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Convention News.—The citizens of New Hanover county will hold a meeting on Saturday, Jan. 23, 1875, in order of an immediate call of a Convention, in Switzerland, seems to be being into public favor. An English physician proposes as a substitute for amputation, burial in the sea.

The Sale of Tim Lee's property in the "pans out" better than was expected and it is now thought that his security on the Sheriff bond may yet come out without serious damage.

ANDERSON SLEEVE BUTTONS.—Messrs. Bro. have shown us some handsome sleeve buttons made by them, of half dollar pieces. They have many other pretty pieces of jewelry suitable for Christmas.

Christmas Tree.—At the Lutheran church in this place on Thursday evening Christmas eve—at 7 1/2 o'clock.

Wilmington Fair was a decided success, attracting thither many visitors from a distance. Racing was a prominent feature of the occasion, though the exhibition of goods, wares, products, poultry, implements, machinery, &c., &c., seems to have been very extensive.

Governor Brogden has commuted the sentence of David Martin, the boy murderer, at Wilmington, who was to be hanged on the 18th December, instant, in consideration for life in the Penitentiary. The manifested very little concern he didn't care. Every preparation had been made for his execution.

The Boyden House—This valuable Hotel property was put up at public auction for rent, on Monday last, and was knocked down to Mr. W. T. LINTON, for \$1,800 a year. Mr. LINTON, in charge of the "National" for some months past, has displayed splendid accomplishments in that line of business, and will no doubt sustain his reputation at the Boyden. He will take possession on the 1st of January, next. The house is to be thoroughly overhauled and put in first rate condition.

Superintendent of Public Instruction.—There is a bill before the House of Representatives to increase the salary of this officer. Mr. Fields, of Alleghany, made a very sensible speech against it, a few days ago. The salary is fixed by the Constitution at \$1,500 a year. We are astonished that any Democrat should be the author of the proposed increase. If Conservatives desire to maintain Conservative ascendancy in the State, they do not show it by such measures as this at a time like the present. They were not elected to increase the indebtedness and burdens of the people, but rather to diminish them, and will be held to an account for failure.

The Penitentiary.—We glean from the annual report of the Directors, the following items, to wit: The food of the convicts has cost for the year \$19,312.76. Clothing, \$3,775.09. The number of prisoners has increased since Nov 1872 from 366 to 455 to 31st Oct. 1874. The government of them has cost \$24,130.31. For health, \$1,192.60. The idle, disobedient and ungovernable convicts under the present administration will not be pardoned under any circumstances. Ministers of the city of Raleigh preach to the convicts occasionally. The labor of the convicts, counting that done on the walls of the prison, is estimated at \$58,350.87, reckoned at convict rates. Counted at its real value, it is estimated at \$100,991.80. Whole number of prisoners to 31st Oct. 455. Under sentence for life, 16. Of these 5 are white and 11 colored. Rowan county is credited with 5 convicts.

Christmas.—We have never known a more general and earnest endeavor to make the Christmas holidays a happy time. Every body seems to be looking to and providing for them. Merchants of all sorts, and particularly book merchants and dealers in fancy stocks, confectioneries, groceries, &c., are crowding their shelves with goods, and the newspapers with flaming advertisements, calling attention thereto. Nor is this activity confined to a few localities, but is observable throughout the country, in cities, towns and villages. In our town it is very noticeable. The spirit of the season is exceedingly prevalent, almost every one you meet, white and black, old and young, wearing a countenance radiant with anticipated enjoyment. We wish them joy—the purest and best that earth can yield: that they may not run into excesses and bring upon themselves guilt and remorse; that this festive season may pass leaving them stronger for the great duties of life, and happier by the remembrance of its incidents of rational enjoyment. There will be only a half sheet issued from this office next week, in order to afford rest to the hands employed on the newspaper.

What a Spectacle!—The telegrams informed us yesterday that the Governor of Louisiana had telegraphed to the President of the United States urging that the Committee appointed by the Congress of the United States to investigate the condition of affairs in that State should begin its work with the utmost speed in order to "strengthen the Republican party."

