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THE ELECTIONS.

They have come and gone. The enemy is in the saddle. We have lost everything and some of that is what we ought not to have lost.

We are too big to cry over the results, and they hurt too badly to laugh over.

DEMOCRACY IS IMMORTAL and it takes a worse Waterloo than this to put an end to it.

Democracy can get together so quick that your head swims.

Wait for 1896

WHAT A WOMAN'S THOUGHTLESS TONGUE COST.

Raleigh News and Observer: The rendering of a verdict in Richmond for \$10,000 against Mrs. Thos. J. Todd for alleged defamation of character ought to have a salutary effect. Miss Louise H. Gibson, a young woman who established a high character, was employed as a clerk in the store of Miller & Rhodes. Not a great while ago, Miss Gibson received a note from her employers dispensing with her services. She demanded to know the cause of her dismissal, and was told that Mrs. Todd accused her of saying that the wife of Rev. Dr. W. E. Hatcher would steal goods from the counter. She denied having made any such charge in reference to the great Baptist preacher's wife and brought suit for slander, gaining a ten thousand dollar verdict.

This trial ought to emphasize the importance of trying to tame "the waverly member." Men and women are both prone to make charges involving integrity and morals upon the slenderest foundation, and the gossips and tattlers are quick to spread abroad any scandal affecting any man or woman, and the more prominent in business, political or social life the person talked about is, the more rapidly does the scandal spread.

If every man and woman had to pay ten thousand dollars for every slanderous word spoken, it would put a bridle on all tongues. It is a severe punishment imposed upon Mrs. Todd, but if guilty, as charged, the good name of Miss Gibson, or any other young woman of character, is worth far more than ten thousand dollars. If Miss Gibson had slandered Mrs. Hatcher, as alleged, no punishment could be too severe for her.

If the prospect of having to pay ten thousand dollars for slander does not make men and women more guarded in speech, St. James is right in saying "But the tongue can no man tame."

The progress of acetylene gas, which was discovered in North Carolina some time ago, is receiving considerable attention recently. The verdict of the scientific world as to its economic value for light, heat and power is beginning to be accepted not only by the general public, but by old gas companies. That the Chicago Gas Trust Company, a combination of all the gas companies in that city, has purchased the exclusive right to manufacture and use the new gas in that city is a fact of no small significance. Companies are being organized in nearly every Northern State, and the whole field has been practically taken. The original plant for the manufacture of this new liquid gas was formed at Spray, N. C., and within the last year has largely increased its capacity.

In Ben Tillman's new constitution no man can vote unless he can read the constitution or give an interpretation of a clause when read to him. There is one exception. Any owner of \$300 worth of property can vote whether he can read or not. Rhode Island requires ownership of \$134 worth of property before any man can vote. Ben Tillman says: "I shall use every effort in my power to drive illiteracy from the land."

A Kansas man has discovered that brandy can be made from wet elm sawdust, and a discouraged Prohibitionist asks what chance the good cause will have when a man can go forth with a rip saw and get drunk on a fence rail.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. mwi&w 23'95

Beaten by Masked Men.

Raleigh News and Observer: A few nights ago, near Morrisville, this county, a white woman who had given birth to a negro child was severely beaten by a number of masked men. She was unable to identify any of her assailants, except the man who enticed her away from her home. This fellow was tried before a magistrate, and fined five dollars and costs.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, druggist, Berversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial bottle at Fetzer's Drug store.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

BACKACHE AND RHEUMATISM relieved by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters.

Yadkin Ripple: The amount of produce now being shipped from Mount Airy is simply immense. Two express cars are run daily and handle only part of the shipments, as the bulk of the produce goes by freight. Thousands of crates of cabbage, apples, onions, Irish potatoes and chestnuts leave that place daily for all parts of the country.

CANCER CURED

—AND A—
LIFE SAVED

By the Persistent Use of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla

"I was troubled for years with a sore on my knee, which several physicians, who treated me, called a cancer, assuring me that nothing could be done to save my life. As a last resort, I was induced to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and, after taking a number of bottles, the sore



began to disappear and my general health improve. I persisted in this treatment, until the sore was entirely healed. Since then, I use Ayer's Sarsaparilla occasionally as a tonic and blood-purifier, and, indeed, it seems as though I could not keep-house without it."—Mrs. S. A. FIELDS, Bloomfield, Ia.

