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The Rights of Officers.

On Saturday night at the corner of South Main and Eagle streets, a difficulty arose, and a negro threw a beer bottle at an ardent. He missed the man thrower and hit Deputy Sheriff Morgan. Morgan undertook to arrest the parties, and the negro who threw the bottle ran, whereupon Morgan drew his revolver and fired upon him.

This act was a plain, outrageous and criminal violation of the law. An officer, no more than a individual, has the right to use his pistol, or any other deadly weapon, except in case of self-defense and the officer who is ignorant of the law, or so ready to violate it, as to use his revolver except where his life is in jeopardy, is duty to hold his position. Such acts on the part of officials tend to the encouragement rather than the prevention of crime, and are often guilty of such a breach of official duty, should be summarily dealt with.

Whom ever who attempts to uphold and enforce the law thus violate it with impunity, the country, use of firearms by the people cannot be wondered at. The most efficient police force in the world—perhaps—that of London—are not allowed to carry any weapon more formidable than a club, and unless judgment is displayed in their use by the officials in this country, the time will come when it will be necessary to forbid officers carrying pistols at all.

Not all Democrats.

An Atlanta paper asserts that all the newspaper correspondents with the President on his trip are democrats. We don't believe that; but for this reason one of them telegraphed to the Associated press that the president ignorantly showed to the world that surrounded his carriage. No democrat would use that word in that connection. It has for years now been reserved to the use of kings and queens and such like useless trimmings on the gilded conveniences of old world governments. The queen is graciously pleased to appoint Sir Tom Tim High Lord Mayor of the Royal Washington." The king graciously turned his royal nose towards Fava Raines's cabbage plants?" No, not that correspondent is ever a true democrat.

The ablest editor in American journalism, is perhaps C. A. Dunn, and he is undoubtedly the best scion of the profession. He has more information at his fingers' ends and knows better how to use it, perhaps, than any other newspaperman—Charlotte Chronicle.

As if Mr. Dunn had less education and more conscience the Sun would be a better leader of public opinion.

In the Charleston News and Courier were as good a newspaper for \$10 as is for \$5—it would be one of the best in the whole South.

THE NEWS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The Soldiers' Home at Raleigh will be formally opened May 10th, memorial day.

There is nothing nearer than the Wilson Advance in its new suit or clear type.

The Railroad Commission is sending requests to all the railroad companies for schedules of rates, times, etc.

At the cotton-mills at Raleigh Thursday Assistant Engineer James Brown was caught in the engine and his arm was crushed and torn off.

It is reported that the manufacturers of Duke's cigarettes will establish a branch factory at Winston-Salem, as it is more convenient to the cigarette tobacco market.

The case of Kirby Smith, of Goldsboro, against President K. P. Battle and the trustees of the State University for \$10,000 damages for false arrest, resulted in a mistrial; nine jurors being for the trustees and three for Smith.

Mr. J. H. Mellican, an employee on local train No. 90 from Richmond to Weldon, was caught between two freight cars while coupling them and badly bruised. When taken out his face was black, his eyes protruded from their sockets, and he was suffering greatly. He will live.

INVOCATION TO THE WATERING CART.

The following from the Richmond Dispatch, fitted Asheville to a "T," until today.

Sprinkle, sprinkle, watering-cart!
Why, I wonder, don't you start?
Why stand thus so idly by?

Like an empty beer keg, high and dry?
Come forth and fill your cracking skin!

Like a taper filling up with gin;
Then scatter your refreshing showers
Through all the hot and dusty hours.

Sprinkle, sprinkle, watering-cart!
Why in thunder don't you start?
Can't you hear the choking cry—
"Water! water! or we die!"

—ASPHYXIATING.

NORTH CAROLINA FOLKS.

North Carolina has a William E. Gladstone. He was married last week in Scotland Neck to Miss Maggie Ward, of Hamilton.

Senator Vance has always been on the side of North Carolina and, so far as we know of his public record, that Prof. Winston, of the University of North Carolina, will be elected by the trustees in time president of the University.

