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IS HE CAROLINA'S GRANDSON

has occasional reference a scandal with which a distinprominently connected.

For a long time the appoint- be dictated to by them. ment of Minister to the court of Spain was given to North Butler, then indeed do "poli-Carolina, and several citizens tics make strange bedfellows." of this State were formerly We do not now know what we, connected with Madrid. Among as an humble but earnest Demthem Gen. Romulus M. Saun- ocrat, would do if the State ders of Caswell county, and Convention were to put Demo-Daniel M. Barringer, of Meck- cratic spurs and epaulettes uplenburg, were prominent. To on Butler and command us to great ability and adroitness in sing in the choir, as he raised poltical affairs the former had the tune, but we do fear we added the roughness of a Po- should be much like that bull supposed to be all safe. lar bear, and the latter, to the frog who lived in a Spring, and accomplishments of a statesman had added the graces of a sing. courtier. Mr. Barringer represented us in Spain in the 400, mere sentiment, but a sentiwhen Isabella Il, was Queen. Barringer was young, unmarried, and courtly. Isabella was stinct of humanity. young, beautiful, and noted for her gayety and gallant eccentricities, and about that time, the star of Alfonzo XII arose above the horizon.

The warm blood of the troubadour, which makes gallantry the business of life in the semi tropical climate of Mad-

dominions wrested from his 50. royal grasp.

If your blood is thin, appetite poor, troubled with night sweats, a bad cold or LaGrippe take Robert's chill tonic. All druggists.

Have you seen the '98 Chainless Crawford at Hathaway Bros. Right

FUSION OR NO FUSION.

Dr. A. C. Waddell, of Wil mington, one of North Carolina's foremost citizens and staunchest Democrats, publishes a letter in the Wilmington papers, which was addressed to Senator Jones, of Arkansas, in reply to a letter of enquiry from chairman Jones (Dem Ex. Com.) as to his views upon the subject of Democratic Fusion with Populists in North Caro-

lina. The letter of Dr. Waddell is an excellent and sensible one, as all the Dr. writes is, and he is decided in his opposition to everything that savors of a dicker, a bargain or a sale with the populist party, whatever may be its temporary ad-Vr.utage.

We follow the lead of Dr. Waddell on this question upon that their potency is materially trembling hand against the young which our Democratic brethern seem so much divided. And we must confess that the opposing factions in our political family are fortified by strong reasons for the faith that is in them. The first consideration that addresses itself to a patriotic and good man is an instinct personal self respect. There can be no doubt that the Populist party has greatly sinned against the honor and good name of North Carolina, in that they

lent themselves to a foul conspiracy of negroes and low whites to pillage and defraud Synopsis of Events of the R. B. CREECY ........ Editor the old State. There is no doubt that they are now, either playing a political trick upon the Democratic party to further the aims of that same foul selves up to the highest trader The Press of North Carolina in the political game. Are we to trust the political gamesters? Must we take them to our bosguished North Carolinian and om, bargain with them, dicker Queen Isabella of Spain are with them, in the division of the spoils of party victory, and