We venture to say that never before in the history of American Government was so shameless a proposition made by the Executive of a State to the Executive of the Nation. And Kellogg writes the letter and Grant publishes it, both utterly unconscious of its infamy. It seems never for a moment to have occurred to either of these Radical wretches that governments were not instituted for the promotion of partisan success, or that they could not be used to "strengthen the Republican party" or any other party without injury.

There is no denying that the stomach of the American people is a strong one, else it would long ago have been turned by the stench of Radical recalcitancy; but there is a limit to the powers of even American endurance in this regard. We greatly mistake the signs of the times, if that limit has not been reached. The American people will no longer submit to the humiliation of seeing their Government conducted for the avowed purpose of "strengthening" a political organization.—Journal.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 21st, 1874. Messrs. Editors:—The "Watchman" is still on his rounds, never tiring, never shrinking. Consider that I give him a respectful salute—a la militaire. His appearance is so fair that one would think he was in his youth and his general outfit and style bespeak growth in intelligence and accomplishment. There is rumor of considerable change in the press of this city. It is said that the Sentinel and News will both change hands, and that they will be blended into one metropolitan daily.

The Legislature takes recess from to-day to the 18th of January. As a body it is regarded here with special favor. True it contains few who can claim much experience and comparatively few who have the venerable dignity of age, still its material averages well. The members have been industrious and patriotic. They have done their best under their great, their insurmountable difficulties. They have been singularly exemplary in their habits. I have not heard of a single instance of intoxication among them since they assembled. They are probably the most moral body that has met in the Capitol since it was erected. They show more respect to God and his ministers in the daily prayers than any of the Legislatures of which I am informed. Nothing could be more gratifying to wise constituents than to know that their representatives are God-fearing and conscientious.

If the majority be liable to special criticism at all, it is probably in their hesitant conduct on the ground of "What will be the effect on the party?" It is feared that there is a little too much of that spirit. The faithful public servant regards the claims of his country far above the idea of party. Without disparagement to others I express the opinion that the speaker of the House, Mr. Robinson, is one of the most accomplished presiding officers that any deliberative body in the history of the State could boast. His person and bearing at once command respect, confidence and kindness. He is simple-hearted, generous, well-balanced, ready, thoroughly versed in parliamentary law, of unquestionable talent, and, in a word, combines those excellent qualities that constitute the gentleman, the citizen and the growing representative of a confiding people. He is a rising man.

The President of the Senate, Mr. Armfield, is too well known to your readers to need any description or compliment. His fine appearance and a well-known ability make him look at home in high position. The Governor is needed to his office—having so far escaped the silken coils of a more human matrimonial alliance. But it is claimed that one who is so fond of the muses will yet be caught off his guard by the Winged Boy and fall under the piercing of the mystic arrow.

I close by urging you to clamor for the Yackin Road and the Navigation of the upper Yackin. The following proceedings were had in the Senate on Friday: House resolution, asking the Supreme Court its opinion in reference to the validity of the Constitutional Amendments adopted in 1873. Mr. Morehead offered the following substitute: WHEREAS, Numerous amendments to the Constitution have been proposed and several proposed amendments were introduced in one bill; and WHEREAS, Some of the Judges and many members of the Bar of the State are of opinion that each amendment should be proposed in a separate bill; therefore, that there may be no doubt as to the constitutionality of any amendment which may be adopted, Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that the Committee on Constitutional Reform report in separate bills each of the proposed amendments as they may recommend for adoption.

Mr. Morehead stated that they ought not to ask the Supreme Court for any opinion, as in his opinion that Court would not and ought not to express an opinion, unless upon a case regularly before it. He did not believe that the amendment of the Constitution by the Legislative method was practical—its provisions were so vague, conflicting and indefinite, that the Supreme Court could not agree as to its proper construction. There had already in six years, been more questions of construction before the Supreme Court than there had been as to the other Constitutions of the State since it was a colony. That the cost of amending by Legislature was as much as the cost of a Convention. But if the General Assembly should undertake to amend by the Legislative method, then the adoption of his resolution was necessary that there might be no question as to the validity of such amendments as should be adopted.

