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The Catastrophe.

Oh, he was a sweet, young, lithesome man, and he moved with a tender grace...

"I bring," he said, and the editor bowed. For he loved the sweet, young thing...

When the editor gathered his cross-cut saw, and the nail-grab, all the same...

He saved him in two, and he flattened him out. He tore out each quivering lung...

OBSERVATIONS. The new Pope is in 'bad health. The Catholics are said to be the wealthiest denomination in Boston.

The new pocket handkerchiefs are very small and have colored borders. A little boy's first pair of trousers always fit if the pockets are deep enough.

New Republican platform: Resolved, That Rutherford B Hayes be elected. Resolved, That Henry Ward Beecher never sail on the riggered edge.

Put away the flowing ulster— It is warm and you had oughter Let it climb the golden pawshop For a dollar-and-a-quarter.

A Sunday school boy of Maysville, Ky., was asked by the superintendent if his father was a Christian. "Yes, sir," he replied, "but he is not working at it much."

"Senator Burnside drives a T cart." In order to properly carry out the idea he should wear a P jacket and an I glass, and be an L of a fellow generally.—Washington Post.

A man found full of beer in New Orleans showed evidence of having been malt-treated by some person or persons unknown to the intimate friends who were summoned on the jury.

A resident of Waterbury, Conn., bought a neighbor's dog, he used it, he killed, and he killed him. The neighbor dug up the body, got \$1 bounty for it and then bought another dog. Then the first man howled.

Gen McClellan is a man of muscle. On a certain occasion, while conversing with a party of friends on the subject of physical strength, he took a silver quarter of a dollar from his pocket and bent it between his forefinger and thumb.

Woman attains maturity of growth at Rio Janeiro at an average age of 12 years, and it is unusual thing to see a young man of 21 with a member of 32. And when they become 32 they look like an English woman of 65.

Hathaway was a man of "temperate habits and an exemplary manner of life. He is smooth and persuasive, and has an air of honesty about him that has sided him very materially in covering his tracks. A little whiskey might have improved him.

Edison must be an unfortunate sort of man to have for a friend. When he heard of Wm Orton's death, he angrily exclaimed: "That's just my luck. Just as soon as I begin to like a man, he dies. It was so with Marshal Lefferts, and it's so with Orton."

Truth: "When Mr Gladstone was in Ireland he was discussing the question of landlord and tenant with a farmer. The name of the late Lord Leitrim was introduced. 'He's a bad lot and ought to have been shot long ago,' said the farmer. Mr Gladstone, after remonstrating against this view, asked, 'How, then, it came to pass that his Lordship was not shot?' The farmer shook his head sadly and observed, 'What's everybody's business is nobody's.'

State Guard News. The following order has been issued from general headquarters:

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, OFFICE ADJUTANT GENERAL, Raleigh, N. C., April 23, 1878.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 23. WHEREAS, The act for the establishment of State Guard, laws 1876-77, chapter 272, section 21, requires the State Guard to parade one day annually, in May, by company, battalion, or regiment.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, That the white troops parade, each year, by company, battalion, or regiment, as directed by the brigadier general of their respective districts, on the 20th day of May, and the colored troops on the 27th day of May until further orders from the commander-in-chief.

Should the day so fixed fall upon Sunday, then the parades will take place on the Mondays following.

Company commanders will promptly forward, through regimental and brigade headquarters, to this office, special reports of the parades above ordered, stating particularly the number of officers, non-commissioned officers and privates who appear in uniform.

JOHNSTON JONES, Adjutant-General.

John H. Roberts, of Newbern, has been appointed an aide-de-camp to the adjutant general, with the rank of captain.

The officers of the Winston Light Infantry have been commissioned.

The interest in military matters is on the increase all over the State.

It is probable that two or more Sundays will participate in the celebration of the 20th of May at Charlotte.

Things That Don't Look Nice in Print. (Philadelphia Times.)

