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State of North Carolina
Mecklenburg County
In the Superior Court
John A. Biggers Adm'r,
T. A. Wilson, deceased,
vs.
D. C. Wilson et al's
Order of Service of Summons Publication.
The State of North Carolina, To D. C. Wilson—Whereas, it has been made to appear in the satisfaction of the Court that the said T. A. Wilson, deceased, is and was, a necessary and material party defendant in the above entitled cause, who is to be subject to all the real estate of the said T. A. Wilson, deceased, to sale to create assets to pay the debts of said deceased; and that a summons has been issued for the said D. C. Wilson, in said cause, to the Sheriff of Mecklenburg County, who has returned the same unexecuted for the reason that the said defendant could not be found in his county, and that the said D. C. Wilson is a non-resident of the State of North Carolina, and cannot, after due diligence be found in this State, so that service of the summons can be had upon him. Now, therefore, upon motion of Covington & Redwine, attorneys for the plaintiff, it is ordered and adjudged by the court that publication be made for the said D. C. Wilson, for six successive weeks in the Charlotte Democrat, a weekly newspaper published in the town of Charlotte North Carolina, commanding the said D. C. Wilson non-resident, as aforesaid, to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Mecklenburg County, N. C., on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. and plead, answer or demur to the complaint in the above entitled cause, and let the said non-resident defendant take notice that if he failed to appear at the place and time so prescribed, the said complaint will be heard ex parte to him and judgment pro confesso rendered against him. Done at my office in the town of Charlotte, N. C., this 24th day of April, A. D. 1897.

J. M. MORROW, C. S. C.
Mecklenburg County North Carolina
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SUGAR SCANDAL.

TILLMAN RAKES SENATORS WHO SPECULATE IN SUGAR.

Calls for a Thorough Investigation.—His Speech Today Creates a Sensation in the Senate.—Charges Against Smith.
By Telegraph to The News.
WASHINGTON, May 28.—Senator Tillman introduced a resolution in the Senate today demanding an immediate investigation of the sugar scandal. Introducing the resolution, he said a cloud is resting upon the Senate which cannot be removed until an investigation is held. The Senator listened with intense interest to Senator Tillman's speech. He says he is in a fault that Chapman went to jail rather than testify, convicts some Senators and they ought to be punished for their dishonorable acts. He claims he has specifications upon which to base an inquiry and has directly charged Senator Smith with speculating in sugar. He says any Senator on the Finance committee who took advantage of inside information to buy sugar stock was "nothing more than a black leg gambler, who plays with cards up his sleeve."
His remarks created a great sensation. He then read extracts from newspapers making serious charges against the Finance committee for being controlled by the sugar trust. Senator Aldrich denied that the sugar trust had anything to do with the schedule, and says he is willing for an investigation.

TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF.

Cowardly Prince Constantine Could Not Face the Music.

By Telegraph to The News.
PARIS, May 29.—An Athens correspondent asserts that Prince Constantine, after the retreat from Domokos, attempted to commit suicide with a revolver on learning the intense feeling against him, but was prevented by his officers from accomplishing his rash purpose.
TURKS OCCUPY NEUTRAL ZONE.
ATHENS, May 29.—The Turks have occupied a position at Tsepates in the neutral zone. The Greek government has protested against this movement to the representatives of the Powers.
ATHENS, May 28.—Elaborate measures have been taken to preserve order here. Besides the police and gendarmes the civil guard has been enrolled from among the most trusted inhabitants.
Mr. Theotokis, Minister of the Interior, has resolved to deal severely and in an anti-dynastic movement, and it is a fact that the warships in Phaleron are ready to land troops and artillery in the event of disorders occurring.
These preparations have deterred revolutionists from making any demonstration.

IN A RECEIVER'S HANDS

Swift Creek Manufacturing Co.'s Cotton Mill in Trouble.

By Telegraph to The News.
RALEIGH, N. C., May 29.—The Swift Creek Manufacturing Company, operating a cotton mill in Chesterfield county, Va., near Petersburg, was placed in the hands of a receiver today.
The president and other officials of the company are now on their way to New York to endeavor to arrange the means by which the mill will be kept in operation.
This is the fourth Southern cotton mill to fail in a month. During the week a number of spinning mills in this State have curtailed operations fifty per cent without waiting for the completion of the association agreement.

