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STATE NEWS.

We borrow-From the sun of some to-morrow Hair the light that glids to day—
And the splendor
Flashes tender,
O'er Hope's footsteps, to defend her From the lears that haunt the way

We never Here can sever And now from the Forever.
Interclasping Near and Far!
For each minute All the hours of the Infinite As one sky holds every star.

OBSERVATIONS.

"I say, stranger, can you tell me how far it is to the insane asylum?" "Just fifteen blocks, sir." Physic, says an old surgeon, is the art of amusing the patient while nature cures the disease.

"Honesty is the best policy," but too many peo-ple claim that they cannot afford the best of any-

Miss Flood, who is talked of as the future wife of Ulysses Grant, jr., is not pretty, but she has a perfectly levely income. It will never do to advise the patriotic Boston women to vote as they fight. There would be too much scratching at the poils.

A Kentucky girl says when she dies she desires to have tobacco planted over her grave, that the weed nourished by her dust may be chewed by her bereaved lovers. There is poetry in the idea.

"What would you do if mamma should die?" she pathetically asked her little three-year-old daughter. "I don't know," replied the infant, with downcast eyes and a melancholy voice. "I thpose I should have to thpank myself." "Fellow-trabelers," said a "culled" preacher,
"ef I been eatin' dried apples for a week, an' den
took to drinkin' for a monf, I coaldn't feel more
swelled up dan I am dis minnit wid pride and
wannity at seein' such a full 'tendance at dis
eventu."

When the young and tender school girl isn't thinking. Isn't thinking,
Of the time when she will be a'lowed to vote.

'Lowed to vote,
The chances are that she is coyly blinking, Coyly blinking, At some young man in a zebra overcoat,

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Overcoat.

Miss Adelaide Neilson has gone to the White Sulphur Springs, Va., for a week's rest. It is stated that Gen. Thomas Ewing,

of Ohio, will not be a candidate for reelection to the next Congress. Philadelphia friends of Francis Murphy, the temperance lecturer, have pre-

A majority of the Iowa delegates to the Cincinnati convention are said to favor a ticket composed of Seymour and Hendricks.

for Tilden, 40 anti-Tilden and 20 doubt-Mr. Irving, the English actor, has decided to abandon his intended visit to America this year owing to the extra-ordinary success of "The Merchant of Venice," which continues to draw over-

flowing houses. It is announced that Col. Platt has withdrawn from all connection with the Capital, of Washington, and will hereafter be the conductor of a new weekly paper in Cincinnati, of which Mr. John J. Piatt, the poet, will also be

one of the editors. In many portions of Missouri the cane-sugar industry is being vigorously worked up, and several syrup and sugar factories, some of them on a large scale, are being prepared for work in the fall. A great many farmers will plant the best varieties of sorghum, in-tending to raise their own sweetening

A new railroad between Cincinnati and Baltimore is projected, and an act incorporating the company which proposes to build it has passed the Ohio Senate. It is said that English capitalists will furnish the money. It will run along the north bank of the Ohio river to Gallipolis, and thence through West Virginia and Maryland to Baltimore.

An Extraordinary Disease-A White Infant Turns Black. The New York Times publishes the following from its Philadelphia correspondent: "For over sixteen months an up-town physician has been attending a case of disease that is so rare that the like of it has never been known, or, at least, recorded in medical works. It is a case of real melanosis, or pigmentation, where the pigment, or melanæmia, as it is technically called, which gives color to the hair and eyes, pervades the whole body. A boy born of white parents, and perfectly natural in color at his birth turned under the disease as rents, and perfectly natural in color at his birth, turned under the disease as black as a full-blooded negro. The parents live at No. 1,307 Lemon street, the father, John Salter, being a mechanic. Ten months after his marriage there was born to the couple a fine and apparently healthy boy. The infant thrived and promised to develop into a robust man. He was a beautiful child, with fair complexion, dark eyes and silky, dark-brown hair, which grew in profusion. But in a few days the parents were alarmed at a remarkable change that was coming over the child. He gradually grew dark. At first his skin became a pale yellow, then deepened into a saffron hue, and then, to the terror of the parents, grew darker yet. The color was uniform all over the body, except at the joints, where it was a little darker, and in the palms of the hands, where it was lighter. The once brown hair grew stiff and jet black, and the eyes also grew darker, so that the line between the pupils and the iris could not be distinguished. In spite of medical treatment the boy became worse, and grew yery weak, all the time the color his birth, turned under the disease as treatment the boy became worse, and grew very weak, all the time the color of his skin deepening. At last he became as black as a full-blooded negro. Then he was attacked by convulsions, which grew more frequent and violent until they threatened the child's life. It was in one of these that Dr. Reynolds was called in. He succeeded in curing the spasms, and then devoted his attention to the strange disease which afflicted the child. He at once

sicians. Just Like Women. "A sturdy peasant from the Tyrol," says the Fremdenblatt, "was standing the other day at a shop window in Vienna, looking at a reproduction of the fine group by Herr Rauch, of 'The Three Graces.' The peasant did not seem insensible to the perfection of form, but after awhile he burst forth: "What fools women are all over the world! Only to think that these girls have not got money enough to buy themselves a suit of clothes, yet they spend the little they do have to get their photograph taken."

child has been visited by over 200 phy-

recognized it as melanosis or pigmenta-tion, which is mentioned in the books

Work has commenced on the Duplin

Greensboro sold 991 postoffice orders during the year ending March 1st. The State board of agriculture is in session in Raleigh. A State chemist is to be elected.

