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About the Presidents.

Speaking of the various Presidents after Washington the New York Mail and Express in a recent article gives a list of interesting facts...

The Rotation of Parties.

Attention has been directed to the curious fact that for twenty-four years the people of the United States have chosen their Chief Executive alternately from the two parties...

Indiana Congressmen and Patronage.

The Indiana Republican Congressmen-elect have decided to refer all applications for postoffice appointments to the patrons of the postoffice...

Mrs. Anna Gage, wife of Ex-Deputy U. S. Marshal, Columbus, Kan., says: "I was delivered of TWINS in less than 30 minutes and with scarcely any pain after using only two bottles of 'MOTHERS' FRIEND'."



NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

STATE ITEMS OF IMPORTANCE GATHERED FROM OUR MANY WIDE-AWAKE EXCHANGES.

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BRYAN'S GREAT TOUR.

SUPT. V. E. McBEE CLOSED A BIG CONTRACT WITH MR. BRYAN AND HE GETS OVER \$50,000 A YEAR.

It has been definitely arranged that Wm. J. Bryan is to take the lecture platform and his first address will be delivered at Atlanta, Ga., early in December.

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Kentucky Ghost Story.

Near Richmond, Ky., a girl was mysteriously murdered a year ago, and now, it is said, the spot is haunted. An old negro, Amstead Crum, lives in a log cabin on the Madison side of the Kentucky river, directly opposite the scene of the crime.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Largest U. S. Gov't Report



The news from Havana confirms the butcheries by the Spaniards. The official estimate published in that city is that in the war there had been killed by the Spaniards 5,800 of the enemy, with only 1,476 wounded and hurt, 405 prisoners taken. In war among civilized nations the wounded always outnumber the killed, and even the prisoners taken equal the number of killed in nearly every instance.

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