Mrs. Sallie Weaver, who was born in Lincoln county in 1786, died four miles west of Lincoln last Saturday night at the age of 105 years. She was a remarkably stout woman and was possessed of a good mind and memory until the last.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The trustees of the Baptist Female State University have elected Rev. J. B. Boone, Motherly, Mo., financial Secretary. He is an able preacher and has business abilities of a high order. He is a native of North Carolina and was for a time president of Judson college.

Several members of the United States geological survey are at Raleigh and are in charge of Professor Holmes, State geologist. One of them is a son of the late Nathaniel P. Willis, the well-known author. The party in June will regularly begin work in the northwestern section.

In Raleigh on dry last week, Auditor Sanderson, Secretary Coke and Colonel Sims Carr were walking down Fayetteville street. A street urchin sang out, "Hooyay for de ney, Governor!" Three lads were simultaneously, like him, and three voices chorused, "Thank you, my boy!"

Col. John D. Cameron takes charge of the press bureau of the Inter-State exposition at Raleigh, and will have his office in the agricultural building, in which those of the Inter-State Agricultural and Exposition Association are located. Col. Cameron was long an editor here and is a writer of much force and polish. He will be a great aid to the exposition.—Wilmington Messenger.

The very best editors in North Carolina, with two exceptions, are college men. Both Kingman and Ashe are alumni of the University of North Carolina. Col. Cameron, the most influential writer in the state, is also an alumnus of the university. Those who published the most brilliant weekly paper of its kind will easily be selected, as Dr. "Rive," Joe Caldwell we think. Like Greeley he has a very susceptible mind to teach.—Charlotte Chronicle.

"A" feels better now.

FROM THE CITIZEN. Therefore there is no sympathy, no love, no sympathy generally among us, as expressed by me in THE CITIZEN of Wednesday, of course they will all feel in my party, but I am personally aware that my rank promises even if not my better judgment to the detriment of others, as well as myself.

I am deeply apologetic that endears "A" to all of us. He who governs let him grant and sin no more.—E. C. CRAVEN.

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—ASPHYXIATING.

Public School Act.

An Act in relation to public schools in the city of Asheville.

The general assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SEC. 1. That it shall be the duty of the city of Asheville to issue and deliver to the treasurer of the graded school committee bonds on such amount as the school committee shall designate as necessary for the purpose of building one or more public school buildings in said city and equipping the same. That said bonds shall be in denominations of five hundred dollars each and shall have coupons attached bearing interest at 5 per cent payable semi-annually on the first day of January and June of each year. The said bonds shall be signed by the mayor of the city and attested to by the clerk, with his official seal thereto attached. The bonds shall run for forty years, and said bonds shall show upon their face that they were issued for school purposes.

SEC. 2. That it shall be the duty of the treasurer to sell said bonds and hold the proceeds of the same subject to the proper order of the school committee. Provided, said bonds shall not be sold less than par and, provided further, that no larger amount than twenty-five thousand dollars shall be issued.

SEC. 3. That at the regular election for mayor and city aldermen for the year 1891, the question of issuing said bonds shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city, and those favoring the issue shall vote a ticket on which shall be written or printed the words "For the subscription," and those opposed a like ticket, on which shall be written the words "Against the subscription." If a majority of the electors shall vote for the subscription then in the case the bonds shall be issued, but if a majority do not so vote the bonds shall not be issued. Provided, that in case the majority do not vote for the subscription, the board of aldermen shall, on the petition of one third of the electors of the city, submit the question again and if one third of the electors shall vote for the subscription then the bonds shall be issued as herein set forth. Provided that not more than one election shall take place in any year.

SEC. 4. The election hereby required shall be held under the same rules, regulations and laws as now govern the city of Asheville and the qualifications for voters shall be the same in this election as for mayoralty and aldermen of said city.

Sec. 5. This shall be in force from and after its adoption.

Passed the 7th day of March, A. D. 1891.

SPRING FEVER.

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