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THURSDAY, March 16th, 1893.

Postmaster General Bissell is credited with the announcement that no local business men need apply for postoffices under his administration. He objects to commissioning local business men a postmasters, for the reason that the actual duties are performed by irresponsible and often incompetent clerks and substitutes. Postmasters under Mr. Bissell must promise to devote their entire time to work and personally keep strict office hours.—Wilmington Messenger.

This we consider a step in the right direction. If public office is to be "a public trust" then a man should give that office, to which he may be called, his entire attention. If his time is worth more to him than the renumeration offered, why let him stand aside and give some one else a chance. We have always had great faith in Cleveland and this action makes us feel that the government is to be run strictly on business principles, as it should be. "Cut down the pension list," has been our watchword.

We spoke in our last weeks issue, under the head of Leaf Tobacco, of the new factory the American Tobacco company are to build in Danville, at a cost of $50.000. What we want to know is why don't our board of trade ask these parties to build a factory here and offer them at the same time some substantial inducement to get them to come. Our town has many advantages over any town in the State. In the first place we are situate in the very heart of the bright tobacco belt; secondly, our rate of taxation is lower than any town in the State; thirdly, we have excellent railroad facilities; fourthly, we have the finest electric light plant in North Carolina; fifthly, our water works will be in full blast in another month or two; sixthly, our town is not only the prettiest, but the most healthful in the South. And so we might go on to ennumerate to the sixteenthly or the sixtiethly if we could bring about a move. But what we want is some action looking toward any material improvement, and nothing adds more to a town than institutions which turn lose money every week among our merchants. In the words of our illustrious townsman, Billy Bridges, "help me mens, help me."

Undoubtedly one way of testifying a genuine affection is by helping a somewhat timid suitor. A member of the House of Commons was once very grateful for a graceful and witty bit of encouragement from the lady of his choice. For a long time he had been paying the lady attention, and had taken her to attend the House until she was well acquainted with the rules. One day he brought a bouquet of flowers, and said, "May I offer you my handful of flowers?" She replied promptly, "I move to amend by omitting all after the word hand!" He blushingly and happily accepted the amendment, and the motion was adopted unanimously. This place will supply a longfelt want among our bashful suitors. Take notice ladies.—Churchman.

Hon. R. H. Bunn at Home.

Congressman Bunn returned to his home at Rocky Mount from Washington yesterday for a brief vacation of rest. He will return to the Capital in a few days, and in due time look after public patronage for his constituency. Mr. Bunn is completely broken down, but would not be away from the scene were it essential to be in Washington now.

Miss J. A. Fowler, of the Anthropological Institute, says that the late Professor L. Bischoff, the distinguished physiologist of Munich, constantly insisted on the inferiority of women to men. This he attributed to the difference in brain weight. The average weight of a man's brain was, he observed, 1,350 grammes, and a woman's only 1,250 grammes. When his own brain was weighed after death it was found that it weighed only 1,245 grammes. Thus, according to his own estimate, he himself should have been much inferior to the majority of women. Therefore mere brain weight is no criterion. We must take quality into account if we attempt to decide on capacity.—Churchman.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Senators and Representatives who called on President Cleveland this morning received confirmatory evidence of the report that Cleveland does not intend to give offices to those who had been favored under the Previous Democratic administration.

A GOOD SUGGSTION.

The following timely suggestion is in full accord with our views. We hope the matter will be thoroughly discussed and that Judge Connor's suggestion may be acted upon:

The settlement of the claims for back taxes due by the Wilmington and Weldon Rail Road will, as I am informed, bring into hands of the Treasurer of the county some three thousand dollars. Thanks to the skill with which our country friends have been conducted—we are free from any county debt; and with a rate of taxation as low as any county in the State, our public interests are in a healthy condition.

It would seem that no better use could be made of this money thus unexpectedly coming to us, and certainly none which would mean more to the benefit of the entire county, than the enlargement and improvement of our Court House. The Court House as it now stands, with the tower since added, was built when the county was formed, and when its entire population did not exceed ten thousand persons—one half of whom were slaves who had no occasion to attend the courts. While the general plan and arrangement is reasonably well adapted to our wants they could without great expense, be very much improved. The court room is entirely to small; for a county having some twenty thousand population. The bench, jury box and bar are not well arranged—while the jury rooms are entirely too small and about as uncomfortable as they could well be. The Clerk's and Register's office are without fire proof vaults and a fire would entail disaster upon the county—heavy loss, vexatious and expensive litigation upon the people and destroy muniments of title to their lands. During the past few years all of the adjoining counties have enlarged and improved their Court Houses. Certainly none of them have made more progress in wealth and population than ours. While there might be objection to contracting a debt or increasing taxation it would seem that the means which have thus come to us, accompanied as it is by a permanent addition of a very large amount of taxable property to our country would not only justify but point to the work suggested. It is always desirable that the people shall attend sessions of court. It is a valuable means of Education to them, in respect to that in which all are interested—the law and its administration. To this end the court room should be cleanly, comfortable and commodious. With some opportunity for forming an opinion, I am sure that no people in the State have a more commendable county pride, or are more devoted to the advancement of all that makes for the public honor and welfare than those of our county. They are entitled to a Court House suited to their wants and the proud position which their county occupies in the State

