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### NOT MUCH HONOR IN IT.

The pension list is to be swelled soon, it is said, by including those who deserted the Confederate army and did service in the Union army.

The whole pension list should be purged till it contained none but the needy, honorable veterans and their families, and if the object is to encourage true patriotism (and not scalawagry) Confederate veterans might well be included. No truer soldiery was to be found in those days nor are there any more loyal to the government today than the men who were loyal to the Confederacy.

But the pension roll has degenerated from a roll of honor to a mere rooting in the public will trough.

### BRODIE CONFESSES.

Brodie, the expert, confesses his guilt and says every word of his victim's evidence on the witness stand was true. He says he has no claim against anyone, that Christ was persecuted and that he does not expect anything better.

He and Butler are a pair in the apparent use of the Savior's name.

### A BAD SYSTEM.

Our sister State, Georgia, is called the Empire State of the South, but she has not kept even, it seems, in the matter of convict labor. Gov. Atkinson appointed Col. Phil C. Byrd a commissioner to report the condition, and that report seems rather tough on Georgia's civilization. Such abuses as are reported will condemn the system that begets them. Evidently, letting out convicts to individuals will not do. Gov. Atkinson hopes to effect reform yet before the 20 year lease expires, and the State will hardly try the system again.

### Spain Must Do Something.

The administration is now again credited with the position that Spain must soon settle the Cuban affair or the United States must protect her own interests through intervention. England is believed to approve such course.

### President Dair the Mark.

A suspicious character is being shadowed in Mexico that is believed to be one of a group of Italian anarchists that have plotted to take the lives of all the principal rulers of the world. Whenever the chain of evidence is strong enough to justify, his arrest will be made. Of course President Dair is the mark.

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### Campbell's Opinion of Butler Appears to Have Changed Slightly.

It was a sight to make the gods weep to see and hear L. O. Caldwell last Saturday introduce Marion Butler to a Catawba audience. The silly words he used in those few introductory remarks would make very queer reading along beside the words he used in his memorable canvass in Catawba county in '94. He said last Saturday that Marion Butler was the second saviour of man, "the greatest friend the farmers of this country ever saw," "a saviour of a round million of dollars to the tax payers of this country." In '94 he said he was a "scoundrel," "a hypocrite," "the second Benedict Arnold," "the Manone of North Carolina," "the sly, unscrupulous fox," "the deceiver and disturber."

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The Greensboro Record says that Thursday afternoon Mr. Ed Tate took off his coat and vest and hung them in the hall of his house to do some work in the garden. Mrs. Tate going along with him. "Weary Willie" saw the situation and Mr. Tate is minus a watch and chain.

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### A Youthful Father and Mother.

Other counties may boast of their twins and triplets, but when it comes to a case of youthful parents this county now steps to the front. Several days since, Mrs. Marcellus Earnest, who lives near Cyrene, gave birth to a nine-pound daughter, and mother and child are both doing well.

Mr. Earnest, the father, is only sixteen and his wife is only thirteen years of age. Mr. Earnest paid us a call a few days since, hence we are certain of the facts in the case. We feel assured that so long as she has such patriotic sons and daughters within her borders, the grand old county of DeCATUR need never fear any diminution in her population.—Bainbridge, Ga. Light.

Raleigh will soon holla, "hello," to New York over a long distance telephone.

"The purchasing power of money in the days of the Roman emperors was about ten times what it is at present."—Ex. What in the world did they do for money to run the business of the country?

### Annual Inspection.

The annual inspection of the Cabarrus Light Infantry will take place at the armory tomorrow night. It is desired that Every member of the company appear at the armory tonight and tomorrow night.

Captain Hill is quite sick at his home on North Main street, but it is hoped that he will be able to be with his men tonight and tomorrow night both.

### A Gold-toothed Bigamist.

The News says the police of Charlotte are on the lookout for one Andrew Perry, alias Samuel E. Brown, who is wanted in Orangeburg, S. C., for bigamy. He is said to be an oily, slick tongued counter and a great liar and swindler. He owns tombstones. His description is as follows: Black hair, dark blue eyes, dark complexion, about six feet high, weighs about two hundred pounds; his upper teeth are gold—one solid gold, the others gold filled. He is said to have ill-treated his first wife till she died, and to have married two since, besides having stolen a 11-year-old girl that was rescued from him.

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