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## MY GIRL.

I.

A little corner with its crib,
A little mug, a spoon, a bib,
A little tooth so pearly white,
A little rubber ring to bite.

II.

A little plate all lettered round,
A little rattle to resound,
A little creeping—see! she stands!
A little step 'twixt outstretched hands.

III.

A little doll with flaxen hair,
A little willow rocking-chair,
A little dress of richest hue,
A little pair of gaiters blue.

IV.

A little school, day after day,
A "little schoolma'am" to obey,
A little study—soon 'tis past,
A little graduate at last.

V.

A little muff for winter weather,
A little jockey-hat and feather,
A little sack with funny pockets,
A little chain, a ring and lockets.

VI.

A little while to dance and bow,
A little escort homeward now,
A little party, somewhat late,
A little lingering at the gate.

VII.

A little walk in leafy June,
A little talk while shines the moon,
A little reference to papa,
A little planning with mamma.

VIII.

A little ceremony grave,
A little struggle to be brave,
A little cottage on a lawn,
A little kiss—my girl was gone!

## OBSERVATIONS.

Make friends with a bear, but keep hold of the axe.—Russian Proverb.

Major General Peck is dead. He has filled the measure of his days.

Sitting Bull has got almost far enough advanced in his spring work to begin sowing cartridges.

The British military authorities have determined to condemn all gray and white horses, because they are too conspicuous.

Tilton calls Elizabeth as "white a souled woman as ever lived" but the lady describes herself as a little off color.—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs Senator Blaine is said to be a lady of intellectual force, and has been of great service to her husband in his political career.

The shipment of 600,000 pounds of buffalo hides from Fort Worth, Texas, this spring, indicates the extent of the winter's slaughter on the plains.

Gen. Kautzen's word seems to be as much of a discount on the Continent as in England. In Paris he is spoken of as a man who never told a word of truth unless to mask a lie.

An organ of the tobacco trade asserts that if the tobacco consumed annually, about 4,000,000,000 pounds, could be made into a roll two inches in diameter, it would encircle the world sixty times.

Speaker Randall must have the Presidential bee buzzing lustily in his bonnet. He left the chair on Friday to rise on the floor for "the first personal explanation of his life," as he puts it. He's got 'em!—Philadelphia Times.

Mr Hayes says he is going to give a part of the Presidential salary for campaign purposes. It strikes us as being a trifle rough on Mr Tilden to dispose of his funds in this fashion; but Uncle Samuel is getting used to all sorts of robbery.—Washington Post.

A man stepped upon a woman's trailing dress and apologized. Such was the little origin of a terrible tragedy in a Methodist church in Jacksonville, Illinois. An altercation followed, the man that stepped on the dress was shot dead, as was also another man who interferred, and the murderer will probably be hung in due time. Two lives already taken, and one more likely to be taken, and all on account of a careless tread upon a woman's dress.

## J. Sol Reid for the House.

Editor Charlotte Observer:—

I see from the tone of the public press and from conversations with the voters that it is the desire, in view of the important measures that will occupy their attention, that tried and experienced men should be sent to the next Legislature. We have paid dearly for the folly of constantly changing our members and other public officers. The office is not made for the man, but for the good of the people, and it is high time that the same common sense should be called in to the discharge of the public which is exercised in the management of private business. Does the merchant change his clerk as soon as he becomes acquainted with the nature of the business, to make way for another boy, so as to give him a chance? The most gifted require experience and training to fill the measure of usefulness, and every officer of whatever trade, particularly legislators, while he is learning does so at the expense of the people. We have in this county gentlemen tried and true, who have learned in the school of experience, and now is the accepted time to utilize them, and J Sol Reid is one of the foremost of them. He has served us faithfully during three winters, and made a most acceptable and influential member. He is not only well posted, popular and trustworthy, but a man of more than ordinary ability. During the session of 1874-75 he was chairman of the committee on Claims, a very important position, and by his careful pains taking and industry he saved the State a great deal by defeating unwise and improper appropriations of the public money for doubtful claims. Besides, from his long service he is known to most of those who are likely to be members of the next Legislature, and by his good sense, suave manners and knowledge of parliamentary law, will be able to wield a large influence for his constituents. I therefore ask the primaries to consider these things when they meet to make up the legislative ticket, as no better man than J Sol Reid can be selected to represent the old county of Mecklenburg in the next House of Representatives. Experienced, honest and capable, he is just the man for the people. D.

## A STARTLING SENSATION.

A Lady Supposed to be Dead Rises up and Speaks.

[Richmond Wing, 26]

Some months ago, an old German lady, Mrs Heiliz, was taken as an inmate of the Home of the Little Sisters of the Poor. She was very popular with the inmates of that institution, and during her stay made many friends. About two weeks since Mrs Heiliz, who had been in bad health, grew suddenly quite ill. During her illness she received every attention from the good Sisters, and all that medical aid could do to alleviate her suffering was done. She grew worse, however, and some of the physicians came to the conclusion that she could not live much longer.