CRISIS IN SPAIN.

Canovas Tries to Postpone the Downfall of the Ministry.

MADRID, May 29.—The political crisis in Spain continues.
The ministers assert that Premier Canovas del Castillo intends to suspend the sittings of the Spanish chamber next week in order to postpone until October the overthrow of the ministry.
El Heraldo published a pessimistic article declaring that the United States is preparing to intervene, "with perfidy" in Cuba, and asks if the Spanish nation will swallow the pill. What will be the consequences of the denouement is a question.

Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The following is the weekly bank statement issued today:

Reserve increase	\$ 617,150
Deposits increase	3,468,600
Loans increase	2,555,400
Legals increase	800,000
Specie increase	683,700
Circulation decrease	76,800

Ten Per Cent Cut in Wages.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 1.—A ten per cent cut, affecting all under the amalgamated scale, was ordered today by Jones and McLaughlin's American iron works. Open hearted workers and some other employees, about two hundred in number returned to work last night. The firm employs four thousand men.

TUCKER & CO. FAIL.

LARGEST CONCERN IN THE STATE IN RECEIVER'S HANDS.

W. R. Tucker, W. B. Snow and Ernest Haywood Appointed Trustees—Assets and Liabilities Not Known.
Special to The News.
RALEIGH, N. C., June 1.—Raleigh today received a decided shock when it became known that the firm of W. H. and R. S. Tucker & Co., the largest dry goods house in the State, had been placed in the hands of receivers. W. R. Tucker, W. B. Snow and Ernest Haywood were appointed trustees.
It has been known for some time that this large house had not made any money recently, but its failure will cause surprise all over the State. The liabilities and assets are unknown.
The firm was established many years ago by Capt. W. H. Tucker and Major R. S. Tucker, who were very successful business men and accumulated a large fortune. Later the business was sold by them to the Boylan, Dobbin & Poe. Mr. Poe with drew, and the firm has for a number of years been composed of William Boylan, James Boylan and T. W. Dobbin.
The failure was no doubt due to competition of other dry goods houses and the unusually dull times.

THE "DAUNTLESS" CAPTURED.

"Marblehead" Carries the Filibuster in Tow to Key West.

KEY WEST, Fla., June 1.—The steamer "Marblehead" came into port this morning with the filibuster "Dauntless" in tow, which it captured yesterday. While the steamer "Biscayne" was transferring arms and munitions of war to the "Dauntless" a few nights ago, a privateer with Special Inspector Hambleton came upon the steamer and tried to capture the two filibusters. Hambleton kicked and was beaten by the crew, and pushed aboard his own boat, while the "Dauntless" sped to the open sea.
The "Biscayne," with one-half of her cargo unloaded, put back into the inlet.
The "Marblehead" chased the filibuster a long while, finally capturing her.
The "Dauntless" was making fifty knots an hour when captured.

TAILORS WIN COMPLETE VICTORY.

Contractors Agreed to All Their Demands, and They Return to Work.

By Telegraph to The News.
NEW YORK, June 1.—Two thousand striking tailors, employed in the shops of a hundred and five contractors went to work this morning with an advance in wages, and stated working time of fifty-nine hours a week. All their demands have been granted the Lithuanian tailors.
Over two thousand more have also made settlements on their own terms today, and will return to work. Forty five shops of children's jacket makers were thrown open this morning, employing over seven hundred at the new demands, the weapon proving strongest forcing the contractors to sign the agreement in sight of truck loads of unmade garments at their shop doors. The contractors who signed started work for fear the best contracts in fall clothing would escape them.

SEARLES SET FREE.

The Justice Mill Turns Out Another Sugar Trust Official.

By Telegraph to The News.
WASHINGTON, June 1.—Judge Bradley this morning rendered a decision in the case of John E. Searles, secretary of the Sugar Trust, and ordered the jury to find a verdict for the defendant.
Searles' counsel was in court today. The familiar form of President Havemeyer was missing, as were also the Senators and others present during the week of the trial.
Judge Bradley immediately took up the motion of Attorney Johnson for the defence. The arguments were heard Friday, so that all that was necessary was the opinion of Judge Bradley, who gave a review of the evidence.
He also reviewed the case from the beginning of the investigation by the committee, and said Searles testified very fully before the committee that no funds had been contributed to the Democratic national campaign fund.
Thus Searles goes free.

