

Raleigh Press-Visitor about ex-Judge Schenck's latest bomb. The old man is really sore over losing a job that he held for 14 years. Too bad to turn him out to grass at this hour of life! In all candor, we think Judge Schenck is too late—the state is made; and what few zephyrs do strike his wings, extended over the dear people, will hardly give him boost enough to sail into heaven of political honor or fame. The wings, too, will wear to a fraz until the next election. Too late! To late!

What are claimed to be the largest fire engines in the world are the two built recently in London. One is capable of throwing 1,400, the other 1,800 to 2,000 gallons of water per minute. The machines weigh three and one-half tons each, and can be readily drawn at full gallop by four horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Harman, of Lansingburg, Mich., celebrated the silver anniversary of their wedding in a queer way last week. Sixteen years after their marriage they were divorced, and last Tuesday, the twenty-fifth anniversary, they were remarried.

Senator Butler has rented and is living in a \$20,000 brown-stone front palace in Washington. The Senator is a horny-handed son-of-toil—a modern agriculturist.

The report comes from Washington that Congressman Shuford dropped a nickle into a street level box slot and patiently waited for the thing to play a tune. We don't believe it. Congressman Shuford doesn't look like he is fond of music.

The New York Sun, in its comments upon the President's message, says: "If Mr. Cleveland lives up to the words and the spirit of his present declaration, not only with regard to Venezuela, but in every case where the same principle is involved, his Administration will become truly and illustriously American in the last few months of its existence." Not only in matters pertaining to foreign affairs, but in every matter concerning the welfare of America it will be proven that the President has and will continue to figure illustrious, showing great wisdom and practical forethought of an American.

The following recommendation in the message shows that the President is in favor of the enlarged use of silver whenever it can be safely undertaken:

"Do not overlook the fact that the cancellation of the treasury notes under the silver purchasing act of 1890, would leave the treasury in actual ownership of sufficient silver, including seigniorage, to coin nearly \$178,000,000 in standard dollars. It is worthy of consideration whether this might not, from time to time, be converted into dollars or fractional coin and slowly put into circulation, as in the judgment of the secretary of the treasury the necessities of the country should require."

The Charleston Democrat announced in its issue two weeks ago that the produce was scarce, and an old subscriber at once drove to town with a huge box filled with every thing raised on a farm, from eggs to turkeys. Such announcements are liable to become a newspaper epidemic.—Charlotte News.

[It would be untruthful for a North Carolina newspaper to make such an announcement this year. Proofs to the contrary, however, would occur only in Charleston.]

That the Lord's Supper ought to be a real meal and not a sham supper of crumbs of bread and drops of wine, was the radical proposition put before his congregation by the Rev. I. M. Gibson, of Plattsburg, Mo., a few days ago. And it is stated that many of the congregation are heartily in favor of the innovation, which is almost as absurd as the Populistic policies of the last campaign.

The Baptist State Mission Board applies to the State Convention for \$30,000 to carry on it's year's work. It also conducts Sunday school work. There are 1,800 Sunday schools of this church in North Carolina, with about 100,000 pupils. These contribute about \$25,000 annually.

If a writer in the Titusville, Fla., Advertiser isn't stretching it, banana growing in the Indian River section is a daisy business. He tells of a planter who cut 1,400 bunches from one acre of land and netted \$700 on them, which is doing reasonably well for one acre.

THE OLD NORTH STATE.

Col. A. K. McClure, editor of the Philadelphia Times, who recently made an extensive trip through the South, commenting upon the resources of this State, says: "The Raleigh News and Observer has issued a Thanksgiving edition of thirty-six pages, devoted to the portrayal of the material progress of the old North State. This issue of our Raleigh contemporary proves the substantial prosperity and growth of the South more conclusively than could be shown in any other way.

"The fact that the cotton factories of North Carolina are today more than five times in number what they were before the war, and the fact that they have more than doubled within the last five years, present the steady and substantial growth of the industries of that State in the clearest manner; and this issue of the News and Observer, illustrated as it is not only with the leading factories of the State but with portraits of the active men in all the varied industries which have been so rapidly advancing, is the most eloquent tribute to the solid progress of North Carolina that has ever been presented.

