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In another column, under the cap- whatever vividly recalls the events of tion of "Put Yourself in his Place," the war is liable to revive a feeling we give our readers an able article that the southerners rebelled wickedfrom the Springfield Republican. It | 1y and without any excuse. Now, is a plain, pointed and common sense | why did the southerners fight ? Let justification of every southerner the northern reader try to put himwho espoused the fortunes of his self in the place of the average white state in the late war, in the defence southerner of 1860, and see how of those ideas of States Rights things looked to him. Slavery was a which he had been taught from part of his whole social life. As a this winter.

childhood were constitutional .- child be had been nursed by a black Emanating, as it does, from the very "mammy," The servants in his house hot-bed of opposition to our ante belonged to him. If he was a planter, Gen. Grant's birthday. bellum institutions, and written as his laborers were his property. This a leader of a journal, the name of was the state of things he had grown which allies it to the coercive party up in. He believed it right ; he read of the North, we can but appreciate in his Bible how Jews and Christians the catholic spirit in which it is owned slaves, and Christ and the apostles said not a word against it. written.

THE FARMERS' ALLIANCE.

The rapid and continued growth of the Farmers' Alliance is significant of the fact that the farmers as on the blacks were left unguarded on a body have set their brain, as well as their hands, to work to build up the whites to the army, yet nowhere their own interests, and place them- did they rise for revolt or revenge. selves on an equal footing, at least The whole industrial system was financially, with all other pursuits built on slavery. The slaves reprefar, the majority. Our schools are erner had for many years heard this about 1500 people. filled with their children, and in system assailed throughout the many instances the teacher himself North, and himself denounced as a is one of them, and follows the plow criminal. He was barred from what after the school term is over. Our he considered his clear rights of churches all over the country are property. If his slave ran away, the built and nurtured by them, and our northern peop wouleld not let him state and county taxes are chiefly be reclaimed, though constitution paid out of their pockets. The sui- and law required it. If he wanted to cidal course that has been followed year after year of depending on oth- him his house-servants and fielders has well nigh brought them to hands, he was told he could not keep will undoubtedly be of great benefit sible, the right to hold slaves. gether. to each and every one. The work Thereupon the South said to the A convict at Stillwater, Minn., to fight for let him get out. There- Hulfish. "He was a butcher. One

PUT YOURSELF IN HIS PLACE. Springfield Republican. The resentments of the war are dy-

ing out, yet a feeling lingers at the they made the best of them, until North that the men who rebelled they grow reconciled to the result, against the government were guilty glad slavery was gone, and attached of a crime and that they ought to repent of it. That feeling grows break. In building up their waste weaker ; there is a disposition to give places, in looking forward and not the South the benefit of a sort of back, in joining hands to create a moral statute of limitations, and fornew America, they have shown give what was done so long ago; but themselves braver men than on the

battle-field. We are proud of them as our fellow-countrymen, and we would not ask them to repeat or to be ashamed of their past.

NEWS ITEMS.

to face and make a wholly new fu-

ture. They accepted the overthrow

of slavery, and the indissoluable un-

ity of these states, as facts ; as facts

There are said to be more than 60,000 northern visitors in Florida

Gen. Sherman has selected a committee to arrange for a celebration of The Duke of Westminster in Great Brittian has an income of \$50 per

minute the year round. Representative McCollough, 0 Pennsylvania, is said to be the hand-

somest man in Congress. He knew that there was a great deal The colored people are raising of kindness and fidelity in the actual subscriptions to erect a Lincoln relations of masters and slaves-and

monument in Washington. let the northern reader who doubts It is stated that it will require upthis remember that as the war went every plantation by the withdrawal of orange crop of California, now just 1753 at Old Town, sfterwards called markets.

The Congressional Hall of Repre-sylvania. There is a stone church at sentatives at Washington is 139 feet this place one hundred years old. and callings. And why not? In sented a commercial value of over a long and 83 feet wide and contains North Carolina they constitute, by thousand millions. Well, the south- 333 desks, and the galleries will hold Observer proposes Hon. D. G.

