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IT IS A MATHEMATICAL FACT  
That the man who keeps his  
"An" out of the newspapers  
keeps the "Ain" out of his  
cash box. Therefore try a  
GAZETTE ADVERTISEMENT.

A GAZETTE ADVERTISEMENT.  
A China Egg won't Hatch out  
a Chicken. Neither will Pro-  
clamations on Dead Walls Re-  
vive Langston Trade. News-  
paper Advertisements is the great  
Pik-ulator for Hatching out  
Business.  
A GAZETTE ADVERTISEMENT.

### Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

# Royal Baking Powder

**ABSOLUTELY PURE**

**DRICK FOR SALE.**  
I have again on my yards a full supply of the best of all kinds of brick, which I will sell at moderate prices. Call on me at my address at Bath, N. C.  
M. P. GIBBS.

**SWINDELL HOUSE,**  
W. E. SWINDELL, Prop'r,  
NEW BERNE, N. C.

This is unquestionably the most pleasantly located boarding house in New Berne, and is equipped with neat, clean beds and rooms, and the best food that can be had. The proprietor has 15 years experience in hoteling and knows just how to please Drummers and gentlemen, and the Swindell House when in New Berne, and you will be comfortable and happy.

**BANKING HOUSE**  
OF  
**C. M. BROWN**  
MAIN STREET, WASHINGTON, N. C.  
Deposits solicited and remittance made promptly.  
Savings accounts bought and sold.

**J. B. ROSS,**  
**TAILOR,**  
WASHINGTON, N. C.  
Repairing and making suits in latest styles. Work Guaranteed. A full line of samples. Office at W. B. M. Hall & Co's.,  
April 19th.

**L. JACKOWSKY,**  
**FASHIONABLE TAILOR,**  
WASHINGTON, N. C.  
Suits made in the latest styles and work done the best. Prices moderate. Long experience in New York. Also clothes cleaned and repaired. Next door to J. A. Burgess, on Market St.

**A. B. PENDER,**  
**TONSORIAL ARTIST,**  
MAIN ST., WASHINGTON, N. C.  
Dibble's Old Stand.

**RUCKLES' ARNICA SALVE**  
The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetts, Chapped hands, Child's Itch, Corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.  
For sale by D. N. Bogart.

**COOL OFF.**  
The very best ICE COLD SODA  
at Nicholson's Drug Store. Cream Soda and all the popular Syrups.  
Drug Store under the new Hotel.  
may 28th

**NOTICE OF INCORPORATION.**  
NORTH CAROLINA,  
HYDE COUNTY.  
IN OFFICE CLK. SUPERIOR COURT.

Notice is hereby given of the incorporation of the Fairfield Alliance Company. That the names of the Incorporation are: Willie Watson, Albert C. Taylor, W. A. Williams, Henry Daniels, C. E. Cannon, Tooley Currell, E. Jones, J. H. Jones, P. C. Gunter, Jesse Currell, H. B. Stowe, D. C. Burdick, W. J. Baum, S. L. Williams, Nathaniel Gibbs, Allen Burrus, B. E. L. Daniels, Leroy Smith, J. L. Bricks, house, J. G. Harris, Jonathan Meekle, W. B. Nixson, D. W. Hodges, George N. Hodges, Ambrose Howard, W. J. Harris and P. C. Gunter, and such others as they associate with them. That the principal place of business shall be in Fairfield, North Carolina, and its general purpose, viz.: to buy and sell such goods, wares and merchandise as are usually kept in a general merchandise store; that the duration of the Corporation shall be five years; the capital stock at \$2,000 divided in 400 shares of the par value of \$500.  
S. M. SASS, CLK. SUP. CRT.  
Hyde County.  
1891-2.

**SALE OF LAND.**  
By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Beaufort county made in a special proceeding therein pending, entitled, "Florence H. Bonner and others vs. Bessie Guilford and others," the undersigned as Commissioner in said cause, will sell at the Court House in Washington, N. C., on Monday the 22nd day of September at public auction to the highest bidder, a tract of land in Beaufort county in Richland Township, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the beginning of Joseph Campen's Patent dated December 22nd 1798, and thence running south 21 west 25 poles with said Campen line to E. W. Guilford's line, thence with E. W. Guilford's line south 1/2 west 18 1/2 poles to the 5th line of Campen Patent, now John Pat's line, thence south 89 east 54 1/2 poles with said Campen's 5th line to his southeast corner, thence north 32 west 190 3/4 poles to the beginning. Containing 62 acres more or less, fully described in the Petition in said cause.  
Terms made on day of Sale.  
This 4th day of Sept., 1891.  
H. S. SMALL,  
Commissioner.

### THE NORTH AND SOUTH UNITED FOR THE PROSPERITY

And Development of the Country.

The flag of Peace, the Horn of Liberty, the Drum and Symbols of prosperity have at last united in one solid phalanx and are marching steadily to the encampment on which rests the development of the country.

