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The Richmond State's special of the 11th inst., says of the Republican outlook and the prospects of Grant in Illinois:

Although Blaine has already secured a majority from six or seven counties, and Washington some others, it is believed the Grant men will have a small majority of the whole number of delegates to the State Convention...

Ohio is reported as in fact solid for Judge Thurman. There is no empty compliment in the matter. The State's letter of the 11th says: "John G. Thompson, Sergeant-at-Arms of the House, and chief manager of the Democratic machine in Ohio, says there is no Tilden under current in Ohio..."

Spirits Turpentine. The Morganton Blade files the name of Samuel J. Tilden at its masthead.

Big wild turkeys with long beards are now occupying the attention of North Carolina editors.

A white man named Jim McCarver was cut in the breast at Charlotte by a negro, unknown, who fled under the cover of darkness.

Lexington Exchange: There are fifteen tobacco factories in Winston—the smallest of which works 200,000 pounds of tobacco annually.

Col. H. C. Jones, being sick, could not speak on Memorial Day. Col. Charles E. Jones, of the Observer, was called on and responded in handsome terms.

Memorial Day was celebrated in good style at Raleigh on the 10th. Colonel Wharton J. Green, of Warren, delivered the address, which the Observer says was well received.

Hendersonville Courier: The first car-load of sawed lumber shipped from the western slope of the Blue Ridge was sent to Charleston last week by the Ewart Manufacturing Company.

Greensboro Protestant: The prospects of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley are said to be improving, and it is hoped the Board's office, near the depot, will be finished and in working order by January, 1881.

Concord Sun: The farmers do not complain idly when they talk about the rust ruining their wheat and oat-fields. Along the public roads of our county many fields can be seen yellowed and terribly damaged by rust.

The Edenton Clarion of Saturday announces the death of Captain Chas. Gratiot Manning, a well-known citizen of that town, in the 70th year of his age.

Fighting seems to be fun among the Raleigh lawyers. The Observer says that Messrs. B. B. Lewis and W. H. Pace had a "re-encounter" in front of Justice M. E. Barbee's office, near the courthouse, yesterday, in which several blows were passed, but no injury was done.

Cartilage Index: From the way some of our Raleigh brethren are piling on the agony for Jarvis it would seem as if no other man in North Carolina is capable of desecrating the office, from the fact that he has been in selling the Western North Carolina Railroad.

Salisbury Watchman: The fruit crop of this section will be better than it was at one time expected to be. The Wilmington Star on the 30th of April produced numerous articles from farms, parks and orchards of Eastern North Carolina is equal to any part of the world for profitable farming.

Professor W. E. Hidden says: "Somewhere between Tarboro and Raleigh a number of meteors are lying around loose. Wont somebody interest themselves in this matter, and find the money to find the finder. They fell in February last in broad daylight, and were seen all along the line from here to Raleigh and beyond. They should go in the State Museum when found."

Elizabeth City Falcon: The people near Oak Grove were considerably excited over a shooting affair between E. Garrett and L. Smith. Smith and Garrett became involved in a quarrel, when the latter called Smith a liar and advanced his hands him with a fence-rail. Smith drew a pistol and fired twice, one ball taking effect in Garrett's side, the other entering the thigh just above the knee.

Elizabeth City Economist: Two little boys, one the son of Wm. Scott, the other the son of John Brunney, both aged about five years, went into the water, got into a boat and pushed off into Curruck Sound. When some distance from shore they became alarmed, jumped overboard and both were drowned.

Greensboro Patriot: Forty hands on the Mt. Airy division of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Railroad finished two miles of grading in twenty-five days. Good work. The convicts at work on the Mt. Airy Division of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad are wild with excitement over the prospect of finding treasure in an Indian mound which they have struck. Tradition has it that large amount of specie was buried in the mound at the battle of Guilford Court House, and many people living in the vicinity believe that tradition tells the truth.