> has brought to grief with a piece of ognized. apple.-Republican.

go into a territory, and to take with There are fifty-seven retail liquor houses in Atlanta, Ga., eight retail Lankruptey and ruin through a sys- them there. On just that point, the beer saloons, one wholesale beer the following : "At the battle of tem of trust deeds and mortgages, right to take slaves into territories, house and four wholesale liquor Antietam, Gen. Barksdale drew up and the self dependence of former the republicans and democrats bat- houses. The income from the fifty- his brigade in line of battle and ad- having an artificial nose, was in day of January 1889, or this notice days is almost a thing of the past tled, until at last the republicans seven retail liquor houses alone if no dressed them, telling them that the Magistrate Pole's court the other will plead in bar of their recovery. enced farmer with the inexperienced clude from the territories, and to to very restricted limits, and the and imploring them to acquit them- "That case reminds me of an un-

STATE NEWS.

ALL SORTS.

Uh is the name of a Philadelphia

grocer and Von Meyempnenstein-

A man recently took a bath in the

years in apparent harmony, at New-

and skipped the town, either in

want of a new scenery or a new

Wife (pleading)-I'm afraid,

"You forget, sir," sa'd the lady in

A special commissioner of the Pail

dertook to carry on a conversation

with the home office at London,

nearly 8,000 miles, and the wires be-

tween the two continents were kept

in play continually for nearly three

hours. It was 1 p. m. in the British

other end of the line, and it took

just six minutes to send a question

miles of wire. A storm was raging

up in the State the Judge made a

speech in one of the small towns up

in the pine woods country, and in

gunine remarks exclaimed. "Why,

fellow citizens ! we can whip them

After the war clouds had cleared

away and the Judge had settled

down to the practice of his profess

ion, professional duties took him

back to this same town. He was

de ending a criminal in his usual

way. He assured the jury earnestly

that every word that fell from his

lips was true. At this point a one-

armed, long-haired juror arose in

his seat with doubt written all over

his countenance and said : "Jedge

ain't you the man who said in this

guns ?" The Judge was silent for a

moment, and then with great ve-

hemence exclaimed : "Yes, I said

Yankees with popguns."

partner.

an appropriate one."

Cleveland county has sixty-three churches.

Salisbury people are going to have metz of Stuttgart, sausage maker. a new cemetery laid off. Meningetis prevails in Davidson

dark. He managed well enough, to the Union they had fought to township, Iredell county. only he got hold of a piece of stove-Catawba county receives \$931.58 blaking instead of soap-with marktax from the Railroads in the county. ed recults. Mr. Thos. D. Mears has been Heavner, a blacksmith aged 75, chosen Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias in the State. after living with his wife for fifty

> The first engine over the new Oxford and Clarksville Railroad steamed into Oxford on the 16th.

The Lenoir Topic gives a hearty endorsement to Judge A. C. Avery for the supreme court bench.

There are now 339 Farmers' Alli-George, you do not love me as well ances in North Carolina. Since Janas you used to do. Husbanduary 1st, 156 have been organized. Why ? W .- Because you always let A furniture factory is to be built me get up to light the fire. H.in Lincolnton and furnished with Nonsese, my love ! Your getting up the latest improved machinery.

A whale sixty-feet long, has been all the more. killed near Morehead City on the Shackelford banks, and is said to be worth \$2,000.

that Col. A. B. Andrews will have way, "I should say the motto. "He control of the road to Wilkesboro, has gone to a better land' would be and will push it through at once.

The Reidsville Democrat says, the oldest Moravian settlement in the lived in Boston." wards of 2,000 cars to transport the South was made November 17th, coming to perfection, to Eastern Wachovia, five miles North of Win-Mall Gazette, now at Vancoucer, B. ston, N. C. by emigrants from Penn-C., on his way around the world, un-

A strong writer in the News and

Fowle for Governor, and Thos. W. A Pennsylvania girl recently threw M son for Lt. Governor. He says an apple paring over her shoulder, that Judge Fowle has every re-Columbia capital and 9 p. m. at the 3 and it struck a Mr. Gibson edgewise quisite for the position, and that he in one of his eyes, entirely destroy- has done valiant service for the ing the sight. Mr. Gibson, by the party in the past, and that his serand get an answer back,-six minutes way, is not the first man a woman vices have never been properly recfor a question fo travel over 15,000

NOTHING TO FIGHT FOR.

