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jy17 tf M. H. SULTAN.

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COME and Examine my Large and Varied Stock of Merchandise that is now being sold AT COST to make room for new fall stock.

jy 17tf M. H. SULTAN.

A MILLION dollar fire occured in Ohicago Monday, with probable loss of life.

GOVERNOR UAMPBELL expresses himself as confident that he can carry Ohio on the Tariff issue.

"HARK! In no sense is the Democratic party responsible for any oppressive and odious laws now cursing the country and the farmers."

In a rage of jealousy at Savnnah. Ga., on Sunday night, Isaac Simmons killed Robert Hagans, and fatally stabbed his wife and places in the book referring to the city. daughter.

AT a dance at Call, Colorado, a drunken tough stabbed one man, shot a cowboy dead, and in an and killed a woman.

THE election in Kentucky Monday, August 3d, was carried overwhelmingly by the Democratic party. There was three tickets in the field. The third party only polled about 20,000 votes. The new constitution was ratified.

THE Country Homes, a weekly paper at Asheville, N. C., and the Evening Journal, of that place, have the Mountain Home Journal, and

THE idea that Gov. Hill, of New York, is scheming to be nominated for a third term is looked upon by the World as idle and preposterous. So it would seem. A man who is governor, Senator and Presidential candidate ought to be satisfied. A United States Senatorship is of itself enough to fill an average

RETURNS from 32 out of 65 counties in Mississippi show that 44,971 whites and 17,331 negroes registered. If the proportion is kept up in the other counties, the total registration will be 89,450 whites and 35,200 negroes, or a white majority of 54,000 More than three-fourths of the negroes have declined to register or pay the poll tax.

Col. L. L. Polk, president of the Farmers' Alliance, and Hon. Jerry Simpson, the Kansas Con-gressman, are in Washington, D. O. Simpson, and other Alliance speakers will take an active part In the Ohio campaign. When naked why, it was replied, "We are Siter John Sherman's scalp. We don't care who is elected Governor, but we intend to beat Sherman for the U. S. Senate.

WHATEVER ex President Cleveland's reasons may be for declining to take any part in the canvass for the re-election of Governor Camp-bell in Oblo, he is entirely right in keeping aloof from such contest. It has always seemed like a piece of impertinence for speakers of any d to go into a State of which they not ellisens to advise people how rate in a State election. The mounts idea of a commonwealth but carried on when Ohio speakand Onio rotors, without intermose from outsident, estile Ohio

LOCAL NEWS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Howard—Self-love, etc. Bargain Store—Clearing sale.

The racing men had their fast horses out on the race track again yesterday afternoon and some good trotting was

The hotel at Ocracoke has closed for the season and Mr. F. L. Perry, the chief clerk, passed through yesterday returning to Morehead.

Yesterday Mr. George Bowden bought from Mrs. B. Whaley the dwelling on Broad street which has been his residence for several years.

Mr. Erdmann's little daughter who was accidently shot in the eye a few days ago is getting on so nicely that she is able to go about the house and yard.

Marl pavements are being made in front of Mesers. Lucas & Lewis' and Mr. F. M. Bowden's grocery stores. Only one more remains to be made on that side of the street to finish up the new payements for a block.

The thermonter reached 90 degrees yesterday in the shade, the hottest day that has been experienced in New Berne this season except during a spell in June when it reached the same Rachel and Mary and Master Isaac, and point for a number of days in succes-

advanced to show plainly that it will Berne from Elizabeth City. be a good hall, creditable to the city. It will be finished in pannelled ceiling and the ceiling, the railing and the furniture used will all be of native wook, oiled.