Fatal Riot in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., June 1.—As a result of a quarrel in a saloon early this morning on Columbia street nearly a riot was precipitated, and over a score of shots were fired. Five participants were hit by bullets, and one fatally injured. All were Italians.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Tetter, Chapped Skin or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Burwell & Dunn wholesale and retail.

SPECIAL NEWS DAY COUPON.

This coupon, with fifteen cents, will entitle the bearer to admission to the Woman's Exposition of the Carolinas, at Charlotte, N. C., on Saturday, June 5th, 1897, that being CHARLOTTE NEWS day at the exposition.

By arrangement with the management of the Woman's Exposition Saturday June 5th has been set apart as CHARLOTTE NEWS day at the Exposition. Under this arrangement the NEWS, TIMES and DEMOCRAT, are enabled to give their readers an opportunity to see the Exposition at the nominal cost of 15 cents. All who desire to take advantage of this offer can do so by clipping out the above coupon and presenting it at the exposition Saturday, and they will be admitted upon the payment of 15 cents.

The Exposition is already a splendid success. The News has helped to make it so, and now it wants to give every one a chance to see it. It hopes to make the attendance Saturday larger than for any other day of the Exposition, excepting, of course, the 20th. It will give a splendid reproduction of "Breaking Home Ties" the \$50,000 picture and also a very fine picture of Senator Vance, as souvenirs to all visitors to the Exposition on that day. These alone will be worth many times the price of admission.
The News invites all its friends and neighbors to take advantage of this offer and come to the Exposition on CHARLOTTE NEWS day. All will be welcome.

SAM JONES.

DRAWN THE LARGEST CROWD EVER IN ROCK HILL.

Six Thousand People Heard Him Yesterday Morning.—Rock Hill and Winthrop College.
Rock Hill, S. C., contained Sunday the largest crowd it has ever held in its history, and the oldest inhabitant could not recall another such gathering in our live neighborhood.

Sam Jones was the attraction. Special trains were run from several points to the meeting, and the regular trains were crowded beyond their capacity. A large number went from Charlotte and spent the day, returning at nine o'clock last night. Mr. Jones preached his closing sermon last night, and ended the meeting.
The tabernacle in which the meetings have been held is a rough frame structure that furnishes sufficient ventilation and light, but poor protection against rain or storm. It holds six or seven thousand people. Yesterday the building was crowded almost to suffocation, and several hundred were unable to get in, and stood outside.

Sam Jones preached a thoroughly characteristic sermon in the morning on "The Building of Christian Character," into which was injected a large number of "Jonesisms," including some that are rather threadbare from constant use. He devoted a portion of his sermon to politics, declaring that Grover Cleveland was the greatest man of his time, and saying the people who advocated the free coinage of silver were noodle-headed lunatics who were dishonest and wanted to pay their debts in a currency worth only half the currency in which the debts were contracted. "If you talk about free silver," he said, "you may be all right, I'll tell you what's the matter with you; you ain't got no sense." He said the statement that there is any law in this country that operates for the poor and against the rich is a lie. About a fourth of his sermon sounded as if it were scissored out of the campaign speech of a Palmer-Duckner orator on the hustings.

In the afternoon Evangelist George Stewart preached an excellent sermon, and at night "Your Uncle Jones" held forth again.
Enormous crowds attended every service. Mr. Jones' daughter, Mrs. Graham, played the piano that led the choir, and Mr. Tillman (not the Senator) led the singing.
Rev. Mr. Zimmerman, pastor of the local Methodist church, superintended the raising of the fund for the evangelist, something over \$300 being raised.

WINTHROP COLLEGE.
Winthrop Normal and Industrial College, the South Carolina State institution that corresponds to our State Normal College, is situated at Rock Hill in a commanding position and a beautiful location. The buildings are imposing, probably the finest college buildings in the South, not excepting those at Vanderbilt and Tulane Universities.
The buildings are arranged with a view to comfort and convenience, and are furnished in an unusually handsome style. The institution now contains 400 or more girls, and there were as many more applicants who could not be accommodated.
President Johnson, Prof. E. P. Messer, Prof. Kinard and the other members of the faculty are doing a fine work here, and the college is probably the most popular institution in South Carolina.
The commencement exercises occur next week.

