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We can pass this way but once. Life is made up of time. He that kills time is constantly committing suicide. Why not enjoy life as we go on? Some of us don't make much of anything but in stakes. He that can look cheerfully over his record of mistakes and who resolves to avoid them in the future is a philosopher.

Congress met on Tuesday. Henderson, of Iowa, was elected speaker, and Congressman Richardson of Tennessee, succeeds Mr. Bailey, of Texas, as leader of the Democrats in the House. All the North Carolina Representatives were present when the house was called to order. Roberts, the Mormon member, of Utah, was not sworn in, and a committee was appointed to investigate his case. A petition containing seven million names was presented against Roberts taking his seat.

North Carolina's copper mines, says an exchange, attracts some attention now. Recent reports have been sent out regarding those in Rowan county. Some very rich finds have been made. Some experts have examined the Gold Hill copper mines and pronounce that they are the best in the world. The miners are giving high endorsement to the outlook, and it is prophesied that Rowan may yet become one of the greatest producing copper districts in the world. The North Carolina copper differs from the famous Lake Superior Copper in that it is much more easily mined and is nearly always found in a natural flux.

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Here's a bit of good sound sense from the Durham Sun: "If people would talk about the good deeds of their fellow men and women with as much avidity as they do of evil deeds of humanity, how much more joy and pleasure there would be in the world? Talk of the good and lift the world higher."

The new English torpedo boat destroyer, the Viper, is the champion water splitter. She recently made thirty-eight knots, or about forty-four miles an hour. She is driven by the Parsons turbine. Parsons says he can build a boat which will make forty-four knots, or about fifty miles an hour.

The boss turkey so far reported is roaming around on an Illinois farm. He stands five feet high and weighs weighs sixty-five pounds. He is too big to tackle and has the joke on the smaller fellows.

Miss McGougan, a student at the State Normal, Greensboro, died Thursday of typhoid fever. She was from Robeson county. The total deaths from the fever at the Normal is seven. Two have died at their homes, making nine deaths from the outbreak.

### STARS.

With the naked eye we can see about 5,000 stars; with a very powerful telescope we can see about 50,000,000, and there is no telling how many millions more there are unobserved. The radius of the earth's orbit, a line 90,000,000 miles in length not only vanishes from sight before we reach the distance of the great mass of stars, but from that distance becomes such a mere point that the most delicate appliances fail to make it measurable.

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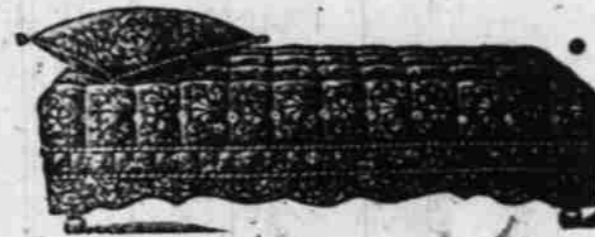
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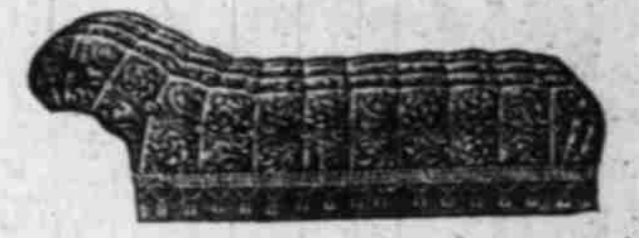
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