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FOSTER ON BUTLER.

Gov. Foster, of Ohio, was recently interviewed in Cleveland by a Herald r.porter. In reply to a question whether the Massachusetts election

would not silence Ben he replied: Silenced? No, indeed. It is my candid belief that Ben Butler is the most dangerous man that stands between the Republican party and success in the Presidential campaign next year. Massachusetts was so solidly Republican that the Democrats felt good if they secured one or two Congressmen. So strong was it that the Republicans did not deem it of much importance whether they voted or not. Ben Butler has gone to work, and by the liberal use of money and trickery secured the support of every labor organization in the State, trades unions and greenbackers, until he made himself a power and was elected Governor. Last Tuesday he polled the largest vote that was ever before polled for Governor, and under ordinary circumstances would have been elected, but the people became aroused and saw the drift of the current, recognized the fact that it tended toward a departure from that which constituted good government and safety. It will be found that the better element of the Democratic party will not support him. No! he will not down. A man of Ben Butler's knowledge of men and his demagoguery, backed up by money, and his bold and daring manner bring him recruits from the lowest strata of society, and while he wills to be a thorn he will be a troublesome

one to both parties.

He now has Presidential aspirations, and with his indomitable will and recklessness, if I mistake not, he will organize his forces in every State in the Union and enter the next National Democratic convention with such a force at hand as to render his nomination very probable. He has the ragtag of society to aid him and deserters from every political organization at his back. He would be very strong in the South, and he knows it. He was the first to declare slaves contrabands of war and make them free. I had never fully appreciated the dangerous character of Butler until

Gov. Foster makes a pretty correct diagnosis of lively Ben, but he overestimates, by long odds, his influence and strength in the South, when he supposes that he would be a power among the colored voters. They didn't support him in Massachusetts and they wouldn't vote for him as a Democratic nominee in the South. As they voted against Greeley, their life long devoted friend and champion, so would they vote against Butler if he asked their suffrages as a Democratic candidate. They would be tanght to look upon him as a renegade, who had deserted them and the Republican party.

The constitution of the State of Maryland prohibits any minister of the gospel from holding a seat in the Legislature. The Philadelphia Press commenting upon this says: "The Democrats will rely on this provision to keep Col. Thomas T. Hodson, elected as a Republican to the Senate from Somerset county, out of his seat. Col. Hodson is said to have been at one time a local preacher of the Methodist church. Whatever he may have been in the past, he is now a gentleman of culture and high character and a lawyer of ability and experience." Would his being a local preacher of the Methodist church conflict wit his being "a gentleman of culture and high character?"

Bishop Turner, of the African Methodist church, wants his head put on ice. This is how he raves over the late decision of the Supreme Court on the civil rights bill:

the United States if the decision is correct. The United States Constitution is a dirty rag, a cheat, a libel, and ought to be s. it upon by every negro in the land. More, if that decision is correct and is accepted by the country, then prepare to return to Africa or get ready for extermina-

Hon. William Shepherd Bryan, who fills the vacancy in the Maryland Court of Appeals occasioned by the resignation of Chief Justice Bartol, is a native of North Carolina, being a son of the late Hon John H. Bryan of Raleigh. Before the war he located in Baltimore where he entered Dr. Flower merely voices the written or oral opinion of thousands in his profession. BENSON'S CAPCINE PORupon the practice of law, and won distinction as an able and brilliant OUS PLASTERS are the perfect external application. The genuine have the word GAPCINE cut in the center.

lawyer. Gov. Foster, of Ohio, thinks the result of the election in New York helps Arthur's chances for the nomination for the presidency, and as he warmly endorses Mr. Arthur's administration as able, wise and patriotic, the indications are that his infruence will be exerted to secure an Ohio delegation for Arthur. He will thus help in spreading another wet blanket over John Sherman,

No Longer Needed. The old fashioned, slow acting plaster must go." Benson's Capcine Porous Plasters are the best. 25c.

THE LOUISVILLE EXPOSITION. The Louisville Exposition closed last Saturday night, and was a grand success in every respect, notwithstanding the fact that people in other cities who considered it too big an undertaking for as small a city as Louisville predicted that it would prove a failure from the start. The attendance of visitors, not counting those who had exhibits in charge, was between 700,000 and 800,000. The closing day was the greatest of all, being observed as a sort of holiday in the city, and most of the business places being closed to give employees an opportunity to be present at the closing ceremonies. About 40,000 people were on the grounds.

The exposition has proved advantageous to Louisville in many respects. A correspondent of the Baltimore Sun, who has been on the ground from the beginning and a close observer of events and results, speaking on the advantages resulting from it,

The advantages which have accrued to Louisville as the result of the exposition have been immense. As an indication of the increase of the business of the city, the transactions at the clearing house may be taken as a reliable criterion. The amount of exchanges for August, 1883, exceeded that for the corresponding month of 1882 by more than \$4,000, 000, for September \$4,500.000, and for October \$7,700,000. This, however, is an increase of only about fourteen per cent. The percentage of increase in the entire business of the city was, without doubt. far greater. But the increase of trade for a few months is of comparatively inconsiderable importance. The exposition has been the means of giving an impetus to the business enterprise of the city. Its capital will be invested in new enterprises, which will furnish remunerative labor to thousands of honest toilers, so that in this and in numerous other ways the permanent prosperity of the city will be en-hanced. One effect of the exposition will probably be the establishment of a permanent art gallery in the city, and so it will be that the benefits accruing will not be exclusively of a business character, but will be such as will contribute to the elevation of

the taste of the community. So gratifying have been the results that it has been almost definitely decided to have next year another exposition that will even surpass the present one. To do this will require a much less outlay of capital than was required for this one, as the stockholders have, unincumbered by debt. buildings and machinery that cost over \$315,000. Col. Burke, superin-tendent of the great Southern cotton exposition to be held in New Orleans in December, 1884, is here, and favors holding another exposition in Louis-ville next year, believing that it will

be auxiliary instead of antagonistic to that in New Orleans. SALEM JOTTINGS.