"The only feature of North Carolina's advantages over many States that is not given just prominence in this issue, is the inviting field opened by that State for agricultural emigration both from abroad and from the North. There is no better State in the South, and none in the West that approaches it, in its many superior inducements of men who desire to till the soil. Considering the genial climate, cheap lands, the abundant timber and water, and the proximity to markets, North Carolina is second to no State of the Union in offering the richest reward to agricultural emigrants."

Hon. Stephen Clay, a prominent lawyer and ex-Speaker of the Georgia House of Representatives, recently had the misfortune to incur the displeasure of a citizen against whom he was employed in a law-suit and received from the latter a call to the field for a settlement of the "affair" according to the code. To this Mr. Clay replied, declaring that he was opposed to dueling because it was condemned by every principle of our laws and every doctrine of our religion; that he had a wife and dependent little ones, who had higher claims on him than his challenger, who himself had neither a family nor a future, and nothing to risk but a life without ties or associations to make it worth living.

The latest story of a wondrous gold find in Alaska is of a lake whose bed is literally paved deep with gold dust. The lake is 100 yards long, 400 yards wide and 150 feet deep. It is fed by water from a glacier, and its only outlet is a little stream two feet deep, but of incredible swiftness. The assay of the sand which a sea captain brought to Seattle recently showed \$8 to \$10 to a cubic yard, and on this basis a man alone could take of \$10,000 a year.

Mrs. Helen Morris Lewis, of Asheville, who is the president of the North Carolina Woman's Equal Rights Association, says that 1896 will be a year of great importance to the woman's suffrage movement in this State. It would really be interesting to know in what way.

WHO PECKHAM IS.

A Brother of Wheeler H. Peckham, a Friend of Hill and Murphy, and a Life-Long Democrat.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The Senate, in executive session this afternoon, confirmed the nomination of Olney and Harmon. Rufus W. Peckham, of New York, nominated to be associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, is a brother of Wheeler H. Peckham, nominated and rejected for the same place during the last Congress. The nomination appears to be satisfactory to the Senate and there will be no dilatory tactics against the confirmation of the nominee. Mr. Peckham is a member of the Albany family of that name and has been for some years a member of the New York Court of Appeals. He is a man of about 55 years of age. He is a personal friend of both Senator Hill and Senator Murphy and when Wheeler H. Peckham was nominated before, Mr. Hill exclaimed that it was a pity the brother had not been given the honor. It is stated positively that the present nominee has the endorsement of both the New York Senators and that he will be confirmed as speedily as possible. Mr. Peckham has been a consistent Democrat all his life but has never been identified with any of the factional party quarrels.

Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller guaranteed to stop headache in 20 minutes. "One out of a dozen."

A DARK-SKINNED HERO.

The Philadelphia Times writes of it in its issue.

A pretty, yet pathetic, sight was witnessed at Atlanta the other day. As one of the trains from the south rolled into the depot there alighted from it a little white boy about ten years of age and a colored lad of 14. The latter's black face shone like polished ebony, he had no legs, one arm was gone, and he got along by using a crutch and hopping over the pavement like a rabbit. He and his white companion seemed in the former's hands to be the pavement in the direction of the Exposition. Many Southerners know them, for their home was in New Orleans, and the negro boy, whose name is not given, is the hero of the State. He was found in the woods when a baby by the mother of the white boy, whose husband lived in the lumber and iron several miles above New Orleans. She took the little pickaninny home, treated him kindly, even affectionately, and when her own son was born, Moses became passionately attached to him. Finally the husband died, and the widow and the two boys lived on in the swamps. One night the river rose, broke over the levee and swept the mother and two boys out into the darkness and the flood.

Next morning the mother was rescued by a fisherman, and a search then instituted for the boys. They were finally found. The white child perched on a slippery log just above the water, the negro, Moses, up to the neck in the slimy flood and his arms sustaining his young master on his dangerous perch. His exhaustion was so great that he nearly died for white heroically struggling to save the white boy he had not flinched while great logs bore down upon him and crushed his legs so that they had to be amputated. His arm also was rendered useless and was cut off.

