

Our Exchanges Speak.
You would not think of marrying a girl with whom you flirted and who had flirted with dozens of other young men just the same as she did you.—Durham Sun.
Westward whom? This is now the cry. The old slogan of "Westward Ho" died at Oklahoma. And here by hangs a tale—a tale of promise for the South and East—Goldsboro Argus.

We know that Mr. Harrison has been long wishing to adopt this course, that he has felt sorry that he was compelled to banish Dudley from the White House. He is glad that he called him, for he probably thinks that he will need Dudley in 1892.—Durham Plant.
At the moment of writing this, we do not know what Mr. Blanton's majority may be. It matters not to us whether one or one thousand; in either event, Mr. C. D. Blanton is our Mayor. When we use these words, we do so advisedly, intending all that they mean.—Asheville Citizen.

Trade is rather dull, that is evident. What effect the election of Harrison has had upon commercial transactions we will not undertake to say. We may well believe that it has not been reassuring. The country is not booming with the prospect of four more years of high taxation and a War Tariff that discriminates against the poorer classes to be continued indefinitely.—Wilmington Star.
DROPS OF
Tar, Pitch and Turpentine from the Old North State.

Eight young men of Davidson College have pledged themselves to the work of foreign missions.
Hon. Kemp P. Battle will deliver the literary address at the closing exercises of Greenville Institute.
Three colored men were healed by the Board of Medical Examiners to practice medicine in this State.

Mr. Rufus Proctor, who lived about two miles south of Marion, dropped dead last week while planting corn.
Ex-Judge Edwin G. Reade, of Raleigh, has given the Methodist church of Mt. Tirzah a handsome \$150 organ.
An 800 pound "sun" fish was caught a few days ago near Newberne, and was sent to the museum at Washington, D. C.

The large and well equipped gin house of Capt. J. D. Brown of Davidson College, was burned last week. It contained three gins.
Mr. James Norfleet, a prominent attorney of Henderson, formerly of Tarboro, has located in Ft. Payne, Ala., for which place he left yesterday.
The ex-Confederate veterans of the good county of Sampson have decided to erect a monument to the memory of their dead comrades at Clifton.
Senator Vance has been invited to deliver the address before the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, of Columbia, S. C., on the 26th of June. If Senator Vance can accept the society is to be congratulated.

WASHINGTON LETTER.
HARRISON'S SUNDAY EXCURSION—THE COLORED MAN AND BROTHER GETS AN OFFICE—CORPORAL TANNER HAS THE BIG HEAD—COUNTING THE MONEY IN THE TREASURY—BILL CHANDLER AT HIS OLD TRICKS.

From Our Regular Correspondent.]
WASHINGTON, May 13th, 1889.
Harrison's religious following will probably be greatly shocked to learn that the truly good and pious Benjamin has been indulging in a sinful Sunday excursion. But such is the fact. Pious Benny left Washington Saturday morning on board of the Government vessel Despatch, and the sailing master's orders were to keep going night and day until the return to Washington to-night. And, to make matters worse, he has led off with him such innocents as Secretary Windom, who has not yet entirely recovered from the effect of his own indulgence at the last New York celebration; Secretary Rush, who, by the way, needs salt air very much since he was "fresh" enough to think that wielding a scythe for five minutes in the presence of several newspaper correspondents was sufficient to popularize him with the agriculturists and working people of the country; and lastly, but by no means least, Joe Hawley, who, although born in the State of North Carolina, can and does constantly give the trickiest citizens of the State which he represents in the United States Senate—Connecticut—points in all manner of things. Mrs. Harrison was along, but so also were the two McKee children, who probably fully occupied her time, leaving the four—mark the number—pious gentlemen to indulge in their favorite game to as great an extent as they might wish. What was done will probably never be known, as neither of the four concerned are likely to tell any tales.

Chief Justice Fuller, finding the residence in the suburbs which he now occupies under lease to be too far from the capitol for him to walk to and from the Supreme Court room in the capitol, has purchased one of the most desirable private houses in this city, located almost in its centre. The price paid was \$100,000 cash.
Mr. Palmer, the new Public Printer, took charge of the Government Printing Office this morning. Mr. Benedict, the retiring Public Printer, has not been a popular official. No man can be, in that office, who properly looks out for the interests of the Government, but he has nevertheless been one of the very best public printers we have ever had. There has been less waste and more work turned out for the amount paid than was ever before known in the history of the office.

At last the colored man and brother has captured a Presidential appointment. The lucky man was Rev. J. M. Townsend, of Richmond, Ind., and the office was Recorder of the General Land Office; not a big office by any means, but just now the race is extremely thankful for anything it can get.
Corporal Tanner is getting to imagine himself the "biggest" man connected with the administration. Some of his personal friends have already begun to talk of him as a Presidential candidate. If less than two months at the head of the pension bureau has had this much effect, what may be expected of four years? The \$190,000,000 in the United States treasury has all to be counted in order that Mr. Hyatt, the retiring treasurer, may take the receipt of the new treasurer, Mr. Huston, for the same. The count began to-day, and is expected to last something like three months. Nearly four-fifths of the money consists of standard silver dollars.

