

Why Booth Killed Lincoln.

We were much interested in a... article in April number of... Wake Forest Student. It was sent... George Anderson Foote, son of... the late Dr. George A. Foote, of... Warrenton, an honored and highly... reputable physician, lately deceased.

Thomas Jefferson.

For years the name of Jefferson... has been one to conjure with; but... recently it has come to be used to... express all that rattle brain politi-... cians dream or desire or work up... for office. Lacking words and... ideas, the name of Jefferson is... shouted at us by them to fill up... space and time and round off or... torical sentences. Jefferson means... nothing; for Jefferson means any-... thing; Jefferson is the common... property of all who are out of office... especially of cranks—a name once... glorious now used to express what-... ever one may conceive for it. But... Thomas Jefferson himself was no... such shadowy being; he was a man... every inch, and every moment of... his life he was the embodiment of... eternal principles. For his good... name's sake we could wish that... some of the men who use it so... freely would get them a book and... learn about him. "Jeffersonians"...

Human Nature the Same.

When Mrs. George, at Canton, O., was acquitted of the charge of... having murdered George C. Sax-... ton, there was a general jollifica-... tion. The reports say that church... bells were rung in celebration, and... even ministers of the gospel rushed... about and shook hands with per-... sons whom Saxton would have... blushed to meet during his lifetime. Mrs. George was made a heroine... of. A man had betrayed her, and... it was believed that she had killed... him. She had taken the law into... her own hands, and avenged her... wrong. And the people of the... whole community applauded the... verdict which said that she was... justified in so doing. Thus the... whole community put itself upon... record as favoring violence in pre-... ference to the orderly proceeding... of the court of law in a case where... a woman's honor is concerned. What is the difference between the... condition of public opinion in... Canton, O., and in Newnan, Ga.,... where a negro was recently lynched?... In each instance a grievous wrong... had been done a woman, but in the... Newnan case the woman had suf-... fered by far the greater wrong. In the Canton case, the woman... took the law into her own hands... and killed her seducer; and the... community applauded her for do-... ing it. In the Newnan case the... community killed the assailant of... the woman. And that is about all... of the difference in the two cases... of violence, from the moral point... of view. But it will be borne in... mind that no church bells were... rung at Newnan in honor of the... homicide, and no preachers rushed... around shaking hands with all... sorts of disreputable people and... congratulating themselves and all... comers upon the final outcome. It... is a fair inference that if Sam... Hose had committed the crime in... Canton of which he was guilty he... would have been dealt with just... about as he was in Newnan. The... truth is that in each case the... spirit of vengeance had got the... upper hand of the better spirit of... law and order. And it is also true... that white human nature, whether... it is found in Canton, O., or New-... nan, Ga., is pretty much the same.

War Tax Collected.

A few days ago, W. M. Yearby, of this city, who is president of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association, wrote to the department in Washington for figures concern- ing the war tax on medicines, etc., and received a list containing the following amounts and articles upon which the tax was collected from June 13, 1898, to March 1st, 1899: Schedule A, documentary stamps, \$25,847,308.78. Schedule B, medicinal and proprietary stamps, \$3,747,616.09. Beer, \$21,619,173.61. Tobacco, \$9,103,856.79. Special taxes, \$5,578,253.30. Cigars, \$1,835,410.97. Cigarettes, \$965,105.69. Snuff, \$477,564.18. Excise tax, \$396,155.19. Legacies, \$285,983.60. Mixed flour, \$6,165.65. Total, \$68,856,593.85. The above mentioned figures may be of interest to our readers, as we do not remember to have seen them published in any paper as yet. The druggists of this country paid 5 44 100 of the total amount.—Durham Sun.

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Position For Mr. Cleveland.

