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Texas had 895 indictments for murder in 1887 and 1898.

In three years, according to the Baltimore Manufacturers' Record, 8,600 new enterprises have begun in the Southern States.

The Democratic caucus of members of the Lower House held Tuesday night in Raleigh, selected Mr. A. Leazer, of Iredell, for Speaker, and Mr. T. B. Womack was elected chief clerk.

A tornado passed over the cities of Pittsburg, Williamsburg and Reading, Pa., yesterday evening, doing immense damage to property and resulting in great loss of life.

Eighteen States in the Union have adopted scientific temperance education laws, and Congress has passed a law which insures the instruction of youth in principles of temperance in the schools of the Territories, the District of Columbia, and the military and naval schools.

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The big iron tower in Paris, which is now in process of being erected, is about two thirds finished. It will be 924 feet in height when completed, and the ascent will be accomplished in elevators in five minutes.

A New York insurance company has just begun to insure money, bonds and securities as well as packages of merchandise sent by registered mail.

A significant feature of the immigration statistics for 1888 is that one-fifth of the foreign arrivals at New York during that year were from Italy and Russia.

James Babcock, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who was left a million dollars on condition of his being married in five years, has been overwhelmed by letters from females all over the country offering to marry him.

The law of New York for the execution of death sentences by electricity went into effect at midnight on December 31st.

Men and Those Who pass for Men. Often we find not more than five whole men in a town of 5,000 inhabitants.

VANCE AND HAWLEY.

The North Carolina Senator's Witty Remarks on the Tariff Question.

Senators Vance and Hawley took a little "tilt" in the Senate on Friday, during which Vance made the following characteristic observations: "We had once in this country a philosopher with a good deal of hard sense, expressed in bad English—Josh Billings. One of his apophthegms was that, in order to bring up a child in the way he should go, it was necessary for the parent to go that way once in a while.

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News reached here early yesterday morning (and was much discussed during the day) of the killing of a negro man in South Carolina, about 30 miles from Charlotte.

The negro's name was Bill Houston, and he was employed by a farmer whose name is Henry Johnson.

As the discussion waxed warmer and warmer, the negro became thoroughly exasperated, and knocked Johnson down with a stick of wood, and proceeded to choke him.

The scene of the homicide is so far from the railroad and telegraphic communication that further particulars are not known.

Pay Your Debts.

Baltimore Sun.

While it is always best never to create debts, but to pay cash as you go, the next best thing to cash payments is the prompt payment of outstanding bills.

Men and Those Who pass for Men.

Often we find not more than five whole men in a town of 5,000 inhabitants. Those who pass for men and who really do get married and have families, are a hundred to one fractional men or exclusively machines.

I have for 10 Years been Selling Bradford's Female Regulator, says an eminent physician and druggist, and I know of no remedy so well adapted to cure all irregularities peculiar to the female sex.

Does Farming Pay?

This is the great question of the day discussed in every agricultural journal. There was no question about this with our fathers. They grew rich at farming, educated their children, built fine houses, surrounded themselves with the comforts of life and lived lives of plenty.

Where is the man's money to come from after deducting for rents, insurance and clerk hire? This example will suffice and tell its own tale. The man will break now mercantiling on borrowed capital even at 8 per cent.

Farzing would be the best business in the world if it would pay even 20 per cent. If a man can live and hold together, paying 33 1-3 per cent for rations, clothing, shoes, farming implements, and frequently the same for advances to his hired hands, surely he would grow rich if he used his own money.

So the farmers all over the South pay 66 2-3 per cent for their supplies. At the end of the year it takes all they have made to pay up and the next year and the next is the same old story.

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Now listen to what I say—yes, listen I say to what you know to be true. Now in these days when you go to a merchant for supplies you are compelled to put up collateral security to double or ten times the amount of your intended debt.

Gov. Scales for the Commission, Progressive Farmer. Gov. Scales will favor a railroad commission in his message to the Legislature, and in doing so he will but echo the sentiment of the great people whom he represents, on this question.