Mr. Wanmaker is opposed to one-cent postage. He seems to have already become a victim to the fever that postmaster general always get soon after their appointments and seldom ever get rid of. That is the absurd desire to make the Postoffice Department self-sustaining.
It is dollars to ginger cakes that some New Hampshire paper mill gets in its work early in the administration of the new public printer. My reason for thinking so is that little "Billy" Chandler helped Palmer fix up his bond and also went on it himself. Now Chandler never does anything for nothing, and his long experience in manufacturing government contracts in which he has been silently interested causes us to believe that in this case he will stick to the same line of tactics that have made him a rich man.

The appointment of Ex-Governor Thompson, of South Carolina, as the Democratic, and Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, of New York, as the second Republican member of the Civil Service Commission makes the board complete for the first time in many months. One of the first things to be done is to contest the recent decision of the Interior Department that appointments in the census bureau would be made without civil-service examinations.

There are only 200 persons in the State penitentiary, all except these being on contracts. There are two babies, one four years old and the other an infant, in the pen now.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

A strike in a Duluth factory was ended by the proprietor increasing the wages of all the married employees and notifying the unmarried men that they would not be wanted at the end of the month unless married, and when married their wages would be increased.—The Kentucky Democratic State Convention in session Wednesday endorsed the National platform of 1874 and 1888, especial reference being made to the stand taken on the tariff.—Over seventy thousand people attended the session Wednesday yesterday.—The commander of a British cruiser has raised his nation's flag over the Suvarrow Islands in the South Pacific ocean.—Evictions are to be made on a certain Irish estate on Monday.—The landlord has announced that he will burn all the houses from which tenants are evicted to prevent their re-gaining them.—Archbishop Walsh is now testifying before the Parnell Commission.—Sixteen contested election cases have been certified to the Clerk of the House of Representatives. All but three of these came from the South.—The Kentucky Derby was run yesterday at Louisville in the presence of 20,000 spectators. Proctor Knott came out second.—The President commutes to imprisonment for ten years the death sentence of Grace Smallwood, colored, sentenced to be hung in Washington for infanticide.—All the coal heavers in Ashland, Wis., struck yesterday. Trouble is feared.—The Governor of Missouri has decided not to interfere with the sentence of death passed upon the Bald-Knobbers, three of them will be hung.—Fredericksburg, Va., is in great excitement over an outrage committed by a negro man upon a white girl only six years old. He is being searched for, but cannot be found.—Ten miners were killed in a mine in Pennsylvania, Thursday, by a car falling down the shaft upon which they were ascending.—Ex-Secretary Bayard and Miss Mary Willing Clymer, of Washington city, are engaged to be married.—A fight occurred Thursday night between soldiers and strikers in Germany, in which two strikers were killed, and three more were killed in a fight with the soldiers yesterday at another point.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission have decided in the case of the negro Heard against the Georgia Railway Company that the latter had violated the law in providing cars equal in comfort accommodation and equipment for its white and black passengers. The railroad was ordered to cease the discrimination in accommodations against the negro passengers.—The Pope is somewhat indisposed; he is suffering from the excessive heat.—Ten thousand weavers employed in cotton factories at Thizy, France, have struck.—James D. Fish, ex-President of the Marine Bank, of New York was released from the State prison at Auburn Saturday.—An earthquake shock was felt at Annapolis, Md., Saturday.—The Delaware peach crop will be an unusually large one this year.—Twenty members of the last fourth-class at the Naval Academy have been asked by the Secretary of the Navy to hand in their resignations.—Gov. Gordon thinks full justice has never been done ex-President Hayes.—Father Damien, who has devoted the last sixteen years to ministering to the lepers at the Hawaii Islands, has died of that terrible disease.—Senator Simon Cameron's condition is much better. His recovery is anticipated.—Washington I. Bishop died suddenly in New York yesterday.—Professor St. Clair, in undertaking to hop from a balloon in Houston, Texas, lost his hold on his parachute and fell to the ground and was killed instantly.—The Civil Service Commission organized yesterday by electing Commissioner Lyman Thompson, of Springfield, Mass., Republican was mistaken for a burglar by his brother-in-law at the latter's house at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and shot and instantly killed.—A conspiracy has been discovered among the military officers stationed at St. Petersburg to assassinate the Czar. Many of them have been arrested.—Ex-President Cleveland's former law partner, Lyman K. Bass, died suddenly in New York Sunday.—The Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina meets in Henderson to-morrow.

