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Spring term opens January 5th, 1891. Parents having children to educate are invited to investigate the claims of Norwood High School, founded and maintained upon a basis of high standard and thorough scholarship in all its departments.

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FOR SALE!

I offer for sale for the next 90 days the following valuable property situated in the town of

Albemarle Stanly Co., N. C.,

One Steam, Saw and Grist Mill, Cotton Gin,
60 Horse Power Engine and Boiler,
One set of good Mills,
The largest Saw in the county,
And a Carding Machine attached.
All in good running order. With this property are

NINE TOWN LOTS,

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July 9—3m

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THE OLD APPLE TREE.

Here's the old apple tree, where in boyhood I sported,
When my heart was as light as the blossom it bore;
Where my old maiden aunt by the parson was courted,
In her prim cap and gown such as ladies then wore.
On this rude oaken bench, 'neath bending boughs seated,
While the wild bee was humming its song in the tree,
There we children ofttimes by our elders were treated,
To share with their gossip some cakes and weak tea.

Look! here are the names of the many now sleeping,
Of dear parents and kindred long gone to the tomb;
The old apple tree, like a true friend, is heaping
The oak bench they sat on with beauty and bloom.

In the glad days of spring, when the spirit rejoices,
When the old apple tree looks as gay as a bride,
I could dream that I heard very one of the voices
Of the friends who sat here on the bench at my side.

Every rudely carved name has a story to tell me—
And that true lover's knot, I remember it well;
It was carved on the day when my first grief befell me,
The day of my parting from sweet Isabel.

Oh! the old apple tree, where in boyhood I sported,
And the rude oaken bench, they are still in their place;
But the dear household faces whose welcome I courted,
They have vanished and left me the last in the race. —Vick's Magazine.

Written for THE TIMES.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION IN NO. 4 TOWNSHIP.

EDITOR TIMES:—A large crowd attended the annual Sunday school convention of No. 4 township, which was held in Centre Grove E. L. church Friday, July 31, D. H. Winecoff presiding. In a few well chosen words Rev. R. S. Patterson assured all of a hearty welcome from the Centre Grove people and promised that if further assurance of welcome were needed, it would be given later from well-filled dinner baskets.

Rev. Dr. Bays had been expected to discuss the subject "What Should be Taught in the Sunday School?" but in his absence, Rev. C. A. Marks was prevailed on to take his place; and though speaking without any opportunity for preparation, he did it with great credit to himself. In the absence of Rev. W. R. Brown, the alternate, Rev. W. A. Lutz, gave a brief and practical discussion of "Who Should Teach in the Sunday Schools?" emphasizing the fact that that the qualification required for a successful teacher in the Sunday School was not so much mental education as heart consecration.

After the address there was an intermission of an hour and a half for a general basket dinner, which gave entire fulfilment of the promise made by the first speaker in the morning.

In the afternoon session the election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the election of Dr. J. S. Lafferty for township vice president, and C. J. Goodman for Secretary.

The report of the schools in the township, by Dr. J. S. Lafferty, Secretary for the present year, showed all to be in a prosperous condition.

Resolutions were adopted to the effect that next year each school be requested to attend as a school, and also be required to sing one song as a school.

The closing address on "How the Sunday School Should be Taught," was by Dr. Satterfield, who had been secured to take the place of Dr. C. M. Payne; and all who heard it must agree that such an address was seldom before heard in No. 5 township. The Doctor is a deep thinker and a practical Sunday school teacher, and the ideas be presented on Sunday school teaching will be long remembered.

The convention adjourned with the benediction by Rev. T. W. Smith, to meet next year at Mt. Olivet, the time to be left to the discretion of the township Vice President. T. E. W.

He Was No Fool.

A managing editor tells this story of how he failed to get the best of a correspondent: "News was scarce and the prospects for getting out an interesting paper in the morning were very poor indeed, when from a small, but prosperous and supposedly pious little Illinois town, came this dispatch:

"Fifty of our best citizens arrested to-night for playing poker."

In a jiffy I wired the correspondent:

"Rush details and all the names."

