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A VOICE FROM THE WEST. Judge Gresham is already spoken of as a probable candidate of the Republican party for the Presidency in 1884.

It is morally certain that most of these taxes are imposed at the suggestion, if not the dictation, of rich men who maintain a powerful lobby at the National Capitol.

This is plain enough. It is significant when it is borne in mind that Mr. Fishback is a distinguished lawyer, once the law partner of Senator Harrison, and at one time the editor of the Indianapolis Journal.

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The last census showed that the increase of small farms was great during the preceding decade. Small farms when enriched can not fail to be profitable.

It is astonishing how much can be grown on a piece of ground in the course of a year, if man knows how to manage his crops.

Postmaster General Gresham determined to appoint Mr. Samuel Grigg to a \$1,000 clerkship in the Post-office Department because Mr. G. was from Virginia and not from a State as indicated by a Representative from the latter State.

Dr. Edward B. Turnipseed, of Columbia, S. C., is dead, in his 53rd year. He was a native of that State, and was an accomplished physician.

THE WORK AHEAD.

The Raleigh News-Observer after saying a paragraph from what we said in connection with ex-Gov. Brogden's cautionary letter in the Wilson Advance, and indorsing in part our views as to not advocating the claims of men for office, says:

The fact that once the STAR thought it proper to set aside its rule and to urge the claims of one candidate for an important State office shows that we had no inflexible rule to govern us, but that in a crisis we might advocate the nomination of some particular man, not to please or tickle him, but because we believed that great public interests required it.

The coming campaign is to be no child's play. The Democrats should put out their best men. Dr. Motz will make the most strenuous efforts to carry the State, and since Dockery was defeated by the defection of Republicans in Forsyth and Gaston counties we may safely assume that such efforts will be made to prevent similar defections in the next campaign.

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A New Enterprise.

The latest evidence of enterprise was called to our attention at the store of Messrs. Brown & Roddick, yesterday. It consists of what is known as "Lansons' Cash Carrier," being a sort of elevated railway, used for the purpose of carrying the cash taken by the salesmen to the desk of the cashier and returning the change, a service which has heretofore been performed either by the clerk himself or by cash boys exclusively employed for the purpose.

Translators, if honest and conscientious, will not make the Bible tell what the Holy Spirit never inspired, even though the melody and the rhetoric are in jeopardy.

Five thousand persons witnessed the unveiling of the bronze statue to Professor Joseph Henry, one of the truly great scientific men of America. As we mentioned, the statue is in the Smithsonian Institute, Washington, with which Professor Henry was so long and so honorably identified.

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THE DYNAMITE CONSPIRACY.

Several hotel waiters, cabmen and policemen confirmed the statements of Lynch and the boy. The coat worn by Whitehead at the time of his arrest was produced in Court. It has the tailor's mark "Brooks Bros., Broadway, N. Y." The crown also produced a letter signed by Wilson. The purchase of cartons passed by Whitehead was proved, it was stated, by a witness that he told the vendor of whom he purchased them that he had recently arrived in England from New York.

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Spirits Turpentine.

Weldon News: Died, at Enfield on the 12th inst. Mrs. Caroline Bullock, aged 77 years. The Baptist Church at this place has extended a call to the Rev. G. B. Moore of Virginia. He is at present a student of the Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville. He will finish his course in May. We regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. Sarah V. Coker, the wife of Mr. Wiley D. Coker, of Northampton county. She passed away this life on last Friday morning in the 47th year of her age.

New Bern Journal: Mr. U. S. Maco received a box of peas, grown at James City, on yesterday, which is the first brought in this season. They were grown from "Mace's First and Best Canada Peas" - the receipts of the road during the last fifty days it was run by the Midland Company amounted to somewhere near \$16,000, and not a cent was paid to the employees.

Raleigh News-Observer: The railroad subscription question is not settled. There was a current rumor on the streets yesterday that it would come up in a new shape. The total amount of the subscription for the season of this city on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The match is held in the chicken court of Mr. Sidney B. Holt, of Alamance and Mr. J. C. Falcon, of Halifax - twenty-one cocks to be fought by each party, and all matches will be fought under the Turner rules for cock madd, for \$100 a battle and \$1,000 on the odd.

Greensboro Patriot: Three destitute looking colored women came in on the Richmond train this morning, all the way from Liberia. They were accompanied by nine children who were in a condition of semi-decay. The feet of the little ones were rotten with vermin, and the bite of a poisonous insect that is found in Africa. They presented a horrible spectacle. The women went from Cabarrus county about two years ago, and they tell a horrible story of suffering and destitution while living in Liberia.

Raleigh News-Observer: The receipts of cotton here for the week ending Thursday evening were 426 bales; same week last year were 788. Total receipts to date 46,860, to the same date last year 56,207. The funeral services of Mr. James M. Pace, an esteemed citizen of Raleigh, and one of the oldest employees of the U. S. & G. R. Co., were conducted from the First Presbyterian church of this city, by Rev. J. H. Wheeler at 3:30 o'clock on yesterday afternoon.

Fort Dodge, Ia., April 21.-A fire at Aurelia, Ia., sixty miles west of this city, destroyed 25 business buildings between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning. The loss is estimated at between \$20,000 and \$30,000. Almost the entire business portion of the town is gone. The insurance is about \$30,000. There were several very narrow escapes from death. There being a strong wind from the southeast, everything in the track of the flames was burned.

Atlanta, Ga., April 21.-A dispatch from Dallas, Texas, says the Cow boys now on strike in the Pan-Handle district are becoming more violent. One hundred of them, well armed, are encamped at Yarcar, Oldham county, and the leadership of one Harris, and make open threats of violence against all who may come to take their places.

New Orleans, April 21.-A special from Warrenville says that during a severe wind and rain storm this evening, D. Stein & Co.'s fire-wall was blown down, and fell on a small frame building occupied by H. C. Glessen as a saloon, and completely demolished it. Glessen, his wife and two children were badly injured, and Schultz and Dawson were badly hurt. Jones was uninjured.

The American Export and Warehouse Company has been formed at Gladstone, N. J. for the purpose of exporting whiskey in bond and warehousing it abroad. Nearly all the leading distillers and shippers of the West are stockholders.

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