If we are to bedfellow with

ment of wondrous potency, and kindred to a bone bred in-

Robert's is the chill tonic you want cause it ours?. 25c per bottle. No

#### TOM BABB.

rid, finally made Isabella an he was a young man in Gates counalien and an exile from Spain, ty, when the Confederate war first to foreign Powers. and makes Alfonzo XIII, the broke out. He struck us as an inunfortunate baby King of intelligent, patriotic citizen, full of Spain, an heir to the North the flame of war. Afterward we Cape de Verd and are supposed to Carolina blood of the Barrin- often met him at Chowan Baptist be heading for the North Atlantic Associations and he seemed an earn-Alfonzo Barringer, the baby est minister of the Baptist church. King, was born when the Had he not gotten into. politics he planet Mars was in the ascend would have been a useful man. But ant, and his life begins face to the political bee began to buzz in face with grim-visaged war. his bonnet and he became thirsty When he should be playing for office. He came to regard poliwith a rattle or beating a baby tics as a trade in which the end jurdrum, he is surrounded by brist- tified the means and the end was ling bayonets to protect him Tom Babb. As he looked around from assassination. He takes for means he saw nothing more no airing for his health but promising to him than the Populist when guarded by serried ranks party and its ultimate amalgamaof soldiery. Before the sweet tion with the rotten timber of the notes of childhood had faded Republicans. When this vision opon his ear he heard the ened before his eyes he seemed to "trumpet's clangor and the become utterly demoralized, and he canon's roar." Sunny boy- went down, down, down, passing hood with its hello days of joy- through all the mazes of the door ous glee is a missing link in keeper of the Senate, the chaplain of nigh the Signal Office, now one of his life's calendar. And now the penitentiary, and all the multiwhen he has just wakened to tuduious places that Russell dealt War Department, with a quantity Elizabeth City, will return to his the stern realities of life he out pie to. The last we hear of looks upon war with the home Babb, is that he has gotten a place is said that the Signal Corps will of his ancestral house, and behind the pie counter in Washing- use bicycles to assist in laying wires with the prospect of seeing the ton, D. C., at 1313, Pie street, where from point to point along the coast. last vestige of his American he is receiving semi-monthly \$37.

> from some of our Perquimans county friends, to whom we announced the new distinction that Hertford's on shore, but was not struck, the most noted citizen had attained. They told us that Babb was now preparing a new work for the Press called: "My Experience in Politics," in which he will detail his experience in the penitentiary, as Chaplain thereof, where he found a bet-

W. will greet the work with great ordiality and will give it the best review the shop affords, with the hope that Babb may achieve a more has as a politician.

# What is Scott's Emulsion?

It is a strengthening food and tonic, remarkable in its flesh-form- the owner of the American contiing properties. It contains Cod- nent, now the imbecile of the nations, Liver Oil emulsified or partially the poor representative of its prisdigested, combined with the well- tine greatness, a peacock with nothknown and highly prized Hypo- ing left but its tail. A feeble old phosphites of Lime and Soda, so

### What Will It Do?

It will arrest loss of flesh and la at De Verde Islands says he will restore to a normal condition the sail for America to day (April 27th) infant, the child and the adult. It order or no order. He adds that will enrich the blood of the anemic: when the United States fleet is at will stop the cough, heal the irrita- Havana Cape de Verd is no place tion of the throat and lungs, and for him. cure incipient consumption. We make this statement because the vice from all parts of this State to By mail for 25c. in stamps. Trial Martin street, Elizabeth City, North Carpackage FBEE. Address, Allen S. Olina, together with all appurtenances plaint in such action, which is for the proven it in tens of thousands of CASES. Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion.

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#### WAR NEWS.

Past Week.

Spaniards at Morro Castle in the conspiracy, or putting them- outside the harbor. After night mander Dewey of the U. S. Asiatic over the waters.

with a small party and obtained val- the Pacific. uable information.

the Oregon is a first-class battleship. It is thought that the Oregon can take care of herself.

It is supposed that the invading on Saturday, under the protection of on the corner. Self respect is perhaps a the ships, and that they will be joined by Gomez and his troops, when the plans of invasion will be determined Nets and Twine, see Fowler & Co.

A Dispatch boat of the New York and get good value for your money. Journal had ventured too near Morro go to Fowler & Co. Castle on Sunday night and was fired upon and came near being Te no pay. Heasant as a Florida stuck. She had gone within a short ty Dog Store and Wood's Drug ered by her lights.

Congress on Monday declared the existance of war between Spain and United States. The vote was un-We have known Tom Babb for animous. The formal declaration many years. We knew him when of war was not required by custom nor by international law, but as an act of comi y and consideration

> The Spanish flotilla of torpedo boats and battle ships have left Portugal and the flotilla was noti- Another warning, boys. fied to leave the neutral harbor, in compliance with international law.

It is reported that the large Spanter a chase which lasted about eight practicable. hours. She had on board of her one thousand soldiers for Cuba and gold. She was taken to Key West.

ish flotilla at Cape de Verd that the very blue in consequence. engineers are Scotchmen and British subjects, and have refused to sail, by orders from England.

The chief signal officer of the War Department has contracted with the Overman Wheel Co. to furthe most important branches of the ing for Messrs. Sawyer & Jones, at of Victor Bicycles for rough field home near Rosedale this week, to service, and for other purposes. It resume his occupation of farming.