The last news received here in reference to the prospective business purposes of ex-President Cleveland connects his name with the presidency of a new stock company now in process of formation in New York city. Friends of Mr. Cleveland in Washington think that he would hesitate before accepting a professorship in Princeton, as was lately intimated, because of the necessity of tying himself down to routine and details. However, in case of certain stipulations being agreed to, he possibly might try it for a while as an experiment. The presidency of a big trust company is an entirely different matter. Its duties could be arranged so as not to be onerous, and the weight of his name alone would command a fine salary. Mr. Cleveland would not ally himself with any business institution or corporation unless he was at all times satisfied with its methods and its honorable conduct of affairs. It has been known in Washington for some time that ex-President Cleveland is anxious to get into something suitable and congenial that will add to his income. Indeed, it might be said to be almost a necessity. The most exaggerated stories have been printed of his accumulations and his speculations. Instead of being a millionaire, his possessions at a liberal estimate will not foot up quite \$200,000. In this, of course, is included his house in Princeton and his Buzard Bay property. This latter is destined, it is said, to be very valuable some day, but just now it is totally unproductive. With a wife and four children, five or six thousand dollars a year, the full extent of his income, is not very much for an ex-President of the United States. So, as his friends anticipate, Mr. Cleveland will most probably enter upon an active career when the position that is agreeable can be found.—Washington Dispatch to The Baltimore Sun.

Filipinos More Capable of Self Government than Southern Negroes.

The Filipinos are more civilized and capable of self-government than were the negroes of the South when they were emancipated and given the right of suffrage, and yet how different is their treatment by the government of the United States! The Filipinos are more civilized and capable of self-government than almost any other people of the East. They have made considerable advances in the arts and sciences. They inhabit large and flourishing cities. Many have built and live in handsome and costly houses. They have well trained and disciplined armies, equipped and armed with the most improved weapons of modern warfare. Indeed their condition cannot be compared to that of the ignorant and recently emancipated slaves of the South. And yet the United States government gave to those recently emancipated slaves—ignorant and unfit as they were—not merely the right to vote and govern themselves, but the power to govern and lord it over their former masters! And this was done in the name of freedom and humanity! And now that same government, controlled by the Republican party, in the name of freedom and humanity has carried its soldiers and sailors several thousand miles across the ocean to a far distant country and is waging a cruel and inexorable war upon the Filipinos! Yes, in the name of freedom and humanity the Republican party disfranchised the best and most intelligent white men of the South and enfranchised their former slaves—putting (as was boastfully said) "the bottom rail on top." And now with the same hypocritical cry the same party is driving the Filipinos from their homes and shooting them down like sheep-stealing dogs.—Exchange.

Walter Page Will Come.

Mr. Walter Page, of Boston, a native of Wake county and the ablest and most prominent man of letters which this good old county has produced during the present generation, has written friends here that he has made arrangements to fill the engagement made through his acceptance of the invitation extended him to deliver the literary address on the occasion of the commencement exercises at the Agricultural and Mechanical College, which begins on June 9th.—Raleigh Post.

Executors' Notice.

Having qualified as executors of D. F. Caldwell, deceased, late of Guilford county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned or Wharton & McAlister, agents, of Greensboro, N. C., on or before the 22nd day of March, 1900, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. W. A. CALDWELL, W. B. HOGART, MISS BETTIE D. CALDWELL, Executors. This 21st day of March, 1899.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator on the estates of Fleming Thomson and Parthena Thomson, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estates to present them to me on or before the 6th day of April, 1900, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estates are notified to make immediate payment. This April 6th, 1899. J. W. PEGRAM, Administrator of the estates of Fleming Thomson and Parthena Thomson, deceased.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of Daniel Osborn, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the 7th day of April, 1900, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please come forward and make immediate payment. This 7th day of April, 1899. C. E. M. RAPER, Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified before the clerk of the Superior court as administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Martha R. Brothers, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to me on or before the 8th day of April, 1900, for payment, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery, and all persons owing the estate must make immediate payment or the claims will be collected by law. This April 8th, 1899. A. M. LEWIS, Administrator.

Trustee's Sale.

On the 8th day of May, 1899, at the court house door in Greensboro, N. C., at 12 o'clock, M. I. shall sell to the highest bidder for cash Robert P. Gray's interest in 45 shares in the Mount Airy Granite Company. The interest is to have the shares transferred to purchaser upon the payment of his bid and the further sum of \$2.35 and some interest. The stock being now held by John W. Fry as security for the last mentioned sum. JOHN S. MICHAUX, Trustee. April 15, 1899.

Whooping Cough.

A little boy who was nearly taken an attack of whooping cough. My neighbors recommended Dr. Williams' Cough Remedy. I did not believe it, but after giving him a few bottles, and one bottle cured him. It is the best cough medicine I have ever used. J. L. Moore, Greensboro, Pa. For sale by...