On motion of Mr. Latham, both resolutions were referred to the Committee on Constitutional Reform. We heartily concur in the positions taken by Mr. Morehead. We can see no propriety in these repeated calls by the Legislature upon the Supreme Court. If the action of the Legislature is to be shaped by these extra judicial opinions of Judges Pearson, Roode, Rodman and others, it will save much time, labor and expense if they will, at the beginning of each session of the Legislature put forth a schedule of what they think may be done and what may not be done. To us it seems clear if not an unwarranted transfer of legislative functions to judicial officers and the Constitution expressly declares that the two branches of government ought to be kept separate. Mr. Morehead's position in reference to the necessity of reporting each proposed amendment in a separate bill is equally well taken, and shows at a glance the absurdity of attempting to amend the Canby Constitution by Legislative enactment.

LAW AND EQUITY PICTURESQUELY DEFINED.—It is told of the late Judge Tappan, of Ohio, that when he applied to the Judges of the Supreme Court for admission to the bar of that State he was asked the following questions and answered as follows: "Mr. Tappan, what is law?" Answer—"An unjust distribution of justice." "Mr. Tappan, what is equity?" Answer—"A d—d imposition upon one's sense!" No other questions were asked, and he was given a certificate of admission.

Even the laziest boy can catch a lickin'. A French preacher describes hell as a place where they talk politics all day. What they do at night he does not report. Neuralgic remedy. Prepare horse radish by grating and mixing in vinegar the same as for table purposes, and apply to the temple where the face or head is affected, or the wrist when the pain is in the arm or shoulder.

A rennon of Ex-Confederate Gen. Wade Hampton's army will take place in Augusta, Ga., on the 16th inst. Gen. Hampton will deliver the address of welcome to the men, and it is expected the attendance will be large. Fred Grant says he is used to being looked at, as every visitor to West Point while he was there wanted to see "Fred Grant and the colored cadet."

P. A. Wilson has rented out his store house, adjoining Crossland's, to some parties from Salisbury who propose setting up a first class confectionery establishment.—Winston Sentinel.

Somebody advertises a preparation for keeping a lady's hands free from chaps. A report that she has no money would do the same thing. The Governor sent a message to the Legislature last Saturday recommending that additional room be provided for penitentiary convicts, and that the necessary appropriation for their maintenance be made. Better recommend the erection of whipping posts.—Winston Sentinel.

North Carolina and the Federal Congress. North Carolina seems determined to lose nothing at the hands of Congress for the want of asking. On the 9th of this month, in the House of Representatives, no less than fourteen sets of resolutions were presented, asking for Congressional action upon various subjects. Among them were resolutions of the Legislature concerning the Federal Land Tax; asking for the repeal of the tax on tobacco; asking for a moderation of the internal revenue laws; asking for the construction of Government buildings at different places; asking compensation for the destruction of the Courthouse in Davidson county by Federal troops; asking an appropriation to open Scuppernon river, and asking an appropriation to finish the work on the bed of Cape Fear river.—Journal.

Jobs. A first attempt was made Thursday to bring under the notice of Congress one of the numerous jobs which have been prepared by lobbyists and speculators. This particular sample, says the New York Times, is known as the "Texas and Pacific Railway Company." It is almost immeasurable that, in the face of all the expenses which have taken place of late years, another series of jobs should be ready for introduction into Congress. It is quite incredible that the Republican members of Congress should be willing to get themselves entangled in any such enterprises. Senator Scott, who at present stands godfather to the new scheme, is a Republican, and, of course, is acting from the best of motives—everybody does.—But if senator Scott does not understand that the day has gone by for immense subsidies, land grants, guarantees, and other devices for getting a new stock started in the market at the expense of the people, to be afterward used for simple gambling purposes in Wall street—if he does not know this, he must be a good deal behind the age, and will probably become wiser before he shuffles off this mortal coil altogether.

