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I've found as a rule A needle and spool Are mightler far,

What mighty conclusions What dreadful confusions Are knocked in the head By the judicious stitch We've all heard of, which

Will save ninety-nine. I beg, au contraire, You will almounted You will always beware Of a motto I hear Too often I fear On the torgue and the lip; It is "Let her Rip."

Fatal experiment! Don't ever try it. Genuine merriment Never came by it. er ripping and tearing old in declaring

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nder the sun.

But, "return to our muttons: Secure well the buttons, And it will do more Than money or lore, Peace to perpetuate. Concord to cultivate-To lengthen and strengthen The power all our own Our dower, that power Behind the threne.

And now with the basket My love too I send.
Accept both-I ask it, My very dear friend; May every rich blessing Be yours to the end.

NEWS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Gatherings from the State Papers

Raleigh News-Observer: The authorities at Washington have established the office of assistant district attorney for the eastern district of North Carolina, and have appointed thereto Willis Bagley, Esq., of Jackson, Northampton Mr. Bagley is a brother of Major W. H. Bagley, of Raleigh, and is a gentleman of high character, well known for his courteous demeanor and learning as a lawyer. The appointment is an excellent one, and will give great satisfaction to the bar of the east-

Col. A. M. Waddell and F. W. Kerchnor, Esq., of Wilmington, are in Washington. They appeared before the Senate committee of commerce, of which Gen. Ransom is chairman, last Tues-Gen. Ransom is chairman, last Tuesday, concerning a bill pending in the Senate, and which passed the House at the last session, making the Cape Fear a free river and establishing a port of entry at Fayetteville. The old Cape Fear Navigation Company had the right, in consideration of the expense and trouble of keeping the river clear of obstructions, to exact a tell of passof obstructions, to exact a toll of pass-

Asheville Citizen: Capt. Fry, who has charge of the construction of the bridge work on the W. N. C. Railroad, has almost completed the bridge across the Swannanoa two miles south of Asheville—it will be finished this week —and next week the work of laying the track to Smith's bridge on the French Broad will be commenced, and only a few days will be required to complete it. Can the Asheville News see any reason why this work should be allow-

ed to go on? While Buncombe county stands sixteenth in the State as to population, she stands second as to her white population-Wake being the only county with a larger white population-and if the latter has a portion of her territory sliced off for the benefit of Durham, as seems likely, it will leave Buncombe first. And this is not "buncombe,"

Raleigh News and Observer: The North Carolina mill-stone company has put up a telephone wire from Cameron, on the Raleigh & Augusta Air-Line Railroad to their quarries at Parke-wood, in Moore county, a distance of 16 miles. This is the longest telephone

On Wednesday last Trenton, in Jones county, was visited with quite a disastrous fire; four buildings, much merchandise and a small amount of cotton was destroyed. The fire, it is learned, originated in the store occupied by Mr.

C. H. Foy. The Asheville Citizen states that the condition of Mrs. Taylor, wife of the Hon. Robert Taylor, of Tennessee, is much improved this week. Mr. Taylor has been with her for the past week.

Knoxville to Nashville.

Nashville is becoming interested in the construction of a railroad direct from that place to Knoxville. This project, which has long been talked of is rendered practicable. Heretofore such a connection would only have been a local line between the two cities. and, while it would have been mutually advantageous to both it would not have been a paying enterprise. But now, since the completion of the West-ern North Carolina road is a certainty of the near future, the building of a road from Nashville to Knoxville, and thus giving the State capital a direct connection with the southeastern seaboard would be of immense advantage to Nashville. Knoxville would of course come in for her share of the profits, for a direct connection with Nashville, and middle and west Tennessee securing the shortest possible line to Memphis would secure valuable markets for our productions.

Knoxville now has an opportunity to

kill two large birds with one stone by building the Emory Gap road. This will give us the much desired connection with Cincinnati and also bridges one-third the distance between Knoxwille and Nashville. When this is done Nashville will not belong in building flie road between Lebanon and the Cincinnati Southern. There will be a continuous line of railroad though the entire length of the State. This road will be to the country between Knoxville and Nashville what the East Tennessee, Virginia, and Georgia road has been and is to East Tennessee—the forerunner and the agent, developing the natural resources of the section.

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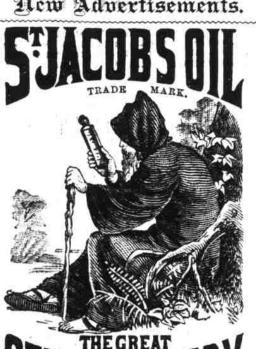
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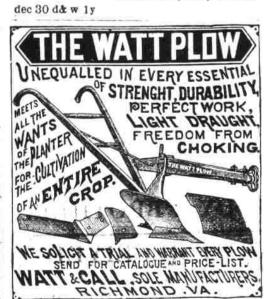


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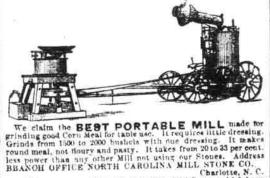
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stockholders of record on 10th of February next,
and 3 per cent. on 1st of September to stockholders of record on 10th of August next. The stock
books of the company will be closed from 10th of
February to 1st of March, and from 10th of August to 1st of September, 1881.

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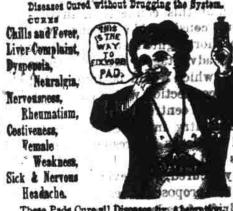
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