DAILY OBSERVE3.	RADICAL CONSOLATION.	Crains of Co'd.	LITERARY GOSSIP.	The Trade in Dried Blackberries.	INSURANCE.	
	The average intelligent Republican when told of the wide spread and in- famous corruption of which his party has been guilty does not attempt to deny the fact, but seeks to avoid the	deceived. As if you could kill time without in- juring eternity.—Thoreau.	Why we Laugh by Samuel 3 Cox, Addison in his "Genealogy of Hu- mor" says: Truth it the founder of the family, and the father of Good Sense; from whom descended Wit, who married a lady of Collateral line called	ville, Winston and Hickory, there is marketed annually about 2,000,000 pounds, The gathering of these ber-	FIRE INSURANCE. "L'ONDON Assurance Corporation"—"Niagara"—"Geoig. 1 Home"—"National"—"O: "L'North State"—"Lynchburg Insurance and Banking Company"—"Firemen's Fund "Royal"—"North America." E NYE HUTCHISON & SON, Agents, Office 2nd Story Parks' Building, Tryon Street.	
	issue and palliate the crime by alleg- ing that some Democrat also stole,	All good theories are made corrupt by passing through defective souls	Mirth, by whom she had issue Humor "Sun Set" Cox, the author of the book	ries affords employment to a great many poor people, and is no small	MISCELLANEOUS.	HOTELS & RESTAURANTS.
	The best take off on this invariably re- ply of a cornered Republican sympa- thiser is expressed in the following brief and admirable colloquy, taken	Truth is too simple for us: we do not like those who unmask our illu- sions.— <i>Emerson</i> . A lie is like a brush-heap on fire; it is easier to let it burn out than try to	before us, gives a family history of Hu- mor in all these branches, but devotes most of his work to the American line. Few persons really understand the listic tion between Wit and Human	from there in advance to make con- tracts for supplies. This industry might become as general among the	RISING SUN.	Alexander House, CHAR OFTE, N.C., Below Tryon Street M. E. Church.
Bunday,' May 14, 1876.	from a Democratic paper called the Mirror, published in the town of Al- bion, in the State of Michigan:	extinguish it. Man alone is born crying, lives com- plaining, and dies disappointedSir	the head when he says there is much Humor in both wit and farce, but Hu- mor is neither wit nor farce. Wit is a	region in this State, and we trust they	WE ARE SELLING GOODS LOW AT THE SUN !	THE building has recently been thorough ly refitted and renovated, and the Pr
CHAS R. JONES, F. BREVARD McDOWELL, Editors & Proprietors.	"Grant Republicans invaribly con- sele themselves in this way : Dem-Blaine got the money. Rep-So did Tweed.	W. Temple. The utmost that severity can do is to make men hypocrites; it can never make them converts.	bright, keen edged tool and often wounds, but Humor has no sting, and founded on a deep manly character. Wit is often sarcastic, Humor never so.	We know how from nothing a great business has grown up among us in Sumac. Sicilly once had the monop- oly of it; but the trade has learned to	JUST RECEIVED. FRESH CANNED PEACHES.	prietress, Mrs Dr A W Alexander, is prepa ed to accommodate permanent and transier boarders. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited. MRS A W ALEXANDER,
"Free from the doting scruples that etter our free-born reason."	Dem—Schenck is a swindler. Rep—So is Tweed. Dem—Bristow took a big fee. Rep—So did Tweed. Dem—Delano swindled the Indians.	The most loveable heart is that which loves the most readily; but that which easily loves, also easily forgets,— <i>Goethe.</i> There is nothing more frightful	In his chapter on Legislative Humor Mr. Cox often quotes two distinguished North Carolina gentlemen, George E. Badger and Z. B. Vance. According to his definition of humor and wit those	of ours will quite reach that of Sicily. These are minor matters in our gen	r	DR. A. W. ALEXANDER, Dentist has his office in the Alexander House, and will be pleased to see his old customers and new ones. Dental work will be done a rates to suit the times. Entire satisfaction
THE "OBSERVER" IS THE ONLY PA PER PUBLISHED IN THE STATE WEST OF BALEIGH WHICH GIVES THE LA- TEST TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES	Rep-Tweed swindled the whitemen Dem-Babcock is indicted for city	than for a teacher to know only what his scholars are intended to know.— Goethe. If you have built castles in the air,	who nonconally know these contla	to many needy people, and in the aggregate of our work, prove to be no	FRESH CANNED SALMON. FRESH CANNED OYSTERS.	St. Charles Hotel,
WVERY MORNING. B USINESS MEN WILL PLEASE MAKE A NOT TOF THIS.	Dem-Grant is partial to knaves. Rep-So is Tweed. Dem-Shepherd is the "boss" city swindler.	your work need not be lost; that is	On one occasion when Mr. Badger's State pride was roused by Mr. Yulee of Florida, who, in a debate on the	shaggy eyebrows, a scowl on his fore	FRESH CANNED LOBSTERS. FRESH CANNED CORN.	STATESVILLE, N. C. Otho M Barkle S Proprietor, This flouse is most eligib located ; newly furnished and possesses
INFLEXIBLE RULUS,	Rep-So is Tweed. Dem-Joce and Avery are in jail.	tenderer than a little previous scolding and freezing, just as the grape clusters	"barren lands" as a description of land	school picnic, people have contended that Cotter was born mean, and that he wouldn't pull off his hat to give his		commodations unexcelled by any House the State. Breakfast and Dinner House at t