Saturday evening the U.S. torpedo boat Foote was taking sound-Yes, we heard of Babb yesterday ings in the harbor of Matanzas. Juba, Lieut. Rodgers commanding, and going too near the shore, she was fired upon by a masked battery shots going wild. This was the first shot with hostile intent of the

A Spanish officer on the staff of the late Ambassador Bernado, is thirsting for notoriety, and is a fit representative of a Spanish Jack. He sent a challenge to mortal comter class of Republicans than outside | bat to Capt. Sigsbe, and says if he does not accept he will challngee Gen Lee. He'd better fight a wind- was in our village Tuesday. mill like Cervantez', hero.

The quota of troops for North A detailed call was made on the country. Governor by the War Department al call in detail will soon follow.

Spain is threatened with a rebeldotard lifting its paralyzed and giant of the nations. A decrepit old athlete who has had his day of

The Admiral of the Spanish flotil-

There are tenders of military ser-

The large Spanish steamship Panama was captured Monday evening by the U. S. Light house tender

She was heavily laden with stores for the Spanish troops in Cuba. She endeavored to escape.

The American liner was last seen near Queenstown in latitude 48, longitude 29.

The kaleidescope of war changes harbor of Havana are keeping a ner- from Havana to the Philippine vous eye upon the American fleet Islands in the Pacific ocean. Comthey keep the search light flashing Squadron has been ordered to take the Spanish Philippine Islands, and On Sunday night Lieutenant Fre- the Spanish fleet at Manilla has mont, commanding the torpedo boat been ordered to meet the American Porter, went inside Havana harbor Squadron ot the Philippines. So under cover of the darkness, landed now our eyes will be turned to

The Spanish Temerario was in Spanish flotilla at Cape de Verd and period of time to solve the problem waiting on the South American the American Flying Squadron at of Spain. Nor should we cherish coast on Tuesday to intercept the Fortress Monroe. Both of them the belief that Spain is alone—that U. S. warship Oregon, which is are watched with great interest, and Spain has no friends. heading north from the Southern the probability is that they will shake Atlantic She is a torpedo boat and bloody hands at sea, in the Atlantic velop what the great powers thought ocean very soon.

We understand that the State of Georgia has refused to furnish the The United States steamer Paris, full quots of troop's asked of her by about which there has been so much the government. for the war with must stand by the President, while solicitude, and which the Spanish Spain. She insists that one half of he safeguards the flag. The Presicabinet ordered to be captured has the troops are needed at home for eluded the Spanish cruisers and is coast and internal protection. Geor- him as their chosen chief magistrate. gia is right.

Have you seen the '98 Chainless became so hoarse he could not U. S. Army will be landed in Cuba Crawford at flathaway Bros. Right

> Notice to Fisherman. For Gill If you want a nice suit of clothes Can't something be done for us.

Take Roberts tasteless 25 chill top ic. Every bottle guaranteed. No

NEWS FROM THE COUNTIES

Interesting Items from Various Partts of the District.

#### Hertford Personals.

Mr. Jake White came from Elizabeth City last Saturday and spent the day with his mother. Miss Lizzie Pritchard accompanied him.

Little George, son of Mr. G. W. Barrow, while riding a bicycle on coast. They are fully equipped and the Academy green last Tuesday afcoaled. Cape de Verd belongs to ternoon, fell and broke his arm.

It is reported that Rev. Paul Spence will be necessitated, on account of continued ill health, to To ish steamer, Montserret was captur- resign his pastorate of the Baptist ed on Tuesday near Matanzas by Church. The church contemplates several ships of Sampson's fleet af- calling another minister as soon as

The cool winds, together with some other cause perhaps, have so five hundred thousand dollars in far retarded the "run of fish, that very few have been caught in our There is a report from the Span- river and the fishermen are looking

Chips from Mumford.

foot very seriously by hewing tim-

J. A. Evans, who has been clerk-

China, will talk at Ramoth Gilead for the least money. One has only Friday night.

Messrs. C. L. and R. L. Hinton are spending the week in Norfolk,

W. J. Spence, W. F. Williams and M. W. Buffkins are appointed delegates to represent Ramoth Gilead to Dry Goods, Clothing the Southern Baptist Association.

