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W. C. ERVIN, EDITOR.

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THE BAD BOY.

"If the dogs in our neighborhood hold out I guess I can do something that all the temperance societies in this town have failed to do," says the bad boy to the grocery man, as he cut off a piece of cheese and took a handful of crackers out of a box.

"Well for Heaven's sake, what you been doing now, you little reprobate," asked the grocery man, as he went to the desk and charged the boy's father with a pound and four ounces of cheese and two pounds of crackers. "If you was my boy and played any of your tricks on me I would maul the everlasting life out of you. Your father is a cursed fool that he don't send you to the reform school. The hired girl was over this morning and said your father was sick and I should think he would be. What you done? Poisoned him I suppose."

"No, I didn't poison him: I just scared the liver out of him, that's all."

"How was it," asked the grocery man, as he charged up a pound of prunes to the boy's father.

"Well, I'll tell you, but if you ever tell pa I won't trade here any more. You see, pa belongs to all the secret societies, and when there is a grand lodge or anything there, he drinks awfully. There was something last week, some sort of a leather apron affair, or a sash over his shoulder, and every night he was out till the next day, and his breath smelled all the time like in front of a vinegar store, where they keep yeast. Ever since Ma took her hay fever with her up to Lake Superior, pa has been a terror, and I thought something ought to be done. Since that variegated dog trick was played on him he has been pretty sober till Ma went away, and I happened to think of a dog boy in the Third Ward has got, will do tricks. He will jump up and take a man's hat off, and bring a hankerchief, and all that. So I got the boy to come up on our street, and Monday night, about dark, I got in the house and told the boy when pa came along to make the dog take his hat, and to pin a hankerchief to his coat tail, and make the dog take that, and then for him and the dog to lite for home. Well, you'd a dide. Pa came up the street as dignified and important as though he had gone through bankruptcy, and tried to walk straight, and just as he got near the door the boy pointed to pa's hat and said, "Fetch it." The dog is a big Newfoundland, but he is a jumper, and don't you forget it.

"Pa is short and thick, and when the dog struck him on the shoulder and took his hat pa almost fell over, and then he said get out, and he kicked and backed up toward the steps, and then turned around and the boy pointed to the hankerchief and said, "fetch it," and the dog gave one bark and went for it, and got hold of it and a part of pa's duster, pa tried to climb up the steps on his hands and feet, and the dog pulled the other way, and it is an old last years duster anyway, and the whole back breadth come out, and when I opened the door there pa stood with the front of his coat and the sleeves on, but the back was gone, and I took hold of his arm, and he said "Get out," and was going to kick me, thinking I was a dog and I told him I was his own little boy, and asked him if anything was the matter, and he said, M (hie) after enough. New F (hie) lamp dog chawing me last hour'n a half. Why didn't you come and k (hie) ill em?" I told pa there was no dog at all, and he must be careful of his health or I wouldn't have no pa at all. He looked at me and asked me, as he felt for the place where the back of the linen duster was, what had become of his coat tail and hat if there was no dog and I told him he had

probably caught his coat on that barbed wire fence down street, and he said he saw the dog and a boy just as plain as could be, and for me to help him up stairs and go for the doctor. Pa said he wanted to be cauterised, so he wouldn't go mad. I told the doctor the joke, and said he would keep it up, and he gave pa some powders, and told him if he drank any more before Christmas he was a dead man. Pa says it has learned him a lesson and they can never get any more pizen down him, but don't you give me away, will you, cause he would go and complain to the police about the dog, and they would shoot it. Ma will be back just as soon as she gets through sneezing, and I will tell her, and she will give me a chormo, cause she don't like to have pa drink only between meals. Well good day. There's a Italian got a bear that performs and I am going to find where he is showing, and feed the bear a cayenne pepper lozenger, and see him clean out the Pollock settlement. Good bye." And the boy went to look for the bear.

How the People Can Get Even.