The black hero became dear to the heart of the mother that when she died a year later she left her small property to the two boys, who then removed to New Orleans, where her relatives resided. Everybody there knows their story, and as they pass along the street or sit playing in the squares many a bag of roasted peanuts, fruit, candy and toys is given them by the passers by. The relatives allow Moses to have almost entire charge of his young master, and gave them permission to attend the Exposition together.

They attracted universal attention there, and it is doubtful if any other two boys had so good a time as Moses and his companion.—Hickory Press.

MANAGING A DAUGHTER.

First—You can't do it; the man who can must be more than mortal.

Second—Give her her own way; it will save her the trouble of talking it.

Third—Pay for her dresses if you can afford it. Her dress maker will sue you if you don't.

Fourth—If she takes a fancy to any man you don't want her to marry, tell her your heart is set on her marrying him and swear she shall never marry any other. You can give her a free hand and she wouldn't have him if he was the only man left.

Fifth—If there is any man you want her to marry, kick him out of your house, forbid the servants to admit him, distribute man traps and spring guns and ball dogs all around your grounds, lock her in her room and vow if she marries him you won't leave her a penny. You will not have to wait long after that for the elopement.

Sixth—If she has no voice encourage her to sing whenever you give a party. It will attract attention to her and give your guests an excuse for complimenting her. Never mind the neighbors.

Seventh—If you are a poor man, teach your daughter to dance and play the piano. She can learn cooking and dressmaking and those things after she is married.

Will Not Interfere.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—Although there is talk before Congress that Southern Republicans might endeavor to influence Congressional action of the new State constitutions of Mississippi and South Carolina, claiming that they are designed to disfranchise the negroes, it seems that there is little likelihood that any effective steps will be taken. The Congressmen are convinced that the only practical measure is to lay the matter before the Supreme Court.

George Washington Hanged! TARBORO, N. C., Dec. 4.—George Washington, Jr., was hanged here today. He was tried and convicted at the last term of the Edgecombe Criminal court, for the murder of one Charles Neville, a pump man at the water tank of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway. The murderer was a young negro of eighteen years of age, and was raised in Tarboro.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 14th day of August 1895, and recorded in the office of Deeds of Cabarrus county in book 5, Record of Mortgages, page 322, etc., I, Hugh W. Harris, trustee, will on Tuesday the 7th day of January, 1896, at 12 o'clock M., sell to the highest bidder at public auction at the court house door in Concord, N. C., all that certain tract of land described in said deed of trust, situated in the county of Cabarrus, adjoining the lands of W. J. McLaughlin, G. W. Patterson and others and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at 2 cedars on the east bank of Deep creek and running N 12° 14' E 1/4 chs to a stone by P. C. Patterson's corner, thence with W. J. McLaughlin's line N 89° 1/2' E 1/4 chs to the east bank of Deep creek, W. J. McLaughlin's corner, thence down said creek with its meanders to the mouth of Deep branch above Patterson's as follows, viz: 61° 41' chs, thence a 19° 1/2' chs, thence a 37° 21' chs, thence a 40° 17' chs, thence a 45° 21' chs, thence a 2° 21' chs to a hand thence a 11° 41' chs, thence a 78° 31' chs, thence a 49° 21' chs, thence a 81° 41' chs, thence a 134° 41' chs, thence a 51° 41' chs, thence a 86° 19' chs, thence a 51° 41' chs, thence a 15° 9' chs to a white oak; thence a 62° 19' chs, thence a 88° 19' chs, thence a 10° 6' chs, thence a 34° 5' chs, thence a 55° 6' chs; thence a 78° 19' chs, thence a 19° 14' chs, thence a 51° 21' chs to the mouth of a drain by two meadows, thence a 75° 41' chs; thence a 74° 8' chs the mouth of a branch, and in the same course N 74° 11' chs, thence a 50° 11' chs to the mouth of Black's branch above G. W. Patterson's mill. Thence up the channel of branch as follows, viz: 20° 1' chs, thence a 17° 22' chs, thence a 23° 19' chs, thence a 15° 1' chs, thence a 61° 59' chs to a creek, thence a 28° 19' chs to the beginning, containing 144 acres more or less. Terms of sale, cash. This December 31, 1895. HUGH W. HARRIS, Trustee.

