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THE KENTUCKY IDEA.
Lamentable, indeed, is the affair that cost the life of ex-Congressman Taulbee, a man in the prime of life and manly power. Mr. Taulbee had the strongest voice ever heard in the United States house of representatives, one that could be distinguished above the roar of any confusion. His character was like his voice—full of force—and, like any other man of that stamp, he made enemies. But certainly he never did or said anything that in a civilized community should have cost him his life. He fell a victim to the notion that abusive language applied by one gentleman to another must be atoned for with blood. Nowhere does this idea prevail as in Kentucky, where for some inscrutable reason Providence permitted it to take root. It has taken from that State some of its noblest sons in times past. Not many months ago Cols. Swope and Goodloe killed each other in one of these deadly personal encounters that arose from words, words, nothing but words. No word that can be spoken is bad enough to send the soul of him using it into eternity. The taking of human life is under no circumstances justifiable, except to save one's own. It will not be a pleasant thing in years to come for the young man who killed Mr. Taulbee to wake alone in the night and recall that his hand cut off a human life in its flower deliberately and purposely. The time will come when men will understand such killings as this a mortal crime and a blot on civilization.

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The Bank of Asheville Begins Proceedings for \$1,000—Everything Secured by the Stock and Fixtures—A Partner in the City.
Martin's Market is under a cloud. Yesterday an attachment was served on the firm by the Bank of Asheville for \$1,000 which they had advanced to them. The store on South Main street was closed and is in the hands of the sheriff. The company opened its doors to the public less than two months ago, and the local business was under the management of John Martin. Trade apparently was good, but the silent partners who live in Tennessee were dissatisfied, and yesterday Ignaz Fanz, of Knoxville, came up to see about closing out their part of the business. When he arrived here Mr. Martin was not to be found, and he has not since been seen. Mr. Fanz took charge of the business, and late in the afternoon the attachment was served by the bank. It covers the fixtures and stock, and the bank will lose nothing. Mr. Fanz said this morning that he was sure that nobody save the firm would lose any money by the transaction. The debts of the company in Asheville amount to something like \$1,200, and the fixtures will cover it. Aside from this there was \$365 to the credit of the company in the bank. It was the general impression on the street last night that Martin had skipped. It was said that he knew Fanz was coming and left to avoid meeting him. This, however, is denied by his friends, who say that he has merely gone to get some money, and that he will return and open the business again in his own name. None of the creditors of the firm are anxious about their money.

LOT OF CAMEL.
Proceedings of the Mayor's Court This Morning.
When the Mayor's court opened this morning Lula Davis and Lynn Plack occupied seats in the bald head row. They were charged with fighting.
"Are you ready for trial Lynn?" asked Mayor Blanton.
"Yes, I'm ready," responded the prisoner. "I submit. I want going to have no witnesses tell lies about me."
"Well never mind about telling lies," responded his honor, "we can get along without that."
"Well I hunt," answered Lynn torbibly as she settled back in her seat.
Lula Davis was of a different mind and the case proceeded.
The witnesses told of a particularly stormy session between the two women over the possession of a dress. It was adjourned only when Lynn threatened to shed blood, and proceeded to do her best to carry out her word. Rocks were freely used and when the two were separated they were in a badly disfigured state. The two were fined \$3 and the costs were given to the Plack woman to pay.
"Can you pay your fine?" asked Chief Baird a minute later.
"Oh, yes; I can pay it," responded the woman, "but I won't. I'm going to work it out in jail, then I'll have my money when I get out."
The next case called was that of Anna McKee. The festive Anna was accused of a trifling indiscretion, for which she was ultimately fined \$3. The witnesses did not appear for a full half hour, and finally when one of them wandered in and presented the excuse that he had no watch and did not know what time it was, he was promptly assessed \$3 and turned over to Col. Baird.
Etta Foster and Kate Setzer, both colored, were before the Mayor yesterday afternoon from Cripple creek and were fined \$3 each for indulging in a fist fight. Etta was also fined \$5 for disorderly conduct.
Geo. Brown and Thos. Vann, two colored boys who had been fighting, were fined \$3 each.

THE SUPERIOR COURT.
The case of J. H. Best against P. F. Patton, for slander, was taken up this morning. Mr. Best was a tenant of Mr. Patton's on his farm, and some corn was missed. Mr. Patton accused Best of having stolen it, and in a letter to Messrs. Porter and Patton said that Best had stolen the corn and sold it at their store at Biltmore. Best denies the charge. Hence the suit.
In the case of Reagan against Fugate, a verdict awarding the plaintiff \$81 was brought in.
In the case of Leibetter against Cantrell a compromise was made between the parties after the case was taken into court.
FOR THE NEW MARKET.
The Messrs. Burkholder have been asked to submit plans for the new market house and they will be ready within the next few weeks.
It will be located where the present city jail now stands. The old building will be torn down. The new building will be a combination of city offices and market house and will contain four cells for city prisoners. It will be built of brick. Work on the erection will be begun as soon as possible, and it is safe to say that the entire appropriation of \$20,000 will be expended.
Several gentlemen who were not informed as to the change of schedule of the Spartanburg train were left this morning. They expected to go off at 9.35, but the train left at 9.15.