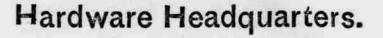
Maj. Skelton of Harwell, Ga., tells

The outlook is now more promising won in the election of Lincoln. Now more were licensed, would amount battle would probably decide the day charged with having stolen a All persons indebted to said estate are and the prospect is brightening.- the southerner saw the national gov- to \$57,000 for this year, while the destiny of the Confederacy, of their watch and chain and some clothing requested to make immediate payment The Alliance, bringing together as ernment in the control of a party beer saloons are licensed for \$100 a homes, their property, their fathers, belonging to H. A. Limbert, 1705 and save cost and treuble. it does the successful and experi- whose avowed purpose was to ex- year. The sale of liquor is confined their mothers, their sweethearts, Bambrey Street.

and unsuccessful tiller of the soil, limit and discourage wherever pos saloons are pretty well bunched to selves like men. If there was a man fortunate accident that befell a in the ranks who felt he had nothing friend of mine," observed Detective 4 6-w

erably below zero.

YORKE& WADSWORTH



HERE. SEE

ton, N. C., shouldered his hammers MERCHANIS, MECHANICS, ENGINEERS, MINERS, and skinned the town either in Farmers and Everybody Else

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Our warehouse is filled with Carriages, Buggies, Wagons, Reapers, Mow-"If I might venture to make a sugers, Hay Rakes, of the best make on the market, which must and will be sold gestion, madam," said the tombstone The Winston Republican reports agent, in a sombre yet respectful at the lowest figures. Be sure to come to see us, whether you buy or not.

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J. W. BURKHEAD, Ag't.



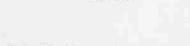
too, at various points along the line. the estate of John Young, col, decease acd the themometer ranged consided, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them duly authenticated to Henry Buckwald, a young man the undersigned on or before the 28th

> At ALLISON'S CORNER, where they will find a woll selected stock of

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This the 28th day of January, 1888. J. F. WILLEFORD. Adm's of John Young, Col.

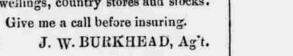
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cess, and the day be not far distant Good by !" when cash will take the place of crop liens and chattel mortgages.

city of Florence, has written a let | was a voluntary alliance of states. ter. Mr. Blaine has written a great Secession, which in the eyes of the ance company. many letters, some of which it would North was rebellion, was to the south have been wise in him not to have ern mind the exercise of an undoubtwritten, or for his zealous friends to ed right. The southern people had have consigned to oblivion, as their little expectation that the North publicity, coupled with munisterial would oppose it by arms, and at the Her will provides for the erection of against the head of a gentleman. toasts on Rum, Romanism and Re- North and among republicans the bellion, and other little side shows right and expediency of "coercing a then sets aside \$18,000 for statues of dons, sir. These drivers are so in the last national campaign, orig- state" was very much in doubt till inated the cause for this latest very debate was cut short by the cannons pronounced epistle. A long extend- of Sumpter. So, first, the Gulf ed tour through foreign lands seems states seceded ; then, when blood not to have buoyed up his flagging was shed and passion roused, the political spirits, nor to have convin- other southern states went, too. ced so astute a politician that vic- Up to this point, many southerntory awaits him as the bloody shirt ers had opposed secession, and in standard bearer in the coming cam- the border states had made some paign. Meditations on high protec- head against the passion of the hour tive tariff 'neath soft Italian skies and the tyranny of public sentiment. have not strengthened his confi- But when once a state had voted to dense in a Republican majority, nor leave the union, almost every southenhanced his presidential prospects. erner believed that his state had a No gentle whispering winds have right to his allegiance. Even if disborne to him the longed for words, approving of secession, he felt him-"Yes, we miss thee at home," from self in the position of any citizen a united party. But that one-idea whose country goes to war, contrary presidential tariff reduction message to his judgment, bat with the right and the growing popularity of reve- to command his services. After all, nue reform notions with all classes very few men reason out the right have knocked into a "cocked hat" and wrong of things clearly, especithe Flumed Knight's presidential ally amid great social excitements. boom, so he has written this last They catch fire from the feeling in letter, straightforward and sincere, the air. North and South alike, men so his friends say, declining the can- enlisted under an impulse to fight didacy for the highest office in the for their homes and along with their gift of the nation he is so very anx- neighbors and in defence for their ious to protect. The Plumed country. To a Massachusetts man, Knight's political sagacity cannot his country meant the United be doubted, and his withdrawal, if States : to a Virginian, his country sincere, indicates a fear of defeat. meant Virginia or the South. (Geo. The Hon. John Sherman is outspo- Washington, in his letters during

ken in his regret at Mr. Blaine's the Reveloution, wrote "my counwhat we shall see.

in charge and appropriated the \$6,- found it hard to forgive ? 000 in the treasury. After the in- This is the southerner's side. If public schools, regarding them as

union is not a partnership terminable He had married another woman and contempt, and then thundred, 'Git !' When it healed he removed the cloth make prompt payment ; and all perat will. It is a marriage, and there was sent to the Stillwater periten- They got."