We cannot notice anonymous communica- tions. In all cases we require the writer's mane and address, not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. We cannot, under any circumstances, re- turn rejected communications, nor can we	Rep-So was Tweed. Dem-A M Clapp, the Public Prin- ter at Washington, ought to be im-	acquire by a frost before vintage thin- ner skins and better flavor.— <i>Richter.</i> Oceans of horse-hair, continents of parchment, and learned-Sergeant elo- quence, were it continued till the	that he hoped the Floridian did not mean to insinuate that North Carolina was in the same situation as Florida "Mine is a modest State, sir, and does not expose her good qualities to public-	family a whole week of pleasure. And yet they were all mistaken. At eleven o'clock the other night, when the bright moon sailed grandly through the boundless heavens and Jack Frost	BRANDY PEACHES.	MANSION HOUSE
Articles written on both sides of a sheet of eaper cannot be accepted for publication.	Dem-Robeson is a plunderer of the people's money. Rep-So is Tweed.	learned tongue wore itself small in the indefatigable, learned mouth, can- not make the unjust just.— <i>Carlyle</i> . Love is like a hunter, who cares not	through her poor lands, and at night!', When a member of Congress was	blew his warning whistle, this much- abused man was seen to come down the front steps in parts socks and	STRAINED HONEY IN EOTTLES.	GREENVILLE, S. C WHIS house is located on the Air-Li
OBSERVATIONS.	Dem-Beecher ought to be expelled from the church. Rep-So had Tweed.	for the game once caught, which he may have pursued with the most in- tense and breathless cagerness. Love	tending courtesies to the Japanese when they were in Washington, Gover-	shirt, walk clear across the yard to a flower-bed, and carefully cover a check apron over a sickly pink that had	CHOW CHOW, LEMON SUGAR.	Railroad, about midway between Ch lotts and Atlanta, at the terminus of t
The marriage season goes on with many missgivings.	And, so on, ad infinitum, and they, roll up the whites of their eyes like a blind mule."	is the strongest in pursuit; friendship in possession.— <i>Emerson.</i> Love is indeed heaven upon earth;	"He has paired off with the gentlemen from Jeddo."	been struggling for fiften days to get a start for the summer campaign. He did it for his wife's sake and any man	L'EMON SYRUP, ESSENCE of COFFEE.	Greenville & Columbia Railroad whe tourists may stop and enjoy the comforts a first-class Hotel, recently renovated an
Boston Traveler: "Yesterday the ther- mometer stood at five paper collars in the shade."	TILDEN LOOMING UP.	since heaven above would not be heaven without it; for, where is not love, there is fear; "perfect love	for the gentienten equal many that	who says that Cotter hasn't got a heart as big as a barrel of Akron ce- ment is his enemy from pure spite and malice,—Detroit Free Frees.	S ^{ARDINES, MUSTARD, CLOVES.} M ^{ACE, GINGER, PEPPER, SPICE.}	refurnished. CALNAN & ROATH aug31 4½m Proprietors
A colored brother's opinion : "De women sughter work; dat's so; for ef it hadn't been or Eve we wouldn't none of us ha' been bleeged to work 'tall."	The New York Tribune one of the most influential journals in New York as well as in the whole Union, in	ally fear most to offend what we most love.—William Penn. The regular way is to hang, kill,	The soldiers put to man! Governor		L EMONS, ORANGES, PRUNES. SHELLED ALMONDS, RAISINS. OUTRON, CURRANTS, SEA FOAM.	Stoney House, Corner of Trade and Church Stree CHARLOTTE, N. C.
A London doctor has discovered that you hay cure the toothache by dissolving half a ram of bicarbonate of soda in an ounce of rater and holding the solution in your	commenting upon the Presidential aspirants shows itself clearly in fayor of Gov. Tilden for our next President. It will be remembered that the <i>Tribune</i>	,	so much were they amused at his good natured drollery and witticisms. "What are you doing here. Vance?"	Sale of valuable	RUMFORD'S YEAST POWDERS, SODA. 1'OBACCO, SNUFF and CIGARS.	Unsurpassed accommodations for Trayel Patrons. J A BRADSHAW, dec19 Proprietor
houth. An old chap near Tuscumbia, Alabama,	while professing to be an independent or neutual paper has always had a	manner-Carlyle. Man is the highest product of his own history. The discoverer finds	"Debt?"	RY Virtue of a decree of the District Court	DEALERS IN HEAVY AND FANCY GROUERIES & CONFECTIONERIES. BREAD CAKES AND PIES.	PRIVATE BOARDING
ied the other day, and his last request was or his wife to marry again as soon as she		nothing so grand or so tall as himself, nothing so valuable to him. The greatest star is that at the little end of the telescope—that is looking, not	and the last dollar in North C. polina for the Confederate cause, and 1 went his security; he failed to pay and they	District of North Carolina, in the case of	TIONE CANDING & SPECIALTY	YARBORO HOUSE. SOUTH Elm Street, Greensboro, N. One square from Depot. Unsurnass
An old farmer once said, with more truth than elegance; "There are two talks in this world to one do."	1.11	looked after, nor looked at.—Theodore Parker. Amid all the glamour that love throws over his chosen few, nothing is more prettily absurd than the way in	When he reached Chapel Hill the first time, a raw boy just entering coll- ege, it was in company with several	1876, at 12 o'clock M., the following describ-	DEALERS WILL find it to their advantage to supply	accommodation for Traveling Patrons. Sa_ Terms—\$1.50 per day. sept12 eod 6m