Mr. W. H. Oliver has another very to the authorities at Washington. The first document in the book is "the second charter of King Charles II, to the 17th year of his reign. It contains a copy of the original charter of the city and the name of the city is spelled it might be safely written—Died of in it (as we all admit was done in the bad water. The Baltimore Manufacthe same style is used in the other

The steamer Neuse of the E. C. D. line took out eight dozen bedsteads of various styles yesterday from the New wells which is contaminated by bad Berne Furniture Factory, for Mr. P.
W. Mellick of Elizabeth City. This is
the most distant point from which the effort to kill the tough, a boy shot the most distant point from which the simply as sawed lumber. Hymeneal.

Juanita Brinson were married at the Church of Christ last night by the pastor. Rev. I. L. Chestnutt.

Land and Mr. Ed. Case and Miss Clara been consolidated under the name Crabtree acted as bridesmaids and will henceforth be published both L. Gaskill ably presided at the organ. daily and weekly. Col. J. M. Ray The altar was beautifully adorned with is president of the publishing flowers, and the ceremony was very nice, short and appropriate. ohurch was crowded, and after the ceremony a well attended reception was held at the residence of Mr. Benj. Brinson. sr., father of the bride. The Journal extends congratulations.

Serious Accident.

Mr. W. H. Fox met with the misfortune to have a portion of his right foot out off in a molder at Messrs. Moody & Fox's saw-mill. A piece which was passing through caught and Mr. Fox stempted to pull it out. It resisted his efforts and he placed his right foot against the machine for a brace and pulled harder, ween his foot elipped and went under the knife, or more intelligibly speaking the circle of revolving knives, the first blade caught his foot, and the others were pulling it farther and farther in, outting as it went, until fortunately the belt slipped off and the machine stopped. Dr. Frank Duffy rendered the necessary surgical

Mr. Fox is a prother of the junior partner in the mill and had moved to the city only two weeks ago with his family from Tonawanda, New York.

Raleigh Merchants "Kick" on the Purchase Tax.

There seems to be a considerable stir in Raisigh over the collection of the Merchants Purchase Tax under sched-ule "B." The sheriff is endeavoring to collect and the merchants refuse to pay. The News and Observer says that the case contesting the constitutionality of this tax goes to the Suprem Court at their next term. It comes up for a hearing from New Hanover, which is in the sixth district: The ourt meats the last Monday in September, and the sixth district will be called six weeks thereafter, which will make aix weeks thereafter, which will make it about the middle of November before it is heard. The opinion will probably be filed about two or three weeks thereafter. Sheriff Page says that if the taxes are peld and the court rules it unconstitution of they will be refunded, but if they are not paid and their constitutionality is affirmed, that he will be compelled to make all delinquents.

pay the penalty of their negligence in the matter. If As all merchants are subject to this unpopular and alleged unconstitutional tex, this case will be watched with

Mr. R. W. Bidgood, auditor of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad, and family, who have been summering at Morehead, passed through yesterday morning on a private Pullman palace sleeping oar, returning to their home in

Fayetteville. Mrs. A. H. Alphin returned from visit to friends at Beaufort.

Mr. E. E. Perry and wife, returned from a visit to relatives at Beaufort. Miss Nellie Cobb left, returning to her home at Goldsboro from a visit to Miss Fannie Willis.

friends in and near Kinston.

Mr. W. G. Brinson returned last night from Raleigh where he has been consulting Dr. Lewis again about the trouble with his eyes. We are pleased to learn that Dr. Lewis speaks very encouragingly of the case.

Mr. Curtis Rhem arrived for a visit to his family. Mrs. J. W. Gurganus returned from

visit to relatives in Goldaboro. Mr. J. L. Rhem and Mr. N. Tisdale went down to Morehead last night to attend the tobacco convention.

Mesers. Fred Bray and John Richardson returned yesterday on the steamer Neuse from a pleasure trip to Norfolk, The family of Mr. Nathan Scheltz, himself and wife, their children, Misses Mr. Scheltz's sister, Mrs. Fannie Goldstein and her children, Misses Yetts Work is progressing nicely on the and Hannah, and Master Ellis, arrived city hall and the interior is far enough yesterday on the Neuse moving to New

Pure Water.