Last Saturday night she died and was laid out. Sunday night the body was according to the custom, shrouded and laid out in the parlor of the institution. The good Sisters who had watched by her bedside so faithfully, were gathered by the side of the corpse. At midnight the clock struck 12. The Sisters did not grow weary in their faithful watch over the dead sister. Suddenly, as they looked upon the face, still in death, the sunken eyes appeared to flash, the blood came back to the faded cheek, and, as though imbued with superhuman energy, the dead body rose up from its resting place, which was draped with black pall, emblematic of mourning, and spoke to the affrighted watchers, saying:

"I am not dead yet, but I will die soon."

The body in all of its funeral drapings after sitting bolt upright for one moment, than sank down again. The watchers, after recovering from their fright, summoned aid and the body was lifted up and unshrouded, and put in bed.

Mrs Heiliz became consious and lingered until Wednesday, when she died, apparently. The funeral will not take place for a day or two.

## Statesville Revenue Court.

[Blue Ridge Blade.]

We took a look at the crowd on the public grounds at Iredell court house last week and felt like we were attending Burke Superior Court, so many of our citizens were standing around. There were two well defined classes—officers of the court, who wore store clothes and new hats with a jaunty swagger that indicated satisfaction with things in this world, while the others were clad in rough homespun and old hats, with a careworn look. Many of these latter, we were told, had made long marches on foot to reach the court (having no means to pay transporation) and brought with them their old haversacks filled with cooked provisions to last them until discharged or imprisoned. Where they lodged we did not learn, but suppose they had a camp near by.

The lawyers seemed to be doing a "land office business" in the way of fees, and they, of course, were "gay and happy still." One of them complained to us that he had only taken in $330, up to the fourth day of the term! As none of the others made complaint we suppose they had done better. We could not but reflect that $330 would buy 800 bushels of corn in these woods, which was a better crop made in four days than the gentlemen *on the other side* would make during the year. When these unhappy victims get through with paying the court costs, each will find himself about one year's labor out of pocket—if he be lucky enough to escape punishment, and still they will *still!* Don't you see you are just being worked like so many slaves to make business for the court and fees for its officers? Quit it.

## Washington News Items.

[Special of the 25th to Richmond Dispatch.]

The Southern Methodist Book-Concern claim comes up just as soon as the calendar is disposed of, and therefore will be reached soon. Senator Merrimon, who has examined it carefully, says it could not be stronger.

If you take trade-dollars to the mint they will net you 93½ cents as bullion.

Last night 800,000 young shad were put in the Potomac between this city and Fort Washington.

Mr Vance, of North Carolina, delivered a speech last night in the House, in which he set forth the advantages North Carolina, Virginia, and other Southern States hold out to immigrants.

The Florida confessions were again discussed to-day, and will lead the Judiciary committee of the House to make a full and searching investigation of the electoral frauds. While their report will not deprive Mr Hayes of his seat, it will prove, Democratic congressmen say, a powerful document among honest people of all parties.

Wilmington *Star*: The opera house was comfortably filled last evening, the attraction being the dramatic entertainment by the cadets of the Cape Fear Military Academy. The "Cross of St John" was presented for the first time in this city, and quite creditably, considering the numerous difficulties involved.

Too much cannot be said in praise of that great cough remedy, Cousens' Compound Honey of Tar. It will not only afford relief in case of an ordinary cold, but the sufferer with Consumption may rely on it as a permanent cure if taken in time, and according to directions. To persons afflicted with chronic cough, which disturbs their rest at night, it affords a sweet and refreshing sleep, and for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, etc., it is simply one of the greatest medical blessings of the age. Use Cousens' Compound Honey of Tar. Price 50 cents a bottle.

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Travelers will find the Grand Central, New York, is one of the most excellent hotels in that city. Those who cannot be suited in price and accommodations there must be very hard to please indeed.

## Defaulting Depot Agent.

[Hickory Press.]

It will be remembered that during the Republican management of the Western North Carolina Railroad, Gov Brogden caused D J Ezzel, of Wayne county, to be placed here as depot agent. His reports to the treasurer showed a deficiency from month to month until he was finally thrown out of the office. He left here and moved to Chapel Hill and the matter was still unsettled, and remained so until last week. It was then brought before three gentlemen as referees: John A Dickson, Esq, of Morganton, represented the railroad's interest, and John R Smith, Esq, of Goldsboro, was chosen on the part of Ezzel's bondsmen, and these two selected Mr N M Seagle, of this place, to sit with them on the case. These gentlemen met in Hickory last week, "Faithful David" being present, and investigated the matter by examining books, comparing accounts, &c, and found that the accused was due the railroad $976.70. The bondsmen will have the above amount to pay.

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1st Ward—W B Taylor, registrar; at his store, Trade street. 2nd Ward—R F Stokes registrar; at Metropolitan Hotel. 3rd Ward—W F Davidson, registrar; at his office on Trade street. 4th Ward—E K P Osborne, at his office over Harty's store.

apl 10 tsw WM JOHNSTON, Mayor.

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