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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Listen—Robinson Bros. Christmas presents—J. F. Miller. Dissolution Notice—A. A. Williams & Co. Blood Purifier—Mrs. Joe Peckson's Remedy.

### LOCAL BRIEFS.

CHRISTMAS is just two weeks off to-day.

THERE is a great deal of travel on all the railroads running into and through this city.

THE fox hunters were out again yesterday morning bright and early "in full force and effect."

YESTERDAY was a crowded day of traders in this city, and business in all branches of commerce was remarkably good.

THE Board of Directors of the Eastern Insane Asylum will meet in regular session at that institution, near this city, to-day.

THERE will be an important meeting of the Goldsboro Rifles at their armory to-night, and every member is ordered and expected to be present.

SERVICE this evening at St. Stephen's church at 8 o'clock. The fourth lecture in the course on "Church History" will be delivered. Special subject—"The Church of the First Century from the Destruction of Jerusalem."

AT the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Frasier, at Shine, in Greene county, Tuesday, our young friend Mr. E. W. Taylor, Jr., of Bull Head, and Miss Georgia Frasier were united in the holy bonds of wedlock. THE ARGUS joins with their hosts of friends in wishing them all happiness and prosperity.

A CHECK for \$3,000 to cover the insurance policy on the life of the late Mr. Jas. H. Privett in the Royal Arcanum, was yesterday received by Mr. C. F. Griffin, treasurer of Goldsboro Council No. 500. This is the first death sustained by this Council, although organized for ten years. The settlement was full and prompt, Mr. Privett being dead only six weeks.

THE Republican party is now in the condition of the man who was compelled to make a choice between his Satanic Majesty and salt water. It has run upon the Force bill snag. Its financial ballast is out of order. Its crew of pensioners is clamoring for more pay, and the waves from the tariff ocean are beating its sides to pieces. It is time to lower the boats and leave the worm-eaten old craft to its fate.

QUITE a party of distinguished gentlemen connected with public affairs of our State, among whom were Mr. Warren G. Elliott, President of the Atlantic Coast Line, Mr. E. Chambers Smith, Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee and member of the Board of Internal Improvements, Col. F. A. Olds and Genl. W. G. Lewis, passed down the A. & N.C.R.R. to Morehead City yesterday; in Mr. Elliott's private car, where they will embark on a trip of inspection of the Harlow Creek canal.

THE ladies of St. Stephen's parish are preparing for a Bazaar to be held at the Arlington Hotel on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week. The program of entertainment will be an attractive one, and the display of fancy and useful articles, especially adapted for Christmas presents, will be complete. Toys, gift-books, fancy articles, and everything you want at this season of the year will be offered for sale. The refreshments need hardly be mentioned, as the reputation of the ladies of St. Stephen's for providing good things is generally known. Let every one attend and help the ladies in their good work.

It will be a source of exceeding regret to his congregation and numerous friends in this city to hear that Rev. J. S. Dill, who for several years has so acceptably filled the pastorate of Goldsboro Baptist Church, has accepted a call to a charge in Los Angeles, California, where he now is, and will not return. A telegram from him yesterday is to this effect. Mr. Dill possesses in an eminent degree those amiable and sympathetic impulses of heart—which, combined with a gifted mind highly cultivated, peculiarly fit him for the high and holy calling to which he has devoted his life, and in the earnest following of which he has accomplished so much good during his ministry in this city. He and his excellent wife, who is preparing to join Mr. Dill about Christmas, have made for themselves hosts of warm friends in this city and section whose good wishes will follow them to their far away new home in Los Angeles and abide with them always.

### MR. CADE'S SALUTATORY.

The new editor of the Progressive Farmer is Rev. Baylus Cade, not by any means an unknown man, and one who brings to the editorial chair all the characteristics of the highest type of an editor. We are pleased with his salutatory, and also with his answer in reply to an enquiry as to whether he advised Legislators who were pledged to support Vance to disregard their pledges.

We give his reply to that question, manly and correct and gratifying as it is, and also some extracts from his salutatory as follows:

"Most certainly the Progressive Farmer does not, never did, and never will advise any member of the Legislature, or anybody else to disregard a pledge to do anything. If any man pledged himself to vote for Senator Vance, and violates his pledge, he will show himself unworthy of any man's confidence. This is our idea of political morality.

"Furthermore, I am thoroughly in sympathy with the principles and aims of the Farmers' Alliance. I believe that simple justice, to say nothing of all of mercy, requires the execution of speedy reform of both State and national laws, in the interests of the farmers of this country. I must not be misunderstood. I could never be induced to write a line or utter a word in advocacy of the enrichment of the farmers at the expense of any other class of my fellow citizens. Such advocacy would be the advocacy of class legislation; and I hate class legislation even as I hate its author—the devil. I say I am in sympathy with the principles of the Farmers' Alliance. The questions that relate to them—bodiment of those principles in actual laws, are questions of method, and the are to be solved by the wisdom of practical statesmanship.