Gov. Scales and Gov. Fowle both favor the commission and are supported by ninety nine of every hundred of the tax-payers of the State.

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The Making of a Man.

When a young gentleman reaches the age of twenty two he is developed intellectually to a degree that causes great anxiety. At twenty-three he indulges once every three months in a suspicion that he is not as nearly omniscient as he formerly supposed.

Our Charlotte Letter.

Special Cor. Messenger and Intelligencer.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 8, '89.

This beautiful January morning with the sun shining forth in all its glory, when everybody, it seems should be at work, it is striking to see how many people are idle, only walking about the streets.

NEWS NOTES.

Next Thursday is the day set apart for Mecklenburg county to vote on the four proposed new railroads.

The Presbyterians of Charlotte are trying very hard to have the State Orphanage, which is to be established this year, located here.

J. J. Sims, of Republican fame, has retired from the grocery business in Charlotte. Sims says whenever his political proclivities interfere with his business he thinks it is time to pull in the shingle, and he has done so.

Wade Harris expects to launch out the News as a morning paper, if he can get a "ghost of a showing."

This is the 8th of January and there are no signs of snow for these parts as yet. We have certainly been blessed with a mild winter thus far.

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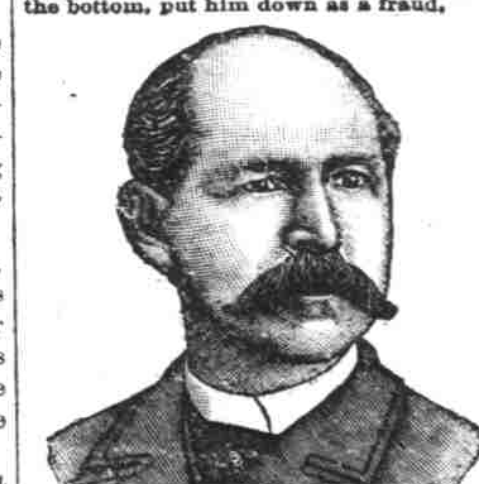
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Sale of Land.

BY VIRTUE of the will of Joseph N. Henry, deceased, we will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in Wadesboro, on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1889, all the interest of said decedent, in the lot in the town of Lilesville, and in the store house thereon, on Wall Street. Also, the undivided interest of the decedent in a tract or parcel of land on Jones Creek, part of the Dr. Thomas Hall tract, adjoining Samuel Gatewood and others, and containing about fifty six acres. Also seven acres of land adjoining the Mitchum lands, bought by said decedent. This parcel of seven acres was purchased by decedent from J. A. Liles & son. At the same time some personal property will be sold. MARTIN HENRY, ROBERT L. HENRY, Executors and Executor.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, ANSON COUNTY.

W. C. Hardison, Adm'r of Thomas J. Hardison, deceased.

Thomas L. Robinson and wife, Mary Robinson, and others, Defendants. In the above entitled cause, rendered the 21st day of December, 1888, I will sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in Wadesboro, on the 28th day of January, 1889, all the interest of Thos. J. Hardison, deceased, in the tract or parcel of land near Wadesboro, known as the Lindsey or T. J. Pulk place, of 38 or 40 acres, together with the houses and improvements thereon. The interest of P. C. Allen, under a deed of trust, on said land will be offered for sale at the same time. The purchaser will get a good title, subject to the control of the Court as to the continuation of the sale. It will be sold to make assets to pay debts of the deceased, which the personal property is insufficient to pay.

W. C. HARDISON, Adm'r. of Thomas J. Hardison, deceased. December 24th, 1888.

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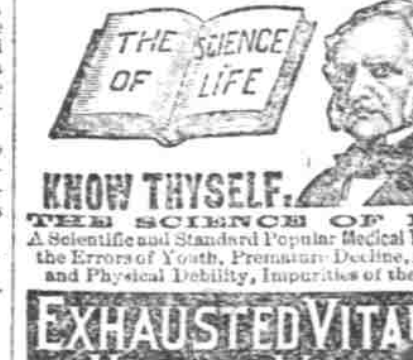
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