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Nice Line of READY-MADE CLOTHING

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Miss Lavina Hunter is over our store, where she will be glad to see everybody wishing dressmaking...

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My stock, which is unusually attractive, will be open for the inspection of the public on

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Feather-Weight Stiff Hats

In Black, Brown, Maple and Pearl.

Felt Hats

In all Shapes and Colors.

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Have just opened their White Goods and Embroidery Department, as usual have a stock superior to any...

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In large, well selected, and good value. Ask for Table Linens, Table Napkins, Marcella Quilts, Bleaching...

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Largest Stock of Furniture in the State.

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Woven Wire Mattresses at \$4.50 apiece.

The scent of battle is in the air. America is as full of it as the Old World.

When some one suggested to Napoleon Bonaparte the conquest of China, he replied: "No; there are too many of them. Teach them the art of warfare and they will overrun Europe."

Mary Cooper, a colored girl eleven years old, near Scottsville, Va., confessed to killing her cousin, a girl nine years old, last February, for eating an egg that belonged to her.

Ohio does not come so unanimously to the front at Washington in the matter of offices as she used to do in times gone by.

Gen. Grant was worth \$1,000,000 before Fred Ward won his confidence and got away with the greater portion of it.

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The Charlotte Observer.

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DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

The re-appointment of Postmaster Pearson, of New York City, a Republican, by President Cleveland, has provoked considerable comment and criticism in the State of New York, and also in other portions of the country.

It is conceded that Pearson was a model postmaster, and that under his management the vast business of that great central office, was conducted with admirable system and efficiency, for which reason his retention was asked for by Democrats and Republicans, who were not influenced by political considerations, and the only objection made to it is that the President should not have put into a place of such vast responsibility, where he is capable of using so much influence, a political enemy.

The Kentucky delegation in Congress was very much surprised at the nomination of Mr. Buck as Minister to Peru, and Senator Beck went in person to Mr. Bayard to protest against it, on the ground that nobody knew who Mr. Buck was.

Two or three years ago Senator Logan refused to recommend Nixon, of the Chicago Inter Ocean for collector of the port of Chicago.

The Autocrat of the Senate. Senator Edmunds is the peculiar character in public life today. Some one ought to write a magazine article about him, for it is a subject too rich to be left to the newspapers.

Death of the Emperor of Russia's Cook. London, Truist. I have just seen a gentleman from Russia who informs me that the Czar's cook is dead.

A Considerate Father. A Kansas farmer is the proud father of twelve children. He has bestowed names upon the six oldest children, but the others six are as yet nameless, and are designated and distinguished by numbers.

A CARD. To all who are suffering from rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, and other forms of chronic pain, I would advise you to use the...

FROM WASHINGTON.

PARTING GLANCE AT THE EXTRA SESSION.

Who Was Confirmed and Who Wasn't? --Places to be Filled by Vacation Appointment.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The Republican party in a great hurry yesterday and forced an adjournment before the nominations were acted upon.

First, as to the places about which there was either agreement or conspicuous want of agreement. All of the North Carolina nominations were confirmed by the Senate before adjournment.

Quite a large number of snags are left to be filled by Presidential appointment during the vacation. It is entirely safe to say, from outcroppings in the departments, plain little hints intended not for publication, but to be read where it will do the most good, that this administration is going to make some displacements and that before very long.

Oh, I have got 'em down in my mind. I know how to fix it exactly. North Carolina applicants for the position of register in the land office are numerous.

A distinguished Southern man who has been besieged by applicants for places that every man who had been to see him, in the expectation of being perfectly infatuated, and that man was on the boundary line ready to jump into a state of lunacy.

Mr. John E. Woodard called on the President, and stating that he wanted no office, observed that as a young man he had been in the cabinet of Presidents, he felt desirous of knowing Mr. Cleveland.

Washington Letter in Springfield Republican. Senator Edmunds is the peculiar character in public life today. Some one ought to write a magazine article about him, for it is a subject too rich to be left to the newspapers.

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Angus, Ga. Chronicle.

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Capitalists will prefer to put their money into bonds at 4 per cent, than placing it in the most promising ventures, where the latter are liable to be dominated and finally spoliated by such economic ravens as Col. Cass.

Chas Langheimer, who was over 40 years an inmate of Cherry Hill prison in Philadelphia, and during his imprisonment was made famous by Dickens' "Dutchman."

STOP THAT COUGH. By using Dr. Prager's Throat and Lung Balm—cures all kinds of coughs, colds, hoarseness and sore throat, and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

MRS. JOE PERRON'S REMEDY. Merit Will Tell in the Long Run. Mrs. Joe Perron, Madison, Wis., writes: "I have used your Bessie's Hair Restorer, and it has done me a great deal of good."

What It Had Done. For several years I have been afflicted with a cough, that being incident to my family for two years past my general health has been wretched from the effects.

Who is Mrs. Winslow? At this question is frequently asked, we will say that she is a lady who for upwards of thirty years has been the benefactress of the human race.

Home Enterprise!! TO FURNITURE DEALERS AND THE PUBLIC. We have commenced the manufacture of Furniture in this city, and having the very latest and best machinery, are prepared to do the very best work possible, and guarantee satisfaction.

A Memento of Garfield.

New York Evening Post.

Some time ago Mrs. Garfield gave ex-President Hayes a memento of her husband, which is kept with zealous care in Mr. Hayes's Fremont home.

Old Postage Stamps Record. Boston Advertiser. It is less than a century since postage stamps have come into use, but already a collection of a thousand or more stamps of various countries can not be made without thereby obtaining an outline history of Europe since 1850.

When it was a Sin to Kiss One's Wife. New Haven Palladium. Moses Wheeler, an aged resident of Birmingham, died Wednesday in the quiet of his home, which he had inherited from his father and grandfather.

Many a Lady is beautiful, all but her skin; and nobody has ever told her how easy it is to put beauty on the skin. Beauty on the skin is Magnolia Balm.

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