

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY'S BURDEN.

Baltimore Sun: There have been several imitations recently that identify the negro with the Republican party...

A story, sincere, strong and noble, alive with interest, and unique—such is "The Progenitors," by G. Vere Tyler...

CURRENT COMMENT

—Just why the government should persist in sending naval vessels to the fashionable New England watering places...

—Gov. Hann, of Delaware, has appointed another of Addicks' tools as a member of the department of elections for Wilmington.

TWINKLINGS

—The man who waits for something to turn up, generally finds that it is his.

—How can it be possible that mosquitoes are killed by music when they are so fond of a little song of their own?

—Teacher—Now, Tommy, you know it is impossible to be in two places at once.

—"So you have decided to get another physician?"

—"I suppose, my boy," said the stranger in town, I can jump on anyone of these cars and go to the park.

—"So you think that flying machines will eventually come into use?"

—The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered...

—"It may seem odd to you," said a man who has money enough now to buy a dozen comets...

—The Cheapest and Best of Excursions. That H. Knight offers the extreme low rate of \$2.00 for the round trip to Columbia, S. C.

—All who use Atkinson's in treating nasal catarrh will get the best result from Ely's Liquid Cream Balm.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Will Roseboro, the negro under sentence of death at Stateville for the murder of Mrs. Dolph Beaver, has confessed the crime.

—The Pender Chronicle says that Mr. J. H. Murray's children, of South Washington, picked and sold about \$75.00 worth of huckleberries the past season.

—Monroe Journal: "I have been farming for over forty years," said Mr. L. S. Secret, at the Institute Wednesday.

—Edenton Transcript: Out of a population of 4,000 people, we have not heard of a single case of fever in the town.

—Superintendent Bland, of the Light and Water Company, was nearly intimated in an excommunication in Washington a few days ago.

—Raleigh Harbinger: A gentleman in this city says that he shot a buzzard one day, and while the buzzard was falling to the ground, that two other buzzards near by flew under the wounded bird and took him jointly on their wings and flew away with him.

—Asheville special to Raleigh News and Observer: Brakeman Sherrill, who was so badly injured in the runaway on Saluda Mountain as to necessitate the amputation of both of his legs, died at Saluda last night.

—The Lassiter water mill, situated one mile from LaGrange, was completely destroyed a few days ago.

—Mantoe special to Elizabeth City Economist: Lightning struck the house just completed by Capt. N. E. Guard here this afternoon and almost entirely demolished it.

—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot: A remarkably handsome young woman, fairly well dressed, called at the office of the mayor this morning and asked for assistance in reaching her home in Edenton, N. C.

—High Point special to Greensboro Telegram: Lost his voice coaching at a baseball game is the experience of Mr. Little of this place.

—A Charlotte special says: Wm. Baker, 14 years old, and a son of Mr. Taylor Baker, of Indian Trail, Union county, was the victim of a most horrible accident Saturday.

—"Alas!" said the unhappy woman, "and we were once considered wealthy." "But, my dear," said her husband, "something is wrong."

—Washington, D. C.—Grand Fountain United Order Sons Reformers. Tickets on sale August 20th, Sept. 1st and 2d; final limit September 10th.

—Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale July 21st to August 15th; final limit October 15th.

—Mrs. Winkler's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children with teething with perfect success.

—The best remedy for diarrhoea, and all other ailments of the bowels, is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

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—The best remedy for all ailments of the lungs, is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

—The best remedy for all ailments of the stomach, is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

—The best remedy for all ailments of the liver, is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

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The Band that identifies The Brand. The cigar that beats them all at 5c. The Largest Selling Brand of Cigars in the World.

LAURA KEENE'S DREAM.

A Vision in Hennes That Was Translated Into Reality. Start Robson used to tell a strange story of Laura Keene, with whom he played in the sixties in the old city.

—The next morning at rehearsal she had made it her business to look over the remainder of my days. She called the company together and gave them a detailed description of the "awful scene" the night before.

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THE TOO EARLY BIRD.

A Social Reunion For Whom There is No Excuse. The too early birds are a source of trouble and inconvenience to the entire neighborhood.

—Your last little touches have to be delegated to the first amiable soul who appreciates the necessity of entertaining the too early birds.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted Officially at the closing of the Chamber of Commerce.)

SPRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 80c per gallon.

ROBIN—Nothing doing.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at 81.75 per barrel for hard, 83.37 for dip.

RECEIPTS. Spirit turpentine 96, Rosin 170, Crude turpentine 171.

MARKET NOMINAL. Same day last year, market firm at 84c for middling.

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm, Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 77c.

FINANCIAL MARKETS. NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Money on call steady at 1 1/4% per cent.

MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT. This is what an English writer has to say of Alice Roosevelt, whom he met at a small party in Washington.

HUNGRY JOHN DILLON. T. P. O'Connor says that one of the funniest experiences that ever John Dillon had was while he was on a tour of this country.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS. NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Horn steady, strained, common to good, 81 1/2%.

COTTON MARKETS. NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The cotton market opened easy at a decline of four to six points.

MARINE. ARRIVED. Steamer Highlander, Robinson, Fayetteville, N. C.

DEPARTED. Steamer Highlander, Robinson, Fayetteville, N. C.

REPORTS. MAYAGUEZ—Schr Emma Knowlton, 329,411 feet lumber, valued at \$4,941.

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For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

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THE GENTLEMAN. ESTABLISHED 1831. The ONLY Agricultural Newspaper.

RECEIVER'S SALE. State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, in the Superior Court.

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