It would do some of the first settlers of Jamestown, Va., good to come to life and take a peep at that town. They would find everything about as they left it, only looking a little older, with more knot-holes to be seen .- Detroit Free Press.

that she couldn't tell whether she would

A Louisville chap thought he had found safe is his hands as the Executive .something pure and fresh in the shape of a It is our conviction that if Governor laughing, sunny little witch of a girl, and Tilden should be nominated at St. was on the point of proposing marriage when she scattered his fond hopes to the winds by would take no independent action, remarking one evening; "You kiss and hug whatever might be done by the repubme more than any gentleman I am acquaint- licans at Cincinnati. ed with except Charley Wallace; and he is a steamboat clerk, and only comes here once a month."

People who sit at their front windows and stare at their neighbors from morning till night, will, perhaps, not be deterred by the fact that a south Brooklyn woman, in this line of business, had her nose frozen fast to the window-pane one day last week, and was subsequently obliged to have the cast the radiance of a profound joy over the entire neighborhood.

An Austin, Nevada, paper doesn't speak than a cat can wink its tail the surface of the full width of Main street for the length of a block will be covered with a sea of surging. snapping, growling dogs, and out of the chaos it is possible that there may come one fully-developed, square-up-and-down dog-

fiht, and then the little dogs take seats in the dress circle and watch the fun."

WHAT WILL BECOME OF BROG-DEN?