The Washington correspondent of the Springfield Republican states that "the extreme character of the language used by some of the Senate leaders against the President—in private conversation—would astonish the country if it was printed." And astonish some of the Senators, too. This is the effect some of it had when printed last week. There are a great many things that don't look nice in print.

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.

DEATH OF A BELOVED MINISTER.

Rev. Jacob Doll Dies Suddenly in Newbern—A Sketch of His Life and Character.

[Special to the Raleigh News.] NEWBERN, N. C., April 27.—6 p. m.—Rev Jacob Doll, session clerk of Orange Presbytery, now in session here, died suddenly this afternoon at two and a half o'clock, of heart disease. J. B. B.

SKETCH OF THE DECEASED. There are few ministers in North Carolina whose sudden death will cause more sincere sorrow than that of Jacob Doll. He was universally known in the Presbyterian church, and greatly beloved by the ministers of his own and all other denominations.

He was of an unusually genial disposition and lovely social qualities. With deep, yet simple and unostentatious piety, this man of God was always a welcome guest to either scenes of joy or sorrow.

Mr Doll was about 67 years of age. He was a native of Virginia, and a graduate of Union Theological Seminary, of Prince Edward, Va. He was licensed to preach by Orange Presbytery at their meeting at Nubush church, in Granville county, about the year 1838.

He was first pastor of the Presbyterian church at Louisa, then at Oxford, and was then called to Milton. From Milton he went to Madison, in Rockingham county, where he had charge of a large female school, but, preferring to preach, he gave up his school and accepted a call from the church at Yanceyville, where he remained until about four years ago, when he was called to Reidsville where he was the beloved pastor at the time of his death.

He was stated clerk of both Orange Presbytery and the Synod of North Carolina. He filled these responsible offices in the ecclesiastical courts of his church with marked ability and few records were ever more accurately or acceptably kept than were his.

He was moderator at the last meeting of the Presbytery at Milton in September last, and preached the opening sermon of the Presbytery at Newbern on Wednesday evening last.

As a preacher he was an earnest and faithful expounder of the gospel. He passed through our city on Tuesday last looking in unusually robust health; and of all the delegates he was the last one we should have selected for so early and sudden a death—but God's ways are not our ways—and the beloved minister has gone to realize the glories of the blessed gospel which he so long and faithfully proclaimed.

A Little By-Play of the Temperance Fanatics at Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The Mrs Rutherford B Hayes temperance society, at a meeting last night, discarded the name of the organization on the ground that, although she discountenanced wine at the Duke Alexis and other dinners at the executive mansion, she countenanced the use of elate punch at a dinner on board the excursion steamer on the Delaware bay during a recent presidential trip.

Next Town Ahead where they loan you a dollar and chalk it down till to-morrow, for a bottle of Merrell's Hepatins for the Liver. The enormous expense of importing the ingredients of this great liver medicine into the country, is why our Druggists, Dr J H McAden, Wilson & Burwell and T C Smith & Co., sell but one sample bottle to the same person for ten cents; but as there are fifty doses in the large size bottles, it is cheap enough after all at two cents per dose, for a medicine that has never been known to fail in the cure of dyspepsia and all diseases of the liver. It has never failed in the cure of liver complaint when taken as directed, no matter how long standing the disease. It cures Chills and Fever, Constipation of the bowels, Dyspepsia and all complaints. Sample bottles ten cents; regular size, fifty doses, \$1.00.

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The Whirligig of Time.

[Columbia Register.] The latest intelligence from New York city tells us of the utterly deplorable condition of Frank Moses, who was once Governor of South Carolina by the grace of the Radical party. This man, who at one time had in his power to have achieved an honorable and a lasting fame—a fame that would have blotted out every petty sin and shortcoming of his previous life—has indeed fallen low. His condition is represented to us by a gentleman who saw him in the great metropolis a few days ago as being little better, nay, not as good, as that of the common street mendicant.

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1st Ward—W B Taylor, registrar, at his store, Trade street; 2nd Ward—B B Shockey, 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 Harry's store.

april 10th W W JOHNSTON, Mayor.

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