I hope that the question which I have ventured to open may be agitated and that there may be a full and candid expression of opinion. I am assured that the commissioners and magistrates will gladly carry into effect the wishes of the people.

H. G. CONNOR.

FITS, POLITICAL AND OTHERWISE.

There was some round philosophy in the quackism of a certain medical man, who when sent for to treat a case of fever said, "I don't know much about curing fever, but I can give something to throw him into fits and then I can cure the fits." For, while I'd prefer that doctor do his practicing on somebody else, I don't hesitate one minute in recommending him to the body politic and entirely fitted to treat its complaints. For he that can cure fits can cure the most troublesome malady that afflicts society.

The record of all history is a record of fits—all the great movements of men have been fits; all the great waves of progress have been fits—and I am almost inclined to say that all life itself is nothing more than an extended spasm, with periodic cures. Political fits, religious fits, war fits, fashion fits, sporting fits, fits innumerable. It requires a very discriminating mind to discover just how much of them is good and separate it from the bad. We had a political fit a while ago. From Maine to California the country wrung and twisted, snarling, frothing and biting, jumping up and down, stamping, yelling, cursing, shaking till a serious observer would have thought he was in a republic of lunatics. We became a kind of moral banditte; attacking every traveler, making him stand and deliver and if he didn't deliver to suit, deluging him with the opinons of denunciation, till the mantle of his character hung on him in shreds of pollution. And what for? Chiefly, believe me, because the country believed in that great and glorious doctrine that "To the victor belongs the spoils." And now that the fight is won, the victors are yelling for the immediate and undelayed application of the great and glorious principal which moved their patriotic hearts to save the country. And if Grover doesn't shell out promptly and cure the fit he may safely calculate upon a chronic destempter among the Vances and Adlai's of his party not easy to cure. But Grover says "Now Boys, I'm a statesman. The fit wall right last fall but 'a public office is a public trust' you know and to secure fitness and competency of appointees to office and remove from political action demoralizing madness for spoils, civil service reform has found a place in our public policy and laws" Ahem! and so forth." But the boys don't see it that way. And Grover seems to lack the virtue discoursed in the afore mentioned Doctor in that he may cure the real disease of the country but he can't cure the fit. NOUS VERRONS, as the French say. Meanwhile I had in mind something to say about religious fits, but the devil reminds me that he once had a religious fit and that enough has been said.

LEX.

The Trouble at New Bern.

James City, a negro village of several thousand inhabitants, near New Berne, in Craven county, founded in 1863. A man calling himself "Gen. James," and purporting to be a Federal General, removed a number of negro families from near New Bern to the place, which is across the Trent River from New Bern. James told them the land belonged to the Government.

They put up rude cabins and made themselves at home, believing they had received the land from the United States Government. Other negroes soon arrived at the place, and before many days a large settlement had gathered. James was no General, and had no authority to give the land away.

The negroes became content with their new homes and named the village after their benefactor. They drew up a system of government, elected Aldermen and policemen, and the population increased rapidly.

About ten years ago James A. Bryan of New Bern undertook to regain the land, which was and is now his rightful property.

James City fought the case through several courts, and finally the Supreme Court decided the question beyond all dispute as the legal property of Bryan. Mr. Bryan endeavored to come to amicable settlement with his settlers, but without success. He offered to allow every old man and woman and every feeble person in the village to remain unmolested and free from rent. But this did not suit the people. He issued circular after circular, asking for peaceful terms. There was but one thing left, to evict the tennants. Mr. Bryan wished to do this as peacefully as possible, and with this in view a test case was made last week.

About 9 o'clock in the morning the Sheriff, with a posse, were on their way to James City to forcibly take possession of some property. After the arrival of the Sheriff the whole party of men repaired to the store of Mr. Spivey, the leading merchant of the place. People began to gather from the settlement, and almost within the twinkling of an eye a flag was raised by the negroes with the union down. This was evidently a signal, for in less than five minutes there assembled on the corner and in the near vincinity at least 1,000 negroes, swearing that their blood would be spilled before they would give up the property.

