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This Argus o'er the people's rights, Doth an eternal vigil keep

No soothing strains of Maia's sun, Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep"

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OCTAVIUS

THIS DISTINGUISHED MAN AND SECRETARY OF STATE PASSED AWAY YESTER DAY AFTERNOON AT HIS HOME IN THIS CITY.

STORY OF HIS GAREER.

A Patriot and a Gentlemen. Born O tober 4th, 1840, in Williamburg, Va., Educated at William and Mary College. Twice Wounded in Pickett's Divis.

News and Observer.

terday afternoon, Octavius Coke, Secretary of State of North feel the warmth of his regard. old time amusements. On and neat glimmering fancy work Carolina, died at his home here, He began the practice of the law all festive occasions the wild in from top to bottom. Some had aster—driven by a million baystreets.

Five weeks ago last Monday, the late Secretary left his office politics absorbed so much of his Indian again to all intents and and arms, and beads which they take the empire by the force of in the afternoon, saying to his ed the law, and devoted himself and hold much superstition. The wore red coats with long sashes unwell, and that he felt as if he His purse was always freely at in a whole week's continuous colors which swung out behind wreck the fortunes of their for happened on Friday, handed up were going home to have a spell the disposal of his party, and it revelry day and night. On such as they whirled in the wild irof fever.

Since that day he had lain upon his bed of sickness.

best and traest in the home rear-renominated in 1896. ing of the Old Dominion.

friends. He was the higest type of manhood I ever knew. Such Wilson both widows being in many as he have made the words Virginia. big in body, big in heart. His death, a great loss at any time, at present is a calamity. To him I looked for leadership out of our present political troubles. He was one of the very few politicians I ever knew who would sacrifice self to principles. I have frequently heard him say during the past year that he had no personal or political friend-

Chowan county for the Constitutional Convention, but was defeated, the county being strongly Republican. In 1872 he was the Democratic presidential elector themselves, the Pops would am select among the Indians. Last night I saw my first one, and now, if the school boys and girls will get their histories and geographies and look at the picture of the dance as I describe it among the Indians. Last night I saw my first one, and now, if the school boys and girls will get their histories and geographies and look at the picture of the dance as I describe it among the Indians. Last night I saw my first one, and now, if the school boys and girls will get their histories and geographies and look at the picture of the dance as I describe it among the Indians. Democratic presidential elector cheerfully do. from the first District, and made a brilliant canvass which gave a brilliant canvass which gave new hope and courage to the Democracy. In 1870, he was one of the Democratic candidates for day, as was expected.

A New York Despatch says the doubly interesting. In company with two half-breeds fact—would like is a perpetual vacation with tri-weekly pay trade, can give good reference. Address "X" care ARGUS Goldsboro, the trip of ten miles out from days.

the State Senate in the first sen-COKE DEAD. can by a very large majority. In

At twenty minutes to four, yes- linked to him with hooks of steel. Reservation.

followed. It was a fit environ- tion the year following nomina- little strange when I tell you day. The occasion was a marment for the chivalric heart and ted him by acclamation for Secambitious mind of the youth, retary of State, and he was When a white man marries an In-

He had just left college, and begun the practice of law in Williamsburg, Va. From then till his death we were intimate his death we were intimate. The had just left college, and begin to be highly accomplished. This may seem strange distance of two miles from the his death we were intimate. The had just left college, and begin to be highly accomplished. This may seem strange distance of two miles from the high bluffs and died shortly after arriving the manner of the baggage car. When found she distance of two miles from the distance of two miles from the high bluffs and died shortly after arriving to a seems to be highly accomplished. This may seem strange to a distance of two miles from the high bluffs and died shortly after arriving to a seems to be highly accomplished. This may seem strange to a distance of two miles from the was wedged between two seats and died shortly after arriving to a seems to be highly accomplished. This may seem strange to a distance of two miles from the was wedged between two seats and died shortly after arriving the manner of the prominent lawyers in Richmond, payment of his salary from July to August 24, the date of his to wayne county people, but to wayne county people, but the was the high bluffs and died shortly after arriving the manner of the prominent lawyers in Richmond, payment of his salary from July and the manner of the prominent lawyers in Richmond, payment of his and seems to be highly accomplished. This may seem strange to a distance of two miles from the wayne of the manner of the prominent lawyers in Richmond, payment of his and seems to be highly accomplished. The manner of the

which time he sank rapidly.

Dynamite Bomb Sent at a Sheriff.

office, Col. W. L. Saunders, he goes when our need for him is goes when our need for him is and pronounced the thing a and wolf, jack rabbits and fish.