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SALE OF LAND.
Under a decree of the Supreme Court made in a special proceeding entitled D. P. Walker and wife M. A. and others executees, I, as commissioner, will expose to public sale at the court house door in Concord, on Monday the 6th day of January, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, all that tract of land situated in Cabarrus county, adjoining Aaron Wineoff and others, containing 55 acres more or less being the home place of the late Cornelia Suther dead. Terms of sale: cash, balance on six months time, note and approved security with interest from date of sale required. D. P. WALKER, Commissioner. Nov. 27, 1895.

Notice of Seizure.
Notice is hereby given of the seizure of the following property for violation of the Internal Revenue laws of the United States, to-wit:
Near Albemarle, N. C., November 19, 1895.
Two heavy horses, two horse wagon and one carriage, value and contents, supposed to be the property of N. C. Lightower.
Any person claiming said property is hereby notified to appear before the undersigned at his office in Asheville, N. C., within thirty (30) days from the date hereof and make such claim in the form and manner prescribed by law, or the property will be declared forfeited to the United States.
SAM L. ROGERS,
Collector 6th Dist. N. C.
By R. S. Harris, D. C.
Nov. 27, 1895.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having been duly appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of Margaret A. Hileman, deceased, all persons holding claims against the said decedent are hereby notified to present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for payment on or before the 17th day of October 1896 or this notice will be read as a bar to their recovery. Also all persons owing said decedent are notified that prompt payment is expected. J. A. HAINSBURY, Administrator. This Oct. 17th 1895.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having been duly appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of the late Dr. Solomon Parr, deceased, all persons holding claims against the said decedent are hereby notified to present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for payment on or before the 20th day of November, 1895, or this notice will be read as a bar to their recovery. Also all persons owing said decedent are notified that prompt payment is expected. L. M. MONTGOMERY, Administrator. This Nov. 19, 1895.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having been duly appointed and qualified administrator of the estate of James W. Long dead, I, as such administrator, will on Wednesday, the 18 day of December, 1895 at the late residence of said James W. Long in Concord, offer for sale to the highest bidder, cash, one or two sorrel horses, one cook stove, one lot corn, two barrels, lot of beds and bedding household and kitchen furniture, and other personal property—articles too numerous to mention. This Nov. 25, 1895. L. M. ARCHER, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