Sheriff La Roque read the evition papers to R. R. Davis, and asked whether he would submit. Davis replied he would die first. Violent expressions were made by the excited mob, which was growing larger all the time. Spivey said that he had worked thirty years for what he owned in James City, and that he would rather die than lose it. Others said. "Send Bryan himself over. We will fix him."

Men, women, and children were talking excitedly, and the other ones said there would be bloodshed. The Sheriff and his posse retreated over the river, pursued by some of the negroes who had secured firearms.

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Fitzsimmons Wins.

The contest for the largest purse ever fought by pugilists was brought off by the Cresent Athletic Club last week in New Orleans in the monster arena on Canal street, and resulted in an easy victory for Fitzsimmons, Hall being most effectualy knocked out in the fourth round.

Three Million Dollar Fire in Boston.

BOSTON, March 10.—Fire broke out about 4 p. m. in the building owned by F. L. Ames, corner of Essex and Lincoln street, and involved the entire block. The fire was under control shortly before 8 o'clock. The area burned over comprises practically one whole square bounded on the North by Essex street, on the South by Taft street, on the West by Kingston street. The loss will probably reach $3,000,000 Three identified dead bodies have been taken from the ruins.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 11—There was a wild shaking up in the city council last night. The council has been republican by two majority, but the veto of an ordinance relating to the water works by Mayor Eustin caused two Republicans to bolt. This gave the Democrats a majority, and they forthwith ousted President Bragie, Republican, and elected Aldermen Kuckle, Democrat, to succeed him. Hardly had the new president taken his seat when a new list of standing committees was announced. All the city officers, save the police, are elected by council, and the action just taken means that every city official drawing a salary will be removed at once and a Democrat installed in his place.

Trying to get Fitzsimmons to Fight Hall Again.

NEW ORLEANS, March 10.—Bob Fitzsimmons did not get his money from the Crescent City Club tonight, as announced, although he was present. The club people promise to pay him in full to-morrow. The Hall people are still trying hard to arrange another match between their man and Fitzsimmons, and can get all the money they want for this purpose. Fitz is unwilling to fight again, and puts it on the basis that he will not go out of his class.

It is probable that Hall will issue a challenge to fight in the middleweight class and come down to 158 pounds. The Hall people believe they can taunt Fitz into a battle and that when he finds that no one else will meet him, he will, with his usual impetuosity be carried away by his hatred for his rival, and agree to meet him for the fourth time.

North Carolina at the World's Fair.

Mr. P. M. Wilson is now in Washington City looking after matters in regard to the North Carolina exhibit. Over $7,000 worth of new furniture has been purchased for the exhibit, all of which is specially designed for this purpose. The rigid exactions of the World's Fair management forced the State to this large expenditure in order to make its installation there acceptable. The handsome antique oak cases and pagodas will form a beautiful setting for the State's exhibit. After the World's Fair is over the entire exhibit, except the vegetables and perishable articles, will be brought here and placed in the State museum. This will add much to the attractiveness of that already interesting place.

Gossip From the Capitol.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The North Carolina delegation has not fully agreed on the United States attorneyship for the Western District of their State. A majority of the delegation are said to lean toward Mr. Glenn, of Winston-Salem. Mr. Jones, of Charlotte, who held the office under the last Democratic Administration, has some backing, and Mr. Covington, of Monroe, has lately entered the lists. Mr. Kope Elias, of Franklin, is a candidate also, and his friends say he is relying more on the quality of his endorsements than the number. He was the only delegate from North Carolina to the Chicago convention who was for the nomination of Mr. Cleveland from start to finish, and this fact the President knows.

WAITING TO SEE.

Mr. Elias has been here for the past ten days, but has not yet filed his application. He is waiting to see what moves will be made by the other aspirants, and in view of the hold he has on Mr. Cleveland it will be rather interesting to watch developments and to note the action of the North Carolina delegation when its reccommendation is made.

Never before in the history of the government has there been so much work for the North Carolina congressmen, and the wonder it that they are not all broken down in health.

As rapidly as possible they will make their recomendations for the postmasterships, but the removals will necessarily be gradual It will be probably a month yet before the "execution" of postmasters will begin in earnest. Mr. Maxwell, of New York will be "head-chopper" at the Post-Office Department under this administration.