The question of the college chemist was summoned and wolf, jack rabbits and fish.

made his home at Edenton, N. cede everything to the Pops, the melon will not be ripe for a C., becoming a citizen in Aus earth and the heavens too. reser- month yet. gust 28th, 1862. Capt. Coke was the Democratic candidate in Chowan county for the Consti
growl and growle and never be leavens too. Teser the Manusement among the Indians. Chowan county for the Consti
growl and the heavens too. Teser the Manusement and the heavens too. Teser the Manusement among the Indians. The dance is the favorite social amusement among the Indians. Cut down by Sheriff McInnis.

was left dangling to a tree for twenty-four hours, until it was amusement among the Indians. Cut down by Sheriff McInnis.

FROM THE FAR NORTHWEST.

He had nothing too good for But it is hard to give blame him much, for it was scattered his legions like the corner Hargett and McDowell in Raleigh, a short time after stinct predominates and they bunches of feathers tied to the his term in the Senate and ap- abandon themselves to its intoxi- tails of their coats, some had little peared in some noted causes, but cation for the time being and are bells fastened about their ankles Elba. I saw him escape and rethe week if a day is to be called time that he ultimately abandon - purposes. They enjoy sensation kept in constant jingle. Some friends as he went that he was to the cultivation of his farm. 4th of July is usually celebrated worked with beads of various change and fate combined to Here are some notable events may be safely said that no man occasions they have visiting regular dance, in the State, in proportion to his friends from other tribes who They dance individually and means, has given so liberally to enter fully into the mirth of independent of anyone present. sad and solemn sea. I thought of the Fever soon developed, followed In 1880 apt. Coke was elected kindness and generosity fills the sure and stand an even chance at by a rise of temperature and dechairman Cof the Democratic bosom of the Red Man and he is the presents that are given away. tears that had been shed for his lirium, and for five weeks he had had but few gleams of conscious had but few gleams of conscious ness, and in that state passed ness, and in that state pa peacefully away with his loved the party lines were drawn and gave away 120 fine horses as likes. The old "bucks" and the nes about him.

the Republicans were exerterting their best efforts to win.

Such is the story of the sick
Such is the story of the sick
the Republicans were exerterting their best efforts to win.

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young "bucks and the
do most of the dancing. Someness and death of this remarkthat year was very largely due some years ago when they had a ren are called kids) hop around door, and the grapes growing able man who life covered fifty—
five of the most eventful years to the chairman's efforts. In the chairman's efforts efforts. In the chairman's efforts efforts efforts efforts. In the chairman's efforts this country has seen. The high emergencies of these years were met in a way to bring eminent distinction to the life just closed. William and Mary College took the boy from his parents, at Williamsburg, Virginia, the took of Jefferson, and the schooling- of Jefferson, and the schooling- place of great spirits that have place of great spirits that have The Democratic State conven. and Indians and it may sound a is in the office with me every

to friends and devotion to prin- ex-Senator Coke will be here, want if he sells him. They all ciples, Capt. Coke had few peers. but the remainder of the imme. have horses and saddles. The letter and promise the little peographed for and are expected just behind the fore shoulder and one just in front of the flank. | more of life on the plains at an Harrington seriously injured; other time. J. R. OVERMAN. | M. R. Sawcett, injured internal-It was noon yesterday before Thus fastened, they can stay in the alarming change came in the the saddle on a bucking Bronco condition of the deceased, from until the mad animal is out of wind and gives up. Sometimes the Bronco lies down and tries to Brunswick, N. J., Aug. 30.— up he finds both saddle and In-

from observation, it will be

the Agency, reaching the Indi-

OLDSBORO, N. C., THURSDAY, SEPT. 5, 1895.

the State Senate in the first sentorial district and was elected by a majority of 319, though the district was unusually Republican by a very large majority. In the Senate he was an acknowledged leader and led the fight for the system of county governing the state Solutions.

Santee Agency, Neb., July 27, 1895.

Editor Goldsboro Argus.

There was a time not many edged leader and led the fight for the system of county governing the finding and swigwam, ("Tepe," as they say,) about 11 o'clock at night. Our driver halted about 1½ miles off to listen to the drums; for they never dance without the deity—and gazed upon the sarcophagus of rare and many special with the Solution of the women—and gold, fit almost for a deadly deity—and gazed upon the sarcophagus of rare and many special with the Solution of the women—and gold, fit almost for a deadly deity—and gazed upon the sarcophagus of rare and many special we could hear the beat of the drum. The breeze was fair and we could hear the beat of the drum and solution or the sarcophagus of rare and many special we could hear the beat of the drum and solution or the sarcophagus of rare and many special we could hear the beat of the drum and solution.

The Agency, reaching the finding and solution or derive halted about 1½ miles off to listen to the drums; for the system of country or the drum and solution or derive halted about 1½ miles of the grave of the old Napoleon—and supplies of the drum and onward is the sample.