MARRIED In Boonsboro Md. Dec. 17th, 1874, by Rev. Henry Edwards, Chas. A. Overman of Rowan Co. C. to Miss Annie W. Drane of Washington Co. Md.

SALISBURY MARKET. Corrected by C. C. Cubbins, Esq., and Julian. Buying Rates: CORN—new 65 a 70 COTTON—11 a 13 FLOUR—\$3 25 to 3.50 MEAL—75 a 80. BEAN—(only) 12 1/2 to 15—hog round POTATOES—Irish 90 a Sweet \$1.50 EGGS—15 to 20. CHICKENS—\$2.50 per doz. LARD—12 1/2 to 15 FEATHERS—new, 50. RYE—80 BEESEWAX—30. WHEAT—\$1.16 a \$1.50. BUTTER—25 to 30. DRIED FRUIT—5 to 8. Blackberries, 8 cts.

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A Valuable Medical Treatise. Hostetter's United States Almanac for 1875, for distribution, gratis, throughout the United States, and all civilized countries of the Western Hemisphere, will be published about the first of January, in the English, German, French, Norwegian, Welsh, Swedish, Holland, Bohemian and Spanish languages, and all who wish to understand the true philosophy of health should read and ponder the valuable suggestions it contains. In addition to an admirable medical treatise on the causes, prevention and cure of a great variety of diseases, it embraces a large amount of information interesting to the merchant, the mechanic, the miner, the farmer, the planter, and professional man; and the calculations have been made for such meridians and latitudes as are most suitable for a correct and comprehensive National Calendar.

The nature, uses, and extraordinary salutary effects of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the staple tonic and alterative of more than half the Christian world, are fully set forth in its pages, which are also interspersed with pictorial illustrations, valuable recipes for the household and farm, humorous anecdotes, and other instructive and amusing reading matter, original and selected. Among the Annuals to appear with the opening of the year, this will be one of the most useful, and may be had for the asking. The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two cent stamp, will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood. The Bitters are sold in every city, town and village, and are extensively used throughout the entire civilized world.

FOR TEXAS AND THE SOUTH WEST. The undersigned wishes to inform his numerous friends that he has received the appointment to sell through tickets from Salisbury, N. C. to all points in Texas, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama, Missouri, Tennessee and Louisiana, via Columbus and Augusta R. Road, and their Southern Connections. Through Emigrant Tickets, or First Class Tickets sold, and Baggage checked through. Parties wishing to take Laborers to the above States, will find it greatly to their own advantage by negotiating with the undersigned at Salisbury. Information in regard to States, time and Connections will be furnished either personally or through the mail.

A. POPE, Gen'l. Passenger & Ticket Agent, Columbia, S. C. J. A. MCCONAUGHEY, Agt. C. & A. R. R., Salisbury, N. C. LOUIS ZIMMER, Special Agent. Sept. 3.—If. HELP THE POOR AND FATHERLESS! GRAND GIFT CONCERT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORPHAN ASYLUM. \$17,000 IN GIFTS To be distributed among the Ticket Holders. A Gift Concert will be held in WILSON, N. C. On Wednesday February the 10th 1875. For the exclusive benefit of the Orphan Asylum at Oxford. TICKETS ONLY TWO DOLLARS. Number of tickets only 15,000. 2,169 Gifts to be given away, making over one to every seven tickets. REAL ESTATE GIFTS: One lot in the town of Wilson, N. C., containing 1/2 acres, with large and convenient dwelling, having 10 rooms, and all necessary, and a convenient out-house, situated on Barnes street, valued at \$5,000. One elegant 2 story residence, in Oxford, corner of Fine and Green streets, with 11 acres, and containing 8 rooms, located in the most eligible part of the town, valued at 4,500. One 1/2 acre lot, situated on the corner of Vance and Spring streets, with neat residence and out-houses, valued at 1,300.