While awaiting the story my spirits rose as I pictured the effect of the bucolic sensation on the first page. The prospects of a dry paper were just disappearing as I thought how interesting the story would be (fifty prominent citizens in a small town like ——, you know, means pretty much the whole town), when there came on the wire, not the correspondent's story, but his reply to my order:

"I am no blamed fool. I expect to live in this town for several years."

Written for THE TIMES.

OLD SOLDIERS' ENCAMPMENT.

MR. EDITOR:—Believing many of the readers of your valuable paper will be glad to hear an account of the encampment of the old veterans and pensioners at Wrightsville, I will give a little account of the good time which will never be forgotten. Before I proceed I wish to thank the ladies and gentlemen of Wilmington for treating me so kindly while I was in their midst.

I left Concord Tuesday on the noon train for Charlotte and at 8:30 that evening boarded the C. C. Railroad for Wilmington and arrived there at ten o'clock next day. We waited there until the train running from there to the sound could be made up, and when we arrived at the sound carriages awaited us and for five cents a head we were taken to the camp. A number of ladies from Wilmington visited the camp Thursday. One, a Mrs. Warren, a confectioneer, announced that she would send to camp that day five gallons of ice cream and a cake as her contribution to the veterans. She wore a confederate badge composed of a number of old confederate bank bills as a reminder of old times.

At ten o'clock the report of the executive committe was read by the chairman, Mr. W. H. Hamilton a blind veteran. At four p. m. the Georgia cornet band marched into camp in full uniform playing "Dixie" at which we all gave the old confederate yell. Gen. E. D. Hall, who by the way is one of the finest men I have ever met, and who did all in his power to make us enjoy ourselves, was presented with a gold badge representing a soldier at rest with his banners furled. In the rear the guns are dismounted and laid aside. The badge is of solid gold and was presented by chairman Hamilton who said: "Its intrinsic value is small, yet it is from the hearts of maimed veterans of the State. Those who went out in '61 are now getting old, and each will soon receive his furlough, signed by the great commander, with orders to report on the other shore, after which no leaves of absence will be granted. There we shall remain till the sound of the last reveille of the resurrection morn, when I hope we shall all meet around the great white throne and know each other there."

On Friday the ladies gave us a dinner which we enjoyed very much and which was as fine as could be set.

There was one veteran in camp who had both his legs off and a number of one eyed ones. When my leg would trouble me by sitting so much I would go down to the bath. One time I took a notion I would go in bathing and after getting my suit I found I had had my collar fastened on my shirt so that I could not get it off, hence I was knocked out of a delightful bath in salt water. I heard several good addresses, shook hands with Gen. Bob Ransom but did not see Gen. Mat, as I left for home before he came, on Friday eve. We came back on the R. & D. road via Raleigh and at Goldsboro were treated to a wagon load of water melons and two kegs of beer and cigars. We took breakfast Sunday morning in Salisbury with Mr. Crawford and came down to Mt. Pleasant in the evening. JESSE HATHCOCK.
Mt. Pleasant, Aug. 3, 1891.

Fernent The Sub-Treasury.

A leading Allianceman in Eastern North Carolina writes: "I am, as you know, a true Allianceman, but I cannot take the Third Party in my Allianceship. We don't need any Third Party in North Carolina, and we do not intend to have it."—Raleigh Chronicle.

The large anti-Sub-Treasury Convention, composed of members of the Farmers' Alliance, that met recently at Fort Worth, Texas, declared: "We denounce the sub-Treasury and land-loan scheme and governmental ownership of railroads as the violation of the first principles of good government, as paternal in their character and centralizing in their tendencies, and if enacted into law they would create such a hoard of national office holders as would fasten the clutches of the party in power so strongly that the voices of the honest patriot citizen would no longer be heard in the control of governmental affairs."

The Globe one day believed in Fife. But when it sees him in the pulpit for what money he may get; when it sees insane men giving him many dollars and neglecting their own preacher who has always been upright, it has no more use for Bill Fife until he explains his conduct.—Durham Globe.

Kansas democrats are considering the desireableness of a fusion with the third party.

"STRANGER THAN FICTION."

Brother Marries Sister—A Horrible Scheme of Revenge.