We have already felt to a great extent, some of the grandest results that could possibly have been obtained through the sweet spirit of recognition, and this day, in acknowledgment of our profitable appreciation, promise to stand by this united people whose trouble we have should by thus far up the river and by whom our downfalls have been picked up and marched to victory. To-day we stand united, shoulder to shoulder, independent of monopoly, and enjoying the happiest thoughts that could fill the hearts of free traders.

Remember while the prosperity of this great union of which we have spoken depends largely upon honesty open-hearted feelings and square dealing with each other, it also applies to each individual financially, and in the sole interest of himself and family.

In the first and most important place a man should look far enough ahead to shun the shoals on which so many ships have been wrecked by the severe wind-storms of percentage and forever lost on the ocean of time. How can I do this?

by paying cash for your goods. I am destitute at present. Deny yourself until you get it, then you can buy the same articles for fifty per cent less than they could be obtained on time. The above are the rules by which we have been guided through the Northern markets.

We pay spot cash for all we get enabling us to sell them cheaper than the same can be obtained by any man who buys on 30, 60 and 90 days time which compels him to charge his customs in addition to his already high priced goods a profit that will make your head swim when you enter his place of business, if you want to be convinced of these truths, buy your fine dress goods, clothing, shoes and gents' furnishing goods at Spencer Bros., Dry Goods Emporium next to C. M. Brown's Bank or the Racket Store, Cor. Market and Main St.

You know second-handed goods are dear at any price, besides you run a big risk of catching the small pox or some other disease by which the former owners and wearers were ushered into eternity. When you come to town don't allow yourself to be pulled in pulled in by these sidewalk box whippers, who are forever on the alert, but call at first-class places where you can get your moneys worth.  
Respectfully  
**SPENCER BROS. & CO.**

### LIFE'S JOURNEY.

[WRITTEN FOR THE GAZETTE.]  
The little babe's first act in life is shedding tears.  
And the heaving billows rife its bark is launched on a sea of strife for after years.

The storm clouds break and forms and breaks  
On life's mad sea:  
From cradle to grave its course it takes.  
Misery and woe are in its wake  
As moments flee.

When will the storm of life be o'er?  
When will it cease?  
Will the raging sea be still no more,  
Nor lightning's flash nor thunder's roar.  
And be at peace?

Frank bark! thy prow not long shall cleave  
The raging surge.  
Loving and loved death must bereave  
Our very names shall cease to live.  
Wide, waves our dirge.

Oh, God, vouchsafe Thy guiding care,  
And light the gloom,  
Though storm-swift rocks and reefs appear.  
If we can feel that Thou art near  
Welcome the tomb!

Since all to be must borrow leave—  
First, last the sod.  
Frail man, thy nothingness perceive,  
Be wise: thy duty do and leave  
The rest to God.

The storm has lull'd. The strife has ceased.  
In dreamless sleep,  
The careless voyager is at peace;  
Denied in life, by death released;  
Nor wakes to weep.

Sleep—take within your narrow bed  
The rest you crave.  
For dying life had death instead—  
"Rejoice and be exceeding glad  
To find the grave!"  
W.

### A Man's First Love.

Why don't girls learn that there's not much compliment in being a man's first love! The man who goes into a garden of flowers and simply takes the first one he meets, doesn't know what he is doing. It may not be sweet; there may be thorns on it, and it may soon fade. The wise man is the one who goes all through the garden, and seeing them all, selects the sweetest, and, most important of all, the one that will last the longest.

Women should be more loving, more affectionate more considerate, and more patient; but I firmly believe—you see by this lam ultra conservative woman—that the man should have the more brain of the two. I don't want a woman to be a fool, but I think she should be more loving than intellectual, and more gracious than learned. That's the end of my sermon on matrimony.—Lucy Stone.

### NOW TRY THIS!

It will cost you nothing and will do you good, if you have a cough, cold or any trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds is guaranteed to give relief, or money will be paid back. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at D. N. Bogart's, Druggist. Large size 50c and \$1.00.

### Navy Clerk Van Vrankin's Sentence.

NORFOLK Va., Sept. 9.—[Special.]—The decision in the Van Vrankin case, sentencing the accused for a term of imprisonment of one year aboard the receiving ship Franklin at the navy yard, is considered by all particularly interested as a very light punishment, and the rumor that a new trial will be requested is entirely unfounded.

### SPECIMEN CASES.

S. H. Clifford, New Casel, Wis. was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a runningsore on his leg of eight years standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitter and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Sold by D. N. Bogart.

### Delegates to National Prison Association.

Governor Hoff yesterday appointed the following delegates to represent North Carolina at the annual congress of the national prison association, at Pittsburg, October tenth to fifteenth: Paul F. Faison, C. B. Denson, W. J. Hicks, C. D. Heartt, Raleigh; T. W. Patton, Asheville; E. D. Hall, Wilmington; J. A. Woodall, Durham; M. C. Reece, Greensboro; J. W. Broadfoot, Winston; W. F. Beasley, Oxford; W. F. Griffith, Charlotte; R. S. Sutherland, Henderson; W. C. Glover, E. City.