Courier Journal.

"Not guilty," say the jury.

Not guilty of what?

Of conspiracy to defraud the government.

Bah! Where was the need of a conspiracy when Brady could say to Dorsey, "Let me have \$20,000," and could say to Vaile or Peck, "Let me have \$10,000?" The money was handed over immediately, and no questions asked. They all understood each other.

How was Indiana carried in 1880?

By money?

How much?

Over \$250,000.

Where did it come from?

The star route gang.

Where did they get it?

Stole it out of the national treasury.

How did it get into the treasury?

Collected by taxation of the people and placed there to defray the legitimate expenses of the Government.

Then the people were robbed?

They were.

Will any of this stolen money be recovered?

Not one dollar.

But won't the thieves be punished?

No; a jury say they are "not guilty."

How are the people to get even?

By smashing the Republican machine next year, and placing honest men in office.

A Turnip Point for 1884.

N. Y. Sun.

If the Democrats can carry New York, New Jersey and Ohio this year the result will be generally regarded as a decision of the Presidential contest in their favor. If they should also capture Pennsylvania, this will end the matter.

What is the outlook this year in these four states? The New York Republicans are trying to compromise their long standing controversies, but a united Democracy, with a good ticket would certainly be successful. The election of a Democratic Governor in New Jersey by a handsome majority is conceded by all candid Republicans.

In Ohio the tide is setting in favor of the Democrats; indeed with their excellent ticket and platform, their success is pretty certain. If Ohio goes Democratic in October, New York and New Jersey will follow in its wake with large majorities in November, while the Republicans of Pennsylvania, weakened by dissensions, may perhaps share the fate of their brethren in Ohio.

These are victories worth fighting for. The Democrats of these four States have an opportunity this fall to determine the great national struggle of 1884.

GENERAL NEWS.

John Parvey, an employe of the Electric Light Company at Kansas City, Mo., while repairing a line, was killed by a shock, the current being turned on without warning.

A package of \$40,000 expressed by the New York Marine Bank via the Erie Road to the Susquehanna (Pa.) Valley Bank was found on arrival at the bank to contain only blank paper.

The Women's Society of the Reformed Church of America raised in the past year over \$10,000. The receipts of the Woman's Baptist Missionary Society, headquarters at Boston, for 1882, were \$56,132.15.

At Clarksville, Johnson county, Arkansas, Friday Gove Johnson, James Johnson, Munroe McDonald and James Hernden, who last March murdered Conductor Cain while robbing a Little Rock and Fort Smith railroad train, were hanged.

Patrick McKewer, a strange passenger on the State of Pennsylvania, which arrived on New York from Glasgow Saturday, was dangerously scalded during the trip by a young woman, who threw a kettle of boiling water on him for insulting her.

A person was seen swimming across the river from Blackwell's Island, New York, Wednesday. He was pursued by the guard, who fired at him. Yesterday the body of a man wearing a workhouse shirt and with a bullet wound in his back was found in the river at Newtown.

The Butte City coach, with eight passengers, was stopped by road agents east of the Boulder mountains, Montana, on Wednesday. The passengers were searched and robbed of all their money and valuables. The treasurer box of the stage was also carried off.

In New York Thursday the suit brought by the United States government to confiscate four trunks containing \$11,800 worth of tailors' goods, imported by Michael Byrne, was decided in favor of the government. Byrne represented that the trunks contained only personal effects.

Last November Rush Tevis shot Frank Inglehart and seriously injured him. The latter is wealthy and was seen escorting Mrs. Tevis from the most notorious resort in St. Louis. There was a divorce. Now comes the news that husband and wife have been married again in Philadelphia. Mrs. Tevis is a magnificent beauty, of charming manners.

