Oxford Seminary.

Miss Nannie Belvin, of Raleigh, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. W. Horne.

Mr. Lamis Debnam who has been visiting in the country has returned home.

Chief of Police Woodall, of Durham was here this week on official business.

The Misses Debnam who have been visiting friends near Archer returned home last week.

Mr. Nat. Lawrence, of Murfreesboro, N. C., was here Sunday on a pleasant mission.

Miss Pearl Robertson, who has been spending sometime in Raleigh, has returned home.

Prof. I. O. Atkinson and wife of Elon College, are in town, the guests of Mrs. J. T. Ellington.

Mrs. C. M. Thomas, who has been spending sometime in Virginia, returned home Tuesday.

The merchants of Clayton sell goods. Recently one of our merchants bought a car load of shoes from a firm.

Prof. Wallace Riddick, of the A. & M. College is in town. Prof. Riddick is here to make a survey of a water power near town.

Miss Pauline Page, of Morrisville, one of the most attractive young ladies who have visited Clayton this season, is the guest of Miss Vivian Debnam.

The Local Preachers and Lay Workers Conference was held at the Methodist church here last week. An immense crowd was present on Sunday.

Mr. John Wrenn, of Leachburg, is critically ill with typhoid pneumonia.

Messrs. Eason and Ennis were in the neighborhood Sunday visiting the fair sex.

Mr. Ed Edmundson, of the Leachburg section, is convalescing from attack of fever.

Mr. Wm. Young, we regret to chronicle, is quite sick, but is improving. Hope he will soon be out.

Miss Lula Smith, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. G. B. Smith, has returned to her home in Raleigh.

There will be preaching at Oakland next Saturday and Sunday at 11 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Hines.

A sociable was given at Mrs. Tomlinson's last Wednesday which was hugely enjoyed by a number of our young people.

The oldest son of Mr. Babe Coats, who has been down for the past three or four months, we regret to report is no better.

Miss Nellie Lee, daughter of Mr. Wm. Lee, of the Leachburg section, is boarding in the neighborhood, attending school at Polenta Academy.

Mrs. Lee, mother of Mrs. D. M. Lee, is critically ill at her residence near LeMay post office. There are several others of the family down with fever.

Benson Budget.

B. C. Vick is able to be out again. Miss Lou Turnage, of Wilson, is on a visit here.

Rev. P. D. Woodall filled the Methodist pulpit Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Creech, of Norfolk, are visiting in the community.

Walter Cavanaugh returned from a visit to Duplin county Tuesday.

Misses Kate and Bettie Wilkins, of Goldsboro, are visiting M. S. Harris.

J. B. Anderson, of Savannah, Ga., was here on a visit to his brother, C. W. Anderson this week.

Bone Davis entertained the authorities Wednesday. The boys say his corporosity is unhandy to manage.

Messrs. C. C. Ryals, C. T. Johnson, Gaston Lee, J. R. Lee and Wilson Allen took in Richmond on the excursion this week.

C. B. Sanders was in town Tuesday, but his mission made him unwelcome on that occasion—purchase taxes and witnesses.

The first bale of new cotton was sold here Wednesday by J. D. Morgan. It was sold to the highest bidder and brought 6 1/2 cents. Seth Allen was the buyer.

A gentleman whose name we were unable to learn was selling dogs in town Saturday, and the two men who enjoy the reputation of being the sturdiest in town were his first customers.

While deep sleep had overcome Mrs. R. H. Ryals, Monday morning she lay upon and smothered her two months old baby. She had been losing sleep at the tobacco barn, and is almost crazed with grief over her accident.

All those who wish to hear the amendment discussed and explained in its true light should not fail to hear E. W. Pou's speech in Benson Saturday evening.

Polenta News. Hogs in some portions of this section are dying of cholera.

Mrs. Lucien Sanders, of the Preston section, is quite sick. A protracted meeting is in progress at Elizabeth this week.

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