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TO ADVERTISERS.
The Times has a circulation in the city of Raleigh and vicinity twice as large as that of any other newspaper, and it now reaches twenty-five outside towns before tea time the same evening it is printed. Advertising rates are very reasonable.

Kang Li is dead. So are a lot of the other Chinese lies.

The Greensboro correspondents seem to be adding considerable gaiety to the Senatorial campaign.

The President appoints November 29th as Thanksgiving Day. The turkeys will now take to the woods.

Claude Kitchen is making a strong canvass in the Second. He is a fine speaker and pleases his audiences immensely.

It is pretty tough on Mr. Bryan to be compared to Teddy Roosevelt, the only Broncho that ever bucked for the vice-presidency.

One week from today the country will elect a President, and North Carolina will select a Senator. Wait a week and the Times will name them.

The registration in Cleveland, Ohio, is 81,871, a gain of 9,798 over four years ago. There must not be much spathy out there.

Occasionally, during the lull in the proceedings, the voice of Col. Wharton Barker, of the Mid-Road Pops, can be heard proclaiming shrilly that the only salvation for the country is to elect him President.

Mr. Walter Henry's four-column explanation of why he has joined the Republican party can be condensed into one sentence, viz.: He got a good, fat office. That is reason enough for most of them.

Our next Congressman, Edward W. Poy, made a fine speech here last night to an enthusiastic crowd. He will make his mark in Congress, and will measure up with the best the Metropolitan district has ever sent to Washington.

Such paragraphs as this from the Wilson Times are seen in many newspapers: "Wilson had a great big delegation at the State Fair. Many returned last night, and all have great praise for the Raleigh Fair. They say it is fine and that an immense crowd is present." It is the truth; and when a thing is really good, the people ought to say so.

The Baltimore Sun's special correspondents report that Michigan, Ohio, and Illinois are doubtful, while the Democrats have a fair chance of carrying California. The German vote in Wisconsin is worrying the Republicans. Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky, Indiana and Kansas are reported in doubt with chances favoring the Democrats, while in New York and New Jersey, which are doubtful, the chances seem to favor the Republicans.

Senator Scott is trying to explain away his defense of the Standard Oil Trust, but it is the latest thing on record. It was a telling sentence, and exactly expressed his views. But it would not do for it to go out officially to the dear public. And so the report was suppressed by the Associated Press. The circumstantial evidence confirms the truth of the reporter's statement. Mr. Scott simply opened his mouth and put his foot in it.

The estimates for river and harbor work in North Carolina this year are as follows: Waterway from Norfolk, Va., to the Sounds of North Carolina, \$25,570; Punties and Tar Rivers, N. C., \$32,500; Cape Fear River, above Wilmington, N. C., \$25,000; Cape Fear River, at and below Wilmington, N. C., \$200,000. Since the breaking out of the war with Spain, the river and harbor improvements have been somewhat neglected. It is hoped that some time the government will make an inland waterway through the North Carolina sounds that will enable large steamers to avoid the dangerous waters of Hatteras and the other Carolina capes. This work would be a great thing for the inland waterway.

REFORMATORY ASSOCIATION

Organization of Workers for the Establishment of Reformatory

Representatives from different denominations met at the Treasurer's office last night, and organized the "North Carolina Reformatory Association." The object is officially set forth as "to secure the establishment by law of a State Reformatory for youthful criminals, of both sexes and all races."

The following officers of the new association were elected: President, A. L. Chamberlain; Secretary, Chas. D. Roberts; Treasurer, John T. Pullen. An executive committee of nine, all residents of Raleigh, was elected as follows: John T. Pullen, S. W. Whiting, W. H. Worth, John Nichols, L. W. Smith, T. N. Ivey, J. L. Foster, C. H. Poe, and Baylus Cade.

The following vice-presidents, representing the organizations named, were elected: Methodist, Dr. D. B. Zollcoffer; Episcopal, Rev. W. C. Tyrre; Presbyterian, Rev. J. C. Hall; Baptist, Rev. J. O. Atkinson; Episcopal, Rev. J. O. Atkinson; Friends, Joseph Peele; Greensboro, Christian, Rev. J. O. Atkinson; Elon College, Moravian, Rev. A. D. Thaeler; Winston, Methodist Protestant, Rev. J. S. Williams; Henderson, Congregational, Dr. A. W. Curtis; Raleigh, Disciples of Christ, C. H. Williams; Primitive Baptist, J. C. Bush; Jno. D. Gold, Wilson; Reformed Church, C. H. Mebane; Newton; Church, Rev. Thos. F. Price; Raleigh; Christian Endeavor Society, Miss Mamie Bays; Salisbury; W. C. T. U., Mrs. M. E. Cartland; Greensboro; State Board of Charities, C. D. Deason; Raleigh; Masons, Walker Taylor; Wilmington; Odd Fellows, C. M. Bushes; Raleigh; Knights of Pythias, F. D. Swindell; Goldsboro; Farmers' Alliance, T. B. Parker; Hillsboro; A. Q. U. W., Leo D. Heart; Durham; N. C.; J. O. U. A. M., W. E. Faison, Raleigh.

A committee on finance was appointed. Mr. John T. Pullen, treasurer of the association, will receive contributions from any one interested in the movement. The committee on pamphlets consists of A. L. Chamberlain, John Nichols, W. E. Faison and L. W. Smith. A committee on press articles consisting of Dr. T. N. Ivey, J. W. Bailey and C. H. Poe was appointed.

"TOWN TOPICS" NEXT

This Comedy the Attraction at the Academy Wednesday

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The first act represents a boarding house scene in New York city, and here the fun, that lasts until the end, begins. The chief characters are Mrs. Quick, the landlady; her jealous husband; a German professor, with a colored valet; two chummy young men who believe it is better to "jump" their board bills when they can, than to settle; and several pretty young women. The second act takes place at the Quick's seaside home, and the third and last act at their city residence. There is abundant diversion throughout the performance, so much fun making is crowded into it that not a dull moment can be found. The songs, dances, specialties and costumes are new and up to date. Reservations are now on sale.

NOTABLE PATRONESSES.
Miss Helen Gould is one of the patronesses of some entertainments to be given at Miss Gardner's school, in New York this winter, by Miss Louise Fischer. Mrs. Russell Sage is also interested in the school. Miss Eleanor West, of Raleigh, is attending Miss Gardner's.

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October 13, 1900.

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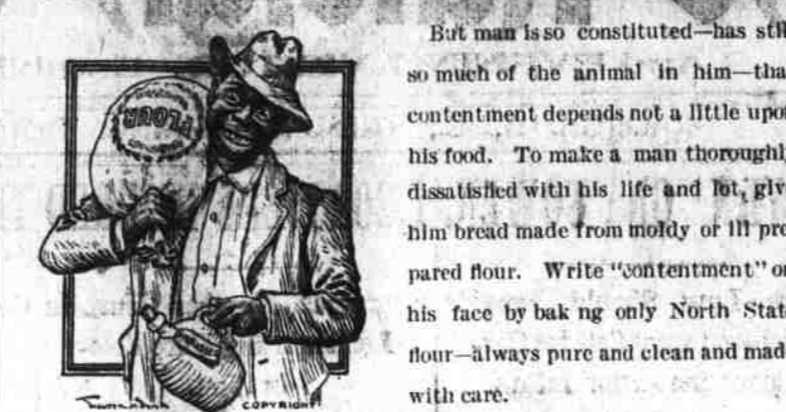
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