The Wilmington Messenger has been devoting considerable space towards the importance of having pure drinkwater and a plentiful supply for all Mr. W. H. Oliver has another very old book that he proposes sending on ther needed purposes. It further says to the authorities at West instant. The of this article is poor indeed. It needs only by means of a very high birth rate help. It needs the missionary. It over a very high death rate. needs a sanitary revival. In the South— Another fact worth noting is needs a sanitary revival. In the South— future geographical distribution of the the proprietors of Carolina granted in all over the South-bad water is a soource of danger and death. Proba-from place to place. As a slave, the ture's Record. that is doing so much for the development of the material interests of this great section says:

"Much sickness is caused by using

factory has yet received an order. It to an artesian well sanitary science affords us much more pleasure to see shows well constructed cisterns to be our native wood going off in this fin- best. No doubt this is true if the cisished state, after it has afforded con- terns are properly built and siderable employment by the labor of carefully attended to afterwards, but manufacturing, than to see it going off here comes the trouble. Scarcely one family in a dozen examine their oisterns with any regularity and often Mr. Herbert P. Willis and Mise they have become so foul and putrid as to breede sickness and disesse.

Water from a cistern in good condition is all right and wholesome but it is Mr. Benj. Brinson, jr., and Miss Maud often they are sources of great danger. Fireman's Tournament

Fireman's Tournament which will be held at Durham on the 25th, 26th, and 27th insts. Twenty-four new uniforms have been ordered for the occasion The company will take along their Button engine and enter into the contest for the quicklet steaming. The engine is now being repaired and alterations being made in the boiler for

the trial. There are to be fifteen contests for superiority in various lines-quick steaming, throwing longest distance, hand and hose reel races, etc., the prizes ranging in value from five to one hundred and twenty-five dollars, and aggregating over six hundred

dollars.

The grand parade of all the departments on Wednesday the 26th is expected to be the most imposing ever held in the State.

Recapitulation.

The following recapitulation will be interesting as showing the statistics bitained from the registry of voterans and pedsioners in camp Fowle last week: Total number registered, 675; and 146

Total number register eterans not wounded. Pensioners, 483. Veterans, 243. Lost one leg, 64. Lost both legs, 1. Lost one eye, 18. Lost both eyes, 8. Lost one arm, 83. Lost one arm, 83.

There were 82 counties in this State presented, one in Virginia and one in orda. It is estimated that from 75 to 100 visiting veterans falled to register and that the total number of veteras registered and surregistered will foot up 750 to 800.—Wil. Messenger.

SCHEDULE OF THE SAILINGS Of the Steamers of Clyde's North Caro lina Line from Baltimore to New Berne, N. C., Month of

Berne, N. C., Month of Angust, 1891. Str. Defiance, Saturday, Aug. 1. Str. Geo. H. Stout, Wednesday, Aug. 5 Str. Defiance, Saturday, Aug. 8. Str. Geo. H. Stout, Saturday, Aug. 15. Str. Defiance, Wednesday, Aug. 19. Str. Geo. H. Stout, Saturday, Aug. 23. Str. Defiance, Saturday, Aug. 23. Returning, leave New Berne for Baltimore:

Geo. H. Stout, Friday, July 31.
Deliance, Wednesday noon, Aug. 5.
Geo. H. Stout, Tuesday, Aug. 11.
Deliance, Friday, Aug. 14.
Geo. H. Stout, Wednesday noon

Aug. 16.
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r. Geo. H. Stout, Friday, Aug. 28.
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a only direct line.
8. H. Grav, Agent.

THE NEGRO'S DESTINY.

The Relative Decrease of Colored Population Shown by the Eleventh Census-The Negro's Future Home, the Southern Lowlands.

