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BY N. P. WELLS.

Why then you take the papers?
 They're the life of my delight;
 Except about election times,
 And then I read for spite.

Subscribe, you cannot lose a cent—
 Why should you be afraid?
 For each thus paid is money lent
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Get them and take the papers,
 And pay to day nor pray delay,
 And my word for it is inferred,
 You'll live till you are gray.

An old friend of mine,
 Who e'ring from a cough,
 Desired to hear the latest news,
 While he was dying off.

I took the paper, and I read
 Of some new Pills in force,
 He bought a box—and is he dead?
 No—hearty as a horse.

I knew a printer's debtor once,
 Stacked with a scorching fever,
 Who swore to pay her debt next day,
 If her distress would leave her.

Next morning she was at her work,
 Divested of her pain;
 But did forget to pay her debt,
 Till taken down again.

"Here, Jessie, take these silver wheels,
 And pay the printer now!"
 She slept and slept, and then awoke
 With health upon her brow.

I know two men, as much alike,
 As e'er you saw two stumps;
 And no phrenologist could find
 A difference in their bumps.

'One takes the papers, and his like,
 Is happier than a king;
 His children all can read and write
 And talk of men and things.

The other took no paper, and
 While strolling through the wood,
 A tree fell down and broke his crown,
 And killed him, very good."

Had he been reading of the news,
 At home like neighbor Jim,
 I'll bet a cent that accident
 Would not have happened him.

Why don't you take the papers?
 For from the printer sneak,
 Because you borrow of his boy
 A paper every week.

For he who takes the papers,
 And pays his bills when due,
 Can live in peace with God and man,
 And with the printer too.

THEATRICAL CLERGYMEN—TWO PREACHERS VISIT THE THEATRE IN DISGUISE—THEY ARE ARRESTED AS PICKPOCKETS.—Last evening, at the Museum, during the performance of "Speed the Plough," a gentleman in the audience announced to the attendants that he had been robbed of \$500. The detectives were put on the scent, and began eyeing inquisitively every countenance in the theatre. At length Mr. C. M. Edwards, superintendent of the Museum, discovered a couple of "gay and festive pals," with eyes glasses and canes, curling their moustaches in the utterest fashionable abandon, and apparently with much experience in the business. His quick eye discovered that the hair was "unnaturally long, and that it sat rather too jauntily on the head to be the result of Nature or ointments. He therefore informed the detectives, and the two fellows were "pulled" and taken into a private room. On searching them what was horror of the officers to find beneath the gay whiskers and flashing breast pins two clergymen, who had disguised themselves for the purpose of indulging in a little "unlawful and unholy amusement." One of them had on an enormous fake moustache, and was fixed up in the most recherche style, regardless of expense. The other wore a thin mask over the lower part of his face, which completely disguised his features. Papers of a theological character were found on their persons, but this was unnecessary as they made a full confession, and begged to be discharged, saying that they only desired to see what the theatre was like, in order that they might teach their respective flocks to shun such evil places. One of these theatrical clergymen spends his Sabbaths in preaching to a sleepy Chicago audience; the other (and, thank Heaven, Chicago has not to father them both,) is a minister from the country, who has left his flock for a few days to visit the State fair—and the theatre.—*Chicago Times, 8th.*

THE RAIL-ROADS TO A RESTORED UNION.—Not a Republican State Convention has yet fully and fairly endorsed President Johnson's policy, while every Democratic State Convention has. One Republican State Convention (Minnesota) has directly condemned the President's policy, and the rest of them have taken exception to and by intemperate condemnation his "mild and generous method of reconstruction." Not one Democratic Convention has done. Some of the Republican Conventions have set Stanton above the President, and four others have endorsed negro suffrage, to which Johnson is opposed. No Democratic Convention has thus "opposed the Government." Taking all these facts together, we find the only true and efficient support which is accorded the President, in his arduous labors at a restoration of the Union, comes from the Democratic party! We find, also, that the only obstacle to a restoration of the Union, North or South, is the Radical wing of the Republican party.—*Washington Union.*

A few days since, during the Wirz trial at Washington, the following pitiable scene took place.

After the usual testimony as to the horrible treatment of the prisoners had been gone through with, and Sergeant John W. Gray, of the Seventh Indiana Cavalry had testified, the prisoner, Wirz, raised himself on his hands and knees on the sofa, and, addressing the witness, said: "You did not see me there?"

The Judge Advocate here asked the accused to rise to his feet, so that the witness could see him. This the prisoner, with apparent agony, succeeded in doing, when he again addressed the witness, saying: "You never saw me there. Look good. Make sure." The witness, hesitatingly, said he believed he was the man. The prisoner here became perfectly frantic, and appeared to be in agony from head to foot, when the counsel and the guard induced him to be seated, the counsel, Mr. Schade, telling him it would be all right. The accused (drawing quick and heavy breaths) replied hysterically: "I know it will, but O, God!" He was here handed his bottle of stimulants, and given a drink of water, and the prison Doctor, Mr. Ford, sent for. The accused was taken into an adjoining room. It is said he will not live but a few days longer.

TO THE PUBLIC.

3rd Collection District, Salisbury N. C., Sept. 1st, 1865.

AGREEABLY to instructions from the Internal Revenue Office, I have re-divided this Collection District into divisions, as follows: 1st division to include Anson, Union, Cabarrus and Stanly counties; 2d do. Rowan, Davidson and Davie; 3d do. Yadkin, Forsythe, Stokes and Surry; 4th do. Mecklenburg, Gaston and Lincoln; 5th do. Catawba, Iredell and Alexander; 6th do. Wilkes, Ashe, Alleghany and Watauga; 7th do. Cleveland, Rutherford and Polk; 8th do. Caldwell, Burke, Mitchell and McDowell; 9th do. Yancey, Madison, Buncombe, Henderson and Haywood; 10th do. Transylvania, Jackson, Macon, Clay and Chatham.

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Any person, firm, company, or corporation, desiring to engage in, prosecute, or carry on any trade, business, or profession in this district must first obtain a license therefor provided by law.

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