The peanut industry has assumed considerable proportions. It is the greatest industry in this continent, taking the minor agricultural products into consideration. The annual consumption is stated to be 3,200,000 bushels. All these are raised principally in Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, and the production of Tennessee is quite small. It is the little things that make the aggregate. Mark this, farmers.

Having taken letters of administration on the estate of M. L. Townsend, dec'd, I do hereby notify all persons holding claims against said deceased to present them for payment, and all who are indebted to said deceased to come forward and settle at once.
J. B. FURR, Adm'r.

Annual Report
OF
F. A. ARCHIBALD,
Treasurer of the town of Concord, ending May 10th, 1889.

Table with columns: Dr., Cr., and numerical amounts. Includes entries like 'On hand as per statement published May 8, 1888', 'May 9. Am't rec'd from J. C. Winecoff, tax collector, balance', 'F. A. Archibald order 1551', etc.

Letter from Jerusalem.

For the Standard.
MAY 13.—Jerusalem is an inland town of about twenty-five families, situated on the stage road leading from Salisbury to Mocksville, twelve miles north of the former and six miles south of the latter place, and is, or what has been, known as the forks of the Yadkin river, is about equal distance from the bank of each river—viz: two miles to each river. These two streams are known as the North and South Yadkin river—Jerusalem situated six miles north-west of the junction of the two rivers, surrounded by one of the best farming communities in this county, if not in the state; has one doctor, two churches, two stores, two black-steam saw mills, two wood shops, one steam saw mill, one steam cotton gin, which turns out from three hundred to four hundred bales each season; one mixed school, one paint shop, one shoe shop. There is connected with the saw mill shingle machines and planing machinery, all in a prosperous condition; and if all the families of the village would do as well as one of them did about a week ago it would soon double its population. It added in one day to the place one brood of sixteen chickens, one calf, one colt of fine stock, and a family of four kittens, and last, but not least, one fine boy baby weighing ten pounds net; all are doing well, and still there is ample room for more, including all the above industries as well as population. One small boy of the place made a start in the poultry business. He commenced about two months ago and now has from five hens fifty young chickens from frying size down. This place is also noted for its fine fruits of various kinds and grasses. The country is well watered and has good drinking water. Come up and we will feed you on fried chickens, clabber, &c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
NOTICE!
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AT SWINK'S! TO THE
GOOD HAM MEAT
I WOULD BE GLAD TO SUPPLY YOU.
I can sell you a HAM THAT IS DELICIOUS. Once try them and you will always want more.
Please don't say anything about this to Revenue officers: To those who love a GOOD SMOKE I can sell you One Pound Fine-Cut Smoking Tobacco and Pipe for 25c.
I HAVE JUST RECEIVED ANOTHER LOT OF TRUNKS, HAND-BAGS, VALISES, & C. TRAVELERS, GIVE ME A CALL.
WHITE LAWN 10, 12 1/2 and 25 Cents per yard.
W. J. SWINK.
TO RAILWAY CONTRACTORS.
Bids are now wanted for building and equipping the Concord Street Railway, in accordance with the Profile and Specification on file in my office.
Bids from parties who are prepared to do the work at once will be considered most favorably.
J. P. ALLISON, President Concord Street Railway Company.
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RENOVATED AND RESTORED to their ORIGINAL COLOR & BEAUTY at residence
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Sample of work free. Leave all orders at Cannons & Fetzer's.
A LIVE DRUG STORE!
Concord at Last!
Our wholesale business has been very successful, and we thank our friends and customers for kind words of encouragement and liberal orders. Our stock is larger than ever, and our
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We have the Agency for the Baltimore United Oil Co., and keep all grades of Oil in stock.
ALSO THE AGENCY FOR Lullin & Rand Powder Co's celebrated Powder.
When in Concord, will be pleased to have you call.
PATTERSON'S, Leading Wholesale and Retail Store.
Drugs, :-: Medicines, PAINTS, OILS, Etc., Etc.
New York, Baltimore and Charlotte prices will, at
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in the future, BE DUPLICATED, and at any time if the article is not in stock it will be ordered direct from the nearest city by express or freight, as early as possible, DELIVERED AT THE PLACE ORDERED ON THE BOTTLE. Instead of ordering medicines direct, turn over your order to me and I will get it more promptly than you can, and, in addition, save you the freight.
I have just received a large lot of PAINTS, which will be sold as cheaply as they can be bought anywhere. I have also added to my stock an immense and beautiful line of MOULDINGS for picture frames. With my patent mitre-box I can make any size of picture frame in ten minutes, ranging in price from 5 cents to \$10, out of moulding worth from 2 1/2 to 50 cents per foot. My stock of Toys, China and Fancy Goods, Baseball Goods, Croquet Sets, Tobacco and Cigars is the most complete in town.
J. P. GIBSON, my 10-1y
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Illustration of a medicine bottle with text 'FREE' and 'GIBSON'S'.