#### News from South Mills.

last Sunday morning.

The steamer "Carrie X," belonging to the McManus Dredging Co

signal success as an author than he the North Corolina coast at first, tagious diseases that infest that elsewhere.

Departed this life, on the 20th at Washington on Tuesday. His inst., Mr. Joseph A. Spencer, aged call will be for two Regiments of 74 years. He was one of our best Infantry and one Battalion of Ar- and oldest citizens, and by his death tillery. The President notified the we lose a good friend and neighbor. Governor on Tuesday and the form- He was a devout member of the Baptist Church. A true christian, a good neighbor and noble citizen has lion in Porto Rico, another of her gone to reap his reward. For the dissatisfied colonies. Alas! proud past three years South Mills has lost Spain, the first discoverer, and once a great many of her truest citizens, of which the majority were past the mark of three score and ten. Among these were James Spence, James Gregory, John Jacobs, John W. Halstead, F. N. Mullen and Jos. A. Spencer, noble branches from the tree of humanity gone to their re-

VILLAGE BOY.

shake Into Your Shoes

feet. It cures painful, swollen, smart- in book TT, pages 552 and 553, I shall after due diligence names and resigning feet and instantly takes the sting proceed on Monday, the 2nd day of dence of parties interested in said real out of corns and bunions. It: the May, 1898 to offer for sale at Court estate cannot be ascertained, it is orgreasest comfort discovery of the age. house in said county, at public auction dered by the court that publication Allens Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting for cash, the property conveyed to me for such parties unknown be made for or new shoes feel easy. It is a cer- as trustee: All that certain town lot six weeks in the Economist, a newstain cure of sweating, callous and hot, where Mrs. W. W. Griffin now resides, paper published in Elizabeth City for tired, aching feet. Try it to-day. containing 108 5-12 feet fronting on such parties to be and appear before Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. Main street., and 120 10-12 feet on me at Manteo, Dare county, on the

If you are going to buy a Pa wol or Mangrove twenty miles from Cuba. Fowler & Cos. before Luying.

Mr. Simmons on the War.

COROLLA, N. C., April 25.

ED. ECONOMIST:-War is upon us, war is the mandate, and so war be be it, then. It will not be a midsummer's dream. If war were s game of solitaire there might be an excuse for the elation with which so many seek these ventures of field carnage. War is a grave business. No, war is not a picnic or a festival. We are greater than Spain, so was eracy-she was without resources or credit. As a beligerent she was alone-yet it took four years to solve the problem of the Confeder-The mysterys of the war are the acy. How can we hope in a short

A blunder or a repulse would deof our war. Monroe doctrines and other diplomatic demonstrations would wither and fall like autmunal foilage after a December frost. We dent must lead; the people trust Party bickerings must be dropped and leyalty to our flag proven.

In conclusion. Our coast is unprotected; we are subject to depredations from marauding parties at any time. Something should be done for our protection. We are all loyal to the flag and love our coun-Yours truly,

L. N. SIMMONS.

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Fight or Not Policy Holders Mon-Assessable. to Fight?

# Whether 'tis better to bear the

shame and disgrace of permitting Wm. Hewitt, of Rosedale, cut his Spanish cruelties to continue in Cuba or by war to end them. We think war, and are not only thinking war but are waging war daily, not on Spain but on high prices. The success of our war on high prices is proven by the growth of our business. It is one of the simplest things on earth, in Spain or in Cuba, Mr. Taylor, who has just left to prove that we have the best goods to try and to try is to buy. Those who fail to see our goods and learn our prices lose bargains.

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# And Notion Store.

The best assortment of men's spring Rev. J. B. Ferebee, of Elizabeth shirts and neckwear. Remember City, preached a very interesting that on account of the rapid increase sermon at Ebenezer Baptist Church, of our business we had to have more room and have moved into the Mitchell stand on Water street, next door to Melick, and have filled it up with new spring goods. We occupy first and second floors, and now War! war! Boys, take up your (March 17th) have in stock 319 suits tomahawks and march for Cuba, but of clothes and 411 pairs of pants in Carolina will be mobolized at Ral- be sure and take a bottle of juniper every size and price. The public eigh and be used for the defence of water with you to keep off the con- are invited to call before buying

> Yours for Business, A. Hooper & Co.