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NORTH CAROLINA NOTES.
Charlotte real estate is forging to the front in a very satisfactory manner. People of Halifax county are unable to obtain help on account of the negro exodus.
The Hickory real estate market is so active that it has to be chained down nights.
Mr. T. J. Meacham will soon commence manufacturing mattresses in Kinston.
It is reported that a movement is on foot to build a railroad from Chatham to Lumberton.
Judge Spier Whittaker has tendered his resignation as chairman of the State executive committee.
John Julian was thrown from a Richmond and Danville engine at Salisbury, run over and killed.
There are now four white schools being taught in and around Red Springs with about 125 pupils.
A train of five cars loaded with negro emigrants from Eastern Carolina passed through Charlotte enroute for the Southwest.
Raleigh has released the trustees from their contract to locate Trinity College in the Capital City and Durham will get the plum.
Mayor Thompson in his annual report to the board of aldermen of Raleigh suggests that the city own its own water and light power.
The Coal Mountain mining company was recently organized in Lynchburg to develop the coal mines between Walnut Cove and Leaksville.
A new Methodist church is soon to be erected in South Fayetteville, to be called "Rose Chapel," in honor and memory of the late lamented Beverly Rose.
There are some 40 or 50 buildings under contract in Mt. Airy. There are three cigar manufactories and six plug and twist tobacco factories will operate this year.
Raleigh's particularly great event in the spring of the year is the annual horse and cattle show, held under the auspices of the Wake county cattle club. It will be held this year.
Work is progressing daily on the Southport Brick and Tile company's ground at Walden creek. Several acres are cleared, buildings have been built for workmen and the roads making communication better constructed.
The gold mine known as the Suares mine, about one and a half miles from High Point, and belonging to Professor Chas. G. Mann, has been sold to an English gentleman, and work of reopening the mine will begin at once.
Information has been received at Oxford that a negro man a few miles in the country, who was bitten by a dog a week ago, has developed symptoms of hydrophobia. At times he barks and snaps like a canine. His death is hourly expected.
There is more lumber shipped from Red Springs than any inland town in the State, there being an output of from sixty to seventy-five thousand feet per day. Cars loaded with lumber at that place are shipped as far northwest as Muskegan, Michigan.
Mrs. R. B. Grinnan, accompanied by her aunt, Miss L. A. Lette, left Fayetteville for a brief sojourn in Virginia, whence they will go to Japan—the latter leaving the American shores about the middle of April, the former remaining in Virginia until the fall.
The Goldsboro authorities have located the eighty electric lights. One is given every corner, and one to each church not on corners and some are provided for the middle of blocks where the shade is dense. There will be fourteen in Webbtown and Widow's Hill.
Professor Furman came to Charlotte with a specimen of tin ore which he had found on one of his new purchases at King's Mountain. The specimen showed 60 per cent. of tin, and is more than double the value of the ore from the Black Hill mines. It is exceedingly rich ore.
The Greensboro Workman tells of a strange woman who has been put in jail in that town. She barks and snaps like a dog, and when they tried to arrest her she bit part of one man's coat sleeve off and fought desperately. Nobody knows who she is nor where she came from.
The Salem orchestra will go to Charlotte next June to take part in the grand musical festival. Under the direction of Professor Markgraf, the orchestra has already begun to practice for the event, and it will nobly sustain its reputation as the finest musical organization south of Washington.
It is a significant fact says the Winston Sentinel, that nine-tenths of the people who have been enticed to leave Winston-Salem by the "booms" in California and the West have returned. There are dozens of them here now, who have tried the West, are glad to spend the balance of their days in this city.
A destructive cyclone passed over the village of Edgemoor near Chester. Fourteen houses were blown down and a negro named James Miller was killed. Several persons were seriously injured. The roof of the Georgia Carolina and Northern depot was blown half a mile away. Robinson & Brothers' establishment and Dickens' drug store was completely demolished. The Edgemoor new church was also destroyed.
A man named Cresco, from Rowan county, who has just served out a four years' term in the penitentiary, was released and was making his way to Rowan. A negro joined him a little out of Carey and walked with him all within a short distance of the cotton factory near Du-ham. There the negro knocked him down, robbed him of his money and left him for dead. Kind people bathed his wounds, and he walked on to Durham to borrow money from the sheriff to pay his way back to Raleigh to take a fresh start.
Mr. Bailly, superintendent of the knitting mill at Greensboro, came near being terribly mangled in the machinery of the mill. He was under the machinery in the act of adjusting some of its parts when he was caught and was being whirled around. The operatives of the mill were so dazed that for a time they could do nothing, but presently one of the women, Mrs. Thornburg, ran up and threw the belt off the main shafting line which relieved Mr. Bailly from his perilous position without serious injury, although one of his shirt sleeves had already been torn off.

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At Grant's Pharmacy you can buy any Patent Medicine at the lowest price quoted by any other drug house in the city. We are determined to sell as low as the lowest, even if we have to lose money by so doing. We will sell all Patent Medicines at first cost, and below that if necessary, to meet the price of any competitor.
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Black Silks and Velvets.
Dress Trimmings in latest novelties, Table Cloths, Napkins, Doylies, Curtain Draperies, White Goods, Embroideries, Laces and Domestic Goods of all kinds. A large assortment of Kid Gloves, including Centemer and Harris' Hook Gloves. Ladies' Underwear in muslin, gauze and merino at low prices. Corsets—always a full stock of sizes and qualities.
We call special attention to our Fancy Parasols and Silk Sun Umbrellas. Nothing equal to them have ever been shown in the city.
SOMETHING NEW.—We offer the only absolutely fast black Hosiery on the market, for Ladies, Misses and Children, also for Men and Boys. They are guaranteed not to dye, crack or turn green, or money refunded.