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**NOTICE.**  
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**NOTICE.**  
The undersigned have this day formed a partnership under the firm name of Ellis & Muse. Having purchased the interest of R. M. McIntire in the business of R. M. McIntire & Co., at Durham, N. C. We will conduct the Dry Goods business in all its branches at the old stand. We respectfully solicit the patronage of the people. W. H. MUSE, Durham, March 14, 1885.

**NOTICE.**  
In withdrawing from business in Durham I beg to return my sincere thanks for the patronage extended the late firm, and I would respectfully bespeak for my successors the kindly consideration of my former patrons. Very respectfully, R. M. MCINTIRE, Wilmington, N. C., March 14, 1885. March 18-17

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**Richmond Advertisements,**  
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**Notice.**  
All Mail for the "Raleigh Nurseries" and its appendages should be directed to VINEYARD, WAKE COUNTY, N. C. All Express, Freight and Telegrams to RALEIGH, N. C.

**Notice.**  
This is not caused by a removal of business, but from growth of business, and the establishment of a New Post office in my residence (2 1/2 miles southwest of Central Depot) by the name of "VINEYARD." Daily Mail. S. J. THOMAS WILSON. mar 11-2m

**Order.**  
Windows, Blind, Doors, Glass, Paints, and Varnishes of Bin Swanger & Co., Richmond, Va. Builders and Painters supplied. Price list of ash &c. new ready. jan 14-17

**A Sad Refrain but a Truthful one.**  
I find it useless and expensive to request any further aid or assistance from the people of North Carolina to publish the history and deeds of her sons in the late war, and I take this medium and opportunity to inform those who have kindly taken any interest in my work and have signified by making a deposit of \$5.00 with Treasurer Bain, that I can see no prophetic finger pointing to a near prospect of its publication, consequently the friends, fourteen in number, are at liberty to recall their money, are at liberty to recall their money, are at liberty to recall their money.

**Mr. Davis' Reply.**  
Gov. Ireland, of Texas, and his staff, and a large party of Texans, who have been celebrating Texas day at the New Orleans Exposition, visited Hon. Jefferson Davis Thursday at his home at Beauvoir, Miss. Several speeches were made. Gov. Ireland, speaking for the Texas party, declared that the object of their visit was to see and shake hands with one of the greatest of statesmen, nobles in mind and purest of patriots. To this Mr. Davis responded, urging all to be good and true citizens of our common country, to cherish sentiments worthy of citizens of a republican government and genuine republican institutions, to see to it that these principles are founded in justice and that the truth in history be preserved whether written for schools or for the library.

**How Wilkes Booth Passed the Pickets.**  
"Did you ever know how Booth passed the pickets on the bridge of the eastern branch of the Potomac that fatal night?" said an army officer to a reporter. "I will tell you as it was told to me by the old sentinel who was that night on duty there. A half hour before the time agreed upon by Booth to meet Harold, the latter, who had lived in the neighborhood of the bridge all his life, and who was across the river in a little village of Uniontown then, crossed the bridge to come over to Washington side. 'Who goes there?' said the sentinel on the bridge. 'A friend going for a doctor,' replied Harold. 'Pass,' said the sentinel. He quickly rode up Eleventh street to Pennsylvania avenue and Eighth street, and there in the darkness waited until the thundering hoofs of Booth's horse were heard coming down Pennsylvania avenue. The two horsemen then started down Eighth street toward the bridge on that ride for their lives, which ended in Garrett's burning barn in Virginia, a hundred miles away. 'Who goes there?' rang out from the sentry box on the bridge, and the two horses came rushing toward the bridge. Harold was ahead and cried out, 'A friend with the doctor.' The two men passed over the bridge, and it was perhaps several hours after the reverberations of the horses' hoofs had died away before the sentry knew who the men in the darkness were, and he was nearly dead with fear he had failed to do his duty."

**How General Morgan Escaped.**  
Chief Justice Hines, of Kentucky, who has been in the city for the past five days, gave an account yesterday of the escape from the penitentiary here of the famous Confederate General Morgan, which finally settles that much discussed subject. Judge (then Captain) Hines, with his chief and 68 others, was captured early in November, 1863, while raiding through the southern part of Ohio, and himself planned and executed the successful escape. He was in a cell in the penitentiary, and he was nearly dead with fear he had failed to do his duty."