DA'IDSON TRUSTEES MEET.

College Found to be in Fine Condition—154 Students Enrolled.

The board of trustees of Davidson College met in the Central hotel Wednesday at 11 o'clock. Those present were Dr. J. R. Rumble and O. D. Davis, of Salisbury; Col. A. R. Banks, of Yorkville; W. B. Thompson, of Chester; and Messrs. P. M. Brown, G. E. Wilson and R. A. Dunn, of Charlotte. The meeting was for the purpose of transacting general routine business in connection with the college. They adjourned at 2 o'clock to meet again at Davidson on Monday evening, the 7th, where a full report will be made to the trustees.
At Wednesday's meeting reports were heard from the faculty through the president, Dr. J. B. Shearer, from the treasurer, Mr. O. D. Davis, and also from the financial committee through Mr. G. E. Wilson.
The funds and business of the college were found to be in excellent shape and the past year was one of the most successful in the history of this well-known institution. 154 students were enrolled during the year.

Will Not Affect Passenger Conductors.

It can now be definitely stated that the change of terminal from Charlotte to Southern City will not in the least interfere with passenger conductors. Charlotte will be their stopping point as before. This THE NEWS learns from one in a position to know and it will be good news to the conductors, for they regretted leaving Charlotte very much.

Killed Both His Children.

BALTIMORE, June 2.—Edgar Harris, a letter carrier, shot and killed two of his children this morning, and then wounded his eldest daughter. Afterwards he shot himself through the head inflicting a dangerous wound. He is thought to be insane.

Amelie Rives in a Sanitarium.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 2.—Princess Tronbetzky, formerly Amelie Rives Chanler, is in a state of nervous collapse and a patient at a sanitarium.

EARTH TREMBLED.

DISTINCT SHOCKS FELT IN CHARLOTTE TODAY.

The Earthquake Came About Two O'clock and One Shock Lasted Several Seconds.—Shakers and Quakers.
At two o'clock a severe shock of earthquake was distinctly felt in Charlotte and all through this entire section.
The first shock was very slight affecting some buildings as if a heavy safe had been rolled over the floor.
The second shock followed the first one almost immediately. The second shock was quite heavy and was distinctly perceptible for several seconds.

A telegram from Charleston says the shock was not perceptible there. The eastern part of North Carolina has not yet been heard from, but from the reports received, it appears that the earthquake was confined to the western part of North Carolina.
A telegram from Rutherford College, Burke county, states that quite a distinct shock was felt there almost at the same moment it was felt in Charlotte.

Reports by wire from Elmwood, Asheville and points all over Western North Carolina state that the shock was distinctly felt in many localities. FOLKS WHO WERE SHAKEN.
Those sitting in the corridor of the Central hotel felt the shock very distinctly. Mayor Springs was sitting talking to Mr. J. S. Spencer when he first felt the building shake; he remarked about it and Mr. Spencer pronounced it an earthquake.
Several of the members of the North State Club were in the club rooms at the time. One gentleman was in the act of making a slot on the billiard table when he felt the shock and down the stairs he came at a forty rate.

At the graded school the shock was very distinct and along with it some say was a low rumbling noise. At the Southern depot the clerks on the second floor thought the first shock was a passing engine, but the second shock gave the building a quiver that could hardly be mistaken, and shook down some letter files, etc., hanging on the walls.
One man when he got up town was asked if he felt the earthquake. He said he thought the quiver was caused by his room mate patting his No. 11's on the floor.

At the exposition building the pictures in the art gallery were jumbled together, and nearly all of them thrown out of the plumb. Several had to be taken down and re-hung.
At Mr. McD. Watkins', near the city, the shock came near shaking down his store. Rain and hail fell soon after the earthquake.

FELT IN RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, May 31.—Earthquake shocks were distinctly felt in this city at a few minutes before 2 o'clock this afternoon. Reports from Petersburg state that the shocks there were very pronounced.
Special to The News.
OAK RIDGE, N. C., May 31.—Two shocks of earthquake were felt in this vicinity at 2 o'clock this afternoon.
Special to The News.
GREENSBORO, May 31.—This city was very much startled this afternoon by two shocks of earthquake.
Special to The News.
LYNCHBURG, May 31.—Several distinct shocks of earth quake were felt here at about 2 o'clock. No damage is reported so far.