CASH GIFTS: 1 Cash Prize, \$1,000 1 " " 500 1 " " 250 4 " \$100 each 400 5 " " 20 " 100 30 " " 10 " 300 100 " " 5 " 500 500 " " 2 " 1,000 1000 " " 1 " 1,000

MISCELLANEOUS GIFTS: One Fine top Buggy, \$250 One Fine Buggy, 125 One Fine Wagon, 125 One Fine Lady's Wagon, 75 Committee of Arrangements.—C. W. Blount, B. F. Briggs and A. Barnes, Esqs. Depository.—Bank of Wilson. Advisory Board.—John Nichols, Esq., Raleigh; W. F. Davis, Esq., Kittrells; A. H. Williams, Esq., Oxford; Maj. J. P. Jenkins, Nashville; H. H. Thorp, Esq., Rocky Mount; Dr. R. W. King, James W. Lancaster and James E. Clark, Esqs., Wilson. While this enterprise is not conducted under the direct auspices of any Lodge, yet its object is to aid that noble Institution, the Orphan Asylum, which was established by the Grand Lodge of the State, and management is entirely in the hands of members of the Order. The object is exclusively for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum and the Committee deem it unnecessary to make any extended appeal to the people of North Carolina in behalf of an institution which is so worthy of their support. The low price of the tickets places it in the power of every one to aid a noble cause, and at the same time the chances of being reimbursed are unusually favorable. It is confidently believed that the enterprise will be a success, but if from any cause there should be no Concert and distribution, all the money received from ticket holders shall be returned to them without discount. No tickets sold will be entitled to a chance for the Gifts unless the money for the same has been received at this office. The Gifts will be distributed immediately after the Concert. Any person holding a ticket entitled to a Gift who desires the money for the benefit of such Gift, will notify the Secretary by such endorsement on back of the ticket, and the same shall be appropriated as directed. Money for tickets must be sent by Registered Letter, Money Order or Express, directed to A. BARNES, Secretary, Wilson, N. C. [JOHN H. BENSIEB, Agent, Salisbury, N. C. Oct 28-41ms.

Theodore Taylor—a non-resident: You are hereby notified that the following Summons has been issued against you viz: Davison County.—In the Superior Court. W. C. Taylor & W. G. Taylor, Administrators of Butler Taylor, Against Henry Taylor, Theodore Taylor, Kiuchen Stokes & wife Polly Stokes James Taylor & Junius Taylor—the last two under 21 years of age and without general or testamentary guardians, Deft. State North Carolina, TO THE SHERIFF OF DAVIDSON COUNTY—GREETING: You are hereby Commanded to Summon Henry Taylor, Theodore Taylor, Kiuchen Stokes & wife Polly Stokes James Taylor & Junius Taylor, the defendants—above named, if he be found in your county, to be and appear before the CLERK OF OUR SUPERIOR COURT, for Davison County, at the Court House in Lexington within twenty days from the service of the summons, exclusive of the day of service, and answer the petition which will be deposited in the office of the Superior Court of said county, within ten days and let the said defendants take notice that if they fail to answer the said petition within the time prescribed by law, the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the petition. Hereof fail not and of this summons make due return. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 12 day of Nov., 1874. [Seal] C. F. LOWE, Clerk of the Superior Court of Davidson County, and Judge of Probate. Nov. 19, 1874.—6 w. Printers fee \$10.50

NEW MACHINE SHOP. I am now prepared to do all kinds of repairing with dispatch. With good tool and twenty-five years experience in the business, satisfaction is guaranteed. Especial attention given to Engine and Boiler work, Cotton Woolen, Mining and Agriculture Machines; and wood turning of all kinds. Shop on Corner of Fulton and Council Street, Salisbury, N. C. E. H. MARSH. July 16, 1874.—1f.

Administrator's Notice to Debtor. All persons having claims against the estate of James Murphy, deceased, are hereby notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of December, A. D. 1875. J. P. GOWAN, Admr. of James Murphy, Decl. Dec. 10, 1874.—6w.