The late Dr. Eliphalet Clark, of Deering, Mo., is understood to have given about \$100,000 for educational and benevolent purposes. The sum of \$50,000 is given to the Methodist Seminary, at Kent's Hill, with the condition that if any member of the faculty or any teacher for any given year shall use tobacco in any form the interest on the fund for that year shall be added to the fund itself.

A terrific explosion occurred yesterday at blast furnace No. 5, in the North Chicago Rolling Mills. Thirty-five tons of molten iron were scattered in every direction. Two men were horribly burned and will die. Fifteen men were more or less severely burned. The accident is believed to have been caused by a defective flue in the steam blast.

Gen. Schofield has telegraphed to the War Department recommending that the Chiricahuas who surrendered to Gen. Crook be left entirely in the hands of the latter, and that both the War and Interior Departments give him full authority to carry out his policy. He sends a telegram from Gen. Crook, in which he advocates placing the Indians on the San Carlos reservation. Gen. Crook says that if the Indians are not fed, or if they are punished for their depredations committed during hostilities, they will return to the war-path. The matter has been submitted to the Interior

The Governor's Mansion.

Raleigh News and Observer

The work of excavating for the foundations, &c., of the Governor's mansion began yesterday. The building stands on Blount street, near the spot where stands the old "Lovejoy" academy which has been for half a century or more a landmark in the city. Around the old school old associations cluster thick, for people of all ages have studied lessons and been well "birched" there in days past or present. But the old and inconvenient building, by no means suitable for a school house, gives way to the march of improvement, and the new mansion will adorn the grove of oaks, which, too, are passing away, and must soon be replaced by other trees.

It may not be amiss to give a sort of a description of the mansion. It will be of brick, faced with brown sandstone of fine color and texture, from Anson county. It will have a basement, two full stories and an attic story. The roof is of slate. The building is in modern style and is spacious and comfortable as to interior arrangement, both of rooms and hallways. It is not, we are informed, expected or desired to be completed in time for occupancy by the present Governor, but every effort will be made to have it ready to turn over to the next incumbent of the executive chair. The building will be handsome, one of the handsomest, in fact, in the city or State.

Newton Normal School.

The State Normal School at Newton opened on the 21st instant, and all our public school teachers should attend if possible.

Prof. N. C. English, of the Greensboro Graded school, is superintendent. He has filled the place for two years with credit to himself and vast benefit to all who have been fortunate enough to be his pupils. He has tact, executive ability, intelligence and experience.

Prof. Mitchel, of the Charlotte graded school will teach mental and written arithmetic.

Prof. W. A. Blair, a graduate of Yale College, professor of English grammar and English literature.

Prof. M. C. S. Noble, of the Wilmington graded school, professor of geography and history.

Rev. Mr. Gurley, of Pennsylvania, will lecture every day on school economy and methods.

Rev. Mr. Foil, one of the principals of the Newton High School, Professor of Algebra and Geometry.

D. Matt. Thompson, Professor of Reading and Arithmetic.

Professor W. H. Evans, Instructor in Music.

Mrs. Jno. A. McDonald, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, will have charge of the Model Primary Class.

Wants a Dog Law.

Journal-Observer

We have recently had another practical illustration of the necessity for a dog law in the experience of a farmer living near Charlotte. Desiring to go into the business of sheep raising he bought eighty-five sheep and put them in one place, and in one night last week the dogs of the neighborhood killed more than half of them. He then housed his sheep and thought he saved the remainder of them, but the dogs got into the fold and killed several more. About the same time they destroyed twelve sheep for another gentleman in an adjoining farm. Naturally these farmers are both mad and discouraged, but they have not entirely abandoned the hope of raising some sheep. They will reduce the number of dogs around there without doubt, for they have armed every employe on their premises with a gun and given instructions to kill every dog that crosses their lines at any time and under any circumstances

WHOA! WHOA! WHOA!!!

"Hold this mule, Lucy Ann, till I run into Tull's and get some of HAMLIN'S WIZARD OIL, for all it costs is one dollar a bottle."