Twenty-two years ago there lived in a small town in Texas a respectable family named Paine. A son was born and christened Ransom. Not long afterward Mr. Paine had a fight with a man named Wyne, who bore several aliases and was an unprincipled scoundrel. The latter was wounded in the fight, and swore vengeance. The Paines lived in peace until their son was two years of age, and Mr. Paine had forgotten the threat.

One night Mr. Paine was called away from home on business, leaving his family alone. The baby was sleeping in a crib in the mother's room, near an open window. She was forced to leave the room for a few minutes, and upon her return was horrified to find the crib empty. The frantic woman ran to her nearest neighbor, and a posse scoured the country. The husband was sent for, and every means employed to find the missing child, but without avail. The search was kept up for weeks, the agonized father spending large sums of money in the search.

Finally the parents became discouraged, and gave their son up as lost. The father resolved to leave the scene of his great trouble, and a few months later moved to Tennessee, locating at Huron. From there they moved to Milan. In the meantime a girl was born to them, and was christened Nina. The father embarked in the real estate business there, and accumulated considerable money. The girl grew up believing that she was the only child. She developed from year to year until she is now a beautiful bride, much admired by the young men who came to this city from Galveston, Texas. Having fome capital, he opened a large mercantile establishment and entered society; was much sought after by the mammas who knew of his financial standing.

Miss Paine several months ago made her debut in society, and from the first a mutual love sprang up between the young people, and they were soon engaged. On Monday last they were married in a manner befitting their social standing. Tuesday the groom received a note penned in a strange hand, stating that the writer had some important news to tell him, and that he would be in Milan on Thursday. On that day a rough man alighted from the Memphis train, and went to Mr. Paine's office. After conversing for a short time the stranger's manner changed, and in an insolent tone he exclaimed:

"John Paine, don't you know me? Don't you know me? Don't you know the man who has only one leg on your account? Curse you, the hour for my revenge is here! I stole your boy and took him to Paris, and then to Galveston, and a friend of mine took him and adopted him as his child, and raised him well. He has completed my vengeance. To be plain, your son that was lost has married your daughter," Wyne escaped, and if caught will be lynched. The young woman is probably dying from prostration.

Preachers Who "Smack Girls."

Western North Carolina Methodist.

Girl-kissing still goes on. Some time since a Methodist preacher on one of our circuits in the South kissed two young ladies; they blowed on him; he was great-damaged in his standing on the charge—in his influence and in his support. And yet, certain preachers in high life, of the aristocratic order, smack the girls of sweet fifteen and under, whenever they please; and it is all right. Brethren, let us have a little more democracy along this line.

Oh, this ringing in the ears!
Oh, this humming in the head!
Hawking, blowing, snuffing, gasping,
Watering eyes and throat a-rasping,
Health impaired and comfort fled,
Till I would that I were dead!

What folly to suffer so with catarrhal troubles, when the worst cases of chronic catarrh in the head are relieved and cured by the mild, cleansing and healing properties of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. It purifies the foul breath, by removing the cause of offence, heals the sore and inflamed passages, and perfects a lasting cure.

Mr. Darius Waterhouse, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "It cost but little to try Bradycrotine, and a trial is all that is necessary to convince the doubting thousands that it will cure headache."

Two white farmers of Pineville, Mecklenburg county, R. Ludwick and B. Thompson, became involved in a serious trouble last week in which the latter was fatally cut.

STATE NEWS.

Track laying on the North Carolina Midland Railroad has been completed as far as Advance, Davie county.

The assessment of taxable poperty in Mecklenburg county this year, shows a vast increase over the assessment of last year.

Daniel McDougald, who killed his uncle, Simon Conoly, in Richmond county, several months ago, has been captured in Oregon.

Rev. J. C. Dinwiddie, pastor of the Presbyterian church in Leesburg, Va., has accepted a call to the church at High Point, this state.

In the case of the Wilmington merchants who refused to pay the purchase tax, they were found guilty, and fined $100 and costs. They appealed and the case will come up to the Supreme Court to be determined whether the tax is constitutional.