It is not at all certain that the Re. author. Dryness is one of the leading of the French Broad, in North Caropublican party of this State, will be traits in the President's character. In lina, with a full assurance of return-ing thence ere long recruited and recharacterized by its wonted harmony fact, he is dry all the time, for that is established in health, to resume his in the present campaign. It has too the normal and chronic condition of place at the head of the House of Repmany beneficiaries and an insufficient the man. Like a piece of blotting resentatives. It is not difficult to number of offices at its disposal. Gov. paper, he absorbs everything wet divine the motives which have led a Brogden is the elephant now in their within his reach, except-water. There journalists to exaggerate and misrepway and they don't know what to do is probably not a period in the day resent the facts with regard to this with him. It is idle to talk about run- when he is not dry : his first cry in able, conscientious, and thoroughly ning him for Governor, for they have the morning and his last at night is to tutional principles in the administraat least a dozen men they would pre- the effect that he is dry. The speech tion of our government. But they are fer to nominate for that position; and then was only in keeping with the not worth talking about. yet they are afraid to cast him over- orator. If it had been otherwise, the

board without giving him some re- sin of plagiarism would have been laid ward or endorsement. Their game is at his door.

to run him for Congress in the District that the darkey Hyman now re-

presents. This programme too, has filled up with six column accounts of his father's parlor the other evening to He was lamenting his condition, and its drawbacks and difficulties. The the opening of the world's great show a warm discussion on the Darwin negroes of that district are in the as- at Philadelphia. If however any of theory, and, after the guests had decendency by several thousand majori- them should get off a good thing they tal withty and Hyman as their representative, must not be surprised at our failure "Father, I don't believe Mr. Darwin don't pray! that's what's the matter is not likly to yield to the wire-puller's to mention it. The days though long, is right."

more prettily absurd than the way in "Though there are several Demowhich he makes them appear in parts cratic statesmen who might be named quite foreign to their original characwhose candidacy would go far to asters. It is so fine to see the selfish sure the people of the earnestness of people become generous under his the party, it seems to us that only one has been brought prominently for-ward who has been so thoroughly the taciturn, talkative; the secretive ward who has been so thoroughly natures, transparent; the sad ones,

A widow informed a friend at the funeral identified with political reform as to be able to lift the party up into the touched with an agreeable melancholwear mourning or not until her husband's will was read. that she couldn't tell whether she would confidence of the people. That man is Gov. Tilden. The feeling of the people is that the country would be

> and invisible history. The astronomer threads the darkness with strict Louis, the gentlemen who have called arc in the wanderer's orbit; and the

BRISTOW BLACK-BALLED.

Bristow black-balled ! Twelve (!) black balls placed against his admis- energy than the sea and sky he insion into the Union League of New vokes and the deity he defice.-A York! Oh! Bristow, if thou art re- Chapter Motto in aniel Deronda. fused on account of thy character, dark indeed must be thy crimes !tip of it amputated. Nevertheless, the affair Some rumor, it was true, that you The New York World has the followwere once engaged in an illegal specuing upon the health of Speaker Kerr, concerning which so many exaggeralation with government mules went

ted accounts have of late been in circuthe rounds, but we never did think lation : well of the dogs of that place. It says; "The it was true. Besides, stealing mules We have not thought it worth while worst nuisance are the little dogs; they are would be no serious objection to a to comment upon the extravagant stories which have been going the not much on the fight themselves, but are membership in the Union League rounds of the Republican press for remarkably successful in starting and urging | The fact is, Mr. Bristow, we think we on fights. Two little fists will commence know the unpardonable crime of health of Speaker Kerr. Mr. Kerr has by snarling at each other, and in less time which you have been guilty-it is your leniency and fairness towards the Southern people.

GRANT DRY.

Gen. Grant's speech at the opening of the Philadelphia centennial, is the however, in quest of medical advice, driest document that we ever remem- Mr. Kerr ascertained that these ailber to have read, but we are not at all and nature than he had been led to surprised at its character-it is only in fear, and he left this city a few days

accordance with the nature of its ago for the high and wholesome region

certain class of politicians and of

is!-Howard Glyndon, in Home Jour-

Men, like plants, have both visible

WRETCHED MISREPRESENTATIONS-

A HINT FOR MR. DARWIN .- It was a young philosopher of seven years of sident Finney, is characteristic age, who had not got far enough to

parted, somewhat surprised the paren-

were returning greeted by their acquaintances. Vance part of the city. knew nobody, and stood for a moment alone, but suddenly rushed up to an old negro man, and commenced violently shaking hands with him and expressing his delight at meeting him.

