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25 CTS A YEAR

## JOTTINGS.

At Le Grand, Michigan, three years ago, the wife of Rev. John F. Weatherell got a divorce, and during the same week married a man named Buell, publicly stating she was marrying him to reform him from his bad liquor habits, which however she failed to do. He died a few days ago, and she says she will preach his funeral. Revenge! How sweet.

We see that that ex Kansas Colonel, Mr. Al. Fairbrother, is again in the Old North State and is probably writing up its towns. This is the first we have heard of the Colonel for some time, the last being that was in jail up in Pennsylvania. Wonder how he got out.

If the Democrats are wise they will not open their mouths too wide on the silver question but wait for the action of their National convention and abide by it. Silver may be a dead issue next year, and what a lot of agitators will be out of a job.

Charles F. Van Wagner, forty one years old, of Pelham Manor N. Y. after reading the book, "Is Life Worth Living?" committed suicide. His conclusions doubtless were good.

A negro boy, at Jacksonville Fla. trying to get some water-melon out of the St John's river fell in and was drowned. This first water melon fatality to a negro on record.

England declines the offer of mediation by the United States between itself and Venezuela. How long will Johnny Bull bulldoze poor Uncle Sammy?

Herman Benner entrusted \$2,500 to Minnie Destra, his sweetheart, for safe-keeping and now can't find either sweetheart or cash. Another case of ruined by trusts.

Women desperadoes and robbers are becoming common in the West. Does this mean the new women should go West?

Rev Dr Dawson of New York favors bloomers. Perhaps his wife wears them at home.

## KERSHAW AT GETTYSBURG.

### The Decisive Battle Of "The War Between The States."

*A Simple But Thrilling Story of the Great Struggle by Gen. Joseph B. Kershaw.*

#### PART IV.

Finding that Wofford's men were coming out, I retained them at that point to check any attempt of the enemy to follow them. It was now near nightfall and the operations of the day were over. That night we occupied the ground over which we had fought, with my left at the peach orchard on the hill, and gathered the dead and wounded. It was a melancholy task, for they were very numerous. A long list of brave and efficient officers and men had sealed their devotion to the cause they held so dear with their hearts' blood. Capt. Cunningham's company, of the 2d regiment, was reported to have gone into action with forty men, of whom but four remained unhurt to bury their gallant captain and fallen comrades. My losses exceeded six hundred men killed and wounded, about one-half the force engaged.

A glance at the maps edited by Mr Bacheelder, showing the positions occupied by the troops on the 2d of July, will reveal the remarkable fact that the stony hill and wood occupied by this brigade and part of Semmes's was assailed or defended by the Federal brigades of De Trobriand, Sweitzer, Tilton and Brooks, portions of the divisions of Birney, Barnes, Caldwell and Sykes, and of the 2d, 3d, 5th and 6th corps. Nowhere have I found any more forcible evidence of the nature and magnitude of this struggle by McLaws's and Hood's divisions than is contained in Gen Meade's report. He says:

"About 3 P. M. I rode out to the extreme left. \* \* \* Having found Major Gen Sickles I was explaining to him that he was too far in the advance, and discussing with him the propriety of withdrawing, when the enemy opened upon him with several batteries in his front and flank, and immediately brought forward columns of infantry and made a vigorous assault. The 3d corps sustained the shock most heroically. Troops from the 2d corps were immediately sent by Major Gen Hancock to cover the right flank of the 3d corps, and soon after the assault commenced the 5th corps, most fortunately arrived and took position on the left of the 3d, Major Gen Sykes commanding, immediately sending a force to occupy Round Top Ridge, where a most furious contest was maintained, the enemy making desperate, but unsuccessful attempts to secure it. Notwithstanding the stubborn resistance of the 3d corps, under Gen Birney, (Major Gen Sickles having been wounded early in the action.) superiority in numbers of corps of the enemy enabling him to outflank its advanced position, Gen Birney was counselled to fall back and reform behind the line origin-

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## FROM ROAN TO ROANOKE.

Richard Stanhope Pullen, died at his home in Raleigh on Sunday, aged 73 years. He was Raleigh's greatest benefactor. He gave Pullen Park (70 acres) to the city, the same number of acres for the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and was widely known for his charities. His estate is valued at \$200,000.

