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IN THE EDITOR'S SANCTUM.
WISE AND OTHERWISE FROM THE REVIEW PARAGRAPHER.
Terse and Timely Thoughts Caught on the Tip-End of His Tripod.

The April snow storm at Staunton, Va., was pronounced the severest known for thirty years. Twelve inches of snow fell.

The blessing of him that was ready to perish come upon me; and I caused the widow's heart to sing for joy.—Job, XXIX: 18.

The New York World is nothing if not sensational. It has now found a negro whose limbs ring like metal when struck. Away with such stuff!

It was an intemperate use of tobacco that doused Booth on the stage while playing in "Othello." His friends thought him paralyzed. He has recovered and gone to playing again, but has held up on the weed.

Mr. W. R. Hunt, a citizen of Shelby, was convicted of slander at the last term of court, and sentenced to two years imprisonment in jail. So there is something in the law after all. Solomon says: He that uttereth a slander is a fool.

The Leaksville Gazette is of opinion that some of those who object to Mrs. Jackson's holding office under a Republican administration would themselves gladly accept such an appointment from the President. Verily, we should not wonder.

Dr. Phillips and family will move to Birmingham, Ala., he has sons engaged there in the iron and coal business. The Doctor is the last of the old regime before the war who made for the State University the ablest faculty in the South.

Here is a sad satire upon the ladies, or rather a class of them. The writer says: all the teeth of a certain scolding lady being loose, she asked a physician the cause of it, who answered that it proceeded from the violent shocks she gave them with her tongue.

The Duty of a Majority.
Harrison is a minority President. Cleveland and Thurman received a hundred thousand more votes than their successful competitor. History has already recorded the fact that only by unprecedented corruption employed at decisive points was the majority in the electoral college made to falsify the voice of a plurality of the voters of the country. All the elections since November have confirmed the truth that the country is decidedly Democratic. Republican rule is minority rule.

That a minority have come to be trusted with the responsibilities of power has a very important bearing on the duties of the majority. Everything must be done that the will of the people may again prevail. Every usurpation of the "mailed hand" must be exposed and denounced with a vigorous voice and resisted with manly courage. The courts are open to all to secure the enforcement of the laws. Resort must be had to them against lawless courses of the minority administration.—N. Y. Star.

It Runs in the Family.
Among nearly three hundred young ladies and children of the public schools of Charleston, S. C., who competed for prizes offered by the News and Courier for the best written story, was a little North Carolina lass of twelve who came within four points of the first place of honor. Her story was entitled, "How a little girl built a church," and she was Miss Jennie Oldham, a sister of Mr. Edward A. Oldham, editor of the Charleston Daily World, and who formerly published the Sentinel at Winston in this State.—State Chronicle.

Benefits of Advertising.
Southern Pines is an example of advertising. It is so well known now at the North that a syndicate has been formed to purchase all the property now belonging to the Southern Pines Improvement Company to build a great sanitarium there. Buildings and improvements will be made there on a grand scale.—Sanford Express.

Libby Prison.
The Chicago capitalists interested in the transfer of the famous Libby Prison from Richmond to Chicago have begun the tearing down of the building and its transportation to Chicago. One hundred and thirty cars will be employed in making the transfer at a cost of nearly \$10,000. The purchase price of the old prison, the labor necessary to preserve the identity of each particular brick and the transportation and re-erection will cost the projectors fully \$7,500.

W. Chad on the Race Problem.
When we of the North refer to the South the negro always comes into the question. His status and his future are regarded by us as a great problem. We are much worried over it at times. It is a matter which should be and can be left with the South to take care of. The Southern negro is a theory with us. He is a solid substance to the Southerner. He knows more about him in a day than we do in a year. He has got more excuses for his failings than an eight-man dare give. He treats him more kindly than we do the same race at the North.

Into the Vista of the Future.
Taking a broad view of the case one can hardly deny that the prospect ahead of the civilized person who has the ill luck to live 2,000 years hence is far from pleasant. He is likely to be deaf and dumb, will doubtless be entirely bald headed, and only the most powerful concave lenses will give sight to his myopic eye. Of teeth he is apt to have few or none, and the most useful instruments are being applied to each succeeding generation of poorer material by the arch-contractor, nature, and very much below the grade the original specifications called for. So dental surgeons say, at least. About that time all the available coal in the world will have completely given out, and there will be nothing left for the inhabitants to do but to huddle around the equator until the final freeze out.

A Plain Statement of the Case.
President Harrison declares that he will appoint no low tariff Democrat on commissions required by law to be composed of both Democrats and Republicans. This is a very slick way of evading the requirements of the law altogether. The man who doesn't favor a low tariff is not a Democrat.—Nashville American.

