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ON last Saturday the citizens of Augusta subscribed \$1,800 to the Georgia Confederate Home.

It is stated that General Boulanger is in bad health. His friends are anxious concerning his condition.

A LONDON dispatch of April 13 says: "Two thousand emigrants left Liverpool today for America, making a total of twelve thousand who have sailed from that place during the past week."

THERE is no longer any doubt as to the success of the movement for a Confederate home in Georgia. About \$35,000 have already been subscribed, and it is thought that this amount can be raised to \$100,000.

THE Raleigh correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger says: "The negroes who are writing such appeals for help to 'git back to Norfolk County' will not receive many responses, if indeed they get any. They certainly will get none from this section."

THE Augusta Chronicle praises North Carolina for the noble example it has set in devoting a tax of \$110,000 a year for pensioning the Confederate survivors in need. It was well done and no mistake. Now for a soldiers' home.—Wilmington Star.

THE story of the fruitless efforts of the war vessels to escape the storm at Samoa is full of pathetic incidents. The crews of the Trenton and Vandals cheered each other, and the band of the Trenton was playing "The Star Spangled Banner" as the ship swept on to certain death.

THE new postmaster of New York city has decided to bond all the responsible clerks under him, in reasonable sums, according to the amount of money involved in the transaction of their respective departments. His own bond is \$500,000, and the bonds he will require from subordinates will aggregate \$200,000. This would appear to be a reasonable and sensible precaution, for the bond of the postmaster is to secure the government against the depredations of his employees, and not his own, for, regulated as the New York office is, the postmaster does not personally touch a dollar of the public money, nor handle the valuable letters that pass through the mails.—Wilmington Messenger.

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
JAMES REDMOND—Blackberry juice.
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Sugar seems to be on the boom. Mr. W. B. Wiggins of the New Berns House at Morehead City, died on Sunday evening last.

The high tide and the storm for the last day or two has interfered with the fishermen so that but few fish are in market.

The funeral of the late Isaac Patterson was held from the Episcopal church yesterday. Notwithstanding the inclement weather a good congregation was present. St. John's Lodge, No. 3, A. F. & A. M., Knights of Honor, Royal Arcanum, Royal Society of Good Fellows and members of the fire department attended in a body. The services at the church were conducted by the Rector, Rev. V. W. Shields. He was buried with Masonic honors conducted by St. John's Lodge.

Personal.
Rev. H. W. Battle, in response to a telegram, left yesterday morning for Rocky Mount to assist in an interesting meeting in progress at the Baptist church there.

Shipping News.
The steamer Vesper of the E. C. D. Line will sail this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Annie of this line will arrive tomorrow.

The steamer Tahoma will sail this morning at 7 o'clock.

Non Tax-Payers.
Sheriff Murrill makes an inquiry about how the commissioners of Craven settle with the sheriff on the delinquent tax list. We are not prepared to answer intelligently just now, but will only say that if the sheriff had to pay all the delinquent taxes he would be a broken man very soon unless a million-aire.

Let There be no Deception.
We were informed last night that information had gone up the road and to the Governor at Raleigh that in the nomination of city councilmen on Monday night the friends of the A. & N. C. R. had "swept the city."

If the A. & N. C. R., or its management, was mentioned in connection with the nomination of candidates for councilmen, we did not hear of it. If it was mentioned at all it must have been done "in a corner." We trust for the sake of Mr. Bryan and those connected with him in the management of the road that no such information has been sent to the Governor with his or their consent, as we cannot see how it can be regarded otherwise than an attempt to deceive the Governor.

Since the above was put in type we have a communication published elsewhere which tends to confirm the report that such news has gone up the road. How did it get out?

Col. Whitford's Defence.
Col. John D. Whitford, former President of the A. & N. C. R., has been publishing a series of articles recently in the Kinston Free Press giving a history of the road from the time its management was returned to him from Mr. Best to the time the present management took charge.

The Colonel has been driven to do this by the repeated statements of Governor Scales and others, and newspaper publications, that the road when surrendered by him to the present management was in a very dilapidated condition, bridges rotten, rolling stock in bad condition and everything in a state of general decay.

The JOURNAL has repeatedly denied these statements as its files will show, and Colonel Whitford easily shows that he expended more money in repairs during the last year of his administration than was expended the following year. We know of our own personal knowledge that extensive repairs were made on the warehouses at this place and that eight or nine miles of new steel rails were put down, and all this was done without increasing the debt of the road.

We have never been able to discover the sense nor the wisdom in misrepresenting and belittling one administration in order to bolster up another. The truth will prevail in the long run and there is no use trying to keep it in the back ground. Col. Whitford was rapidly improving the A. & N. C. R. and building up its traffic. Mr. Bryan has continued the improvements under more favorable circumstances because the stockholders placed one hundred thousand dollars in his hands for the purpose. Col. Whitford did his duty to the best of his ability. Mr. Bryan has done his in expending the money he put the road in condition, but his dealings with the people have not, in many instances, been wise.

About Back Taxes.

