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15	" "	11
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LATEST CORRESPONDENCE IN THE CODE.

r. Pearson's Latest to Mr. McAden and Mr. McAden's Replies.

The Asheville papers of Saturday contain the following correspondence:

In the spring of 1885 Mr. R. Y. McAden made a violent assault upon me without warning, for words spoken by me in debate in the House of Representatives of North Carolina, and for which I deemed it my duty to hold him to a personal account.

On consultation with friends in whose hands I placed the care of my honor with the understanding that I would submit to whatever conclusion they reached, it was determined that I "should let the matter drop, and ignore the man and the assault."

Since then he has assailed both my honor and courage in the newspapers. This second attack provoked the following correspondence, which is published after full notice and without objection. It forms the necessary sequel of that which has already been forced upon the public notice without my consent:

May 21st, 1886.—*R. Y. McAden, Esq.*—SIR: In an article recently published you make charges against my courage and my honor; coupling with said charges an intimation that you would either retract or make good your words on demand.

I have now therefore to demand at your hand reparation or satisfaction.

I beg you to communicate your answer to Captain J. R. Hamilton, who awaits it at Chester, S. C., and who is by me fully authorized to act in the premises.

Absence from the State has prevented earlier notice of this matter.

I am Sir

Your obedient servant,

RICHMOND PEARSON.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 24, 1886:—*Richmond Pearson, Esq*—SIR:—Your note of May 21st has just been handed me. As I understand the note, it is a demand for an appology for a recent publication. You should remember that you first published an article in a matter in which I had no interest and was in no way connected with. In this publication you reflected on my position as a gentleman

In reply to this I published the article you complained of. In the reply, in my own vindication, I published a statement from your friend, Dr. Grissom, contradicting your article, and with the statement added such remarks as I thought your conduct deserved. As I still think I did nothing more than the circumstances demanded, I respectfully decline to make an apology.

I send this through the same channel I received yours.

Respectfully,

R. Y. MCADEN.

MAY 25th, 1886.

R. Y. McAden, Esq—SIR: In my note of the 21st inst. I used the following words, to-wit: "I have now therefore to demand at your hands reparation or satisfaction." In your reply of the 24th inst. you decline to make reparation, but avoid answering my alternative demand for satisfaction, which I now repeat, in the sense in which that demand is understood among gentlemen. I request now the favor of a categorical answer by the hands of a gentleman, empowered by you to act with my friend, Captain J. R. Hamilton, who awaits such answer at Nicholson's Hotel, Chester, S. C. I am, sir,

Your obedient servant,

RICHMOND PEARSON.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 27.

Rihcmond Pearson, Esq.—SIR: Yours of the 25th received, in which you complain that my reply to yours of 21st was not responsive to your demand. In reply to this I have to say that, had I been so disposed, I might well have declined to take any notice of your former note since you therein couple your demand for an apology with a manifest threat. This I waived and declined your demand, for reparation, which I construed to be a demand for an apology. The demand which you now make for satisfaction I construed to be an invitation to fight a duel with you under the Code. This I unhesitatingly decline. I owe you neither reparation nor satisfaction in the sense in which you demand it. You have twice gratuitously wronged me by attempting to injure my reputation as a gentleman. Once in the House of Representatives of North Carolina, in a controversy with Lieutenant Governor Robinson, and again in your recent controversy with General Jones. The first I resented in a manner which I thought the circumstances justified. Long after I had reason to believe that our first affair had passed out of mind, you again wantonly assailed me in a communication thro' the public press and in a controversy in which I had no manner of concern. To this I replied in a manner which I thought and still think befitted my character as a gentleman.

I feel it is not necessary for me to pretend to fight a duel to establish my character either for honor or courage. No one knows better than you do that dueling is universally discountenanced and is no longer recognized among gentlemen. It It cannot be courageous or honorable to demand that to be done which the laws of all civilized countries pronounce a felony; it cannot be wanting in courage or dishonorable to decline to do that which the law forbids under its severest penalty. I may add in conclusion that the practice to which you invite me is one which by the common understanding of mankind is most often resorted to by those who are wanting in the elements of manliness and true courage. Why challenge me to fight a duel to right your wrongs when you are not my inferior physically?

Not recognizing any priciple of the Code, I will not even send this by a friend, but through the channel I received yours. Respectfully,

R. Y. MCADEN.

The world has very generally agreed that dueling is a deplorable practice; but the genius of our modern civilization, while it pronounces upon this practice its unqualified condemnation in candor will also declare that the duel is more honorable and more fair than the street fight with concealed, but equally deadly weapons in the use of which the mean advantage of the first shot or of a blow without warning settles nothing but the brutality of the assailant.