A man in Onslow county owned a fine farm which has heretofore been assessed at $2,000. This year the assessor placed it at $3,000. The land owner kicked—Tax assessor offered to pay the $3,000 for the land—Land owner played bluff game and said all right. Finally the tax assessor sold the land back to its owner for $100 profit.

The J. B. Connelly house and lot, on Walnut street, was sold by the bondsmen at auction at the court house door last Saturday. Mr. R. B. McLaughlin, attorney, read a paper before the sale giving notice of Mrs. Connelly's protest and of her claim to the property, on the ground that her signature to the deed of conveyance had been procured by undue influence. Maj. Robbins, attorney for the bondsmen, met this with the statement that the claim to the property, as set up by Mrs. Connelly, was without ground, and the sale proceeded. Mr. J. W. Copeland, of Clinton, S. C., was the purchaser, at $4,500. He took a deed to the property Tuesday and will move here with his family and occupy it 1st of January next.—Statesville Landmark.

Curious Things About the Postal Service.

Wilmington Review.

A few days since we received a copy of the Congressional Record of February 21, 1889. It arrived here safely on July 14, 1891, having been but little less than two years and five months making the trip, which reminds us that we have now before us a letter directed to the Wilmington Journal and mailed at Chinquepin, Duplin county, May 1st, 1850. There was 5 cents duty as under the old laws letters could be mailed without pre-payment. This letter was sent to Wasnington City, although the direction to Wilmington, N. C., was as plain as daylight, and took a long rest in the archives of gravity in that city. It was mailed there June 21st, 1881, and was received here the next day, June 22d. The postmarks show this. Verily this latter is a curious instance of what might be styled the idiosyncracies of the postal system.

He Told the Truth.

President Board of Police Commissioners—We are sorry to say, O'Hoolahan, that you are discharged from the force.

O'Hoolahan—An' fer what cause, yer honor?

President—A jewelry store was burglarized in your district last night. Did you meet any one on your beat last night?

O'Hoolahan—Yis, your honor. I met a man an' he said, said he, he wus going to open a jewelry sture.

President—He did open a jewelry store and stole $5,000 worth of goods.

O'Hoolahan—The man may have been a thafe, but he wus no liar.

Her Heart's Dictates.

Emeline—Mamma, I think young Mr. Percy is coming to-night to ask me to marry him.

Mamma—Well, my child, Mr. Percy seems to be a very nice young man, and I hope you will act solely as you heart dictates.

Emeline—You may be assured of that. I'm bound that detestable Jenkins girl shall not catch him.

Quite Useless.

Lady—Well, good-by, Bridget. As you are causing me so much inconvenience by leaving me without notice you cannot expect me to give you a reference.

Bridget—Riferince, is it? Holy mither o' Moses! Phat good wud a riferince from yez do me at all? Sure I've towld ivery wan in the place there's not a worrud o' truth in annythin' ye say.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Sugar cane is the crop of the future for a great part of Texas. Over-production has slain the cotton King, says a Texas exchange.

The Lincoln county Alliance has passed resolutions declaring that they will not support any man for office who dose not endorse every demand of the Ocala platform.

The Landmark says that the department for inebriates at the Morganton State Hospital is now in operation. Several have been accepted as patients and more applicaiton are on file, promising soon to put to use all the available room.

The leading cotton factories in New Orleans are placing the present crop of cotton at 9,000,000 bales. If so, look out for six cents a pound for it. Too much glut will causes prices to tumble, cotton included.—Wilmington Messenger.

The News-Observer suggests the coining of a 2½ cent piece of money. It says: "Chatting with a very thoughtful business man the other day, he said there was a great need for a 2½ cent piece. The three answered no particular purpose, but a 2½ cent piece would be largely used. It might be made out of aluminum which is well suited for the purpose."

In a speech at Sulphur Springs Senator Peffer said, that his party proposed for the government to lend fiat money to the people at one per cent. for the purpose of paying off their mortgages. He also said that the party will eventually elect the President, Congress and Senate, and if the Supreme Court did not agree with them they will elect a new Supreme Court.