Steamboat mail service from Elizabeth City to Newberne, N. C., has been ordered continued until June 30th.

Meeting of the Drug Clerks.

The Drug Clerks of the State had a meeting in Greensboro on Friday night. The meeting was well attended and a great deal of interesting discussion on matters relative to Drug Clerks was indulged in. A constitution and by laws were adopted and the latter are very rigid.

A permanent organization was gone into and officers were elected as follows.

F. A. Bobbitt, Winston, President; B. W. Hargrave, Wilson, Vice President; Ed O'Hanlon, Winston, Secretary and Treasurer; Executive committee, Dr. W. C. Porter, Greensboro; D. L. Adams, Raleigh; Walter Grimes, Winston, N. C. Brandon, Greensboro and the other members of the committee are to be appointed by the President.—News and Observer.

Miss Flora A. Jones, South Bend, Ind. Purchased a bottle of your "Blushes" of Arend, Cor. of Fifth Ave. and Madison St. I find it delightful. We gladly recommend it to others. Yours Respectfull, Fred M. Roberts. With Marshall Field & Co. Chicago, Ills. Mr. Roberts is not the only one who finds "Blush of Roses" delightful, as many ladies and gentlemen can testify, who have purchased it from A. J. Hines.

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Cleveland called on the President and the President called on Cleveland. Then Cleveland dined with the President. On the fourth of March Cleveland rode to the Capitol with President Harrison and Harrison rode back with President Cleveland. Wasn't that well mixed?

Frequently we dun some of our subscribers through these columns. We don't intend these little reminders for honest, debt-paying subscribers—but for those who are more than one year in arrears.

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Winston, at an early day will call an election to see whether or not whiskey shall be sold in that thriving town.

The first postmaster appointed under the new administration is Newton A. Hamilton, of Flora, Lincoln county, Tenn.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—President Cleveland has not committed himself on the Hawaiian question. This statement is made upon high and unquestionable authority. The Harrison annexation treaty was withdrawn from the Senate because it was objectionable for several reasons.

Secretary Carlisle finds the financial outlook much more cheerful and encouraging, although not yet satisfactory, than when he first took charge of the National finances. There has been a let up in the demand for gold, and he hopes to escape having to choose between using a part of the $100,000,000, gold reserve fund or an issue of bonds. At present the free gold is accumulating quite rapidly in the Treasury.

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Ibsen Caused a Riot.

About three weeks ago he manager of the city theatre in Stavanger, Norway, received this despatch:

"Reserve the theatre for tomorrow evening and announce in all newspapers 'Lecture concerning modern women; entrance fee, fifty cents.'

HENRICK IBSEN."

As an effort had been making for nearly a year to induce the great Ibsen to lecture in Stavanger on the subject mentioned in this despatch, the manager received the news with delight. He made the announcement of Ibsen's appearance not only through the newspapers but also on placards with which he pasted the billboards of the city. The tickets of admisssion which were at once put on sale, were bought by speculators and resold by them for double and treble the original price. On the following evening the theatre was crowded at 6 o'clock with all the wealth and fashion of Stavanger. At 6:30 a young man with a flaxen pompadour walked out on the stage and announced:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I shall have the honor to speak to you concerning the modern women."

He got no further, for his voice was lost in the storm of inquiries. "Where is Ibsen?"

"I am Ibsen," said the young man," christened Herisk by my mother."

Several men made a rush for the stage to get hold of the bogus lecturer, but he found refuge with the police, who locked him up. The men in the audience then tried to storm the box office, but the manager, with the aid of the police, held the fort, and told the people that their money could not be returned before the courts had considered the case.

The next day the young prisoner established in court his identity as Henrik Ibsen, although not as the famous Henrik Ibsen, and was discharged. The Court also gave him the money taken in at the box office, as the Judge held that the unfortunate event of the entertainment was due merely to a false inference drawn by the manager and the patrons of the theatre. The young man with the flaxen pompadour left the city at once. $1.000 richer than when he arrived. His occupation was gone, however, for he was published immediately far and wide as a man whom theatre managers in Europe would do well to avoid.

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Sherman Arp Hanged.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 10.—Sherman Arp, convicted for the murder of William Pogue, near Cedar Bluff, Cherokee county, was executed at Centre at sunrise this morning. On the scaffold he reiterated his confession that Burkhalter and Leath, notorious moonshiners, forced him to kill Pogue, because the latter secured indictments against them for the illicit sale of whiskey. The murder was one of the most cold-blooded ever committed in the State. Last night he sold his body to a young doctor at eight cents a pound, getting $12.48 for it.

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