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ind renew the battle of life. I not first-class, and can't mix been the case in Marion. The price of real estate has advanced at such a rapid rate that it mper and the girls would cook It is a great thing for a family made our head dizzy-used as ad so I got up early and fired thing for the boys and the the East-to hear of the won- rocks peep forth out of the each other less. tince I made biscuit, but I raise our flock that way. The old-fashioned "boom"-and the Universe. The FREE LANCE is the name of the town newspaper and it is James T. Griffin, a former Wilsonian, is the editor, and he is both popular and useful. The people of the community recognize the fact that his paper is no small factor in the ed this year. We believe Marion has a bright future and -better than this-people with money bereturned said: "Well, you got social advantages. But nine largely in real estate in and around the town.

track winds round the moun who are not seeking office as is tains, following the path the case with us. One reason marked out by the various of this is that the country rivers, while they flow on at is more sparsely settled and the pper and wash dishes all day, to be independent. It is a good we are to the sober figures of race-horse speed. The rugged people come in contact with at our third Eavetterille. The rugged third for the masses and teach them to the stove and filled up the girls to know how to do all the kettle and put on the homi-section a regular. It had been a long to do it, and we have tried to the the section of the sec the stove and filled up the girls to know how to do all the derful advance in the price of green trees that cover all these There are a number of Norththat all our readers could view votes. They believe in the Refamily reputation for beating window curtain, or put in a pane siderable upon which to base these scenes that speak so publican party-that faith has eloquently of the glory and beeu put in them from their power of the Creator of the youth up-and they understand thousand one hundred and for- reap the entire benefits. We all At about 10 o'clock we arriv. our people. As a result the ed at Andrews-a depot in the Republicans are in the West woods, sixteen miles from (as in the East) always or-Murphy. There we spent the ganized, whereas it is not so night at the residence of Mr. always with the Democrats. W. A. Bryson, who sent us The general impression over to Murphy-the Mecca to that Gen. R. B. Vance will be which we were journeying. As we drove into Murphy the the nominee of the Democratic tall manly form and genial party for Congress. He is a face of Bob. Cooper met our "shouting" Methodist; a great of the executive committee, valuation of \$20 to \$40 are now so I dident put and natural and innocent, and of manufacturing enterprises gaze. He introduced us to Sunday school worker: a temquite quite a number of perance worker from 'way the good people Murphy and back; a popular member of the better set forth the condition former owners seeking new man's mind that the tax imposed Alliance and the prime favors of the order. To them I reour stay in the town was a peite of the women and children. culiarly pleasant one. The editor of the Bulletin The Alliance of that section careful consideration at your a newspaper that has done no does not seem to have entered hands. little towards advertising the the political arena. The good attractians of this section-was old farmers of the West will no meeting ever held in this specially kind to us. The editor more submit to being dictated country has been the assembof the Chief we were also to by Alliance officers than ling of the Farmer and Labor they will other folks, and con- organizations in St. Louis in pleased to meet. Murphy is connected with sequently the Alliance will not December last, the necessity Atlanta, Ga., by the Marietta dictate the nomination. Of for which was foreshowed by and North Georgia Railroad course the organization is ex that eminent statesman and and the Murphy branch of the erting a strong influence and it jurist, the late Judge David Western North Carolius is will be felt, but there appears Davis, when he said, as long graded to within five miles of to be no concent of action on ago as 1866 : "The rapid the town and will be complet- the part of the Alliance to nominate Vance. There are three large river The names of Hon. Thomas valleys in the county a great D. Johnson, Judge James Merdeal of rich farming land and rimon, of Buncombe, Col a prosperous farming people. Frank Cox, of Polk, Kope The finest marble in the world Elias, Esq., of Macou, Mr. Crawis found all over the county ford, of Haywood, and others in exhaustless quantities which are mentioned and the result is is quarried at a minimum clothed in considerable doubt. The Democrats say they are cost. There are a large unmber of large marble quaries in the going to elect the man who is county. The Talc factories in nominated whoever he may be the county are sources of con- The best of feeling prevails all the,other for the control of the siderable revenue. The talc is over the district and we have government. It will be watchure to visit. We went over found in inexhaustable quapti- no fear for results whoever ed by every patriot with inties and many thousands of may be the nominee. Ewart's tense anxiety." Never more Joe Bird one of Marion's most dollars are invested in factories political scalp is loudly called prophetic words fell from the for and a triumphant Democrafor working it. Ircn ore is found in aband. cy will have it. ance and of the richest quality. It was our pleasure to meet Truly Cherokee is one of the viewing the grand scenery richest counties in the State in Mr. R, L. Leatherwood, of and the rough mountain roads the undeveloped resources of Bryson City. He was defeated was very enjoyable. All along nature. We know of no county for the nomination for Solicitor strous iniquity. The unanimithe road we saw innumerable that, in our opinion, has a of his district by Mr. George evidences of the work of the brighter future and we believe Jones, of Macon county. Mr. gold miners and there are sev- Murphy will, within the next Leatherwood is a good lawyer eral companies now working few years, be one of the big and an excellent man and it was indeed an honor to be If the people who own the nominated over such a comland in the town would only petititor. Mr. Jones is one of sell their land to settlers at the best lawyears and men of small figures the progress of his section and will redeem is the county seat of Ruther- that town would (in our opini- the district from Republican- mination to accomplish our bence we should be especially inism, we do not doubt. He was the member of the last House