The Plumed Knight-the Hon. can be no divorce." But the South tiary for attempting to murler her James G. Blaine-from the far-away had long held that in effect the Union because she refused to act in collusion with him to defraud an insur-

> Mrs. Lousia Ramsball, of Canadaigua, N. Y. who died recently, possessed an estate valued at \$120,-000. She leaves two insane children. a mausoleum to cost \$95,000, and herself and husband, and for the careless. Hope you are not serimantainance of the mausoleum. The remainder, if there be any, is to be used for the support of the insane man and am used to little knocks children.

After this year, unless a vacancy should occur by death or resignation, there will be no judge of the Supreme Court to elect until 1895. At that time Judge Paxton's time will expire, he, with the late Judge Woodward, having been the first elected under the present Constitution. Judge Paxton will become chief justice at the end of this year and will tion.

The government will commence weighing the mail carried by the railroads in the South on February 20th, in order to determine the compensation to be allowed for the next four years. The mail will be weighed on the cars every day for thirty consecutive days from the date of commencement, to arrive at a fair by the reporter of a German paper, average, and will be conducted by who, after vainly attempting to gain the postal clerks, the railroads hav- an interview with a diplomat, finally to see that the weighing is done correctly.

In the southwestern portion of Allegan, county, Mich., there is a pecourse. Perhaps he sniffs from afar try" when he meant Virginia.) Then culiar religious denomination known the danger of an end to his own well the war became to the South, what as "Sanctified Saints." They have laid plans in a cohesion of the Blain it never was to the North, a war of but little faith in other sects, and element with that of some other Re- defense. The home and fire-side consider the salaried minister an publican aspirant. We shall see were threatened. Who blames the emissary of the devil. Their minmen who took arms against that ? isters receive no salary, and no con-

Who has no feeling for the women tributions are taken at their meet-They have an exhilarating way of who sent their husbands and sons to ings for any purpose. His support doing things in Texas. Four rob- keep back the hosts of Grant and is dependent on his own labor and bers entered a bank at Cisco on Sherman, whose coming meant fire the freewill offerings that are made. Wednesday, took the bank officers and sword ? Who wonders if they Salvation is literally free. They refuse to send their children to the

stitution had "been cleaned out" we do not give the northerner's here. "inventions of the devil." Their the robbers locked the bankers in it is because our readers have heard meeting-house is of a peculiar, primthe back yard and departed. They it for many years. We need not re- itive sort, equipped with wooden did not go, however, in the shame- peat to them that slavery was a gi- benches. On entering the sanctufaced way customary in the effete gantic evil, or that to keep this peo- ary the men greet each other with East, but rode through the main ple one nation was worth all it cost. what is termed a "holy kiss" and street, firing off their revolvers and But we would do justice to our fel- the salutation "Praise the Lord." displaying their booty as they went. low-countrymen of the South. They The women kiss and salute each oth-

were mistaken, and they paid a tre- er in the same manner. The meet- done, and that the general tone and The Richmond Whig sums it up mendous penalty. Think how men ing is opened by singing. When the standard of instruction is more satwell when it says : "The iniquitous love the flag they have fought under chorus is reached every member isfactory than ever before. internal revenue and the monopolis- for four long years, and measure the holds up his right hand and beats

before it is a great one and embodies North : "Since you hate our sys- known as Dr. August Towsky, has upon two lean, lank 'dirt-eaters' day while killing a sheep he placed within its radius almost every pub- tem of industry, and mean to re- been identified as John A. G. Faw- stepped out, and one drawled : the knife in his mouth. The animal lic and private interest in the state. strict it, and hope by and by to abol toski, who, six years ago, while a 'Gen'l, me'n him haint got no home. kicked, striking the knife, which cut cies upon his life to the amount of sweetheart, no nigger. 'Kin we Go?' hastily replaced the piece, and tied Honeycutt, dec'd, all persons indebted "Hold on," said the North, "this \$8,500 and suddenly disappeared. The general looked at them with a bandage around the wound to said estate are hereby notified to

NOTHING NEW TO HIM.

