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THE BOANOKE BEACON, Plymouth, N. C.

We appeal to every reader of The Roanoke Bracos, to aid us in making it an acceptable and profitable medium of news to our citizens. Let Plymouth people and the public know what is going on in Plymouth. Report to us all items of news—the arrival and departure of friends, social events, deaths, sorious limass, accidents, new buildings, new enterprises and improvements of whatever character, changes in business—indeed anything and everything that would be of interest to our people.

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1891.

THE diplomatic complication between the United States and Chili has risen to such a point that serious trouble may be expected. The hurried consultation meet. ing between President Harrison and his chief advisers in the State and Naval Departments on Monday, may mean trouble though how serious we cannot tell.

The report is sent out that American citizens have been arrested in the streets of Valparaiso, and that a sordon of soldiers are guarding the house of the American Minister.

CHARLOTTE, North Carolina, progressive in all that the word implies, patriotic in mature and true to her State and nation in eace and in war, bears the distinguished honor of forming the first Artillery Compa. my of the State. She has, though an inland town, become a part of the Maval milita of the States. This company, though composed of men who never trod the deak of a war ship or breathed the salt air from off from the center of which was suspended the bosom of the rolling deep, would be an honor to any of the seaport towns of the

WE read of the demands made by the farmers of this country. We hear on all sides the complaint of hard times, source money, etc. We hear men say the Alliance is going to defend the interests of the American farmer, that better things must come. The Third Party advocates rise with a whoop for better times and more money. All this noise we hear from the farmer, from the Alliance, and from the Third Party will be found wanting, unless they take another road. The people may yell better times until their voices are hushed, the Alliance may call for fair play and equal rights, the Third Party politician Mrs. Annie Owens, Mrs. Emma Latham er stamp the states until the stump upon which he stands rots beneath him, but those better times looked for are not coming

Hard times are here, and worse coming, unless a change is made. Many of the Alliance demands are good and ought to be heeded, but the farmers cannot get better times until they make them. They are wanting more money, etc. Let us see what they are doing: They, that is a majority of them, are farming, working hard all the year raising cotton, peanuts, and a little corn. They worked faithfully all last year, in January they bought a horse since that time they have been hauling from this and other towns, pork, flour and some meal to feed their families, and hay and corn to feed the horse, I his is what the farmer has done; this is the way he is going to bring about better times. This won't work, friends. You may read what Col. Poik, Jerry Simpson or any other Allianceman has to say upon the political standing or future of the Farmers' Alliance, but so long as you run a farm and depend upon the merchant to supply that farm, you are not making times any better. It may do for you to leave the business of the Alliance with the leaders, but you must give your attention to the farm; the Alliance, the Third Party nor any other political party will feed your family or your

If the farmer would rule they must first become independent, and this they can never do so long as they have to buy pork and breadstuffs.

The farmer can and must raise his own pork, flour, corn, hay, &c., before he can be independent. Would it not be just as well, or better, to raise pork and corn for yourselves as it is to mise cotton to sell for these things? You must have them; you can't do without them, and if you raise cotton at 8 cents a pound you will either get little to eat or get in debt for what you eat. If the farmers raise breadstuffs more than they need for their own use it will pay better than the crops now being raised With all the political parties that are or ever will be, times will be hard until the farmers realize their dependence. The Southern farmer can be the means of bringing about better times and he only. The Manufacturers' Record says:

"The failure of European crops assures a demand of good prices for every bushel of wheat and corn that we can spare, and we will enter the crop year of 1892 with very low stocks of grain. Even should 1892 icate the enormous yield of cereals in 1801 and Europe have fair crops, prices must inevitably be well maintained, for in 1892, our stocks of wheat and coru on very nearly, if not quite, as low as in July, 1891. Moreover, the opening of the German and other markets to American pork will materially help to fucrease the

paice of bacon and corn. Fortunately, the farmers of the South

have this year raised from 75,000,000 to have this year raised from 75.000,000 to 100,000,000 bushels of grain more than in 1890, and the South is made richer by at least \$75.000.000 by it. But next year must show a still greater increase in wheat, corn and oats in the South, and also in the raising of provisions. It may be accepted without question that grain and provisions will continue high for at least two years, even if 1893 gives us the largest crops ever produced, and if the crops of that year should be small the bouthern farmer who has to buy his foodstuffs will have a bad time of it."