ances. At our second meeting, masses. We must conclude the in Raleigh, we had fifty-two latter and it behooves the county and one thousand and order and the State to educate

hedn't lost the lick, and had a boys can hang a gate or a best part of it is she has conbiscuit. 1 found of glass, or mend a chair, or this boom. in their accustomed make a wagon for the baby, or Marion is situated at the with soda and the cut the wood and feed the stock, foot of the Blue Ridge-its ther with acid, as I thought- and the girls can paper a room climate is healthful and the and I measured them both and as nicely a Mauck, and they can gifts of nature have been promixed with the flour. Then I cut and fit and make their own fusely scattered upon the town ot the lard and the milk and garments, from calico to silk, and section. The town is fill the salt, and made up the dough and cook as good a meal as ed with live business men who Well, of course, I didn't forget anybody, but we don't want are at work doing their level wash my hands first of all, them to do these things all the best to make the town go forand if they were not clean they time, and they shall not as long ward. A large number of by the time the as I can help it. There are dwelling houses are going upough was made up. My wife some sociable privileges and all the mechanics in the place she likes biscuit right het from pleasures that are reasonable are kept busy-while a number and the oven until the we all like to enjoy them. If a are projected, running or being family were all ready and the friend comes to see me, 1 wish constructed. The new hotel beefsteak was broiled and the to entertain him pleasantly and that is soon to be erected will offee made. But those biscuit cordially, and not have to say, be a handsome one and an orbehaved very peculiar. Instead "I've got to cut some stove-wood nament to any town, The of msing upward they fell down- right now, and you will have to "Three C's" Railr ad is graded ward, and got flatter and thin- excuse me." If ladies call to to Marion and will soon be in

would cook breakfast, and with our set."

wife said she would cook

ner and uglier as they baked see my wife and daughters, it operation. and browned, and so I tasted would not be pleasant or one to see what was the matter, polite for them to say, "We and it was as sour as vineger. don't keep a cook and are doing a credit to the town. Mr. The family were all seated at our own work, and you will have the jestive board awaiting the to excuse us this morning." The feast. I asked the poor should not envy the rich as usual, excepting on for enjoying these social pleasthe biscuit, and waited for re- ures-nor should the country marks. Mrs. Arp locked at them people be envious of the town with curiosity all over her people. All would do the same upbuilding of the town and com tenance and as she split one thing if they could, and it is they are giving him practical open and raised it to her elfac- everybody's duty to better their evidences of their appreciation tories said : "Why, what upon condition if they can. Nine of his labor. earth did you put in the bis farmers out of ten would move "" "You told me that I to town if they could afford to. Fould find the cans where they They would do it for their chilused to re," said I. She went dren's sake-for better schools lieve the same thing and evito the kitched and when she and better preachers and better dence that belief by investing

hold of the wrong can-and you out of ten can't move, and so it have put acid in the flour twice is their duty to build up the and no soda at all and made up country schools and country the dough with sour milk be- churches, and raise the grade of sides." So she got some light both. If the alliance does no bright and toasted it and we other work in the legislature got along pretty well anyhow. than to demand and enforce a My failure was privately dis- tax that will establish a gool cussed and I heard somebody ten month's school in every say: "Your pa is getting too cld settlement that can number anyhow and his eyes are not fifty scholars between the ages good and you had better look of eight and eighteen, it will

round and hunt up another have accomplished a great work. cook. If you can find one who Give the country children a Cau cook breakfast and milk chance. If they had had it the cow we can get along very hereretofore I would have been Well the rest of the day." never said anything but the now, for there my children hext morning I slipped out spent the happiest years of their While they were all asleep and life. They talk about it yet got a breakfast thet was a with memories of delight. The breakfast, and my Horsford bis- springs and branches, and fishcuit were just elegant. I was pond, and creek and mill not far nearly ready to ring the tell away; the wash-hole and the when the cook came. I was spring-board ; the walks through about to discharge her when I shady, winding ways to the

## RUTHERFORDTON

Is a place that it was our pleasthrough the country with Mr. successful and popular attorneys. The drive over from Marion was very pleasantpassing over hill and dalein the country farming until the mines. A great deal of gold towns in the State. has been taken out of these hills and still they dig for the valuable metal.