**Grant Refused Lee's Sword.**  
One of the few surviving eye witnesses of Lee's surrender at Appomattox was interviewed concerning General Grant's recent denial of the story that Lee's sword was tendered Grant. The man's name is Benjamin Jeffrey, and he is a carpenter by trade and a resident of Des Moines. He served through the war in a Pennsylvania regiment, and at the time of Lee's surrender was a member of Company A, 191st regiment, "Blackhills." When asked of the circumstances that followed the close of the fighting at Appomattox he said: "After fighting ceased General Grant rode to the front, where our regiment was deployed on the skirmish line, and ordered that a guard be stationed across the road leading down to the village and that no one be allowed to pass. About two o'clock in the afternoon he returned, accompanied by an escort of two or three hundred officers. Leaving all but one aide behind he rode through the lines and down the slope toward the Court House, a short distance off. As he did so, General Lee, accompanied by one aide, came toward him in the opposite direction. About seven or five yards from where we were stationed on guard stood a small store and a half log house, near which grew a large apple tree. Grant and Lee met at this point and halted under the tree. Lee rode a large, handsome roan, while Grant was mounted on a small black horse. Dismounting, Lee drew his sword and offered it to Grant, but Grant refused to accept it, and declining it with a wave of the hand, it was put back in the scabbard. Then Grant offered his hand to Lee, and they shook hands, as did their aides, and all engaged in conversation for about five minutes, when, remounting, they rode away to the Court House, where the papers completing the terms of the surrender were drawn up. I saw the first meeting between Grant and Lee, and saw Grant refuse to take his sword, for I stood less than a hundred yards away at the time. I have as vivid a recollection of that scene as if I took place yesterday."

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According to the will of a New Hampshire man his 'dear wife' is to receive \$10,000 in case she remains single eight weeks after his death.

**THE SOUTHERN OFFICES.**  
Postmaster General Vilas has decided to remove only those postmasters in the South who have been guilty of partisan practices. Exactly what constitutes an adequate cause for removal is not definitely stated, but it is generally understood that only those will be removed who have been actively engaged in furthering the interests of the Republican party. It seems in our poor opinion, that this course in dealing with the Republican party in the South is being slightly overdone by the present administration. It is a notorious fact that many instances competent, honest and popular men have been removed from office by the Republican government when the only thing that could be urged against them was that they were Democrats and would not contribute to the Republican campaign corruption fund. The office holders themselves recognize the fact that they hold these offices only through favor and because they are Republicans, not because of any special qualification, and they do not expect anything else than that under a Democratic President they will have to relinquish their offices to Democrats. The South, which has so long been dominated over, now demands that its important offices be filled by men of their own choosing and not by men who, in most instances, have been the meretricious of the Republican rascals at Washington.

**Reform Too Expensive.**  
Col. Morrison tells it. It must be true. Mr. Hickensoop, one of the Colonel's constituents, had always been a Republican, but had fallen he became possessed of many good qualities, and even went so far as to attend a Democratic pow wow, which was held in a grove near the Colonel's town. While the speakers were shouting loudly for reform a gang of St. Louis pickpockets went through the crowd in a professional way. The next day Col. Morrison met Mr. Hickensoop. "Well, Mr. Hickensoop, you are going to vote for Democracy and reform this time, I understand?" "No; no; I got back mit der old party."

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**A Cure for Seed Warts.**  
At West Ansonia Conn., resides a lad of ten who was afflicted with a seed wart on the top of his foot. It was very troublesome at times, and he often loosened his shoe to prevent irritation. On two occasions the wart had been cut to the surface of the foot, but would soon grow again, each time to larger proportions. A few weeks since as the boy was sitting at the table eating his dinner, his shoe off, as usual, a large pet rooster came in for the crumbs, and in his haste to get away with as many as possible in a short time suddenly seized the wart—before the lad could shake him off he with his forcep-shaped beak pulled the wart out by the roots. The wound healed in a few days and there is no appearance of further growth.—Chicago Herald.

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