When a man who has gone wrong repents and confesses, he has my sympathy and respect. The moment that he repents he is holy. The tears of repentance jewel the cheek of shame; when a man turns his back on the darkness of falsehood and wrong and faces the sunlight of truth, he should win the sympathy of everybody. Such a man could throw my arms around and say to him: "Here, I will believe in you, and I will protect you and help you, though all the world is against you." That is the sort of man I am.—Bob Ingersoll.

THE BIG CIRCULATED PAPERS.
Rowell's Printers' Ink says there are only six papers in the country exceeding 100,000 copies daily. They are the Chicago News, the Boston Globe and the Boston Herald, the New York News, and the Philadelphia Record. Only one of these—the Record—is an exclusively morning paper; one—the New York News—is an evening paper; while four—the Boston Globe and the Herald, and the New York World and the Chicago News—print both morning and evening editions. And, what is quite remarkable, not one of these widely-circulated journals support the Republican party, and all advocate Tariff Reform on the lines laid down in President Cleveland's celebrated messages to Congress.—Exchange.

Senator Vance's Views.
The first subject under discussion was the tariff. "As to the tariff fight in the Senate," said Senator Vance, "I know no more than you do. The debate in both Houses was exhaustive and in matters of detail perhaps more important than any that has ever taken place in this government. We consider that the fight which the Democrats made was a triumphant one in this respect, that while a number of Democrats in the House refused to vote for the Mills bill, the Democratic vote in the Senate against the Senate substitute and in favor of the Mills bill was solid, and this, too, in the face of all the demoralization which follows a defeat in a Presidential election. It indicates that tariff reform, as advocated by the Democratic party, will triumph at a very early day, and, as there is any justice among men and force in human logic, it is very probable that all parties in the next Congress will make a beginning by repealing the tobacco tax, and when it is seen that the present tariff continues to accumulate a surplus in the treasury notwithstanding the abolition of the tobacco tax, the necessities of the situation will force a reduction of the tariff duties."

The State Encampment.
The State encampment this year will be held at Seaside Park, as the permanent encampment grounds will not be ready for use this year.

Charlotte has a mill with a cash capital of two hundred thousand dollars, to be known as the Charlotte Oil and Fertilizer works.

The Hillsboro Observer says that Judge Ruffin was met at the depot by a procession of young boys who with unfurled banners escorted him home.

Mr. D. V. Thrash and family, and a party composed of seventeen people living in the vicinity of Asheville, left yesterday to make their future home in the newly admitted State of Washington.—Asheville Citizen.

A bank president at Asheville has an Aztec god that was humed in Mexico and is reckoned to be over a thousand years old—let him take care that the average North Carolina baby doesn't break it to smash for a plaything.

At Mr. Sylvester Pennington's blacksmith shop on South Salisbury street this morning we saw what we never expected to see. It was one of his workmen shoeing an ox. This is an operation which we doubt many of our readers ever witnessed or heard of.

A handsome german, Raleigh News Observer: On next Tuesday night Mr. Geo. C. Heck will give a favor german complimentary to Miss Windsor, of Raleigh, and Miss Burwell, of Charlotte. The favors will be from Pizani's and the souveners from Pizani's. The ball room is being beautifully decorated, and the affair promises to be the most elegant and recherche of the season.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.
THE GIST OF WHAT IS HAPPENING RIGHT AROUND US.
Terms Items Lost, Strayed or Stolen From Our Near-By Exchanges.

ROCKINGHAM.
[Condensed from Leaksville Gazette.]
Last week, near Sandy Ridge, Mr. Peter Hutcherson lost by fire his tobacco-box factory, planing mill, etc., valued at \$2,000.
Wm. Aiken, the mail sub-contractor from this place to Reidsville, lost a fine horse last week, for which he recently paid \$150.
Monday Mr. J. B. Taylor was quite painfully hurt by letting a window-sash fall on his hand; but no bones were broken and the pain was transient.

THE BERRY CLUB having challenged the Leaksville club for a match game of base ball, the contest will occur in Leaksville next Monday at about 2 p. m. The public is invited.
The Baptist Sunday-school reunion will take place next Monday at the Baptist church in this place. An interesting programme has been arranged, of which a basket dinner and fishing party are features. Addresses will be delivered by Dr. Rominger, of Reidsville, and Dr. Watkins, of Winston.