The town of Rutherfordton counties in that portion of the tants. though of the cow. "You can lime sink field, and the little State. The town has about

ford county-one of the best on) astonish the oldest inhabi-

ship of sixty five thousand. those of our rich manufacturers, W. Rowland. To-day we have a total of and the tariff is so manipulated ninety-five county and two that they-the few thousand ---organization better than do ty seven subordinate Alliances know but too well the result containing an approximate of this reign of selfish greed. membership of ninety thous. The small land owners are be-

and, with every county in the ing pushed to the wall, the love Vance as they do no other State organized save Dare. larger ones are no longer able man in the confines of the State. Notwithstanding to applica- to make both ends meet; farms Of course, a large crowd of people tions for new charters are con- in the North, South, East and were at Red Springs, Robeson stantly being received and the West, and especially West, that county, last week. A report of his work goes bravely on, with an twenty-five years ago, during speech, in the increasing demand for lectur- the period of greatest inflation, ers and organizers. The reports that paid a fair percentage on a spectfully refer you, asking a livelihood. It is a sad commentary on

Perhaps the most important growth of the corporate power and the matign influence which it exerts by combination on the national and State Legislatures is a well-grounded cause for the present depressed state of alarm. A struggle is pending in the near future between this over-grown power, with its vast ramifications all over the Union and a hard grip on much of the political machinery on the one hand, and the people in an unorgan zed condition on gage. The one thing needful lips of any man ! The people, in the present financial condithough slow to admit it, had at tion of the people is a debtlast been convinted, and three paying system of finance. In millions of people sent their comparison with which all representatives there to form other questions sink into utter an alliance against this moninsignificance.

While looking after our Nation ty with which the demands set al governmental relations, we must forth by that body were adopted and the universal en. not lose sight of the education of dorsement by all the States the masses. Without this we canand Territories after mature not prosper and keep pace intellectually or materially with other deliberation and discussion, States more liberal in this matter. should, and I believe will, The country districts are more convince our legislators of our dependent upon the public school honesty of purpose and deter- system than the towns and cities; ends. This meeting, National terested in having better educationin character as in name, was a al facilities We pay here in North and not to be misled. It was of Representatives from Macon magnificent success in oblitera- Uarolina only forty cents for public important that caution should be

## SENATOR VANCE.

"ZEB." Talks Sense at Bed Springs

The people of North Carolin . Raleigh State Chronicle, says :

His speech was devoted to a uscussion of political and public questions, and he spoke with his fields of employment for a upon agriculture through the medium of the tariff was burdensome and one of the reasons of the present agricultural depression, his humanity, but neverthless true, talk would have dispelled that that with an unequal distribu- doubt. He showed that the mauntion of wealth there is unequal facturers have been protected by distribution of social power. enormous duties on foreign imports The influence of the middle many of which are absolutely proclass, the man of moderate hibitory. The farmer is compelled means, is no longer felt in the to sell his surplus wheat, beef and legislative halls of the capitol, cotton in free trade markets of the he is being swept away. Wealth world, and is not allowed to buy his supplies in the same market. is rapidly concentrating and The result of this has been to imout of the consequent corrup pose a heavy tax upon the farmers, tion but two classes are form- and this, together with the coning-the lordly rich and the traction of the currency, have beg arly poor. While free to brought about great distress, deadmit that the iniquitous pro- pression and compelled many to

tective tariff has brought about mortgage their farms. He dwelt at length upon the agriculture by stripping the causes of the depression of agripoor of three-fourths of their culture, the growth of nampolies, and the formation of i usts, and natural savings and concentratdeclared it to be a shan-ful truth ing a majority of the wealth of that in the enormous growth of the country in the hands of an weatth in the last twenty years the infinitessimally small part of farmers had not proportionately the people, composed of manu- shared. He showed that all the facturers, trusts, pools and evils were the result of Federal combines, a repeal alone of this legislation, and were solely attriunjust measure would not re- batable to the Republican party.

lieve the present distress. It He spoke of the regret it gave would not lift a single mort- him not to be able to support the Sub-Treasury bill. He had given it serious consideration; was deeply impressed with the needs of the farmers, and auxicus to relieve them; but he believed the Sub-Treasury bill unconstitutional and was in the direction of class legislation and he could not support it. The only hope for the South lies in maintaining the constitution. It is our only safe guard and if we do not muntain it our liberties are all

> gone He said that for years be had been urging the farmers to of w ganize, and to use their combined influence against class legislation, which has injured and taxed them for years. He urged the members of the Alliance to be conservative, to know their friends,