"I want to say once for all, that I am a Democrat—have never been anything else. But that statement of my political faith must not be taken as an admission, on my part that I wear the collar of any self-appointed clique of political bosses, in or out of office. When I say I am a Democrat I mean to be understood as saying that I am the friend of that theory of government which locates all the rights and powers of just government in the people themselves. In my opinion, all the people are better, greater and grander than any part of the people.

My hand is unused to holding the Editorial pen, and I take it up with much of distrust of my own powers. And were it not for the fact that I am conscious of an earnest wish and purpose to use it for the good of our toiling American citizenship, I should lay it down, and take it up no more.

"I bespeak, most earnestly, the indulgence and kindly help of all my brethren in the field of journalism, and shall do all in my power to merit their confidence and esteem.

McCLAMMY, N. C.

Mr. Editor—The following resolutions were adopted by Falling Creek Alliance at its last meeting: WHEREAS, The patriotism of our whole country should be enlisted in behalf of bettering the condition of our whole people, especially the laboring classes in every department; and whereas this class has heretofore

been led by those who have fawned on and patted them and urged them to organize in their own interest; and whereas when they have done so, and asked the co-operation of these good friends they have failed to respond in a manner calculated to aid or ameliorate their condition. Therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the duty of the Farmers' Alliance and its organs to criticize generally and fairly all the acts of our public officers touching their course towards alleviating the burdens of the laboring class of our people who are now discriminated against by the iniquitous laws now in force.

Resolved, That every Alliance man and all others of the laboring classes of every department should rise up and stand together as a unit and working shoulder to shoulder; should not cease their labors until that power which, if not checked, will ruin and bankrupt the country and destroy our liberties, is rooted out or put down.

Resolved, That with a chief executive of doubtful, political honesty, an ambitious and unscrupulous speaker in the chair and a Congress and Senate mainly owned and controlled by plutocrats, trusts and combinations, there is no safety to a Democratic form of government except in the strong arms and iron wills of a people who are determined and resolved to be free.

Resolved, That no criticism of the Farmers' Alliance or its organs shall divert us from a faithful adherence to its principles or estrange us from the men who are the brave exponents of its trusts; but that having set out fully determined on reform, we will not turn back until the ennobling principles of our order shall have been accomplished.

Resolved, That to give aid, influence and support to those who will not consider our efforts at reform with generous kindness and come to our aid in the struggle, would be to cripple and help to defeat us in our object of emancipating ourselves and our families from slavery and oppression.

Resolved, That we will always support what we believe to be right, and under all circumstances we will try to accomplish the most good to the greatest number of our people by co-operation with the Democratic party. We are resolved to fight in its lines until all hope in it is lost, or equal rights, equal privileges and equal distribution of products is secured to us.

Resolved, That Falling Creek Alliance is opposed to the introduction of partisan politics into the order, but earnestly urges its members to study the science of government in order to cast an intelligent ballot, believing that intelligence and virtue are the most effectual weapons we can use to dethrone the political bosses who are daily and hourly plotting and intriguing for the ruin and downfall of the country; and we hereby pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to defeat bossism in every shape and to raise in its stead the standard of pure manhood, honesty and cultivated brains. Less money, less corruption fund and deception in the political arena, and we respectfully ask all true patriots everywhere to aid us in this effort to free our country from these political sharks and monstrosities.

Fraternally yours, J. A. STEVENS, Sec'y.

### Shortage of Clerk Upchurch.

RALIGH, Dec. 9.—There was a great deal more talk to-day about the shortage of C. D. Upchurch, the late Republican probate judge of this county, in the guardian fund. Postmaster A. W. Shaffer, who is one of Upchurch's bondsmen, told me to night he expected to have to pay \$15,000 the full amount of the bond. He has taken possession of Upchurch's residence which is one of the hand-somest in the city, but which is heavily mortgaged. Postmaster Shaffer was asked by your correspondent if Upchurch could not be punished for failing to account for these guardian funds and he replied that under a recent decision of the Supreme Court in the case of a man named Connelly, probate judge of Iredell county, it would appear that little could be done. Inquiry was made to-day as to Upchurch's whereabouts and it is said he is in Washington City. There will be a demand for a law which will require a frequent accounting for guardian funds by such officials to prevent such troubles in the future.

### The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning, you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume a healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c at J. H. Hill & Son's Drug Store.

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