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for the system of county government which has proved such a blessing to the people of the Eastern counties. In the same session he stood in the leader
for the system of county government in used to read in the story books and geographies of the wild life drum, scream of the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which has proved such a last the drum, scream of the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which sold the story books and geographies of the wild life drum, scream of the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which sold the story books and geographies of the wild life drum, scream of the women—

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'Squaws'—and the yell of men which sold the story books and geographies of the wild life drum, scream of the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which sold the story books and geographies of the wild life drum, scream of the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which sold out that Bullock & Mitchard and thought about the career of the story books and geographies of the wild life drum, scream of the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which sold out that Bullock & Mitchard and thought about the career of the story books.

I leaned over the balustrade should be and thought about the career of the west and wondered if I should we story books.

I leaned over the balustrade should be and the county and the west and the county and the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which we should be and the county and the women—

'Squaws'—and the yell of men which we should be and the county and the yell of men when we should be and the county and the yell of men which we should be a should be and the yell of men when when we should be a should be and the yell of men when when we should be a should b ship against the resolution of instruction to the North Carolina congressmen to vote for the bill feathered cap and beaded dancto approve the infamous election ing coat, his war dance and bat- leaven above, no light, but the count, by which Hayes was the cry; affected me with a last piles that they would have down the mob in the streets of the chance to bid on. It was the strange feeling of fear and ad-but the dull thrum, thrum Paris. I saw him at the head of same thing at the other ware-He was an intrepid and fear- miration. Twenty years of edu- of the crude drum and the wierd the army in Italy. I saw him houses, and bid after bid was less leader, imbued with the love cational advantages have some screech which more than a hunof Democracy, and his career in what changed their wild, fierce dred times meant death to entire the tricolor in his hand. the Senate showed him to be a habits and the same blocd-thirs- communities, were the real danwarm partisan of the highest ty warriers who, in 1876, so brut- cers, painted, tattooed, bedecked shadows of the pyramids. I saw claim: "I tell you Britt, it retype. His resolution and ag- ally massacreed Gen. Custer's in feathers and bells and beaded him conquer the Alps and mingle minds me of old times, and I've gressiveness and ability won for men on the plains of Mim; are fancy work, which glimmered the eagles of France with the been thinking that the good old him a host of friends in all sec- now recognized by the U. S. and jingled as they bowed and eagles of the crags. I saw him times would come again, tions of the State, and when he government; as citizens of Ne-thumped and stepped at Marengo, at Ulm, and at Au The Oxford market has made made one Capt. Coke was the brasba and have taken and al- to the crude music. One "buck" type of man whose friends were lotments of land in the Santee had a dancing suit on that he when the infantry of the snow the racket until the crop is sold.

whose parents sent him forth elected by a large majority. If dian woman he is called a Squaw They take a piece of raw-hide cursion train on the Georgia tion to the President, in order dynamic with that which was be had lived he would have been best and truest in the home rearthat the latter might not be employed by a large majority. In man." It is nothing uncomman and wet it and then stretch it cars, filled with Macon Knights that the latter might not be employed by the latter might not be emplo

men as he have made the words Virginia gentleman' a decoration of nobility. In his loyalty in figured and devotion to print the play of electricity reflected from its bosom gave it the apported, but it is thought several dearly and has to be in much pearance of a great river of glass. The line car folling on him.

These are only fatalities represented that dearly and has to be in much pearance of a great river of glass. I will close this disconnected are as follows: He was a big man-big in brains, diate relations have been tele. saddles are double girted, one ple and those who wish to read. ternally and about the head; Mr.

Minister Ransom's Salary.

luck seems to be the lot of U.S. Ranno, internally injured. wallow it off, but when he gets Minister Ransom, one trouble following close upon the other. An attempt to kill Sheriff Zerviss dian on his back ready for more Now Mr. Willie, acting Auditor no personal or political friend-ship to consuit where the inter-desex county jail, was made at of hunting. The Buffalo is no Department, has decided that Mr est of the Democratic party was noon to-day. On opening the concerned. And yet no man went before him in his love for a friend. Like his predecessor in outside his office. A Rutgers outside his office. based his decission upon the law here is as follows:

Ingersoll on Napoleon.

sterlitz. I saw him in Russia a grand start and will continue gave a fine horse for and I can't and cavalry of the wild blast -Oxford Ledger. winter's withered leaves. I saw him at Leipsic in defeat and dismer king. And I saw him at St. by a careful investigator: Helena, with his hands crossed behind him, gazing out upon the

I thought of the orphans and was discovered October 12, 1492; widows he had made—of the tears that had been shed for his posed) April 23, (old style). May

A Bad Accident.

Mrs. G. T. Clancey, hurt inly; Mr. Carson, slightly injured; Miss L. Dowles, leg and arm

A Negro Lynched.