National Hotel, In the Centre of business on Main Street SALISBURY, N. C. I most respectfully inform the public & old Guests, that I have REFURNISHED MY TABLE THOROUGHLY REMODELLED THE "NATIONAL" FOR THE SUMMER SEASON! ROOMS CLEAN AND WELL VENTILATED. My Table is supplied with everything this & other markets furnish. This House has gained a reputation second to none in the country, and the Proprietors will keep it up in FIRST CLASS STYLE. Polite and experienced Servants in attendance. MRS. DR. REEVES, Proprietor. June 11, 1874.—1f.

MORE STOVES. Come now and get the BEST. Get the stove called the ACORN COOK if you want one that will outlast any other, and that is made of the BEST IRON, and warranted to give satisfaction &c. Various styles of cooking stoves at a small profit. TIN WARE, SHEET IRON & COPPER WARE made of the BEST MATERIAL, on hand or made to order. Merchants supplied at Low Prices. CASH PAID for all kinds of Copper, Brass &c. Ask for BROWN'S Tin shop Main Street, Salisbury, N. C. L. V. BROWN. I am well prepared to cut good.

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GRAND GIFT CONCERT All to be given in the City of Greensboro, for the purpose of erecting an ODD FELLOWS TEMPLE. The Grand Gift is the Benbow House, WORTH \$60,000.00 GRAND CASH GIFT \$10,000. Real Estate Gifts, \$81,500 Cash, \$85,500 Only 100,000 tickets to be issued. Price of Tickets, \$250.

AGENTS WANTED. For further particulars, address the Manager, Box 5, Greensboro, N. C. C. P. MENDENHALL, Manager. Sep 10, 1874.—5w.

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SHORT POSTPONEMENT—DAY FIXED—FULL DISTRIBUTION. FIRST GRAND GIFT CONCERT. Montpelier Female Humane Association. TUESDAY AT ALEXANDRIA, VA. MARCH 29th, 1875. LIST OF GIFTS. 1 Grand Cash Gift \$100.00 1 Grand Cash Gift 50.00 1 Grand Cash Gift 25.00 10 Cash Gifts \$10.00 each 100.00 15 Cash Gifts 5.00 each 75.00 50 Cash Gifts 1.00 each 50.00 100 Cash Gifts .50 each 50.00 1,000 Cash Gifts .10 each 100.00 1,000 Cash Gifts .05 each 50.00 20,000 Cash Gifts .02 each 400.00 22,170 Cash Gifts, amounting to \$1,000,000. NUMBERS OF TICKETS 100,000. PRICE OF TICKETS. Whole Tickets, \$20.00 Halves, 10.00 Quarters, 5.00 Eighths or each Coupon, 2.50 5/8 Tickets for, 100.00

The Montpelier Female Humane Association, chartered by the Legislature of Virginia and the Circuit Court of Orange county, propose, by a series of Grand Gift Concerts, to establish and endow a "Home for the Old, Infirm, and Destitute Ladies of Virginia" at Montpelier, the former residence of President James Madison. GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, RICHMOND, July 3, 1874. It affords me pleasure to say that I am well acquainted with a large majority of the officers of the Montpelier Female Association, who reside in the vicinity of my home, and I attest their intelligence and their worth and high reputation as gentlemen, as well as the public confidence, influence and substantial means liberally represented among them.

JAMES L. KEMPEL, Gen'l. Virginia, ALEXANDRIA, VA. July 5, 1874.—1f. I commend them as agents of honor and integrity and fully entitled to the confidence of the public. R. W. HUGHES, U. S. Judge East's Dist. Va. Further reference by permission: His Excellency Gilbert C. Walker, Ex-Governor of Va.; Hon. Robt. E. Withers, Lieut. Gov. of Va. and U. S. Senator elect; Senators and Members of Congress from Va. Remittances for tickets may be made by express pre-paid, post office money order on Washington, D. C., or by registered letter. For full particulars, testimonials, &c., send for Circular. Address, Hon. JAMES BARBOUR, PRES'T M. F. H. A. ALEXANDRIA, VA. Reliable agents wanted everywhere. Oct. 1, 1874.—1y.

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