Lumberton Robsonian: We regret to learn that Mr. Neil Bule, a prominent and good citizen of this county, died of apoplexy at his residence in Belmont on Wednesday last Saturday. Our County Convention last Monday developed the fact that our county was far from being unanimous for either Jarvis or Fowler, and a resolution to instruct for the latter was voted down. The mesales has decreased considerably in Rockfish village, and the factory put in full operation again.

Mr. Jos. A. Curried died on Monday night, the 19th ult., and was buried on Wednesday following by the Masonic fraternity.

Goldsboro Messenger: We learn that a negro named John Todd has been lodged in jail at Snow Hill for burning the gin house of Mr. John Wright Jones, particulars of which were given in these columns some weeks since.

Mayer's Court. Carter Croom and David Joslyn, two small colored boys, were arraigned for fighting on the streets, throwing rocks at each other, &c., and resisting the police.

Charles King, colored, charged with assaulting J. P. Spann with a deadly weapon; the particulars of which were given in our last issue. The shoe knife with which the assault was made was exhibited in court.

W. H. Blackwell, colored, was next arraigned, on the affidavit of his mother, Fatsy Blackwell, who charged him with being very obstreperous, wilful and disobedient; that he had threatened to take a stick and "wear her out," and had used other and various endearing expressions similar to the above, in referring to her. He was sent below for thirty days.

Homeicide in Nash County. A correspondent, "P. L. F.," writes us from Whitaker's of a terrible homicide that took place in Nash county last Saturday, the 8th inst. A colored man by the name of George Jones, who lives in Edgescombe, had a quarrel with his wife, when the latter left him and went to the house of her brother, one Hilliard Bryant, living on the plantation of Col. W. D. Harrison, about three and a half miles from Battleboro.

Alleged Insecurity of Fourth Street Bridge. The opinion seems to be very general on the part of people living in that part of the city known as "Brooklyn," that the foot bridge over the railroad on Fourth street is not safe, and this feeling of insecurity will continue until something is done in the way of strengthening it.

Early Closing. We hear of a movement on foot—usual at this season of the year—to secure some unanimity of action in regard to the early closing of stores in the evening, say at 7 o'clock.

Wilmington Light Infantry. As several errors crept into the list of officers of the above company, as published in our last, we reproduce it corrected: A. L. DeRoset, Captain.

The Odd Fellows. Messrs. R. J. Jones, G. M. Altaffer, J. L. Dudley and J. W. Jackson are in Raleigh as representatives of the various lodges, etc., of this city, in the meeting of the Grand Lodge and Grand Encampment of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, now in session in the "City of Oaks."

The Superior Court. Those who wish to commence a civil action before the approaching term of the Superior Court, which convenes in this city on the 31st inst., will have to enter suit before Friday of next week—one week from to-morrow. Such suits have to be entered ten days before the meeting of Court.

Finding a Trunk Broken Open. A small trunk was broken open on Church, between Front and Second streets, a few nights since, and is now at the City Hall. It contained nothing but tax receipts and other papers of trifling importance when found. These bore the name of W. James, who is said to be a colored man.

Dry Weather. A friend writing us from Whitaker's, speaking of the weather, says: "It is very warm and dry with us, and farmers are complaining that young cotton is dying from the effects of the heat and drought. In some sections it is not coming up well."

North Carolina Medical Society. Second Day. Morning Session. The Convention was called to order at 9 o'clock.

The President announced the following as committee on Nominations: Drs. N. J. Pittman, J. J. Summerville, W. George Thomas, Eugene Grisson and H. T. Babson.

Dr. Summerville, of committee on Credentials, recommended the following gentlemen: Drs. R. A. Harzer, Tobaccoville; L. W. Powers, Plymouth; C. M. Pool, Rowan county; and moved that they be declared members of the Society. Carried.

The following were received as delegates from Cumberland county Medical Society: Drs. J. A. McRae, W. C. McDuffie, and J. W. McNeill.