Some time ago the Farmers' Alliance store of Spartanburg County, S. C., failed. The Alliance disclaimed any responsibility, holding that it lay with the managers personally. Creditors Allmett, Nixon and Goldsborough of Baltimore who claim $2,925, finding they could not collect the debt any other way have entered suit in the United States Court for the amount.

Frederick Foard, an old colored man of this county, has recently made application for a pension under the existing laws of the State for Confederate soldiers. He says he was sent out as cook, and while at Manassah, Bull Run and other places, had his feet badly frost bitten. He claims to be a disabled veteran and "desarves somethin." He further claims that had he seen a Yankee he "would 'er shot him sho." This is perhaps the only darkey on record who has made such a claim and its very being makes it worthy of note.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The alliance demands should embrace the emancipation of the farmer from the sway of the old cotton king. As long as the American farmer plants cotton and submits it to the hazard of American goldbugs on one side and to Liverpool cuts on the other, just so long will he be a pauper producer of wealth for others. Thousands of farmers are eating corn bread and bacon (at a bit a pound) to make a few bales of cotton, that speculators may pocket the profits. It is a voluntary serfdom. Suppose each farmer would raise his own corn, wheat, meat, syrup and sugar, potatoes, fruits and vegetables, as can easily be done—for it is done by a few—then there remains not much to purchase. If all the farmers in the south would adopt this plan, and plant one-fifth the cotton that is now planted, prices would be forced up to 15 cents per pound, and the income would be amply sufficient for all their wants. Under such a system the American farmer would be independent and far removed from possible serfdom.—Exchange.

For Over Fifty Years.

It has been said that skilful advertising will accomplish wonders, and this is partly true, for it is no uncommon thing to see various nostrums achieve a brief notoriety in this way. But they do not outlast the notices that herald them. Thus it is that the mercurial and potash remedies are constantly appearing before the public in new disguises. Advertising, however, will not account for the popularity that S. S. S has enjoyed for fifty years, nor for the fact that it has become a household remedy; nor will advertising account for the thousands of testimonials that the people have given in its behalf. Only the most substantial merit can account for the estimation in which this wonderful medicine is held.

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Summer Excursion Rates.

The Richmond and Danville Railroad will begin the sale of "Summer Excursion Tickets" at greatly reduced rates, June 1, 1891, and will continue the same on sale at all coupon ticket offices in North Carolina until September 30, 1891.

These Summer tickets are limited good to return at any time until and including October 13, 1891.

For list of "Summer Homes," giving cost of board per day, week and month, time-tables and excursion rates, call on coupon agent of this company, or address W. A. Turk, Division Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C., or James L. Taylor, G. P. A.

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Ladies, for natural and thorough organic regulation, take Lemon Elixir.
Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir will not fail you in any of the above named diseases, all of which arise from a torpid or diseased liver, stomach, kidneys or bowels.
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25 cents at druggists. Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta, Ga.

Women are either the noblest creation of God or the meanest. A good woman is little less than an angel; a bad woman is considerably more than a devil. And by bad women I do not only mean to say women who drink, or steal. The chief weapon of a bad woman is her tongue. With a lie she can do more deadly work than the fellow in the Bible did with the jawbone of an ass. Untruth is the fundamental strata of all evil in a bad woman's nature, and with it she is more dreaded than many men with revolvers. There is absolutely no protection from a lie. The courts cannot protect from its venom, and to kill a defamer and falsifier is not yet adjudged as legalized murder.—Ex.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. At druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

It is said that Kansas will raise this year 250,000,000 bushels of corn, and will sell outside of the State $100,000,000 worth of farm products. That is nearly one-third the value of the entire cotton crop. Surely the Alliance is doing very well in Kansas.

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When one person occupies room,	$1.50
When two persons occupy room,	1.25

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When one person occupies room,	[illegible]
When two or more occupy room,	7.00

PER MONTH—28 DAYS:

When one person occupies room,	28.00
When two or more occupy room,	25.00

Children under twelve years old half price. Servants, special rates in accordance to service rendered in caring for room of family or person they are with.
Where there are a family of five or more, or a party of friends from the same town or section, and will occupy one large room, a reduction of ten per cent. will be made.
Care of Stock.—Horses per day, 50 cents; per week, $2; per month, $10.
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