REIDSVILLE SHOCKED.

REIDSVILLE, N. C., May 31.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here this afternoon at exactly two o'clock; no damage done.
Special to The News.
SEVEREST SINCE 1886.
WINSTON, May 31.—The earthquake here a few minutes before two o'clock was the severest since 1886.

Earthquake Notes.

A letter to THE NEWS from Sparkling Catawba says the earthquake there was strong enough to shake window blinds open. Young ladies in the hotel ran out of the house, thinking it might fall on them.
H. H. Cappa writes to THE NEWS from Wales that the earthquake shock was sharp in that vicinity and, according to his time occurred at 2:05 o'clock.

—The sudden death of Mr. John Christenbury at his home in Malard Creek township. Monday night was a great shock to his friends. He died about eleven o'clock, expiring before his wife could reach his side. He had been in his usual health, and the cause of his death is unknown. He was very popular in his neighborhood.

Governor Russell and the State Council have fixed for a loan from the educational fund to the State Board of Education of \$50,000 to comply with the act of the legislature donating money to townships that vote a school tax.

Glass Works Burned.

By Telegraph to The News.
WASHINGTON, Penn., June 1.—The entire works of the Novelty glass company, including two factory buildings, were burned this morning. The loss is \$75,000, partly insured. Seventy-five men are thrown out of employment.

DERBY RUN TO-DAY.

GALTEEMORE THE FAVORITE, WAS THE WINNER.

Lord Rosebery's Horse "Velasquez" Came in Second, and "History" Third—Blue Ribbon Event of the Turf World.
By Telegraph to The News.
LONDON, June 2.—The Derby, the blue-ribbon event of the English turf, was run at Epsom-Downs today.
It was won by the favorite "Galteemore," winner of the Newmarket stakes and two thousand guineas. "Velasquez," which ran second in the two thousand guinea event, was second horse to pass under the post today, and "History" was third.

The conditions of the race were: Derby stakes, six thousand sovereigns; by subscription, fifty sovereigns each for three-year-olds, the nominator of the winner to receive five hundred sovereigns, the owner of the second three hundred and the owner of the third two hundred out of the stakes. There were 293 subscriptions, 90 of whom were declared forfeits.
Summary: J. Gubbins' "Galteemore" first; Lord Rosebery's "Velasquez" second; J. Simon Harrison's "History" third. Time: 2 minutes, 44 seconds.

The crowd was not as large as usual. The royal standard was hoisted at 12:30 o'clock, when the Prince of Wales arrived. His party included the Princess of Wales and her daughters; Princess Lotoria, of Denmark; the Duke and Duchess of York, and King Leopold, of Belgium. A striking feature of the day was the large number of Irish people who had come to see "Galteemore" win.

SEVERE IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Earthquake Shook Down Rocks and Rent the Ground.
By Telegraph to The News.
PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 1.—Yesterday's earthquake was very serious in this region. Heavy rocks were jarred off the mountains and fell on the railroad tracks. Two considerable rents were made in the ground at the court house springs, which has been running muddy water since the shake-up.
Mrs. Judge Martin Williams and child were injured by falling plaster, but will probably recover.

\$2,000 FOR A BOYS SCHOOL.

Raised at Concord—Lutherans Enlarging Their Church.
By Telegraph to The News.
CONCORD, N. C., June 2.—The Lutherans of Concord have begun the enlargement of their church, and its seating capacity will be doubled.
Subscriptions are being taken here for a building for a school for boys. Some \$2,000 has been secured.
The Patterson Manufacturing Co. will at once erect fifteen new tenement houses to accommodate their employees.

TALLY-HO VICTIMS IMPROVING.

Burial of Two Victims Takes Place This Afternoon.
By Telegraph to The News.
NEW YORK, June 2.—All the victims of the tally-ho party accident which occurred at Valley Stream Monday afternoon are reported this morning to be improving, both those at the hospitals and those at their homes.
The funerals of the last two killed will take place this afternoon.

In Other Countries.