Dr. N. J. Pittman reported a case of anebum and exhibited specimen. On motion of Dr. Foote, the reading of the annual essay was declared in order.

The essayist, Dr. Thomas J. Moore, of Charlotte, then proceeded to read an able, comprehensive and valuable essay on Pelvic Cellulitis.

On the conclusion of the speaker, Dr. McDonald, of Washington, moved that the thanks of the Society be tendered Dr. Moore, and spoke briefly, highly complimenting the effort.

Dr. C. J. O'Hagan, in seconding the resolution, warmly endorsed the essay as a highly creditable and an exhaustive resume of the subject.

Dr. Foote endorsed the favorable comments of the gentleman, and moved the reference of the essay to the committee on Publication.

Dr. Summerville, of the committee on Credentials, reported the name of Dr. H. P. Ivey, of Fayetteville, for membership, and moved that he be received. Carried.

The Secretary announced that letters of regret had been received from Drs. Allison, Hadley and Lyon, as being unable to attend the Convention.

Dr. Lilly, of Concord, exhibited a specimen of calculus from the bladder of a hog, with a string as nucleus, and reported a case of biliary calculus with specimen.

Dr. Foote reported a case of urinary calculus, and exhibited a stone discharged weighing two drachms, down weight; also spoke of the use, with gratifying success, of common cooking soda in the case of a patient badly burned.

Dr. Summerville, from experience thought well of the use of soda for burns, and also mentioned of having heard of the removal of a stone weighing an ounce and a quarter from the bladder of a woman by simple dilution.

Dr. Payne knew of the last case, and that the woman died under the operation. Dr. Carr reported a case of colloid cancer of the uterus.

Dr. C. T. Murphy had effectually used soda for burns, but found difficulty in removing it on account of its caking—in one case, after repeated trials, had only succeeded in removal after soaking several hours in olive oil.

Dr. McDonald had used successfully a strong saturated solution of soda, and then applied cosmo-line; he thought the solution was equally efficacious and obviated the difficulty encountered by Dr. Murphy.

Dr. Murphy reported a case of the amputation of the leg of a man aged 49 years, on account of a chronic ulcer of long standing; had used carbolic acid, with signal success in dressing the stump, and found that with a twisted handkerchief and the aid of an assistant the hemorrhage was perfectly arrested, in fact more effectually stopped than he had ever found the case with tourniquet.

Dr. McDonald reported a case of a boy having three fingers cut off by a circular saw, rendering the amputation of the stumps necessary. He carbolized the ends of the fingers and the boy was at work in ten days.

Dr. Gaitner preferred the aid of an assistant to the use of mechanical appliances in all surgical operations; regarded soda for burns as a standard remedy.

Dr. Summerville spoke in relation to the best means in reach of the ordinary country practitioner and mentioned that he had found a dressing of spirits turpentine and alcohol to answer admirably, applied to cuts.

Dr. Bellamy asked Dr. C. T. Murphy if he had used Martin's Bandage in case of the chronic ulcer mentioned, and cited numerous cases of its successful use.

Dr. Potter reported excellent results from use of grafts and adhesive straps.

Dr. McDonald had used Martin's Bandage in case of an ulcer of twelve years standing with success.

Dr. Hill spoke from personal experience of the efficacy of chloroform internally administered in treatment of bilious colic.

Dr. G. G. Thomas stated that tickets could be had of the Secretary for the excursion down the river, given by the New Hanover Medical Association, complimentary to the Convention, and to take place to-morrow.

On motion of Dr. Lane, the Convention then adjourned until 3 P. M.

Afternoon Session. The Convention was called to order at 3 o'clock. Dr. Carr moved that the Constitution of the Society be printed with this year's proceedings of the Convention and a copy furnished each member. Carried.

The Chair called for the reports of the chairmen of sections. Dr. W. C. McDuffie, on Surgery and Anatomy, stated that he was unable to make a report, as he had been too busily engaged to attend to it.