We believe, as does the Manufacturers' Record, that the press of the South should urge the necessity of rai ing more food-Stuffs, Every newspaper, whether Alliance advocates or not, should impress this upon the Southern farmers. The newspapers generally are taking too much stock in the political situation of the country and leaving the farmers to their fate. Let us defend the farmers and help them to realize their true condition.

#### A TRIP TO CRESWELL.

MR. EDITOR :- I want to tell your read ers of a pleasant little trip I recently made to Creawell. The occasion of it was the marriage of Mr. Mathias Owens and Miss Matie Ludford, two of Creswell's most popular young people. Leaving Plymouth just a little after noon, I reached the cosy little town about 5 p. m., and found the "Hope of the county" in full blast, adjusted to the Diamond. Well, you know how I felt, but as modesty forbids any allusion to my skill in that lice, why, of course, I only looked on while it was being "well done" As I observed how adroitly some of these school boys executed their part, I thought of what a nice thing it would be for them to "fan out" our Plymouth vete" rans; but of this you must not tell them (I mean, the veterans), as I am now at home

But you see my weakness. I started to tell about the marriage, and came near forgetting it, this ever troublesome base-Well, it was a real nice affair. At 8

o'clock, the Baptist church was crowded with people—splendid looking people— young people, old people, married and un-married—all there to express their interest in the occasion. The organ, at which Miss Carrie Bateman presided, in sweet and measured tones, rendered the wedding march; the bride and groom, led by the ushers—two handsome young men—march. ed up the aisle and under a beautiful arch, the symbolic horse-shoe, and their mystical rites were sealed. Long may they live to be useful and happy : and now boys, you

who are of my craft I've this to say:
"If you get there before I do;
Look out for me-I'm coming too" TOM.

### MARRIED.

LATHAM --- CLARK

At No. 39 Batetourt street, Norfolk, Va., on Tuesday morning at 7:30, aties Mary V. Clark, of that city and Mr. Clarence Latham of Plymouth. The marriage was very quiet there being present only the relatives and a few friends of the contracting parties. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom departed over the Norfoik & Southern R. R., for this town, which is to be their future home. At night they were given a grand reception at the residence of the grooms father, Capt. E. R. Latham, by

attended by a large number of our young people.
The bridal presents were numerous and

very valuable.

The bride, Miss Clark, is well known to our people, she having resided here with her parents during last year. She is pretty and accomplished and her gentle manners won the admiration of our people both old and young, who welcome her back to the social circles of the town with open hearts. The groom, Mr. Latham, is a young man of marked business talent, who is esteemed by all who know him for his courteous manner and strict attention to business. He at present holds a responsible position with the A & R. R. R., as manager of the grain elevator at this place.

The BEACON joins the many friends of this happy young couple in wishing them a successful and happy voyage over the matrimonial sea of life, and we extend to Mrs. Lathamall the freedom and hospitality of our town.

### OWENS-LUDFORD.

In the Baptist Church at Creswell, this county, Sept, 23rd, Mr. Mathias Owens and Miss Matie Ludford were united in marriage Rev. J. F. Tuttle, of Plymouth, officiating. Our of congratulation young friends for a happy future.

### STATE NEWS.

THE LATEST HAPPENINGS, AS GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES AND ELSEWHERE,

Southerner: On the 23rd and 24th about \$8,000 worth of tobacco was sold at Tarboro

brought in by ten times as many people as would ordinarily bring that amount in cot. Mr. Will Hunter proprietor of the Arling. ton and Gregory hotels of Releigh, and the Island Beach hotel at Wrightesville, has

The large cotton factory of Mess. G. W. Jacobs & Co., of Massechusetts, will shortly be moved to Goldsboro. This is only the begining of the great removals of factories from North to South.