A C Baur, of Raleigh, who went to Baltimore to marry Miss Blythe the pretty half breed Cherokee has returned to Raleigh, having left her in Baltimore, while he can ascertain the legal states of their marriage, which is against the laws of North Carolina.

By the runaway of his horse at Lincolnton Monday Judge Hoke and his sister were thrown from the buggy. The Judge's right arm was broken and his sister sustained painful hurts.

The Orion knitting mills in Kinston have declared a dividend of 6 per cent on the common stock and an additional 10 per cent of undivided profit. It paid out \$14,164.01 last year in wages.

Hon S B Alexander was elected vice President of the Scotch Irish Society at its Staunton session. Dr Geo W Graham contributed a paper on the "Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

By mistake, Mr Joseph Parker, of Brunswick county, was given a dose of morphine for quinine, by his wife, from the effects of which he died the next day.

There has been so much stealing in Wayne county, and the thieves are so hard to catch that the county commissioners will buy two blood hounds to run the thieves down.

It is said that G. W. Justice, of Asheville, has been in Raleigh, "engaged in the laudable work of trying to get Lord Chief Justice Campbell sober."

Campbell, Chief Justice of the Arrington Committee is kicking for his pay, but the Treasurer says he is entitled to none.

Fire at the mills of the Stimson Lumber Company, at New Berne last Friday, two dry kilns were partially burned, the loss being about \$300.

A fifth dividend of five per cent has been declared in favor of the creditors of the People's National Bank of Fayetteville.

The Philadelphia Lithia Water Company has been incorporated at Raleigh, with a capital of \$100,000 in shares of \$2.

J L Crowell, of Concord, V. Mauney and J M Badgett will build a \$100,000 cotton mill at Yadkin Falls.

Col. Al. Fairbrother has bought an outfit at Durham and will try North Carolina Journalism again.

Gen Ransom will go to Washington, D. C., about July 1st.

Concord claims 5,000 inhabitants.

## BREVITIES.

The contract for an \$18,000 auditorium for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight has been let at Dallas, Tex. The managers are so certain they can bring off the fight there that they have raised a fund of \$50,000.

Robt Fitzsimmons, who killed Riordan in a sparring match at the Grand Opera House in Syracuse sometime ago, is being tried, and may get twenty years in the penitentiary.

Six Chinamen claiming to have been residents of New Orleans, arrived at New York from Cuba recently, and Secretary Carlisle ordered them to be sent back.

The U. S. warships Atlanta and Raleigh are patrolling our Southern coasts looking out for Cuban filibusters from the United States who may wish to help the Cubans.

The libel suit of John E Massey, Superintendent of Education of Virginia, against the Norfolk Pilot Sam Small's paper for \$50,000 is being tried in that city.

By the bite of a spider Congressman W C Owen of the Ashland Ky. district, who won fame by defeating W C P Breckenrige, will lose an arm, as amputation is necessary.

United States Judge Smonton, at Charleston, S. C. sent three dispensary spies or constables to jail for contempt of court in seizing liquor in violation of his recent order.

Howgate has been found guilty of each indictment at the last trial, and an appeal or new trial will be asked for.

The emperor of Germany is said to have been greatly impressed with the efficiency of our warships at the Keil celebration.

Ex-Governor Hastings will oppose Senator Quay for the chairmanship of the Pennsylvania Republican State Convention.

A terrific storm in the vicinity of Owensboro, Ky., yesterday did great damage, especially injuring the wheat crop where it was not cut.

A R Holman, a lawyer of Spring Valley, Minn., is missing with upwards of \$40,000 of tax money entrusted to him.

J W Stopf, city treasurer of South St. Paul, Minn., is short \$13,000. He says his bondsmen will make it good.

A cotton mill to cost \$1000,000, employing 1000 hands, having 80,000 spindles and 2100 looms is to be built at North Adams, Mass.

Mr Dana of the N. Y. Sun, will not have to go to Washington in his libel suit.

Mrs Oattie Corbett, wife of James Corbett the pergilist is suing for divorce.

Mississippi crops are reported in bad condition.

Two more men are to be electrocuted in New York.