EDITOR JOURNAL—I see in your Weekly of the 11th inst. an article headed "Non-Taxpayers," which, if seen by our repudiators in this county would give them great joy and consolation. You say in that article that there is enough due the county on back taxes to pay the floating debt. The repudiators of this county say "let the sheriff collect the back taxes, and if they will not pay the debt, then we will vote for a special tax to pay it." Of course the leaders know better, but perhaps those who are less informed do not. Now how is it? It would seem by the reading of your article that the commissioners of Craven county give the sheriff credit for all the taxes that he does not collect, while the commissioners of Onslow county charge the sheriff with the whole amount and make him pay it whether he collects from the taxpayers or not, except such as are released by their order, and such insolvent poll taxes as the sheriff or his deputies can swear have not got sufficient property out of which to collect their poll-tax. And if said insolvents fall to pay for six months after they are returned insolvent, they are adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor, and the list is handed over to a justice of the peace for collection, and what he collects is turned over to the board of commissioners and that is all of the back taxes that Onslow is entitled to. Please tell us over there, and relieve if possible our repudiators over here, and oblige.
E. MURRILL,
Sheriff of Onslow county,
Catharine Lake, April 15.

A False Report.

EDITOR JOURNAL—I learn from a reliable source that it was reported Tuesday in Kinston and Goldsboro, and perhaps the same has traveled as far as Raleigh, that the gentlemen nominated for councilmen on Monday night, were so nominated on the railroad issue, the present administration carrying the day. This is certainly news to the voters of New Berns. No such issue was presented that I heard of, or after some enquiry, can learn that anyone else heard of. I do not know, nor care whether the gentlemen nominated are friendly to the present administration or not. However this may be, no question of the A. & N. C. Railroad was known to the voters of New Berns. Mr. Editor you are a voter, also an enquirer after news, did you hear of any such issue?

This is false business. It may mean to convey to Governor Fowle such report, and thus attempt to deceive a gentleman, who wishes to know the truth, that in his official acts he may do what is best for the people of the State. Surely those at present connected with the road are not parties to this false report.

The Late Isaac Patterson.

Yesterday were laid to rest the mortal remains of Mr. Isaac Patterson who for the past twenty-four years has been a resident of New Berns. He has left in our midst a widow, a son and a daughter to whom the community extends a tender sympathy. In the various relations of life Mr. Patterson bore himself as became a man. With all he was candid and truthful. In business, prompt, exact and entirely reliable; in social life with his friends genial and sympathetic, but always modest to a degree. To the suffering his great heart responded with quick emotion and generous hand, and to his friends he was true as the needle to the pole. His nature abhorred equivocation. No man was more devoted as a husband, more loving as a father. His fortitude was equal to the long and trying illness which carried him to his Master whom he worshipped and to his Redeemer in whom he trusted.

Johnston's Mills Items.

Mrs. Mary E. May has been quite sick but is now convalescent.
Mr. L. J. Chapman of Maple Cypress is happy; it's a girl to cheer future days.
Bishop Watson being sick failed to fill his appointment at St. John's last Sunday.

Thieves have broken in and robbed the meat houses of Messrs. Wm. Kirkman and Josephus Hardee and others.

Mr. W. H. Tripp and Miss Catharine Burney were married at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Israel Harding on the 14th.

Dr. Carr of Barnwell was over to church Sunday. Reports that a negro had been appointed postmaster for that place and the king very indignant.

George B. King, Esq., of Greenville is to deliver the literary address at the commencement of Centreville Academy on the 10th of May. A grand intellectual entertainment may be looked for.

Farmers are fully up with their work. A large acreage of oats and wheat is sown in this section. More corn has been planted than has been for many years. Some of our neighbors commenced planting cotton on the 10th. They know full well the value of home-made fertilizers. All have large quantities of compost, which is a fair indication of a good crop.

A great deal has been written of late in regard to President Harrison and his Southern policy. The farmers believe that we can solve this problem for ourselves, by throwing off the bonds of indebtedness and operate on a cash basis, and this can be done by learning to live at home, on what we raise at home. We believe these are facts that will solve the negro question in this country quicker than Harrison or any body else can do or say about it.

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NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

From the State Papers.

Twin-City Daily: A spark from a saw mill at New Garden station on yesterday set the woods on fire which burnt over considerable territory doing much damage.

Newton Enterprise: Last Sunday morning the house of Mr. Will Welford, in Hickory, was burned down. The family and most of the neighbors were at church when the fire broke out, and it was not discovered until it was too late to save the house or much of its contents. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a defective flue of the kitchen stove.

Goldsboro Argus: The athletic games of Davis School, LaGrange, that came off at that institution on Thursday and Friday afternoons of last week, are pronounced by all who witnessed them as being of superior excellence and interest.—Mr. W. R. Hollowell, of this county, left yesterday on a prospecting trip to the just now much talked of territory of Oklahoma. He goes to inform himself by personal observation of the condition of the country over there and of the prospects.