Destructive forest fires raged in Patrick county, Va., and in the Blue Ridge last Friday. In Patrick on "No Business" mountain a million and a half panels of fence were destroyed, besides several dwellings and other property. It is reported also that several men who were engaged fighting the fire are now missing and their friends fear they perished in the burning woods.

Smith & Byerly are now rearing two brick yards.
Squire Duggins has put up a new saw and grist mill at Stokesdale.
The work of painting and repairing the Methodist church will soon begin.

Miss Susie Dalton, at Cases, had to close her school on account of the measles.
Mr. Loyd Waters is in town today. He will locate here in a few days and conduct a jewelry, watch clock and sewing machine repairing business.

The president and superintendent of the C. & E. V. road were down Tuesday to select a site for the depot between Madison and Stokesdale.
Madison is to be favored with religious meetings this season. The Methodist District Conference meets in May and the Baptist Convention in June.
Mr. Ham Mitchell had the misfortune to lose his kitchen with all its contents last Sunday morning by fire in the neighborhood of Bethesda on last Friday; several farmers lost their plantations tenes.

Francis Medaris has been appointed postmaster at Stokesdale vice L. A. Southern. J. W. Roberts has succeeded F. J. Stone in the postoffice at Stoneville, and Jno. W. Bowman has been appointed postmaster at Oak Ridge.
One of our neighbors says he bedded three potatoes of the Virginia Yam variety. He split them in two and laid them on a brick; he says he got five to plant land enough to raise a hundred bushels of potatoes, and gave his neighbors one thousand slips, all from the three potatoes.

J. E. Ludlow, C. E., of Winston has been surveying along Mayo river for the purpose of determining the amount of fall and the efficiency of the water power located on that river. It is perfectly safe to say that it is one of the finest in the State and only needs the application of capital to turn it into a wonderfully productive property.
GUILFORD.
[Condensed from North State.]
The North Carolina Dental Association will meet in this city July 25.
Miss Kitty Holt, of Graham, passed through our city, on her way home from Baltimore, Monday morning.
J. W. Riddle, of Alamance county, was arrested in this city, on the charge of abducting the wife of E. M. Spoom. Mrs. Spoom is about seventeen years of age and quite handsome, and was taken in charge by her father. Riddle is aged about 40, red-headed and freckled-faced.
At the late term of the U. S. courts held at this place there were fifteen convictions and pleas of guilty for violating revenue laws; four acquittals, and seven cases not prosed. The cases of W. W. Fuller, as receiver of H. A. Reams et al vs. ten different insurance companies were tried and judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiffs for about \$25,000. Other cases of minor importance were disposed of.

FORNSYTH
[Condensed from Twin-City Daily.]
Died, this morning at about 6 o'clock, Mr. J. W. Bailey; aged about 29 years. He leaves a wife and three children. He has four brothers, two of whom reside at this place. Mr. Bailey had been serving efficiently for the past two years as general manager in the tobacco manufacturing establishment of the Messrs. Bailey Bros.

They jump. On last evening while taking a stroll through the Salem avenue, we had the pleasure of witnessing some pretty tall jumping by a bevy of Salem beauties. Our friend Montague remarked as we passed that they were beating his record, even in his wildest flights when he was practicing for a circus in his boyhood days.
[Condensed from Sentinel.]

Two strange deaths occurred recently,—one near Yadkinville and the other in Davie county. Two orphan sisters, named Reas, were taken with something like cholera on the same day. One died in 15 hours and the other in 36 hours.

Mrs. Polly Ward, of Davie county, near Farmington, was given a surprise dinner by her children and relatives, on the 7th inst., in celebration of her 50th birthday. She was born in 1830 and was 12 years old when the war of 1812 broke out. Her hair which was once as black as jet is now as white as the driven snow. She is almost as helpless as an infant, yet is in possession of the five senses. Her descendants number 175, of which 60 are grandchildren and 105 are great-grandchildren. Forty-one of her great-grandchildren are grandchildren of Mrs. Martha J. Poindexter, of this place, and her husband, the late R. C. Poindexter. Mrs. Ward's husband, Wiley Ward, has been dead 45 or 46 years.

SURRY
[Condensed from Mt. Airy News.]
Rev. T. H. Bain's residence at Germantown was burned last Saturday about 10 o'clock. No insurance.
We are sorry to learn that Capt. Murphy's arm was seriously, accidentally injured on the railroad last week.

All the Mt. Airy schools are flourishing. With proper efforts this town could be made an educational town, a town of schools.
Our correspondent at Pilot Mountain writes us that the wheat crop is looking very fine in that section but needing rain very much.