AYER'S

The Only World's Fair Sarsaparilla.

Ayer's Pills Regulate the Liver.

GROVES



TASTELESS CHILL TONIC

IS JUST AS GOOD FOR ADULTS.
WARRANTED. PRICE 50 cts.

GALATIA, ILL., Nov. 15, 1895.
Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.
Gentlemen:—We sold last year, 500 bottles of GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC and have bought three gross already this year. In all our experience of 14 years, in the drug business, have never sold an article that gave such universal satisfaction as your Tonic. Yours truly,
ABNEY, CARR & CO.

For sale by all druggists.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of C. Holshouser & Co., composed of C. Holshouser and J. L. Miller, was dissolved by mutual consent on Nov. 1st 1895.

C. HOLSHOUSER,
J. L. MILLER.
I will continue the business and assume all liabilities of C. Holshouser & Co., and collect all notes accounts and other indebtedness due said old firm.
Nov. 4 '95 J. L. MILLER.

Thanking the public for past favors I solicit a continuance of same.
J. L. MILLER.

MORRISON H. CALDWELL

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CONCORD, N. C.

Office in Morris building, opposite Court House.

THE RACKET

Large profits no longer come from merchandise sold at 50 to 100 per cent, on a credit of from one year to eternity, only four out of every hundred credit merchants ever succeed. We prefer 20 per cent, cash to a struggle with 98 chances against us.

Last Saturday we placed a lot of gingham on sale at 24 cents per yard and a lot of good towels that we snapped up at 50 cents per dozen that sell regularly at 10 cent each. We marked them 5 cent each. The gingham went before sun-down and the towels before we closed. When we counted out our cash we had our money invested in these and 20 per cent. profit ready to invest again Monday.

This week we have on sale a lot of Seaside novels worth 10 cents each. We have put four in a bundle and sell the lot for 5 cents, just 14 cent for 10 cent novels. Clothbound novels at 15 cents! The Life of Jefferson Davis, by Mrs. Davis. Sold by subscription at \$8.00 per set of 2 vols, our price is \$2.90. Rollins Ancient History in 4 vols for \$2.25. Creaseys Fifteen Battles on which the Civilization of the World Stands. This is one of the richest stories of history to be found, our price 15 cents. A few of E. P. Roe's novels at 65 cents. Washington Irving's works, 6 vols for \$2 45.

The following two vols sets at 98 cents per set:

Prescotts Conquest of Mexico, Prescotts Conquest of Peru, complete works of Charles Lamb, The Count of Monte Cristo, by Dumas, The Mysterries of Paris, by Eugene Sue, The Wondering Jew, by Eugene Sue,

Teachers Oxford Bibles, \$1 75; Teachers Oxford Bibles, with patented index, \$2 00; Large family Bible, \$1 98; Large family Bible, old and new translations in parallel columns, for \$2 98.

Lace cut shelf paper at one-half cent per sheet, bargains in tablets and students note books, mucilage at 3 cents per bottle, ink the same, envelopes from 2 cents to 10 inch ones at 5 cents, two good rubber tipped lead pencils for 1 cent, slate pencils at 10 cents per pound, steel pens, including Eastbrooks, at 4 cents per dozen.

FRENCH

Shoe Blacking

AT FOUR CENTS PER BOX.

Assorted carpet tacks at five cents per pound. The regular price is five cents for two dozen.

FIVE CENT ARTICLES:

Three tin cups; One coffee pot; One covered bucket; One half gallon cups,

LUNCH BASKETS,

TEN TO TWENTY CENTS.

Sponges 3 cents; Remnants of Calico at 20 cents a lb. All wool flannel, 15 cents per yard. Canton flannel at 7 cents per yard.

—EMBROIDERED—

CREAM FLANNEL

AT SEVENTY-FOUR CENTS PER YARD.

One-half pint bottle of Bay Rum for 10 cents. Bargains in undershirts, all wool at 37 cents. Ladies vest 5 cents up.

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D. J. BOSTIAN, Proprietor.