The town of Namsos in Norway was hit by fire.
The Turks have begun a suspicious forward movement in the vicinity of Lania.
In Mexico City on Memorial Day the American residents decorated the graves of the dead of 1847 and also wreathed the resting places of Mexican soldiers. The graceful compliment was reciprocated by the Mexicans.
The number of persons presented at the Prince of Wales' levee at St. James' Palace, London, this week, surpassed all records. Col. John Hay and all the staff of the United States embassy attended.
The bill amending the law of association in Prussia was passed by the lower house of the Prussian Diet.
It is reported in Madrid that the Duke of Mandao, Spanish minister at Paris, will succeed the Duke of Tetuan as Spanish minister of foreign affairs.

North Carolina Occurrences.

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REFUSES ANGELL.

TURKEY DECLINES TO ACCEPT THE NEW MINISTER.

He Denounced the Passers of the Armenians and Sided With the Greeks in the Present Conflict.
By Telegraph to The News.
WASHINGTON, May 29.—The Turkish Government has made formal objection to receiving Dr. James B. Angell, of Michigan, as minister from the United States to the Ottoman Empire. The grounds of the denial have not been definitely ascertained, but it is believed to be because of his avowed sympathy with the Christian and Missionary element in Turkey, and his disapproval of the action of the Porte in the Armenian massacres.

The Turkish minister here has notified Secretary Sherman of his position.
In an interview given out by Dr. Angell soon after his appointment, he expressed sympathy with the Turks, and expressed the hope that they might win their cause.

THAT DISPENSARY DECISION.

Senator Tillman Gives Judge Simonton Another Raking.
By Telegraph to The News.
WASHINGTON, June 1.—Concerning the finding of the South Carolina dispensary law void, Senator Tillman said last night: "Judge Simonton has rendered an infamous decision. If Congress were really in session we would get a law through that would reverse Simonton so quick it would make his head swim."
He says the Attorney General of South Carolina would probably apply for justice to the United States Supreme court on a writ of error to stay the effect of Judge Simonton's decision, pending an appeal to the full court. He has little doubt that this will be granted. "The dispensary law is as constitutional as the constitution itself and a good thing for the State," said the South Carolina Senator.

FIVE BURNED TO DEATH.

Fatal Result of an Incendiary Fire in West Virginia.
By Telegraph to The News.
BLUEFIELD, W. Va., June 1.—A terrible affair occurred near Keystone, a small town in this section, before day this morning.
J. A. White's residence is in the country two miles from Keystone. He had gone last night to the depot to meet his daughter, who was returning home. He had left his five children alone in the house, with the oldest child to look after the little ones.
While he was absent, an incendiary set fire to the house. When he returned he found the house in ashes, the children having been burned to death in the flames.

ON ANOTHER TOUR.

William Jennings Bryan to Deliver Lectures for Ten Weeks.
By Telegraph to The News.
LINCOLN, Neb., June 1.—After spending five weeks at home which have by no means provided rest for William Jennings Bryan, he has started on a trip that will embrace Montreal, San Francisco, Rutland, Vt., and Troy, N. Y., which will consume more than ten weeks. He makes this tour for the purpose of filling a large number of lecture engagements for the propagation of his theories of finance.

Striking Tailors Returning to Work.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Today being the Hebrew sabbath all was quiet among the striking tailors, Wallhalla Hall, where they are wont to congregate every morning, bore a deserted appearance this morning. Only the members of the executive committee were there.
Some three hundred strikers returned to work this morning in the shops where the proprietors have signed the agreement. Nearly two thousand strikers are now back in their places.
The contractors' association announced today that on Monday its members will open their shops.
They declare a large number of the strikers will take the wages offered them at first.

Returns Thanks to Charlotte People.

Mr. E. G. Rachel, writing from Pinson, Randolph county says that he brought his daughter, Miss C. J. Rachel, to Charlotte May 5th, she being blind with cataract in both eyes.
She was taken to Mr. Campbell's on North Tryon street, near Dr. Wakefield's office, and on the 9th at Mr. Campbell's residence Doctor W. H. Wakefield, assisted by Dr. Gibbons successfully removed the cataract by an operation from the left eye. They remained in Charlotte under care and treatment of the doctor until the 18th. It is now about three weeks since the operation was formed, and she has recovered her sight.
He writes that "father and daughter both wish to say to the doctors and those whom we made friends while in your lovely city, that we return thanks to them all."