The only wrong which I have ever done Mr. R. Y. McAden has been the expression of my purpose to ignore him, and to this purpose I shall henceforth scrupulously adhere.

RICHMOND PEARSON.

STATE NEWS.

Wilmington Star: Great interest is felt in the matter of the Onslow railroad project. Petitions in circulation asking that the question of subscription by the city be submitted to a vote of the people have been signed by a great many citizens. The matter will be presented to the board of aldermen Monday night.

Shelby Aurora: A Rutherford correspondent writes us that Mr. James Toms, of that place, and Miss Lou Carpenter, daughter of J. H. Carpenter, Esq., were married Tuesday, Rev. C. B. Justice officiating. The wedding was a complete surprise even to the friends of the contracting parties——Julia Blanton, colored, wife of Dock Blanton, who lives on B. Blanton's place, became tired of life's troubles, and committed suicide by leaping from a second story window on Sunday noon. She had been insane for several days previous to her suicide.

Asheville Citizen: We regret to learn that Mrs. J. K. Connally is seriously ill at her mother's residence in Richmond. Col. Connally left for Richmond Wednesday. Mrs. C. has never recovered from the severe shock she experienced while recently crossing the ocean.——We learn of great destruction of tobacco plants in Madison by the bugs. Maj. Rollins says he has had one 4-acre lot planted four times, and he does not think there are now one hundred plants living on that lot; and the same experience is reported by all his neighbors. The damage has been so great that the farmers have concluded to starve them out by planting no more plants. The loss this year threatens to be heavy.

Durham Recorder: We stated a few days ago that Mr. Wm. Lawrence, who resides near Gath, in Orange county, was found dead Saturday night, and that two parties are suspicioned of having murdered him. That quiet community since then has been aroused as never before. Suspicion rested on Lawrence's wife and a young white man named Crawford. The physicians say there is every indication of poisoning. The parties have been arrested and have been on trial before the coroner's jury since Monday. We have not learned whether the case has been concluded or not. The excitement has been intense since the parties were arrested. Mrs. Lawrence is about forty years old and Crawford twenty-two. Crawford was in Durham last week and spoke of buying some medicine for Lawrence.

News and Observer: Yesterday Mr. A. L. Woodall, a workman at the planing mills of Mr. T. H. Briggs, was hurt and died in an hour. While working at a saw, a plank caught in a pulley, and an end of the plank struck Mr. Woodall on the abdomen. Two physicians were promptly summoned to attend him. Mr. Woodall was a valued employee and a good citizen ——The first passenger train on the Pittsboro railroad was run yesterday nearly as far as Gum Spring, a distance of nearly four miles from Moncure. It carried a portion of the excursion party of the First Baptist Sunday school of Raleigh, which was picnicking at Haywood. The grading force of convicts is now a mile from Pittsboro. The Record says many people go out daily to see the work. Among the convicts is a colored preacher, who preaches regularly every Sunday to his fellow convicts.

Wilmington Review: Messrs. John J. Fowler and Gilbert H. Greene, under the firm name of Fowler & Greene, are moving machinery into the building at the foot of Ann street for the manufacture of buckets, pails, kegs and wooden shuttle blocks. The engine, boiler, and a portion of the machinery have already been placed in position, and the remainder will be set up during the next week, and operations will be commenced immediately afterward. One of the curious labor saving machines already in position is a cylindrical saw for sawing and giving the proper curve to staves. This is so arranged that 5000 staves can be sawed in ten hours and of any required thickness. Another saw for tapering and beveling the edges of the staves will make 4720 revolutions per minute. The material used for staves will be mainly cedar, but the shuttle blocks will be made of dogwood and persimmon.

An Appeal in the President's Behalf.

Boston Herald.

Let Congress stop sending the President bills for the present. It would be most ungenerous to test his capacity to say "no" on his wedding week. Let the office-seekers go to work, go a-fishing, go anywhere, rather than to the White House. Let the Canadians illustrate international courtesy, and show that the warmth of love is honored even in their cold clime, by permitting Yankee skippers to buy bait in their ports until the President gets down from Elysium to his desk again. It would be most unkind to trouble him now about a cold-blooded and prosaic thing like fish. Let the Democratic papers cease nagging the President for not giving offices to the faithful as rapidly as they think he ought to do. The spoils will keep. For Cupid's and Hymen's sakes, let the clamorers forget the partisan and toast the bridegroom. Even the Mugwump can afford to forego for a fortnight his unalienable right to find fault. According to all accounts, there is positively no fault to be found with the bride. She is a lovely and perfect type of the flower of womanhood—an American girl.

Danger!

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