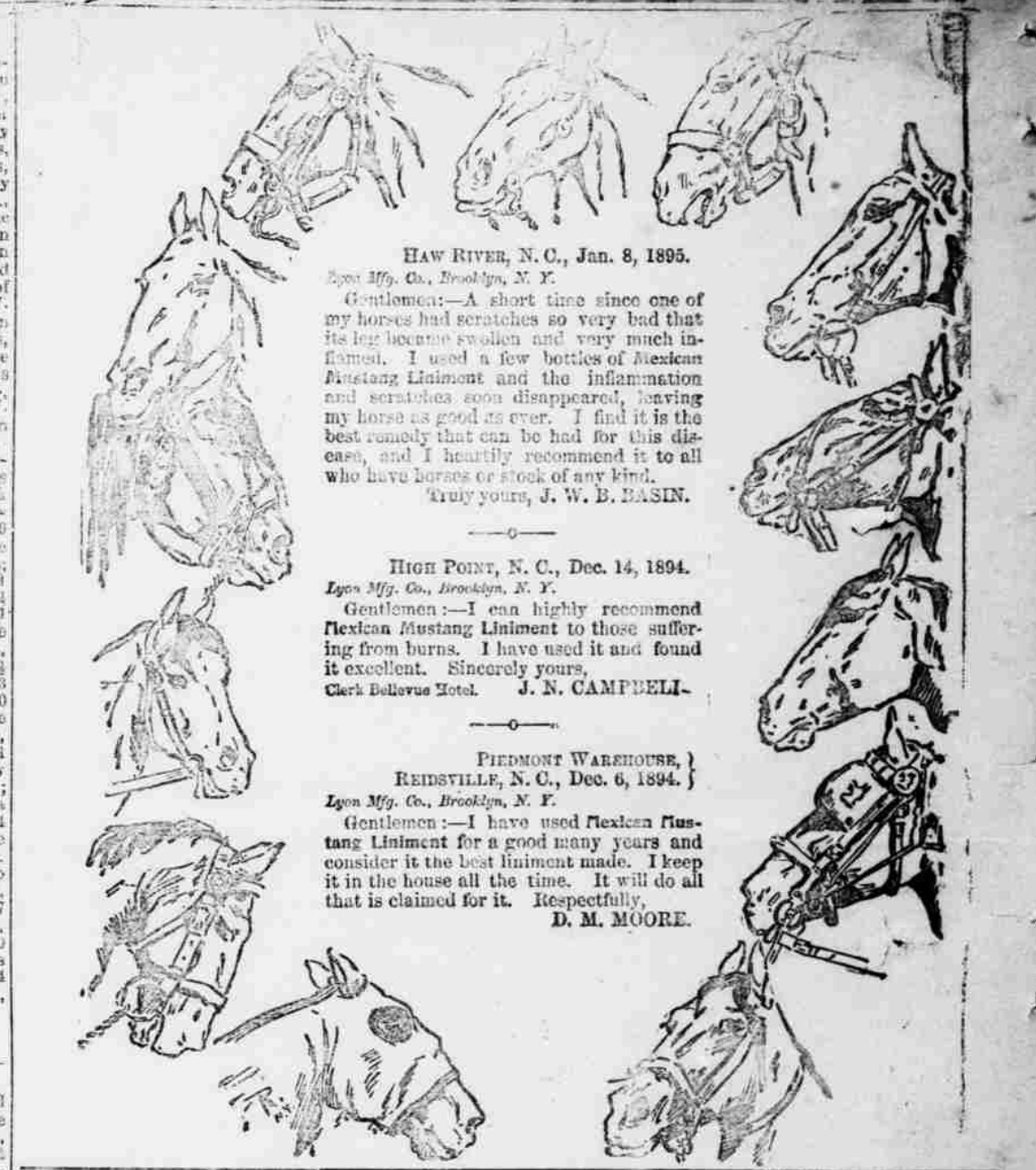
Having duly qualified as administrator of William B. Joyner, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them duly authenticated at the office of Morrison Caldwell in Concord, N. C., for payment on or before the 1st day of December, A. D. 1896, or this notice will be read in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified that prompt payment must be made by the 1st day of December, A. D. 1896. EDWARD JOYNER, Administrator. Morrison Caldwell, H. Atty. This the 2nd day Dec. 1895.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having, this 18th day of November 1895, been duly appointed and qualified executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. Mary G. Huie, deceased, I hereby notify all persons indebted to the estate of decedent to make immediate payment thereof to me. And all persons having claims against the decedent are hereby notified to present them, duly authenticated, to me for payment, on or before the 18th day of November, 1896, or this notice will be read in bar of their recovery. ERHAN P. FOARD, Executor.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Having been duly appointed a commissioner to sell the real estate of Daniel Latties, deceased, in a special proceeding in the Superior Court of Cabarrus county for partition entitled John Barbee, J. B. Barbee and others executees, I, as such commissioner will offer at public auction at the court house door in Concord on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, all that valuable tract of land situated in No. 10 township, Cabarrus county, adjoining the lands of M. L. Bell, John H. Hartwell and others on Rocky River, containing 107 acres, more or less, and known as the Daniel Latties' lands. Terms of sale: I one-third cash on date of sale, balance on six months time, note and approved security with interest from date of sale required. JAMES C. GIBSON, Commissioner. Dec. 4, 1895.



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