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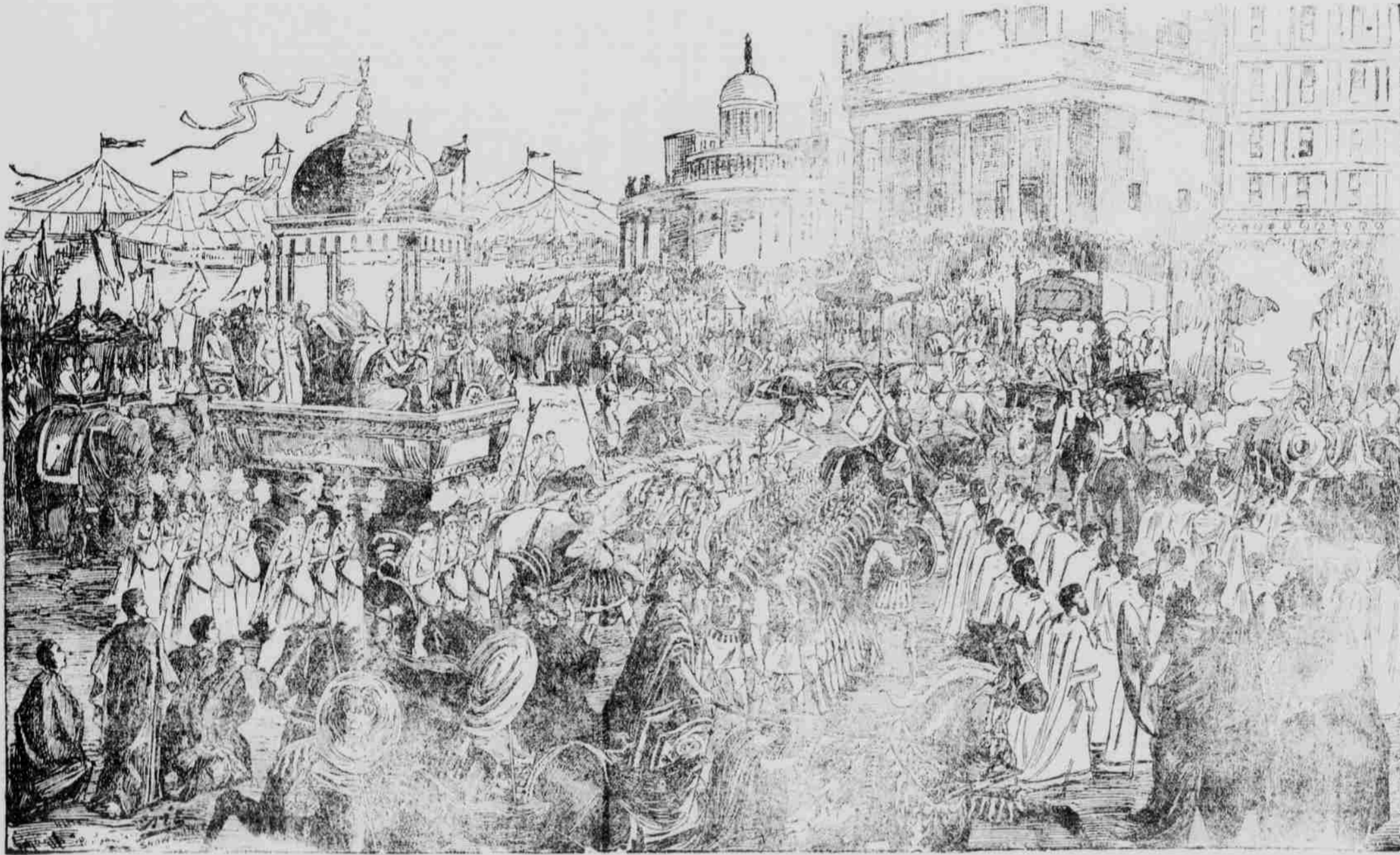
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Positively Coming To Weldon, N. C., Friday, November 8th

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AN ELOQUENT DEFENSE.
"Dey may rail against women as de like," said a darkey. "Dey can't set me a gind em. I hab always in me life found dem de fust in peace, fust quarrel, fust in de dance, fust in de ice cream parlor, and de fust, best and last in de sick room. What would us do widout dem? Le us be born as young, as ugly, as helpless as yer pleas' and a woman's arm am ready to receive us. She it am dat giv us our fust dose ob castor ole, an' puts cloths on our helpless, naked limbs, culers up our foos and noses in long petticoats, and it am she, as we grow up, dat fill our basket wid something to eat as we start ter school and lick us when we tear our breeches."

The Farmer's Wife
Is very careful about her chin. She rubs it thoroughly after using, and gives it a sun bath to sweeten it. She knows that if her chin is sour it will taint the butter that is made in it. The stomach is a chin. In the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are performed processes which are almost exactly like the churning of butter. Is it not apparent then, that if this stomach-churn is foul it makes food all which is put into it? The evil of a foul stomach is not alone the bad taste in the mouth and the foul breath which it causes, but the corruption of the pure current of blood and the dissemination of disease throughout the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes the sour and foul stomach sweet. It does for the stomach what the washing and sun bath do for the chin—absolutely removes every taint or corrupting element. In this way it cures blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings, sores, or open sores and all humors or diseases arising from bad blood. If you have bitter, nasty, foul taste in your mouth, swollen tongue, foul breath, are weak and easily tired, feel depressed and despondent, have frequent headaches, dizzy attacks, gnawing or distressing stomach, constipated or irregular bowels, sour or bitter risings after eating and poor appetite, these symptoms, or any considerable number of them, indicate that you are suffering from biliousness, torpid or lazy liver with the usual accompanying indigestion, or dyspepsia and their attendant derangements.
The best remedy known to medical science for the above symptoms is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is the best remedy known to medical science for the above symptoms. It is the best remedy known to medical science for the above symptoms. It is the best remedy known to medical science for the above symptoms. It is the best remedy known to medical science for the above symptoms.