"Hello, Vance! How came you to know old Virgil?"

"Never saw him before in my life, out you see when shaking hands is the ashion I don't like to be left out in the

These anecdotes are characteristic of the man, who always makes the best of lotte education, accounting for every visible everything and never wounds the feel-

ngs of others by his humor. narrator of human actions, if he did Keen, pointed and trenchant Was his work with the same completeness. Mr. Badger's wit, even when genial; would have to thread the hidden pathways of feeling and thought which Methodist and objected to the Episcop- on the deferred payments. Title retained lead up to every moment of action, al Church of which he was a member till all the purchase money is paid. TITLE and to those moments of intense sufbecause of the written prayers : "They GOOD. fering which take the quality of ac-

tion-like the cry of Prometheus, "that there are prayers in the prayer tell me," she said to him one day, whose chained anguish seems a greater book over two hundred years old. Is it sol "Oh yes mother, some a great deal

older ; one that is over eighteen hundred vears old "Eighteen hundred years old! and you want to make me believe it is

worth anything now. What is it ?" "The Lord's prayer, mother." Mr. Cox has made a readable book but it might have been greatly improv-

Wit, Humor, Retort and Repartee. and but little to the Wit of the Bar, which is keenest, most classical and truest wit of the world, as well as the

We once heard Mr. Filmore tell of a certainly been contending with manwitty repartee at his expense, made by ful courage during much of the a lawyer to whom the law firm, of wich present session with physical ailments he was a member, was opposed. Mr. which might have excused a man of less resolute temper and of a less noble house, except on very important occasspirit from devoting himself, as Mr. Kerr has done, to the duties of his said, the other side were prepared, he most trying and important position. saw , to make a hard fight, as they had all their forces drawn out and had even "sent to Washington for their Right

> "Right Bower, Right Bower!" said Mr. Filmore, who knew nothing of

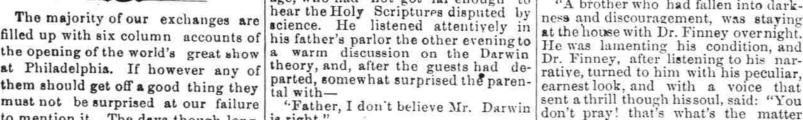
What is that?" "The biggest knave in the pack," was

"I am devoting all my energies to the

"Yes, Commodore, your motto is Quick transit gloria mundi" was the

We recommend Mr. Cox's book to all who like to laugh: it will not only cords, but will probably bring to light Loynes & Co., opposite J T Bulter's Jewelry SUGAR CURED HAMS

M. B. C. YOU DON'T PRAY."-The following instructive anecdote, relating to Pre-



store ; said lot has on it a valuable store WILL find it to their advantage to supply after vacation, and who were warmly building and is located in the best business themselves with Goods at lower prices than One tract of land known as the Taylor

containing about 378 acres, situa ed they can be bought in Northern markets, about two miles S. uth west from Charlotte;

this tract will be divided into two or three The following Goods must be sold, viz: parcels suitable for small farms. One tract known as the Crayton place, containing about 155 acres, situated three

150 lbs Gail & Ax Snuff in blad lers, Tea. miles West of Charlotte.

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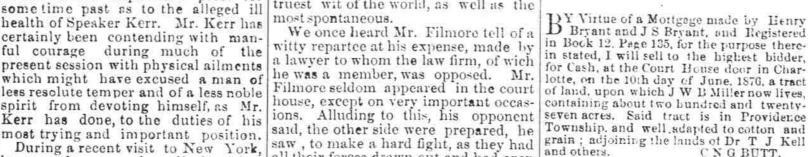
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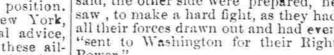
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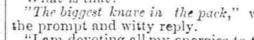
ed; he devotes most of it to Legislative





During a recent visit to New York, Bower.'

cards



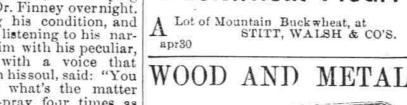
question of quick transit," said Commdoore Vanderbilt, one day.

reply of a gentleman present.

of Railroads running into this city, at as low figures as it can be purchased elsewhere serve to preserve the witticisms it re- Retail house in the cellar under the store of

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