Hezekiah Rankins, colored, was lynched at Asheville on Thursday of last week for the murder of Frank Tyler.

Hon, W. P. Bynum has given \$2,000 to build a chapel for the Thompson orphanage near Charlotte. The building is to be finished by the first of January. The Sun says: Not less than \$100,000

worth of building and improvement is go.
ing on in Durham right now. This is an evidence that the town is growing. Emigration agents are being looked after near Gibson Station and Laurinburg. Some negroes have been arrested on the charge

of enticing laborers to leave the State. Rocket: Among the strange cases at Richmond county court last week, was a case in which a negro sued a white woman for stealing four ears of green corn, The verdict was not guilty.

Raleigh News and Observer 27: Old State bonds, amounting to \$266,000 were burned at the Treasurer's office yesterday, in the presence of the State officers. These bonds had been surrendered to the Treas. urer for exchange into new four per cent. bonds. The Treasurer issaed therefor new bonds amounting to \$84,500 under the act B. C. A. J. Poll cardenber P. E.

compromising the State bonded debt. A. bout a million and a half of the old bonds are still outstanding.

### ALLIANCE READING.

The Following Are The Officers Washington County Alliance. President H. A. LEICHPIELD, Vice President. W. T. HOPKINS, J. W. WYNNS, H. J. WILLIAMS Secretary Treasurer Lecturer Assistant Lecturer D. SPRUILL RUFUS -WAIN Chaptain Door Kasper, Business Agent. A. C. WENTZ JNO. SWAIN

I. T. HASSELL Serg't at arms. JNO. WYNNS Rosnoke sub-Alliance. Officers of the President L. I. Fagan B D Latham Vice-President Secretary J O Everett T L Satterthwait Tressurer W Toms Lecturer As't Lecturer F R Johnston B D Bateman Chaplain

W M Norman Serg't At.Arms David Garrett H W Sawyer, David Garrett and J Garganeous, Committee on sick.

H W Sawyer, T L Satterthwaite and F
R Johnston Committee on the good of the stations on the No.folk & Southern R R.

Door Keeper

### Alliance Proceedings.

The following named gentlemen have been appointed delegates and alternates to the county meeting to be held at Chapel Hill October 8th.

DFLEGATES. ALTELNATES. R Johnston Thos Long H W Sawyer D Garrett J C Gurganous John Padgett K M Bateman T L Satterthwaite J O Everett.

A committee of three were appointed to extend an invitation to Cot. Harry Skinner to deliver a speech; and also a purse of five dollars was given to Mr. Barnicastle by

J. O. EVERETT,

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### SALE OF VALUABLE TRUCK YARM.

I will in execution of power in me vested as Exe-cutor of last will and testament of Joseph D. New-berry, late of Washington county, N. C., deceased, sell by public ancion at Court House door in Plymouth, North Carolina, on the 10th day of Dec. 1891, at 13 M.

First. All that farm situated on South side of Albemarie sound, in township of Skinnersville, containing 200 acres of land more or less, about 175 acres of which is cleared land in good state of cultivation, \$4 of an acre poorest land on this farm now yields an annual average of 400 gailons of wine. It is excellent trucking land, is two weeks earlier in production than Norfolk land and is within 24 hours of New York market. The improvements are a two-story, 9 room dwelling, suitable out buildings and good orchard.

Second. Farm known as "Pettijohn Farm," within half mile of home farm, and also situated directly on Albemarle sound, containing 116 acres of land, more or less, about 100 of which is in good state of cultivation. This is also good trucking land.

Third. The lot in town of Plymouth now occupi

Third. The lot in town of Prymouth now occupied by store of Mrs. S. A. Bloout.

Terms of Sale. One half of purchase money to be paid in cash, ballance in twelve months from day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by meritgage on farms, or all cash at option of purchaser.

Hon. Levi Blount, Sheriff of Washington county, will show lands to those wishing to purchase.