Notes from in and About the Twin Towns.

Correspondence of the Observer Judge Shipp arrived at noon to-day and opened the fall term of Forsyth Superior court. The docket is a pretty full one, with several capital cases upon it, and the probability is that when Judge Shipp gets through with it there will be some persons "shipped" to the penitentiary and

some across the dark river. During the past week many of our citizens have been in a fever of excitement over the fact that burglars have been at work in this place and Winston. They began operations more than a week ago, but up to this time have not been very successful in getting much booty. They do not seem to be experts at the business, but are expert enough to elude the vigilance of the police, who have kept a strict watch for them every night since they started their nefarious

Last Friday night Policeman Chas. Stockton, of Winston, while walking his beat, discovered two white women (nymphs du pave) in Mr. S. H. Hodgins' garden stealing cabbage. He arrested them and put them in the guard house until Saturday morning, when they had a hearing before Wm.
Barrow, Esq., who bound them over
to court in a bond of \$50 each. Being
unable to give the required bond they
were lodged in jail for trial, and will,
no doubt, after their trial, cook cabbage in the culinary department of the penitentiary, if the inmates of that institution ever have that savory dish served them. The house of the above women was searched, I learn, and a lot of carpet and clothing that had been stolen from persons in

Winston found. Last Saturday night Mr. William White, living in Winston, caught a negro in a henhouse stealing chickens and ordered him to come out, when a scuffle ensued, in which the negro tried to make use of a butcher's knife Mark my word, there will be bloodshed enough over the decision to drown every member of the Supreme Court in less than two years. It absolves the allegiance of the negro to stead of dining off of roast chicken he partook of the usual fare served to prisoners in the county jail.

In the academy park a number of tame deer have been kept for several years. The other day one of the finest, a large buck, while skipping about the enclosure, fell in such a manner, it is supposed, as to cause a prong of its horns to penetrate a vital part of its body, which caused it to

J. L. Shutt and his partner in 'possum hunting have up to this date, since the hunting season set in caught fifty-four 'possums. Mr. W. L. Springs, of Philadelphia, Pa., father of Mr. L. W. Springs, a well known com percial traveller.

was at the Salem Hotel a few days last week. He left for Philadelphia this morning.
Dr. S. W. Battle, surgeon in the U. S. Navy, arrived here to-day, and is with his family, who are living at the

Salem Hotel. Capt. Geo. E. Pond, U. S. Army, and family are expected here to-morrow from Fort Ringold, Texas. Mrs. Pond is a native of Salem and a sister of Dr. H. T. Bahnson. Capt. Pond has been ordered to report for duty at the quartermaster's depot in New

York. A salute was fired in Winston on Saturday night in honor of the Democratic victory in Virginia. A Salem young lady was heard to ask if the shooting was in honor of Martin Luther's birthday.

PALEM. Salem, N. C., Nov. 12, 1883.

The Arab Sunk, the Tug Brifted Ashore

CHICAGO, Nov 14 -A special from Saugatuck, Mich., early this morning, reports the schooner Arab sunk, off Racine early Sunday morning, the Tug protection which had her in tow was disabled while of the crew of the schooner by a rope catching in her wheel. The steam barge, A Kelly towed the Protection, until she herself disabled on Monday night. The Tug then drifted until she came to anchor near Saugatuck. Of nineteen men on both vessels sveenteen were saved. Capt. Wm. Kelly of the Arab went down with his vessel and a fireman of the tug was swept overboard.

Moving the Barbed Wire Fence Manu-

factories. JOLIET, ILL., Nov. 10.-The announcement is made here that all manufacturers of barbed wire in this city will shortly remove their factories to Missouri and other Western points within the jurisdiction of Judge Treat, whose recent decision in St. Louis declaring the Washburn patents invalid, protects all manufacturers there from interference and payment of royalty. This will result in throwing out between 500 and 1,000 work-

Thirty Men Injured.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov 13-Early this morning the west shore railroad construction train was thrown from the track and three box cars loaded with workmen were sent down an embankm nt 30 feet high. All were reported more or less hurt and several had legs and arms broken and skulls fractured. One man was horribly mutilated. The cause of the accident was a broken journal. Thirty men in all were injured.

A Libel Suit Decided.

NEW YORK, Nov 13-The suit for libel brought yesterday by Tice Bros.

Against Jonathan M. Roberts editor
and proprietor of Mind and Matter,
Philadeiphia spiritual publication, was
brought to conclusion in King's county Superior court last evening. The suit was for \$30,000. The jury this morning gave a verdict of \$3,000 and six cents damages for each of the plaintiffs.

A Maye to Protect the Frontier.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov 14.—Col. Valdez and Lieut. Ord, of the Mexican army, are here to meet, it is understood, General Mackenzie, the department commander, and effect a reciprocal protection of the frontier by troops of the two governments against Indians and organized ma-

China's Ultimatum.

London, Nov 14-A Paris dispatch to the local news agency asserts that that the Marquis Tseng is prepared to present an ultimatum to the French Government and demand his passports, if the French forces in Tonquin make an attack upon Bac Ninh and Sontay.

A Drug House Failure. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14.—Wm. M. Wilson & Co., druggists, have suspended. The house has been in existence 24 years.

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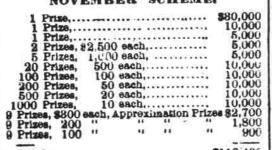
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