Hasty generalizations concerning the future numerical strength of the negro in this country, based on his proportion-ate high birth rate, and the misleading reports of the census of 1870, have done more than anything else to render the negro problem a question for political manipulation. Only two years ago the presiding officer of a political conven-tion stated that at no distant future the Mrs. W. H. Hooten left to visit colored population would reach fifty millions. Statements such as this are regarded with different degrees of sathimself soon overrun this continent.

> this, which can be used so disastrously for political purposes, is shown by Gen. Francis A. Walker in the July Forum in an article sketching the future of the negro, based on the statistics of the race back to 1808, when the slave trade was abolished. At that time, or from the census of 1810, the negro numbered 700,000, or 19 per cent. of the entire population. In the recent census he is but 11.9 of the entire population, or. while the white population has in-creased sixteen fold, the negro has creased sixteen fold, the negro has increased but ten fold. Taking the statistics by ten and twenty year periods since 1810, Gen. Walker shows that the increase by per cent. has declined steadily, and asserts that in all probability this steady reduction in the negro's relative importance in the population will be a sill negro to the steady reduction in the negro's relative importance in the population. ulation will never be reversed.
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> In confirmation he examines in detail

the respective birth and death rates in 23 Southern counties of equal population, black and white, based on the tenth census, and finds that per 1,000 births of those born and dying, the rate for whites was 100.1 against 140 8 blacks. The proportion of death rates between blacks and whites in the large cities is greater against the blacks. In New Orleans the death rate for whites was 25.57, blacks, 38. In St. Louis, whites, 18.19, blacks, 33.78. These results show that the negro race is maintaining its slight race of increase

tropically bred negro was forced to follow the interests of his Northern bred master, often into regions where he lived only at a sacrifice of vitality. Comapring between 1880-90 the rates of increase in Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, Kentucky, Missouri, Tennessee and North Carolina, with the cotton growing States, it is found to be 19 per cent. in the latter against 5 per cent. in the former. The inference is that in those parts of the country where the negro is not an economic necessity, the black population will become more and more reduced by the entrance of a vigorous white element. Industrial considerations at the same time will draw him to his more natural habit at the Gulf States, where the white man cannot take his place. Whatever growth may be expected from the colored race, will take place there, and it is not probable that a race so limited in its range will ever reach to one-third

even of fifty millions.

To recapitulate, the negro in 1790 was one-fifth the population; in 1840, but one-sixth; in 1860, one-seventh; in reasons and nutural tendencies are draining him off toward the lowlands of the Gulf of Mexico, and there his Fireman's Tournament
The New Berne Steam Fire Eagine which in the nature of things will be

the total population.

Facts such as these indicate that the negro problem will become less and less rather than more and more a political problem, and that the solution may reasonably be left to the operation of physiological and economic laws.

Cotton Worms.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Aug. 4.—The cotton worm is reported in many parts of Alabama and Mississippi. The crop is two or three weeks it to, as as new cotton is coming on, the worms, if they develop, will do great damage. So far they have done very little. Worms are reported from Noxubee and Monroe counties in Mississippi and are particu-larly numerous in the neighborhood of the prairies. They are reported also in Wilcox, Monroe, Clarke, Perry and Choctaw and Marengo counties, Alabama, and pretty nearly everywhere in spots along the Mobile & Ohio road.

The Swiss Celebration. BERNE, August 4.-The people of Switzerland continued the celebration of the six hundredth anniversary of the of the six hundredth anniversary of the establishment of the confereration yesterday. In most instances the observances of the day took the form of mountain and boating parties.

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CHICAGO, August 3.—Among the delegations to the Grand Army Encampment at Detroit arrived in the city yesterday was that of the Department of Louisiana and Mississippi. Comrade
A. S. Graham and others of the dele
gates say in published interviews that
they are going to Detroit to make an
issue on the exclusion of negroes from
the Grand Army ranks and they declare that unless their demand is acceded to, they will withdraw from the organization. They say they expect to have animated opposition from the Northern parts.

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