News and Observer: The Board of Trustees of the Public Library at a meeting in the Executive office yesterday morning rejected the plan of an incumbent Mr. J. C. Harrison, State Librarian.—News came in yesterday of the Friday evening forest fire west of the city which were seen from this point and to which we referred in yesterday's issue. It was very fragmentary news, but we gather that the damage the fire did was not as serious as was at first reported.

State Chronicle: Mr. K. P. Hines of Macon county, has been elected a steward in the Methodist church at Franklin.—Capt. Oct. Coke will plant 50 or 60 acres in peanuts. If it is really true that Bishop Lyman's prediction is good, Capt. Coke will make his fortune when his crop is housed.—There seems to be no truth in the report that the President would give Mrs. Stonewall Jackson her choice between the Richmond and Charlotte postoffice. The talk about it and the attempts of reporters to interview her have embarrassed Mrs. Jackson.

LaGrange Sentinel: We were shown Saturday by Mr. Jas. Rollins a twig of pine straw that measured 25 1/2 inches in length.—His many friends in this town and county will learn with profound regret and sad hearts, the death of Mr. Matthew Fields, which occurred at his home in Greene county last Monday night.—We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. Clay Smith, which sad event occurred last Sunday night at 10 o'clock at his home in this place.—We learn from one of our large fruit growers that the peach crop in this section was not materially damaged by the recent cold snap.

Edenton Fisherman and Farmer: The Grand Jury of our last court was in session the whole week. It is thought that much work was cut out for the next fall term of the court.—During the storm at Nag's Head the house of Messrs. H. A. Bond, Jr. and W. J. Leary, Jr., were washed entirely away. The schooner Susanna, owned by the estate of Wm. T. Brinkley, was broken into three pieces and the crew perished. The schooner Susan Carolina is also lost with all on board; Fred Gaskill commanded her. The schooner Parrot, Matthew Granberry, master, went down with the entire crew. Such a storm has never been witnessed by any living person on our coast.

Concord Times: The survey of the street railroad line was completed Monday, and the engineers, Messrs. Gordon and Estess, have returned to Lynchburg, Va. They made a careful and most complete survey, and the maps, etc., with estimated cost of construction will soon be presented.—Mr. Benjamin Barbee who is now about 72 years old and lives near Locust Level has been suffering for some time from a very large cancer on his leg which had a tendency to spread very rapidly and caused him to become alarmed. He summoned Mr. F. P. Barbee, the cancer doctor of Locust Level, Stanley county, who applied his cancer plaster, March 11th, and killed it completely on April 5th. The cancer was removed which measured about 11 inches in circumference. The sore is healing nicely, and the prospect of a permanent cure is very good.

Goldsboro Mercury: All over Wayne county extensive preparation is being made for cotton planting. Not as much guano as usual is being used, but nevertheless more than ought to be. Highland corn is about all planted, potatoes are bedded, the wheat and other small grain is up and all indications are we shall have a good crop year.—We regret to announce that Prof. E. A. Alderman, who has so acceptably filled the position of Principal of our excellent Graded School for the past few years, tendered his resignation last Tuesday night, which was accepted. We learn that the motive impelling him to do this is to enter upon a higher field of usefulness, in the Education Department, as one of the superintendents of the county normals, to be held for white teachers, in every county, and in which teachers are to be taught how to teach.

Oxford Orphan's Friend: Five acres of new ground are being cleared West of the hospital which will be planted in sweet potatoes. Mr. Westbrook is applying phosphate and kensint, which he claims will, with the decaying vegetable matter he is having turned under, enrich the soil permanently.—A fine young orchard of 1,000 trees, apples and peaches of the best varieties, has been lately added to the attractions of the Asylum grounds.—Work will be begun on the annex to the boy's building at an early day—as soon, in fact, as the weather is considered sufficiently settled.—The blizzard last Saturday did considerable damage here, as elsewhere in town. It blew down our windmill, took off a flue from the Superintendent's house, swept away a considerable patch of roofing from the boy's building, and tore things up generally. There was an unusual commotion and a nervous apprehension displayed by the girls in the fourth story.

Wilmington Review: Large forest fires have been raging for days past along the line of the C. C. R. R. On Tuesday they nearly caught the East bound day train. The woods were on fire on both sides of the track and the engineer determined to make a break for it. He could not see a rod ahead and he just opened the valve and let her go. He ran a mile in a minute. The heat was intense and both the engineer and the conductor had their hands and faces blistered.—The question which is now agitating horse owners and horse dealers hereabouts at this time is this: Is the disease which has appeared here the glanders? Some assert positively that it is and others are equally positive that it is not. An expert from Washington City will be here on Monday and then the matter will be decided. In the meantime a hospital has been fitted up at Mt. Tizrah, a few miles below the city, and all sick and suspected horses are being isolated and cared for there.

Notice.
To the Republicans of the 4th ward: You are hereby notified to meet at the Odd Fellows Hall Friday evening April 19, 1889 at 8 o'clock sharp to nominate a candidate for Councilman to be voted for on the 1st Monday in May.
I. R. HARRISON,
Chairman Ward Com.

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