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TO BEAT DEMOCRATS.

Republican State Executive Committee to Devise Some Scheme.

Dockery Gives Up a Certainty. Daughters of Confederacy. Public School Committee Change Most Distilleries. Week-Crop Bulletin.

JOURNAL BUREAU, Raleigh, N. C., August 30. The Republican State Executive committee is called to meet here at Republican headquarters on September 1st, "to devise a scheme to beat the Democrats," so says Secretary Hyams.

Mr. Oliver H. Dockery, as already stated will give up the cashier's place in the Revenue office here on September 1st and will be succeeded by Mr. D. J. Duncan, brother of Collector Duncan. Mr. Dockery will enter the race for Solicitor of this district. He gives up a \$1,200 place for an uncertainty. The Capital Club last night occupied its handsome new club house. It is a handsome building on the outside, and is handsomely equipped.

The Raleigh Electric company is preparing to more thoroughly equip the lighting and street car plants here. New machinery has just been purchased by the president of the company, Mr. W. J. Andrews. The public are promised excellent service and that there will be no difficulty in handling the big crowd that will be here during the State Fair.

Mr. Thomas Devereux has given his \$3,000 bond as Bankruptcy Referee for the 5th bankruptcy district. Judge Purcell has approved the bond.

It will be remembered that Col. Carr offered \$500 as a prize to the township voting the biggest vote for local school taxation. The election was held last year. There were only 11 townships that voted for the tax, but the Superintendent of Public Instruction has not yet decided what township is entitled to the prize. It does not seem as if it would be a hard matter to settle out of so limited a number.

The Clark-Kilgo trial is being heard today in Durham. If Judge Clark is not completely beaten, the public generally will be very much disappointed.

The second annual convention of the North Carolina Daughters of the Confederacy will be held in Washington, N. C. on October 2nd. Each chapter is entitled to one representative for each 25 members. The Raleigh chapter is entitled to 2 representatives, but they have not as yet been chosen.

Superintendent Mebane in his report says that there should be an amendment in the township committee arrangement. That as the number for each township to manage the public schools is now 5, he thinks it ought to be increased to six, three white and three negroes. The white committee to manage the white schools, and the negroes to manage the negro schools. It is earnestly hoped that Mr. Mebane's suggestion will be carried out. He also advises that the county supervisor, who should be a man fit for his position, meet with each of these committees and assist them in their dispensing of the school money, and employing teachers, etc.

The Populist State central committee is to meet here at the same time that the Republican Executive committee meets.

Just before the railroad commission met this morning the bill of injunction asked for by the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad to prevent the reduction of passenger rates to 2 and 2 1/2 cts. a mile, was served on Chairman Caldwell. The injunction order will be argued early in October, but now a restraining order is in effect.

This goes up before the higher court, and the reduction on other roads will be delayed until the courts give decisions on this case.

The State Fair premium list will be issued today. There is every evidence that the exhibits at the Fair will be splendid, and the attractions in the shape of side shows will be much more refined than ever before. Many gambling schemes have been refused privilege of space.

There are more distilleries in this State than in any other. Nearly all make corn whiskey.

The Weekly Crop Bulletin for week ending Monday, August 29, 1898, is as follows:

The weather during the week ending Monday, August 29th, was more favorable for the growth of crops and for farm work, especially throughout the central and northern portions of the State and west of the Blue Ridge; but in the south the conditions were not satisfactory. The first three days were clear and very warm, the maximum temperature reaching between 90 and 95 degrees. The mean for the entire week averaged above normal, the excess amounting to as much as five degrees in the central portion, showers occurred everywhere the latter half of the week, and too much rain is still reported from southern counties, especially from the southeast portion of the State. The heavy rains on the night of the 29th caused disastrous freshets in counties lying between the Catawba and Pee Dee rivers, chiefly in Stanley, Cabarrus, Mecklenburg and Union. Daring

the fair weather at the beginning of the week considerable improvement occurred in many crops, and farmers had opportunity to save fodder and hay and do some fall plowing.

Cotton has improved here and there; is reported as fruiting well in some sections. A good deal is open on light, sandy soil; some has been picked and ginned and new bales have been put on the market; but picking will not become general until settled fair weather comes. Over the most productive cotton counties the crop has not improved; shedding forms and bolls continues, and rust has increased materially.

Corn is maturing well. It has been injured on bottoms in the south portion by freshets. Fodder pulling is under way, but the work has been prolonged by showers, and, while much has been saved, there are many reports of loss or damage. Tobacco has suffered in some sections from wet weather, where it is yellowing or rotting in the hills (Yadkin, Granville, Davidson). Better cures than expected are reported from Forsyth, Rockingham and Guilford counties. Over most of the east and south portions of the State curing is finished and the crop is on the market.

Turnips are doing very well. Rice is heading nicely. Field peas are very fine; many are ripe and ready for picking. Late cabbages and tomatoes are nearly a failure. The grape crop is short and inferior as compared with last year. Hay making is going on briskly where possible, but there remains much hay to be cut. Fall plowing progresses slowly.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Results of the National League Baseball Games Played Yesterday.

Special to Journal. Pittsburgh, August 30—Pittsburg 0, Boston 8. Louisville, August 30—Baltimore 2, Louisville 1. Chicago, August 30—New York 0, Chicago 1. Cincinnati, August 30—Philadelphia 9, Cincinnati 1.