Jackson Miss., Aug. 30.-News eached this city last night of the

see any need of a silver convention in North Carolina, but health as any one. thinks a Democratic love feast WANTED:

Break of New Tobacco.

came intense, at the height of I saw him in Egypt in the which we heard a good farmer ex-

"Friday Luck," Good and Bad.

Friday is an unlucky day, they onets back from Paris-clutched say. Well, yes; and so are Satlike a wild beast-banished to urday. Sunday and the rest of his genius. I saw him on the unlucky because some unprofrightful field of Waterloo, where pitious events happen on it.

Julius Cæsar was assassinated March 15, B. C., 44; America have been a French peasant, and worn wooden shoes.

I would rather have lived in a hut with a mind said I would rather have lived in a hut with a mind said I would rather have lived in a hut with a mind said I would rather was born February 22, (new style), 1732; Napoleon Bonaparte was born Angust 15, 1760 mind said I would rather was born february 11, (old style), February 22, (new style), 1732; Napoleon Bonaparte was born february 11, (old style), February 12, (new style), 1732; Napoleon Bonaparte was born february 11, (old style), February 12, (new style), 1732; Napoleon Bonaparte was born february 11, (old style), February 12, (new style), 1732; Napoleon Bonaparte was born february 11, (old style), February 12, (old style), February hut with a vine growing over the door and the grapes growing destroyed July 14, 1789; Moscow

som's right to hold the office of When in need of Minister to Mexico was raised in the Treasury Department, he Atlanta, August 30 .- An ex- at once forwarded his resigna-There are those who can re
John Coke, who married Eliza

Tenominated in 1896.

Captain Coke was the son of John Coke, who married Eliza

Out riding on Sunday's with his drummer sits on the ground and wrecked at Pope's Ferry, twelve

Winited Mindson Kinghts

the President and Mr. Ransom believed that the appointment as as Senator had expired. The story of those days. This was survive the deceased, namely, exwhat he said last night of his
United States Senator Richard

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On our return last night. The discovery of the deceased, namely, exof about eight feet.

Mrs. C. W. Hancock, of Amerthe office disposes of all specular friend, now the friend of years: Coke, of Waco, Texas; Messrs. teacher at the Mis On our return last night, I had icus, Ga., was seated in the the office disposes of all specula-"I first met Capt. Coke in 1860. Alex and John A. Coke, both sion school. She is fine looking an excellent view of the Missouri coach immediately in rear of the

MINISTER RANSOM

Took the Oath of Office---Will Leave for Mexico in a Week or Two.

Washington, August 19.-Hon. Matt W. Ransom arrived in Washington last night, and bright and early this morning appeared at the State Department, where he took the oath of office before a notary public to enable him to resume the duties of the Mexican Washington, August 30.—111 broken; Billy Guma, Mrs. D. R. ded salary will be resumed from the date of oath. He will remain in Washington a day or two and then go to North Carolina, ture for Mexico a week or ter days later.

A rumor was current about the Department to-day that Mr. Ransom's physicians had advised him not to return to Mexico, but The question of allowing him farmer in Simpson county, had a specific to Mexico, but the Minister himself stated to a specific beauty that the stated to a greatest. Our people will fully appreciate him now we have lost him. He deserved when living all a party could bestow; he will have now all a grateful people can give, love and honor for his memory."

The question of allowing him ing. About the only marks the Buffalo has left on these plains is his bones and chips. The former are polished and mounted insilver or gold and are prized as a relic for their rich, dark hue. The latter is more rare, most of it having been picked up and burned in the triots, before him, he came, cavalier as he was, quick to hear alier as he was, quick to hear the bugle of Pickett's Division Just at manhood, he joined the 32d Virginia Infantry, and served with gallantry.

He was twice wounded; at Sharpsburg and at Five Forks.

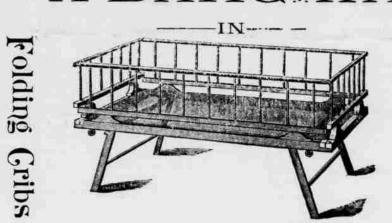
After the war he studied 'aw and made his home at Edenton Name and the Pombacks and the Pombac conference with Secretary Lamont to-day, presumably in connection with the question of the use of the water of the Rio Grande river over which there

cover his wonted health he could The Mt. Airy News doesn't then go to Mexico with as much

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call his hearing and walk among his fellows there. Mr. W. T. Day, of Raleigh, met him just afterward. Let him tell the story of those days. This was story of those days are to defer that the appointment after the day of the ground and dren—all people of mixed blood are called half-breed regardless of the amount of Indion blood (the position and qualified, which was not done until after his term are told a marriage is to be called the followed. **Senator** had expired the story of the care of the amount of Indion blood the position and qualified, which was not done until after his term are told a marriage is to be called the followed. **CTATEMENTS** ENUMBERS** STATEMENTS, ENVELOPES, Etc.

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