D. W. NEWBERY, Ex.

### NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of Hester A. Darden, deceased, late of Washington County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claime against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the lith day of September, 1892, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 14th day of September, 1891.

H. P. MURBAY, Adm'r, A. O. GAYLORD, Attorney.

A. O. GAYLORD, Attorney. NOTICE.

Will be offered at public sale on the 6th day of October, 1891, at the late residence of Hester A. Darden, deceared, all her chart le property, consisting of cattle, hogs, household and kitchen furniture, farming u ensils, crops, &c.

This 14th day of September 1891.

H. P. Mubray, Adm'r.

A. O. GAYLORD, Attorney.

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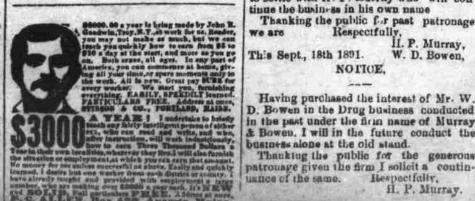
Stephen Johnston,

Emma Johnston
The defendant above named will take notice that an actic a entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Washington county, being an action for divorce. And the waid defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on Monday 26th day of October 1801, at the Court House of said county in Plymouth, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in complaint.

T. J. Markinki, C. of S. C.

### Notice.

The firm of Carrington & Co , of Danville Vs , hold notes against me for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars which they are offering for sale. I hereby notify all persons not to purchase these notes as they will not be paid. RUFUS SWAIN.





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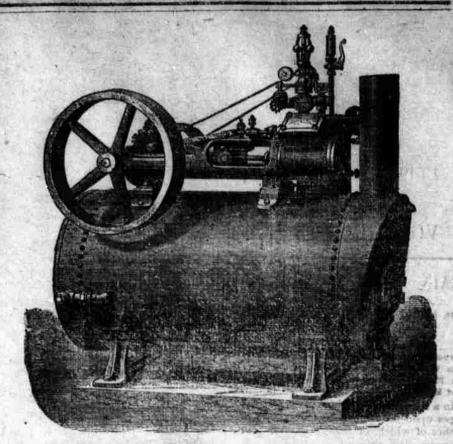
### Notice

The copartnership heretofore existing between H. P. Murray and W. D. Bowen, under the firm name of Murray & Bowen, is this day disolved by mutual consent. All parties indebted to said firm are requested to settle with H. P. Murray who will continue the busin-as in his own name Thanking the public for past patronage

Respectfully, II. P. Murray, This Sept., 18th 1891. W. D. Bowen, NOTICE,

Having purchased the interest of Mr. W.

& Bowen, I will in the future conduct the business alone at the old stand. Thanking the public for the generous patronage given the firm I solicit a continuance of the same. Hespectfally, H. P. Murray.

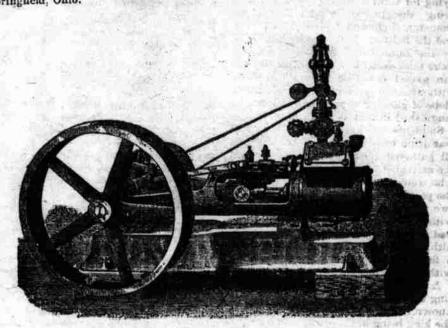


## WONT IT PAY YOU

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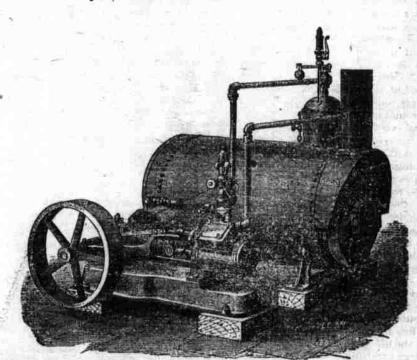
your crop and prepairing it for market? Suppose your cotton wasnice'y ginned, your peanuts thoroughly cleaned and your rice, peas and other small grain promptly and conomically cleaned, would it not be more profitable to grow these crops? The first great step is attaining this end is the bitaining of proper motive power. For most farms an eight horse power cogine and

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