A lady carrying an umber rella enand the water entering his nose tered the street car, but before she could take a seat the car plunged drowned him." The detective sighed as he started out to follow a cold forward with an awkard jerk. The trail on a lost pug dog. lady, in attempting to regain her equilibrium, whacked her umberrella Judge John B. Rice was a prominent Lawyer of Montgomery, Ala., "On sir, I beg a thousand par-When secession was being whooped

ously injured, sir.' "Oh no, ma'am. I'm a married the course of his heated and san like that.".

Bob Burdett in Richmond Dispatch. "One to-day," remarks a wise man, "is worth two tomorrows." Oh, is it, then ? You go into the market with today and see how many tomorrows you can get for it. You can't get one-not a solitary one; you can't even get a tomorrow morning for it. But if you have a tomorhave six years to serve in that posi- row that you want to put on the market, you might get a whole week

of todays for it. The only man who wouldn't offer today for it is the man who is going to be hanged tomorrow, and has consequently very little use very Court House in '60 that we for it. What he wants to trade for could whip them Yankees with popis about two months of yesterdays and a couple of weeks before last.

The American reporter is beaten it ; but d-n their dirty souls, they wouldn't fight with popguns." A Vassar girl tells in the New

ing the privelege of representation disguised himself as a barber and York Journal of the curious ways in proceeded to get ready for his work. which some of the poorer students The great man having been safely at that institution earn their pocket

laid back in the chair, the seeming money. "Some of the girls who barber took him by the nose and, come up to Vassar," are as helpless brandishing the open razor before as bates. They are the daughters ance or not ?"

The tube for the great telescope of the Lick observatory, or Mt. Hamilton, Cal., is four feet in diam- her tuition and board were paid by eter in the center, and weighs in all a kind relative, but every penny for eigh thousand six hundred pounds. dress, car-fare and the thousand and This huge instrument is so exactly one little incidentals she must earn made and nicely balanced that the herself." pressure of a single finger will direct it to any point in the heavens.

The Board of Trustees of North Carolina University met in Raleigh on the 16th. The reports of the fac-

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator Ribbons, Colars, Corsets, Bustles, May its labors be crowned with suc- ish it, it is time we parted company. resident of Chicago, took out poli- no pappy, no mammy, no wife, no off part of my friend's nose. He de bonis non of the estate of J. L. Ruching, Veiling, &c., which will be sold cheap for CASIL. Give me a call.

to discover his horror that his nose sons having claims against said estate MRS. MOLLIE ELLIOTT. 6 3m was upside down. It didn't worry must present the same for payment on

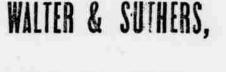
or before the 10th day of February. him long, though, poor fellow ! One 1889, or this notice will be pleaded in day he got caught in a rain storm, bar of their recovery.

EDMUND HONEYCUT F, Adm'r de bonis non-By W. G. MEANS, Att'y.

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him with one hand, while with the of millionaires, and never brushed sold in the South, always giving sa isother he held him firmly down, pro- their own hair or sewed a button on faction. Also onion sets, choice vapounded the question : "And now their boots in their lives. They are rieties of corn for garden and field cul-I beg your Excellency to answer my only too glad to have some one to do ture, Red Clover, Lucerne, Orchard question. Is there to be an alli- those thing for them, and that is Grass, Kentucky Blue Grass, Red how the poorer girls make their Top or Herds Grass, German Millet, pocket money. Last year a pretty &c. All choice selected seeds, which

blue-syed girl came to the college we offer at low prices. and stated during the first week that N. D. FETZER, Manager.

> N. B. We are offering the BIGGEST BARGAINS in chewing tobacco in this market.

> > Removal.

Soon after her arrival the following announcement appeared on her

door: Gloves and shoes neatly mended for ten cents each. Breakfast brought up for ten cents. Hair brushed each night for 25 cents a week. Beds made up at ten cents a week.

cheap goods in the grocery line. "That little freshman made just Thankful for many past favors I \$150 the first year," continues the trust to merit a continuance by st