CHASING THE RAINBOW.
I often call to mind the years when I, a simple child, With quaint, fantastic stories was so happily beguiled. And ever, when across the sky a rainbow I beheld, I recollect my boyish search to find a crock of gold. I quite believed the story, and with eagerness profound I dreamed of wealth awaiting where the rainbow reached the ground. And in my youthful innocence I started out to make My first vain chase for rainbows we can never overtake.
Dull truths have come with fleeting years,—I'm wiser now than then— Yet after all a boy's strange thoughts resemble those of men. We're children of a larger growth and love to chase, in truth, The same delightful phantoms that beguiled us in our youth. We miss the honest beauty that may hide in homely facts. The white a vague, romantic hope our longing gaze attracts. And none of life's dull ceremonies can in our heart awake Such dreams as do the rainbows we can never overtake.
Thus we pursue the winking hints of every hue and kind, Filled with an eager hope that we shall fame and fortune find; While kindly opportunities unnoticed pass us by, Since all our thoughts are centered on the bow across the sky. Just over there we'll grasp the prize! A little way it seems To where the bow of hope comes down to gladden all our dreams, And not until life's sun is set shall one of us forsake The rare, elusive rainbows we can never overtake.

DOES IT OCCUR TO YOU? A GOOD WIFE.
That line about are a frequent cause of the appearance of premature wrinkles?
That if we took the trouble occasionally to "count our mercies," most of us would find that we have more to be thankful for than to grumble?
The "absence of occupation is no rest?"
That you cannot expect admiration if you never take any trouble to deserve it?
That if you really care for a person you will not say unkind things to, or of, them?
That your wife's temper, whether good or bad, is often only a reflection of your own?
That personal remarks are seldom in good taste?
That when you meet a friend and say to her, "How poorly you are looking!" it is by no means paying her a compliment?

"IS LIFE WORTH LIVING."
An Editorial Which is a Better Sermon Than Many Delivered From the Pulpit.
Amid the sorrows and the sighs, the heartaches and disappointments, and the misery and woe of the world, many people are prone to ask themselves, after all, is life worth living?
And that is where a great mistake is made. That question should never be allowed to reach the point of discussion. We should turn from it as we would shun evil, and in a far different spirit earnestly ponder over the worth of living.
Selfishness narrows our minds and dwarfs our souls. We become despondent and grow cruel because all that we crave does not come to us and abide with us, simply because we crave it. That is the surest road to misery. Living with such a view forces one down where it is dark and dreary and cheerless and cold. It does not invite sympathy or love. A struggle to get away from such a life brings help to abandon that which is useless and dead.
To realize that life is worth living is to know and practice the worth of living. Its true value lies in helping others, not depending always on others helping you. A word of whispered cheer and hope for the weak and faltering, charity for the morally frail and erring ones, sympathy and love for the despondent and sorrowful. Life is worth living to the man of whom at the end of the journey, it may be truthfully said: "He lived to bless mankind. He found and knew the worth of living. If the world is ever dark, it is dark with such a man beneath the sod."
Life is worth living for the opportunity it gives for doing good, for smoothing the rough pathway of the weary and heavy laden, for recognizing the brotherhood of man and practicing it in our daily intercourse in social and business life. Turn from gloomy and moody selfishness, and get out where there is light and love and cheer, and blessings will follow surely as the earth is refreshed and clean and sweet after the storm and rain has passed.

DIRTY DOLLAR AND THE CLEAN.
The Question Used to Be With Young Men, "Where Can I Earn a Dollar?" But Now it is: "Where Can I Get a Dollar Without Earning It?"
The man who said this was an old man, and perhaps he was thinking back to the days of his young manhood at the time. It is sometimes true that when the white comes into our hair and we look back upon the days that have gone by, life has a rosier hue than it does in later years. Yesterday seems a better day than today. The man of bygone years appears to be a grander man than the one we take by the hand now.
Making all possible allowance for this coloring which retrospect gives to men and things, it is nevertheless profitable for us to stop long enough to ask ourselves how it is in our own lives. Is it a fact that the old man states for us a truth? Do we really spend more time in looking for some way to get the dollar without earning it than we do in good, honest work?
To admit that would be to admit that men are less honest than they were in the past. Is it true? It is a serious question and one that should be answered fairly by every man. For it is a fact that the dollar we earn is the best dollar we ever shall have. It will go further for us; that is, its purchasing power is greater, because we shall look more closely to the thing we buy.
Somebody once said that "a little dirt sticks to every dollar," but Ben Franklin gave the lie to that a century ago. The earned dollar is a clean dollar, but the dollar obtained by deceit, fraud, low scheming or even in ways that are just inside the law but in violation of spirit, is a dirty dollar and will taint any man's life.
Stick to the honest dollar. We can get enough of them to last us through life and provide for the helpless ones, and any more are useless. If they are dirty dollars the more we leave the greater the curse.

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