Judge Fowle will deliver the oration on the 10th of May, memorial day, in Greensboro.

The Presbytery of Fayetteville is in session at Laurel Hill church, Richmond county. The young ladies of Greensboro Fe-

male College have a semi-monthly paper called the College Chit-Chat. The Star says about three hundred pounds of beef, pork and mutton were condemned and thrown out of the Wil-

mington market Monday. Winston Leader: Col. Barbour is in fine spirits concerning the extension of the Midland road and Maj. Hairston is satisfied the road will be extended.

A Democratic convention is called to meet in Lumberton on May 10th to appoint delegates to the State congressional and senatorial conventions. Lewis C. Hanes, Esq., will commence

the publication of a newspaper, entitled the Lexington Exchange, in Lexington, Davidson county. Democratic in poli-Rev. Geo. W. Purefoy, of the Baptist Church, died at his home near Chapel

Hill Saturday last. He was a well known preacher and writer on religious Greensboro Beacon: Mrs. Jennie Wilson Parks reached home last Fri-

day, and we are glad to learn is rapidly recovering from the injuries sustained in New York city. Raleigh Observer: The associates of Mr. Best, in the purchase of the Western railroad, will not be here until the first of next week. They were looked

for last week. The papers will be signed on their arrival. The Robesonian risks its reputation: A fisherman set his hook at a mill pond n this vicinity and when he returned found a cat fish and an owl both captured on the hook. It seems the owl got caught while trying to take the fish

Roan Mountain Republican: As the hands of the Pig Pen district of Yancey county were working the road they exhumed a skeleton in a perfect state of of 384 delegates to the New York reet in length. The oldest inhabitant

Democratic convention, 260 have been can give no clue to its identity. chosen so far. Of this number 200 are Raleigh Visitor: At the las Raleigh Visitor: At the last State fair the society offered a silver medal to the county having the best exhibition in the hall of the Agricultural Department. The committee awarded it after confil exemination to the it, after careful examination, to the good county of Guilford. This morning we were shown the medal by Com-missioner Polk. It is made of sterling

> Messrs. Lisborn Hoyt, of Onslow, J. H. Currie, of Duplin, and W. W. Miller, of Pender, were poisoned at a dinner in Pender county last Sunday, by eating corned beef which had been opened and had stood for some time in the can. They were sick for some time, vomited violently and were threatened with inflammation of the stomach. So says

> Wilmington Review: We understand that Mr. F. A. Schutte has purchased that beautiful property on Wrightsville Sound known as the Dr. Wright place, and that as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made, he will erect there a neat little hotel for the accommodation of visitors. Mr. Schutte calculates to have his house ready for the reception of guests this summer.

Winston Leader: While the names of several prominent gentlemen have been mentioned as suitable candidates for Superintendent of public instruc-tion in behalf of North Western North Carolina, which has been greatly ignor-ed, we desire to present the name of an honored citizen, and one well known throughout the State, and one best suited for that position—the name of Rey. C. H. Wiley.

THE HUNTED MOONSHINERS.

Effect of President Hayes's Amnesty
-Improved Condition of Things. WASHINGTON, April 15.—It will be remembered that one of the acts of President Hayes, much criticised at the time, was to offer a general amnesty to illicit distillers in the hill country of South Carolina if they would come into court and plead guilty. Three hundred and twenty pine persons surrendered

four at Spartanburg and two at Cheraw police the country without apprehension of danger, prevent the running of illicit distilleries, affiliate with the people and encourage them to establish legal distilleries of making spirits the business of making spirits.
Considering the amount of political

capital which has been made in the North out of the whiskey war in the mountain regions of the South, and remembering that the population is in the main rude and illiterate and the reverse of law respecting, it is curious to read that in the whole of this region, which includes parts of Arkansas, Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, North and South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia, and an area greater than the whole island of Great Britain, there in a general way, but there is no case given where it had developed all through the body. This was over sixteen months ago, the child being then thirteen months old. Since then the were no more than twenty-five revenue officers and employes killed and fortynine wounded in a period of nearly four years, from June 30, 1876, to February 1, 1880, with a work represented by 3,043 seizures of distileries and 6,153 arrests of persons. On the whole this report shows a promisboy has greatly improved, by degrees becoming lighter, until he is now of a light chestnut brown color. Since Dr. Reynolds has had the case in charge the ing condition of improvement, considering the character of the country and of its population, a remarkable abstinence from violence. It shows also

that Commissioner Raum has dealt with a very difficult duty in a most sagacious and effective manner. It Beats Gold or Silver Mining.

Gen, Beauregard, whose adversaries tried to use the panoply of the U.S. Posteffice Department as a shield for their covert malice, by an honest, clear exposition of the mode of drawing of the farfamed Louisiana State Lottery, on the second Tuesday of every mouth, has won a decided triumph. The next monthly drawing (the 120th) will take place at New Orleans, on May 11th, and \$23 sent new to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, la., of to No. 319 Broadway, New York City, may then realize \$30,000. It beats gold or silver mining.

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