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#### Sale of Valuable Property

By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me by W. W. Griffin for certain purposes therein mentioned, which ion of real estate lying on Croatan, in said deed of trust bears date of March said county, owned by Thomas Mid-Allen's Foot-Ease, a power for the Register's office of Pasquotank county and affidavit having been made that and improvements.

M. L. GUIRKIN. Administratrix of Charles Guirkin, decreased, by Charles Guirkin, Att'y. ing to their several rights. Witness, J. B. Jennett, Clerk of said Court, on Umbrella, it will pay jou to examine Elizabeth City, N. C., April 1, 1898. Fowler & Cos. before Unying. E. F. Lamb, Att'7.

# Another Vessel Blown Up!

The Vessel of High Price.

THE DECISION OF THE COURT OF ENQUIRY IS:

The above vessel had been peacefully anchored in the harbor of Elizathe Union greater than the Confed- beth City for years, and that the Racket Store did willfully go about to work her ruin, and that the Racket Store did apply a submarine mind of sledgehammer bargains which none dare compete with, which did blow this noble old craft into atoms,

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Sale of Valuable Property.

By virtue of a chattel mortgage exe-

euted to me by Hill Humphrey, Georgia

G. Humphrey and F. P. Petway for

certain purposes therein mentioned,

which said chattel mortgage bears

date of Dec. 28th, 1897, and is register-

ed in the Register's office of Pasquo-

tank county, in book 15, page 498, I shall proceed on Monday, the 2d day

of May, 1898, to offer for sale at Court-

house in said county, at public auction

for cash, the property conveyed to me as Trustee: All that stock of dry

goods, clothing, boots and shoes con-

tained in the Zimmerman store build-

ing at Tiber Creek, including all ad-

ditions to said stock of dry goods, cloth-

ing, etc. One dark bay mare Katie; all

the household and kitchen furniture

coutained in the dwelling No. 50 Bur-

NORTH CAROLINA, In The Camden county. Sup'r Court.

Zion H. Berry, Administrator of James

W. R. Harvey, Mathew Harvey, Daniel

NOTICE.

The defendants above named will

ake notice that an action entitled as

above has been commenced in the

Superior Court of Camden county for

the purpose of selling real es-

tate of the intestate, situated in said

county, to make assets to pay debts of James M. Harvey deceased, and the said defendants will further take no-

tice that they are required to appear before the Clerk, of the Superior

Court of Camden county on Monday.

the 30th day of May, 1898, at the Court

House in said county, and answer or

demur to the complaint of the plain-tiff, or the relief theirin demanded will

This 2nd day of April. 1898.

R. L. FORBES,

Clerk Superior Court.

be granted.

Harvey, Rebecca Sawyer, W. D.

Griffin, Rosetta N. Griffin, Charles

Trustee.

gess street, and one top buggy.

M. Harvey, dec'd.

H, Griffin, heirs at law.

Elizabeth City, N. G.

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NORTH CAROLINA, Superior Dare County. J. W. Albertson

Frank Mann et. als. In this action, which is for the divisdivision of the aforesaid land amongst the parties interested therein accord-

this April 6th, 1898.

Sacrifice. The Elizabeth City Net & Twine Co's Wharf Property. E. F. LAMB.

For Sale at a

Lost, Mislaid or Stolen.

Lost, mislaid or stolen, policy No. 86189, issued by the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Comp'y on the life of Walter R. Hayes. The finder will please re-turn it to the undersigned. Application has been made for the issuing of a duplicate.

WALTER R. HAYES, Gatesville, N. C.

#### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Having qualified as administratrix of the late Margaret Palmer, I hereby give notice lo all persons indebted to her estate to come forward and make immediate settlement and those holding claims against the same to present them for payment within twelve months from the date of this notice, or it will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. MRS. ELIZABETH A. BRIGHT.

Adm'x. of Margaret Palmer, dec'd, March 2nd 1898.

Not how much we can get, but how little we can take is the principle on which we gain patronage everyday .-J. B. JENNETT.