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SENATOR VANCE AND THE ATLANTA EXPOSITION.

The great Southern Exposition has begun. On Wednesday it was opened in due form, our own distinguished citizen, Senator Vance, being honored with the grateful task of welcoming the whole people to a participation in the greatest industrial exhibition that was ever inaugurated on Southern soil.

He has very high capacity and manifold gifts. The man who credits him with being a capital good fellow, with fair cultivation and an inexhaustible fund of anecdote, and stops there in his praise, knows but little of the man. Measure him by his singular combination of endowments, natural and acquired, and where in North Carolina will you find his equal?

Do you see the dodge? Inasmuch as the Republicans, by their own folly, cannot elect a President in due order upon the organization of the Senate, they will unseat the one chosen as soon as they get the three Senators elect sworn in. This is in accord with the antecedents of the Republican party.

It seems that the President pro tem must be chosen before the three new Senators are admitted, as no person except this official has the authority to administer the oath of office. The election is therefore in the hands of the Democrats, as they will have a majority until the new Senators are admitted.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Wilmington Star, comes to us in a new dress. September 23d marks the beginning of the fifteenth year of its existence. The new type give it a very neat appearance, whilst the general appearance is the same. The Star is a lively, intelligent, ably conducted, and fills a most important place in the journalism of North Carolina.

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all the great men of Great Britain in the last two hundred years. We might extend the list indefinitely, but not now. So much for Senator Vance's accomplishments. We have made no reference to his conversational powers, to his high social qualities, to his culture, or to his ability as a lawyer.

We took pen in hand to write a paragraph only on the Atlanta Exposition. We are not surprised to see it announced that there is a general condition of unreadiness. It has been the case rarely that the great exhibitions have been ready on the day appointed. It was so at Philadelphia, at Vienna, and we believe at Paris. So Atlanta is no exception.

The Republicans are always fertile in expedients. The first thing we heard from them in connection with the Presidency of the Senate was, that the Democrats should be magnanimous and elect "a moderate Republican." Then we heard that there was no Constitutional barrier to prevent an election of an outsider President of the Senate, that the "revolutionary Democrats" intended to elect Judge Thurman, not a member.

The following letter of the late President has a peculiar interest because of the way his life was ended and the plea set up by the defence to save the villain who murdered him. It will be noted that the letter was written less than a month before the inauguration.

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We judge from a letter from the correspondent of the Charleston News and Courier, writing from London, that Southern representatives of Methodism are not dealt with fairly on the other side of the ocean. The London (Methodist) Recorder, for instance, gives full reports of the discussions on the negro question with the exception of the speech of Dr. A. W. Wilson, of the Southern Methodist Episcopal church.

Now such an omission is without justification. The Recorder has no right to refuse to publish a fact that reflects credit on the Methodists in the South prior to 1861. The omission was the more inexcusable as it published some unjust, some untrue statements contained in a speech by Rev. Dr. Tiffany, of the Northern Methodist family.

But there is in connection with this omission another fact that lends importance to the statement of Dr. Wilson. The London Tablet, the leading Roman Catholic paper of England, charged that Methodism had not "cared for the poor" as Mr. Wesley had intended. Of course this accusation was made in ignorance. No charge, however, could be more groundless. In England, in America, Methodism has been the great pioneer opening up the way so that the poor should have the Gospel preached unto them.

The main building at the Atlanta Exposition is 720 feet in length and 400 feet in width. It is constructed of pine and contains 1,800,000 feet of wood and glass. There are 23,000 panes of glass in the building. The floor is made of three-inch plank. We learn that two Annexes are under construction—one 96 by 288 feet, and the other 96 by 212 feet. There are four large engines that turn the machinery, representing 500 horse-power.

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North Carolina grows the finest tobacco on the continent, but it is not one of the largest producers of the weed. The census of 1880 shows 57,204 acres in cultivation, producing 26,986,213 pounds. The value per acre is \$36.50. Granville produces most, the pounds being 4,600,353; acres, 9,941. Caswell is next; pounds 4,836,684; acres 10,174. Person next; pounds 3,012,386; acres 5,268. Stokes next; pounds 2,131,161; acres 4,630. Orange, next; pounds 1,178,732; acres 2,323. Halifax is credited with 21 acres—a big mistake we have no doubt. There must be hundreds of acres in tobacco in the upper part of the county. Lenoir planted 45 acres; 13,500 pounds. Harnett 32 acres; 9,510 pounds. Moore 70 acres; 15,724 pounds. Nash 27 acres; 7,562 pounds. Sampson 28 acres; 14,952 pounds.

The average price per acre in North Carolina is greater we suppose than that of any other State. In the fine tobacco counties—where the prices range highest for the "bright yellow"—there is also a great deal of "heavy shipping" raised. The land adapted to the bright is interspersed among the lands which will produce only the heavy, which sells for hardly one-fourth of the better grades. If all of Granville, Person, Orange, Caswell and Rockingham was adapted to the bright the average per acre would be from \$100 to \$200. But only sections are adapted to the fine grades. Farmers whose lands are adapted to the bright make from \$200 to \$600 to the acre. Those who grow the heavy shipping have to content themselves with from \$30 to \$60 to the acre. The present crop promises to be almost an utter failure. In Granville and counties adjacent it is impossible to cure the tobacco bright. The rains in September gave the tobacco a fresh growth and now the frost has come and nipped what was not cut. Owing to the excessive sap in the tobacco it refuses to be anything else but black.

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Eastern Baptist Association. This large and influential body of Christians convened at Magnolia on Tuesday morning, in its 37th annual session, and closed on Thursday afternoon. The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. C. C. Newton, of Sampson county. Rev. J. L. Stewart, of Clinton, was elected Moderator. Letters were read from the various churches connected with the Association. A sermon was preached on Tuesday night by Rev. F. W. Eason, of Newbern. Reports were read on Theological Education, Religious Periodicals, Home and Foreign Missions, Sunday School Work, etc. Addresses were made on these reports by Rev. Messrs. C. T. Bailey, of Raleigh; F. W. Eason, of Newbern; J. B. DeLoach, of Raleigh; N. Stallings, of S. Purdy, of H. Ivey, W. M. Kennedy, and Messrs. F. P. Hodgson, C. F. Falson, Dr. Roberts, J. F. Bland and others.

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