

GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

PENCILLING—CLEANING

Blaine has the govt. Edgecombe has a Medical society. The new law taxes Skating Rinks \$20.

There are 66,000 acres of land in Wilson county. Rev. Father Ryan will lecture in Wilmington soon.

Lenoir farmers are planting less cotton this year than usual.

The railroads are going to build a \$50,000 depot at Charlotte.

J. A. Gray has been elected President of the C. & Y. V. R. R.

Mr. C. C. Lanier, a prominent business man of Tarboro, is dead.

Mr. Jas. D. Jenkins, Supt. of Public Schools in Edgecombe, has resigned.

Ed. Oldham's "Sentinel" is a model of typography and is well edited.

All the Easter eggs in the West appear to have hatched out Democratic roosters.

There are worse things than a scolding wife but we have forgotten what they are.

Gen. W. R. Cox and bride have sailed for Europe where they will spend their honeymoon.

The "Star" says that Geo. E. Badger was the greatest man yet born in North Carolina.

Some men are born rich, some have riches thrust upon them and some become newspaper editors.

Wake county voters on the proposition to give \$100,000 to the Wilmington and Raleigh railroad May 7th.

Octavins (Coke), J. S. Carr, W. L. Saunders, A. M. Seales, J. J. Davis and L. L. Polk are named for Governor.

The Tolson people will vote May 7th, as to whether they wish to be taxed to keep up the graded school.

It is said that the Universalists believe in eternal bliss, but that the genuine Calvinist believes in eternal blister.

The public fence in Greene county, under the stock law, cost the county about \$1,500. The length of it is nearly 75 miles.

A Louisville woman, a convert of "Mountain Evangelist" Barnes, has named one baby after him, and the other "Jesus Christ."

General Grant has been elected President of a rifle association. General Grant's ambition ought to be satisfied by this time.

Mr. Geo. P. Hart, a talented and promising young lawyer, has assumed editorial control of the Rocky Mount "Reporter."

A Texas editor eats ink rollers when his country produces runs out. He is not the only Texas editor who has a patent inside.

N. S. Morse, business manager of the New York "News" committed suicide April 4th. Bad health and insomnia were the causes.

Work has commenced on the new Goldsboro Methodist church. It will cost \$20,000 and will be one of the handsomest churches in the state.

Always return good for evil. A Missouri editor hearing that a delinquent subscriber was about to die, sent him a new patent fire escape.

Judge Diek has conscientious scruples about traveling on Sunday, and often does not arrive at his court until Tuesday on that account.

Russian revolutionists are determined that the Czar shall not be crowned. Dynamite factories have been discovered in Moscow and other towns.

The first woman ever executed by hanging in Vermont, is Mrs. Meaker, who was hung on Monday at Windsor, Vt., for the murder of her daughter.

They tell of a woman who simply looks at food, and her hunger is appeased. She would make a splendid wife for a poor editor in these days of high prices.

The President invited all the members of his Cabinet to join him in his trip to Florida except Attorney General Brewster, who is left out because of his weakness for the dent. This looks like reform in one of the ways much needed.

THE WILSON ADVANCE.

"LET ALL THE ENDS THOU AIM'ST AT, BE THY COUNTRY'S, THY GOD'S, AND TRUTHS'."

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RATES OF ADVERTISING.

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NEW YORK LETTER

SAVINGS AND DOINGS IN THE METROPOLIS.

PETER COOPER'S DEATH.

EDITOR WILSON ADVANCE.

In the death of her great philanthropist, Peter Cooper, New York has sustained a severe loss. Although he died full of years and honors and had lived far beyond the allotted age of man, one cannot help regretting that a life so precious to the community could not have been spared a little longer.

Letter From Ex-Governor Brogden.

DEAR SIR:—I notice your call on delinquent subscribers to your paper.

That is perfectly right, and I cheerfully heed your request because an Editor ought not to be expected to publish a newspaper for nothing, and those who subscribe for it and read it ought in justice and honor to be willing to pay for it when called on to do so.

I like the size of the print of THE ADVANCE, because it is large and plain and easy to read, and I like generally its political course. There was one article, however, in the issue of March 16th, in regard to the next nomination of a candidate for Governor of North Carolina, which I am not at present prepared to endorse.

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THAT BAD BOY.

HIS PA GETS RELIGIOUS—HE GOES TO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

ANTS IN PA'S LIVER PAD.

"Well, that beats the devil!" said the grocery man, as he stood in front of his grocery and saw the bad boy coming along on the way home from Sunday school, with a clean shirt on, and a testament and some dime novels under his arm.

"No, Pa has not got religion enough to hurt yet, but he has got the symptoms. He has joined the church on probation, and is trying to be good so he can get in the church for keeps. He said it was hell living the way he did, and he has got me to promise to go to Sunday school."

"The mother of Oscar Wilde has a long poem on Ireland in the Boston 'Pilot.' Her conclusion is that the Irish people, driven frantic, will take their stand in a mightier land, beyond the broad Atlantic."

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DEPRIVED OF REASON.

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REV. DR. TALMAGE.

A LIVE CHURCH AND WHAT CONSTITUTES IT.

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The Queen of Home.

Honor the dear old mother.

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