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ALL SORTS. The Senatorial fight in North Carolina is now the absorbing subject in the political mind of North Carolina. Pritchard is a wobbler in politics, and a wobbler is always a weak brother, unless there be strong and uncontrollable reasons for the wobble. In Pritchard's wobble, there is no motive but Pritchard. The Populists say it must be a Free Silver man to get their votes. The Republicans say it must be a Republican. The Democrats say nil. The prominent aspirants seem to be Pritchard, Russell and Guthrie. Guthrie is the ablest of the three, and would be the greatest credit to the State. Congress opened the second session of the 54th Congress of the United States on Monday August 7th. The President's message was presented and read. It deals with our foreign and domestic affairs. Cuba has a considerable measure of its consideration. It is not Jacksonian in its treatment of that multiplied question. It is rather platitudinal, and it looks a little like he would prefer to leave that question to William Napoleon McKinley. They say President Cleveland is a brave and bull-headed man. But it's not so. He's a timid and cautious man, as every man is who is worth a million of dollars. The latest statement regarding the death of the Cuban patriot, Maceo, is that he was shot while deliberating with the Spanish General under a flag of truce. If so, it was a dastardly outrage, in violation of all the rules of civilized warfare. The people of the United States are in sympathy with the Cubans upon the broad ground of humanity and human liberty, and then upon the selfish but patriotic ground of the interests of the United States involved in the Independence of Cuba. There is no doubt that the independence of the island would be followed by closer political and commercial relations with the United States and a greater prosperity to Cuba. The Atlantic and tributary waters have furnished shad to the Pacific waters by planting young shad fry in the rivers in California. And now in recognizing the charity of "one good turn," the Chairman of the United States Fish Commission is introducing salmon of the Pacific waters into the Atlantic waters. Good! This way Mr. Merriman! Albemarle Sound is the habitat of the White Shad. It has furnished more shad brain food to mankind than any other body of fresh water in the world. A fat white shad from the waters of Greenfield or Avoca is the most delicious morsel that ever entered man's larynx. Some say the salmon is better. Mr. Commissioner drop a few millions of mite salmon in Albemarle Sound and we'll let you know which is. The North Carolina Conference of the Southern Methodist Church was in session last week at Kinston, and was largely attended. Bishop Wilson of Baltimore was the President of the Conference. Mr. Washington Duke of Durham, gave to the Endowment Fund of Trinity College \$100,000 on condition that women should be admitted to equal privileges with men in the College, which condition was accepted. Resolutions were introduced by Dr. Kilgo, President of Trinity College, in opposition to state aid to the University, and excepting Greensboro Female College and the A. & M. College of West Raleigh. It was ably advocated by Dr. Kilgo and Dr. Yates, and opposed by President Elder R. B. John. The resolutions were passed. The organ of the Conference, the "Herald" was authorized with Rev. T. N. Ivey as editor, with a salary of \$1500. Rev. T. N. Ivey of Wilson, is one of the foremost men and ministers in the North Carolina Conference. He holds a facile and felicitous pen, as we can testify from the practical working of his pen on the Conference edition of the Economist, issued here last year. He is mentioned as the editor of the "Herald," the new organ of the North Carolina Conference, to be established in Raleigh, Elizabeth City or elsewhere, with a salary of \$1,500 "to be paid out of the paper." The salary would do to start with, but we do not like the idea of making the editor a drummer and canvassing agent to get his bread and butter. The Conference should be responsible for the Editor's salary, and his hands should not be handicapped by the res augusta domi. An editor who does his duty has his hands full, and should not have thrown on him the task of beating both the wolf from the door.