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THE WASHINGTON GAZETTE. Published at the National Capitol every Sunday giving a full resume of the preceding week's news of all national topics and general intelligence, besides the only REPRESENTATIVE SOUTHERN PAPER there supporting the National Democratic Party.

Little Blocks. Little blocks shall all remind us What block-heads are yours and mine, When we depart and leave behind us Still unsolved the final line.

OBSERVATIONS. It is understood that the coming emperor will raise Jim Anderson to the peerage as Baron Anderson.

STATE NEWS. Snow fell in Monroe Friday morning. Morganton has organized a tobacco growers' association.

Wilmington made her first shipment of cotton to Russia, says the Star, on the 11th. The cargo consisted of 2,020 bales, and Mims & Smith, and Richardson were the shippers.

Chapel Hill Ledger: A colored woman living within ten miles of Chapel Hill, sometime ago had holes made in her ears for the purpose of having rings placed therein. Shortly after this she had a set of natural rings, the flesh growing and forming a complete set of ear-rings as could be desired.

From the Asheville Journal it is learned that the revival, which has been in progress in that place, was brought to a close Thursday evening—the forty-fourth day. Over two hundred and fifty persons have joined the various churches in that place since this series of meetings was inaugurated.

Chapel Hill Ledger: The committee appointed by the executive committee to visit the University and examine into the condition of the institution, spent several days at Chapel Hill last week in the discharge of their duties.

A Virginia paper asserts that there is now in existence on a farm, near Enfield, in this State, the stalk of what was once an enormous growth of the cabbage species, which, when in full vigor, stood twenty-one feet high, with a circumference of stem of sixteen inches which sported no less than seven distinct and full grown cabbage heads.

Hoke C. Secret. Mr. Secret has recently been published in some of our State exchanges to the effect that Hoke C. Secret, now confined in the Insane Asylum at Raleigh, with whose case our readers are all familiar, had attempted to kill one of his attendants.

WHOLESALE FORGERIES. A Startling Discovery in Richmond—A Prominent Virginian Commits Forgeries Amounting to \$25,000. Richmond Dispatch.

It appears that for nearly two years he has been using the forged endorsements of Jeter & Dickinson, proprietors of the Religious Herald, to negotiate notes offered for discount at various banking institutions in the city or sold to note-brokers.

"I desire to make to my friends and creditors a frank statement of my sin and folly in fraudulently using the name and credit of others in the vain hope of extricating myself from embarrassments caused by bad management of my affairs.

Before leaving the city Dr. Luther R. Dickinson made an effort to be made to induce the French minister of war to send to this country a regiment of infantry, a battery of artillery, with the finest of the French military bands, and a squadron of cavalry to participate in the national celebration of the battle of Yorktown, Va., which will take place in October, 1881.

The Methodist Mode. The Methodist itinerancy is being assailed by many influential Methodist clergymen, and the movement for abandoning it has a strong advocacy; but the Rev. Dr. Summers comes out emphatically in its defense.

Who is Mrs. Winslow? As this question is frequently asked, we will simply say that she is a lady and well known in this city as a Female Physician and nurse, principally among children, she has spent a long and successful career in the profession, and her constitution and wants of this numerous class, and as a result of this effort, and practical knowledge, she has written a book on the subject of children's ailments, which is now being published by the publishers of the Standard.

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