Mrs. Thos. J. Lowry, of this town, has been appointed by the governor as commissioner to the centennial of Washington's inauguration in New York. A deserved compliment.
Mr. Blakemore has a cup of a 12 pound shil which he picked up at Bean's station after it had passed through the breast of a Yankee. A pocket filter which he found at the battle field of Savage station. Two primers found at the wilderness and Knoxville. A piece of ivy cut from the roof of a tree on Lee's Height at Fredericksburg, Va., Lee's headquarters during the battle.

CASWELL.
[Condensed from Vanceville News.]
Rev. L. E. Thompson will commence a protracted meeting in the Methodist church sometime next month.
We regret that Dr. J. W. Vaughn has made up his mind to leave Vanceville. He will go to Danville or some of the tobacco markets and buy tobacco.

The postoffice was turned over to the new postmaster, last Thursday. The office was moved to W. N. Harrison's store and it is very nicely fixed up.
Sheriff Graves and deputy S. K. Cobb, of Pury, left yesterday with five prisoners for the penitentiary. Sol. Terry 5 years; Aleck Broadsher, 2 years; James Carter, 2 years and 6 months; Walter Nelson, 18 months; and John Sutton 1 year. The three last named are white.
PERSON.
[Condensed from Roxboro Courier.]
Mr. W. M. Faulkner informed us this week that there were about 100 hands at work on the Lynchburg & Durham railroad near Harmon, Va., and also another squad between there and South Boston.

The smallest crowd in town last Tuesday that was ever seen here Tuesday of court; but guess it was owing to the bad weather. The following were sent to the penitentiary: Dogan Meadows, white, larceny 5 years; John Laniew, with larceny 1 year; John Farrar, colored, larceny 4 years; Bob Satterfield, colored, forgery, 2 years.

FROM EVERYWHERE.
SHORT AND SPICY ITEMS OF GENERAL IMPORT AND INTEREST.
What the Busy World is Doing That is Worth Calling Attention To.
The empress of Austria is insane.
A million-pound bank note is kept at the Bank of England.
A dentist refers to his collection of extracted teeth as gum drops.

The census returns show a population of half a million for Baltimore.
"Sunset" Cox's mother was courted by Gen. William Henry Harrison.

The German Methodist Conference, including six States, met at Scranton, Pa.
Further trouble in Oklahoma. Four men killed there the other day in a fight.
One of the largest vineyard east of the Rocky Mountains is near Weldon, and annually thousands of gallons of wine are sold.

The Washington City Gazette says the days of the ill-smelling oleanthus tree are doomed. The city authorities have set the axes to its roots.
J. C. Vaughn, a farmer of Surry county, tells the Mt. Airy News that there will be a frost the 17th of May because it thundered the 17th of February.

The health of Secretary of State Saunders is growing to be a source of alarm to his many friends. He is quite feeble, indeed.
Atlanta is to have a Confederate monument. It is to be a Confederate sentinel and he will stand guard over the Gate City. It was made in Italy.

Assistant Secretary Bussey reversed a decision made in the pension office, and allowed a pension to the mother of a soldier who met his death while bathing.
The Georgia State Farmers Alliance have resolved that every bale of cotton made by Alliance men in Georgia shall be covered by cotton cloth instead of jute bagging.

Mrs. Steele, the mother of Mrs. Senator Vance, is seriously ill in Michigan, the home of her young daughter, Mrs. Crockett. Mrs. Vance has gone to see her in response to an telegram.
Davie Egan, of Troy, N. Y., got drunk, wandered on a railroad track, was struck by a train and lost his right arm. His wife is losing the saloon keeper who sold him liquor for \$5,000 damage.

A simple remedy for neuralgia is to apply grated horse radish, prepared the same as for table use, to the temple when the face or head is affected, or to the wrist when the pain is in the arm or shoulder.
Don't rattle down your neighbor's business. His right to engage in an honorable enterprise is as sacred as yours, and in trying to belittle him you often heap ridicule upon your own head.—Greenville Reflector.

In the Mormon Conference at Salt Lake, last week, the statistics of the church were presented, showing a total population of 153,911. The entire population is classified, and the church dignitaries alone number over 30,000.
Rev. B. Cade, a Baptist minister of Louisville, N. C., has invented a system of electric communications between trains running or standing. It has received the endorsement of Edison, and other leading electricians who say it will revolutionize the business of train dispatching.

The House branch of the Michigan Legislature has passed a bill making it a misdemeanor punishable by fine and imprisonment to manufacture or sell, give deliver cigarettes, or any kind of tobacco or cigarette paper in books or blocks, for wrapping cigarettes.