Where They Play Today.

Brooklyn at Chicago. Washington at Cincinnati. Boston at Cleveland. New York at Pittsburg. Philadelphia at St. Louis. Baltimore at Louisville.

How the Clubs Stand.

	W.	L.	P. C.
Boston	71	40	.639
Baltimore	68	39	.635
Cincinnati	72	43	.626
Cleveland	65	46	.586
Chicago	61	50	.561
New York	62	49	.558
Pittsburg	56	59	.486
Philadelphia	52	56	.481
Louisville	45	69	.394
Brooklyn	43	65	.393
Washington	40	71	.360
St. Louis	32	82	.281

Evacuation of Cuba.

Washington, August 29.—The Cuban commission, which will sail from New York on Saturday, will take formal possession of Cuba in the name of the United States, but just when the exercise of authority by this country and the relinquishment of authority by the Spaniards will occur has not been determined.

Two months may elapse before the United States attempts to exercise absolute control over the city of Havana and the eastern provinces of the island. The department has no desire to hurry troops into Cuba before the hot weather is over, and it is, therefore thought to be not improbable that the beginning of the evacuation by the Spaniards will not be hastened.

The facilities for transportation possessed by Spain are extremely limited. Practically no ships will be available until those that this government chartered to transfer the men and officers who surrendered to General Shafter, at Santiago, can be secured. Several are at Santiago preparing to remove the last installations of the Spaniards there, and the remainder are in Spain or en route home. An estimate of the troops near Havana places the total at approximately 125,000, and those in Porto Rico at about 10,000.

Our Ship.

Hong Kong, August 29.—The Raleigh arrived yesterday and the Olympia today. They will at once go into dry dock. The ships were fouled in Manila waters.



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WAR OF WORDS.

The Real Conflict Gives Place to Disputes of Its Conduct.

Secretary Alger Doubts That General Miles Made the Statements. Schley's Change of Command. The Troops in Porto Rico Suffering Greatly.

Special to Journal. WASHINGTON, August 30.—It now seems certain that General Miles will be called upon for a statement regarding the interview criticizing the Secretary of War.

If General Miles admits authenticity of the criticisms attributed to him, a court martial is deemed certain. In the alleged statement of General Miles he charges the War Department with mutilating and even suppressing parts of the whole of certain messages in their transmission to the public, thus putting him and his relations to the army in a false light to the people at home, and also that Washington allowed the plans of his Porto Rico campaign to leak out to such an extent as to render them useless and dangerous, and he had to change them.

Secretary Alger expresses himself as follows: "I do not believe that General Miles gave any such interviews or made any criticisms on the War Department or the Secretary of War. He is too good a soldier and too old a soldier for that. He knows the penalty. There has been no explanation asked of him, and the War Department cannot afford to take any notice of these interviews. It would be undignified and improper."

Schley Recognized.

Commander Phibby, by his appointment to the second North Atlantic squadron in place of Admiral Schley, has charge of the ships of the squadron while they are undergoing repairs. No formal order has been issued disbanding the squadron.

The cruiser New Orleans will be Schley's flag vessel until the work of the military commission is ended. By these orders Admiral Schley loses his identity with the fleet that destroyed the Spanish ships, and the result probably will be his assignment later to some other station, if he prefers it.

The order for Admiral Schley to fly his flag on the New Orleans was made so as to keep him constructively on sea duty while serving on the commission, thus entitling him to the highest pay of his rank, \$6,000 per annum.

Acting Secretary of the Navy Allen has decided that the naval militia will be mustered out in bodies instead of individually.

The Troops Suffering.

The yacht May has arrived at Philadelphia and brings the report that of the national relief commission on the condition of the army in Porto Rico.

According to the report there are 1,000 men sick and a large number of them are suffering from typhoid fever. There are 16,000 troops on the island.

The Czar's Proposal.

LONDON, August 29.—Dr. Emil Reich, the eminent Hungarian historian and British counsel in the Venezuelan arbitration, expresses the opinion that Czar Nicholas is visionary in an interview on the Czar's proposition that an international conference be held for the purpose of securing real and lasting peace among the powers and the ending of the increase in armaments.

"The Czar is a dreamer," says Dr. Reich. "He is not in robust health, and has always to take great care of his body. This scheme for universal peace is one of his dreams. It is also a feat. Count Muravieff, the Russian minister for foreign affairs, hopes by its aid to get a free hand in the development of the Russian scheme in Manchuria."

The papers are filled with discussions, comments and opinions as to the Czar's note. The most world shaking event could hardly have produced more interest than this suggestion, the fruition of which is regarded by many here as an absolute impossibility. The religious world, however, loudly welcomes and praises the Czar's initiative. Numerous bishops have already publicly expressed their views in that direction.

THE MARKETS.

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commission Brokers.

NEW YORK, August 30 STOCKS. Open. High. Low. Close. Sugar..... 142 141 142 143 Am Tobacco... 143 144 143 144 C. B. & Q. 117 117 116 117 Met. St. Ry..... 167 165 163 16 1/2

COTTON. Open. High. Low. Close. January..... 5.08 5.08 4.63 5.05

CHICAGO MARKETS. WHEAT—Open. High. Low. Close. December... 61 62 61 62

CORN—December... 30 30 30 30

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