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LARGEST CITY CIRCULATION.

RALEIGH, SEPT. 26, 1892.

The total vote for President in 1884 was 10,048,461. In 1888 it was 11,898,038. This year the ratio of increase will be greater on account of the addition of six new States, and the vote of these added to the normal growth in ten years will give a total of, probably, 14,000,000

WHERE COLUMBUS' BODY IS.

At a recent meeting of the American Historical Association in Washington, D. C., President Adams of Cornell University read a very carefully prepared paper on the last resting place of Columbus, in which he maintained that the investigations of the German explorer, Rudolf Cronen, had effectually settled the question as to the last resting place of America's discoverer. The remains of Columbus were taken from Spain to San Domingo about 1741, where, the remains of his son and grand daughter were not transported till the beginning of the seventeenth century.

It seems improbable that the leaden box containing the remains of Columbus would have no mark by which it could be identified. The box examined, and taken to Havana in 1735 contained no inscription whatever. The box discovered in the longer vault, opened in 1877, contained five inscriptions—one on the sides and ends of the box externally, one on the outside of the cover, one on the inside of the cover, and two on the sides of a silver plate in the coffin.

Cronen believes that the charge of fraud brought by the Spanish official against the authorities of San Domingo cannot for a moment be admitted. He says the inscriptions themselves when carefully studied, show that they are old; that the processes of oxidizations, which have evidently gone on since the inscriptions were made preclude the possibility of their being modern; that the charge of fraud made against the Archbishop and others in the absence of direct proof is overwhelmingly impossible; that no one of those who have made the charge of fraud has ever inspected the coffin or its remains; that the only bases of conjecture of fraud is the imperfect and incorrect inscriptions heretofore published, and, finally, that a careful and independent questioning of those who had participated in the exhumation in 1877 resulted in a substantial agreement as to all the important details of the transaction.

Cronen thinks notwithstanding the Spanish claim, the proof should be regarded as complete that the remains of Columbus are still at San Domingo.

FASTEST TIME EVER MADE.

One of the Royal Blue Line trains of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad on a recent run between New York and Washington, covered a mile in 39 1/2 seconds as recorded by a mechanical indicator. At this rate the train traveled at the phenomenal speed of a trifle over a mile and a half a minute or over ninety miles an hour which surpasses all previous records of fast time. If the speed were maintained the time between New York and Washington would be reduced without stops to two hours and a half and with stops to three hours. Five hours is now the fastest time between the two cities, and it is made daily by the Royal Blue Line only.

A STORY OF JOHN WESLEY.

A lady once said to John Wesley: "If you knew that you would die at 12 o'clock tomorrow night how would you end the intervening times?"

"Why," was his answer, "just as I intend to spend it. I should preach tonight at Gloucester and again tomorrow morning. After that I would ride to Tewkesbury, preach in the afternoon and meet the society in the evening. I should then repair to friend Martin's house, as he expects to entertain me; converse pray with the family, retire to my room at 10 o'clock, commend myself to my Heavenly Father, lie down to sleep and wake in glory." Can anybody suggest a better programme?

LOCAL TRAINING.

Charlotte Observer.

Parachutes and balloons are no longer "in it" with the small boy. Prize fighting has superseded this entirely. The small boy of this city that hasn't hung up a sand bag as he splied it arranged in Corbett's car, and who hasn't given his attention to it daily, would be hard to find. Across the railroad cut, near the Carolina Central "Y," a poll was discovered the other day, with a good sized sand bag dangling from the center. A group of young folks would be Corbetts were each taking turn about hitting the bag. The expressions were those of the ring, and it is wonderful how pat the small boy has them down. There is scarcely a back yard in town where lives a boy but what a sand bag can be seen. Numbers of rings have been made and imaginary fights indulged in.

Brother Stebbins was preaching a sermon for Brother Brown, the regular preacher in one of the Kentucky mountain meeting houses, and he was very eloquent. Brother Brown sat behind him on the pulpit and was very attentive.

Oh, Lord! exclaimed Brother Stebbins, give to these people wings, that they may fly away from this world of sin and sorrow and—

Brother Brown clutched the speaker by the coat tails.

Don't insist on that Brother Stebbins, he whispered. Don't insist on that; anyhow not until we've taken up the collection. This is pay day.

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By authority of a consent judgment of the Superior Court of Wake county in an action entitled W K Davis and N P Jones, Ex'rs, and others vs Louisa L Cosby and others, entered for the purpose of making assets to pay certain legacies and charges set forth in a judgment in the aforesaid action, I will, as administrator of Mary A Morehead, deceased, and as commissioner on Monday, 3d day of October, 1892, at twelve o'clock m., at the court house door of Wake county, sell to the highest bidder the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said Mary A. Morehead, deceased, to-wit:

First—The lot on Fayetteville street, now occupied by John S Penson as a drug store, fronting 28 feet on Fayetteville street and running back 210 feet to Salisbury street, being part of lot No. 163 in the plan of the city of Raleigh.

Second—That city block in the city of Raleigh, bounded on the North by Jones street, on the East by East street, on the South by Eden street and on the West by Woodworth street, and now occupied by Morson & Denson's school, containing two acres.

Third—A tract of land, four miles north of the city of Raleigh, adjoining the lands of Mrs Kimborough Jones' heirs and others, and known as the Crabtree or Tavern tract, containing 663 acres, according to survey, and is particularly described in a deed from B. S. King to R Smith, book 12, page 454, Register of Deeds' office for Wake county. This tract of land contains a large quantity of timber, original growth.

Fourth—A tract of land lying near the western corporate limits of the city of Raleigh, on the south side of Rocky branch, known as the Williams tract, adjoining the lands of Pullen Park, J. M. Heck and others, containing 27 1/2 acres, according to survey of F Bevers, surveyor, in 1878. Particularly described in a deed from James L Williams and others to R Smith, book 17, page 171, Register of Deeds' office for Wake county.

The last three parcels of the above described lands will be divided to suit purchasers. Maps of the property showing divisions can be seen by applying to undersigned.

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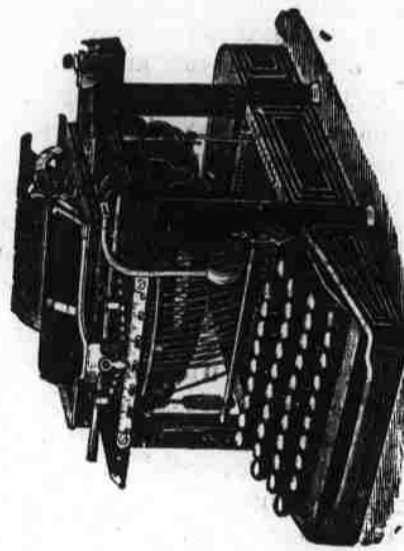
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