

H. A. LONDON, Editor.

Gen. Cox is determined to abolish all sinecure offices and cut off all unnecessary expenses...

The State has lost a most efficient and faithful officer in the death of Maj. W. H. Bagley...

Not only as an officer, but in all the relations of life, Maj. Bagley did his full duty...

The fire at Wilmington, on last Sunday, was probably the most destructive that has ever occurred in this State...

The calamity which has afflicted us is not by any means a deadly one. "There's life in the old land yet"...

In reality, the calamity may prove a blessing in disguise. It will rebuild some old and unsightly structures with more handsome and substantial erections...

Washington Notes.

(From our Special Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 20, '86. Washington, in the manner, must be a beautiful city. Its name is a beautiful one...

The smooth asphalt pavements add much to the beauty of the streets and prevent the noisy clatter of cobbles and granite blocks...

The other day I went on the dome of the Capitol to get a bird's eye view of the city...

There is quite a stir now among the employees of the House. Our representative, Gen. Cox, on last Saturday a week ago introduced a resolution in the House...

Not only as an officer, but in all the relations of life, Maj. Bagley did his full duty, and the high esteem in which he was held while living was strikingly exhibited by the unusual marks of respect paid to his memory when dead...

Fire at Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 21.—A disastrous fire occurred in the business portion of this city this afternoon, the loss from which will probably exceed half million dollars...

She Thrashed Her Slanderer.

ASITA, IOWA, Feb. 20.—Miss Grace Hendricks, a relative of the late Vice President, publicly cowhided H. L. Brown, a leading member of the Congregational Church...

The residence of Judge Thomas Ruffin at Hillsboro was destroyed by fire last Saturday. The loss is about \$5,000; no insurance. Judge Ruffin was absent, attending court at Greensboro.

Our Washington Letter.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19th, 1886. At last the issue between the President and the Republican Senators has been directly raised...

Some Republican Senators, in caucus, declare that they will confirm no nominations made to fill vacancies created by removals unless the reasons asked for are furnished...

The President will not be coerced into abdication of a vital feature of the Executive. He may be relied upon to hold his ground...

Still, the ultra-Republican members carried the day for their resolutions were finally adopted as expressing the sense of the caucus, and however much individual Senators may feel that their party has committed a grave error...

The women are here again in annual convention wanting to vote. They have much speechmaking, much personal glorification, and much cant about the labor and civil market...

It is interesting to look over an audience at a woman's rights convention. For though this is the eighteenth winter that the association has made rendezvous of Washington, many people will tell you, that apocryphally, when you meet them at the deliberations of this body, that they thought they would like to come once, just as a matter of curiosity...

Susan B. Anthony presides with a dignity and confidence engendered by her long familiarity with the platform. There is nothing new in what she says nor in her manner of saying it, but she always commands an attentive hearing...

At last evening's session Miss Anthony became enthralled with the speeches and asked the audience to vote. "Those who are in favor of woman suffrage," she called, and there was a loud chorus. "Those who are opposed say 'no,'" she called, and there was a loud chorus.

Mr. Garland does not intend to resign, but after the House has finished its investigation of the telephone business, he says he will take steps to meet all criticisms upon his connection with the Pan Electric company, in a way that cannot fail to secure the approbation of those who really desire to be satisfied.

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The Auditor's Report.

(From the Raleigh News and Observer.)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. AUDITOR'S DEPARTMENT. RALEIGH, December 1, 1885.

His Excellency Alfred M. Seales, Governor of North Carolina:

DEAR SIR:—In compliance with the provisions of section 3350 of The Code, I have the honor to submit herewith for your information and transmittal to the next general assembly the annual report of this department, showing a statement of the funds of the State and its revenue, and public expenditures for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1885...

The annual appropriation (\$30,000) made by the general assembly for the relief of Confederate soldiers &c., under an act passed the 11th of March 1885, the most of which has been appropriated, pro rata, to over 2,000 applicants...

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Imprisoned for Debt.

(From the New York World.)

There is in this city a prison into which a man may be cast for no crime. Behind its bars a fellow-citizen may be kept for all the days of his life if he has contracted a debt which he is unable to pay...

Twenty-six years ago—so it appears by the records—a member of the police force that then guarded the city of New York borrowed a sum of money from a money-lender...

Patents Granted.

Patents granted to citizens of the Southern States during the past week and reported expressly for the Record by C. A. Snow & Co. Patent lawyers, Washington, D. C.: J. J. Boswell, Chase City, Va.; Cecil J. J. Boswell, Chase City, Va.; Cecil J. J. Boswell, Chase City, Va.; Cecil J. J. Boswell, Chase City, Va...

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Raleigh & Augusta A-L. R. R. CORRECTED TIME TABLE. No. 1—Leave No. 2—Leave

G. F. & Y. V. RAILWAY. Condensed Time Table No. 13. To take effect Monday, Nov. 23, 1885. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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