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THE TELEGRAPH.

A NORTH CAROLINA INVENTION-MR. CLEMMONS' STATEMENT.

A Most Important Interview-Lucid and Modest Claims to Have Invented the Electric Telegraph...

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.

Would you object to giving me a brief sketch of your history, and especially of the history of your connection with the invention of the electric telegraph?

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.

My father was a merchant, and my boyhood days were spent for the most part behind the counter.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.

In the year 1833, when about the age of twenty years, I commenced attending lectures on chemistry...

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.

I attempted frequently to explain this to my comrades but was only laughed at for my pains.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.

Being young and somewhat diffident, I did not press my suggestions upon the public attention...

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 20.

I am gratified to learn that in his old age, Mr. Clemmons is well provided for. He has been a successful lawyer during his forty-eight years of practice.

STATE NEWS.

The residence of Judge Thomas Ruffin was destroyed by fire at Hillsboro, last Saturday. Loss \$5,000; no insurance.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

A special to the News and Observer from Washington, North Carolina, under date of the 20th, says: The steamer Concord, of the Farmers and Merchants line, for Baltimore, with 473 tons of cotton, was consumed by fire today.

WILMINGTON REVIEW.

A meeting of the merchants and business men of the city was held at the Commercial Exchange at 8 o'clock today to consider the subject of the public building to be erected in Wilmington.

ASHEVILLE ADVANCE.

A destructive fire occurred at Burnsville, Wednesday morning. Several offices and small buildings, situated on what is known as the Carter Corner, were destroyed.

STOCK AND DAIRY FARMING.

Your allusion to the visit of a prominent dairyman of Maryland to this section, with the view of removing the business South, should remind our people of another important change needed to redeem our agriculture from the thralldom of the cotton crop.

FOR SALE.

56 Two desirable building lots, 50x20 feet, fronting on South Tryon street, adjoining the property of H. C. Scales.

GENERAL GROCERY BUSINESS.

At the old stand of Springs & Burwell, corner Tryon & Fourth streets, we are again in operation, to meet the demands of the trade, and give satisfaction to our customers.

FAMILY SUPPLIES.

Which will be delivered in any part of the city, free of charge. REMEMBER.

PENNYROYAL PILLS.

"CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH." The Original and Only Genuine. Sold by Druggists and Country Merchants.

Dr. Holmes' Toast to the Dentists.

In declining an invitation to dine with the New York Odontological Society, last week, Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote: "I often think of the forlorn condition of some of the great personages of history in the days when there were no dentists, or none who would be recognized as such by the dental artists of today."

WASHINGTON LETTER.

A Story of Mary Anderson. Washington Letter in the Chicago Tribune: Mary Anderson's first visit to Washington was soon after her debut. Gen. Sherman was her chief patron.

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February 22nd.

We are exhibiting many thousand yards of Embroidery, which we are offering for Sale in strips of 44 yards. Remember we will positively not cut the strips.

They Range in Prices As Follows:

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Of the best makes on the installment plan. Low prices and easy terms. Send for prices.

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