Dr. Wilson, on Obstetrics and Gynecology, was absent, but Dr. Hicks stated he had the report, and consent was given to postpone its reading until this morning.

Dr. James McKee, on Practice of Medicine, and Dr. Tull, on Microscopy and Pathology, were both absent.

Dr. C. Tate Murphy stated he had not written out his report, and was granted further time.

Dr. R. H. Lewis, on Ophthalmology and Othology, submitted a comprehensive and interesting report.

Dr. Gaitner offered the following: Resolved, That the committee appointed upon the Edgescombe resolution be instructed to consider and report in regard to the advisability of urging upon the profession and people what action we should take to procure a statutory lien for medical attendance.

Dr. Wood, at the request of Dr. Anderson, read a letter from the Medical Society of Georgia, asking the North Carolina Medical Society to unite with them in forming a new National Board of Health.

Dr. Wood moved the subject be made the special order for to-morrow morning, immediately after the regular order of business. Agreed to.

Dr. J. D. Roberts read a paper on a case of hip joint disease, exhibiting instruments, and practically illustrating the manner of use on patient, a little boy.

Dr. Faison spoke in reference to this disease. Dr. Picoet moved to refer the paper to the committee on Publication.

Dr. Holmes, of committee on Credentials, reported the name of Dr. L. Hussey, of Duplin county, and moved that he be received into membership. Agreed to.

On motion of Dr. Picoet the Society then adjourned until 8:30 o'clock.

DR. EUGENE GRISSON'S ADDRESS. At night a very fine audience of ladies and gentlemen assembled to hear the annual address, by Dr. Eugene Grisson, Superintendent of the Insane Asylum. The President of the State Medical Convention, Dr. Shaffner, introduced the speaker, announcing that his theme was "Medical Science in Conflict with Materialism."

It was a great intellectual performance from first to last. It was very elaborate, very learned, indicating a wide reading both in science, philosophy so called, and in some departments more purely literary. It was an acute, forcible, able, and conclusive refutation of evolution—of materialism as set forth by Darwin and his followers. It vindicated the truth of God's laws, glorified man, and established to our satisfaction that we are not the descendants of gorillas, being simply endowed with immense monkey-power. Darwin and company may derive satisfaction from a conviction and consciousness that they are the sons of the ape, but the learned and able speaker convinced us that the remainder of us are sprung from one common ancestor, Adam.

"Who brought death into the world and all our woe?" We have not space to present a bare outline of the remarkable effort of Dr. Grisson. It was not only scientific, learned and able, but the severity and vigor of logic were relieved by many beautiful and even splendid rhetorical passages that glowed with imagination and were adorned with those graces which only a reverence for the true and noble and good can supply. It was a manly, earnest and powerful protest against those scientific heresies which rob man of his immortality, the lost soul of a Saviour and the world of a God. It was full of "sweetness and light," and we thank the speaker for the rare intellectual feast which he laid before us.

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Contract Advertisements taken at proportionately low rates. Ten lines sold Nonpareil type make one square.

REVENUE AND MARINE. Norwegian bark Zez Hansen, from this port for Hamburg, was off Start Point on the 9th inst.

Capt. Robeson, of the steamer Wars, reports the river very low just now, there being not more than five feet in the channel.

The direction of the Bureau Veritas has just published the following statement of maritime disasters reported during the month of March, 1880, concerning all flags:

Sailing vessels reported lost—43 English, 14 American, 12 Norwegian, 10 German, 7 French, 5 Dutch, 3 Danish, 3 Italian, 3 Portuguese, 2 Spanish, 1 Austrian, 1 Swedish, 1 Turkish, three, of which the nationality is unknown; total, 107. In this number are included 14 vessels reported missing. Steamers reported lost—9 English, 3 French; total 11. In this number is included 1 steamer reported missing.

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