### EUROPEAN SITUATION.

#### Deliberate Preparations For A Gigantic War.

[By United Press.]  
LONDON, August 25.—The report that France and Russia had virtually agreed that in the event of a victory over Germany, they would have Schleswig re-annexed to Denmark, has caused considerable comment in Berlin, where the war feeling has been mounting high for some days past. This rumor, however, has called to public attention other rumors of a similar nature regarding the Triple Alliance.

It was stated recently on high authority Vienna that one of the unwritten agreements of the Triple Alliance was, in the event of success in a continental war, to disabuse Russia forever by diverting the empire of Poland, Finland, and the Baltic provinces, and compelling the Czar to abandon St. Petersburg for Moscow. France at the is to be compelled to give up Nice and Corsica to Italy. These arrangements are understood to be merely provisional, but the fact that are talked of shows the deliberate way in which European nations are preparing for the gigantic struggle.

The Russia rifle factories are running night and day on the new breech-loading repeating rifle, with which it is proposed to arm all the infantry, both of the active army and the reserve. But although the greatest diligence is shown in the manufacture, it is believed that at least two years will elapse before the whole military force of the empire will be provided with the weapon. This would not prevent Russia from going to war in the mean time, as not less than 400,000 men will have the rifle within this year.

I have suffered from acute inflammation in my nose and head—for a week at a time I could not see. I used Ely's Cream Balm and in a few days I was cured. It is wonderful how quick it helped me.

For three weeks I suffered from a severe cold in the head accompanied by a pain in the temples. Ely's Cream Balm was recommended to me. After only six applications of the Balm the cold in my head was removed.—H. K. Clark, N. Y., apaiser's Office.

### Cotton Mills of the State.

Mr. John Robinson, Commissioner of Agriculture, makes a fine showing for our cotton factories. There were just after the war sixty mills in the State. In 1890 they increased to one hundred and sixteen, this year there are one hundred and thirty-four cotton mills in operation in North Carolina. This is more than an average of one factory for each county in the State and yet Craven, one of the oldest and wealthiest counties has not a "sing" mill in it for working up its fabrics. How long will our people let this unsatisfactory condition of affairs continue?—Journal.

SAVANNAH, GA., March 25, 1889.  
Mess. Lippman Bros.:  
I was suffering with weakness and general debility, being almost incapacitated from attending to my business. I was forced to call on Dr. Whitehead for treatment. He at once put me on P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium), and after two or three bottles my health improved, and although suffering for some time with general weakness, debility and catarrh, am now comparatively a well man.  
E. B. FOKKER,  
With Cornwell & Chipman.

Flesh a mass of disease, condition hopeless, the system an entire wreck, nerves all unstrung, yet P. P. P. was taken and an entire cure made. Attend to diet and directions of P. P. P., and all blood diseases must yield slowly but surely.

That tired feeling pains in the back and chest, distress after eating, headache and like affections are overcome and cured by P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium).

For Sale by Drs. S. T. and P. A. Nicholson.

### Statistics of Languages.

Professor Kirchhoff gives the following statement: "Almost a third of all humanity, that is, 400,000,000, speaks the Chinese language. Then the Hindu language is spoken by more than 100,000,000. In the third place stands the English language, spoken by almost 100,000,000. Fourth, the Russian, with 88,000,000, while the German language is spoken by 75,000,000 tongues and the Spanish by about 48,000,000. Of the European languages the French is fifth in place."  
Take THE GAZETTE.

### White Public School Committee for Beaufort County.

#### DIST. PANTEGO TOWNSHIP.

1. H. L. Davis, Geo. T. Allen, J. H. Respass.  
2. D. W. Jarvis, T. T. Wilkinson, P. P. Wilkinson.  
3. Jas. H. Ricks, G. W. Howell, A. G. Shavender.  
4. J. R. Bishop, D. M. Rattliffe, T. M. Daw, 5. Chas. Russ, Daniel Woolard, Snowden Waters. 6. W. Judkins, N. Langley, G. L. Pilley. 7. W. W. Wilkinson, W. D. Sadler, Wm. Baynor. 8. G. S. Russ, H. Robertson, J. D. Windley. 57. W. A. Allen, J. F. Cooper, J. W. Paul. 61. R. J. Quiddy, J. H. Rattliffe, S. J. Topping.

#### DIST. BATH TOWNSHIP.

8. J. A. Oden, S. A. Cutler, J. H. Lilly. 9. H. A. Windley, J. D. Elliott, C. F. Pilley. 10. G. B. Williams, J. S. Marsh, C. H. Brooks. 11. J. A. H. Tankard, B. F. Godley, J. J. R. Ehorn. 12. G. S. Respass, T. B. Clayton. J. B. Skittilthorpe. 13. W. H. Gaylord, I. T. Bishop, A. Bailey. 14. J. G. Winsted, J. Bright, G. A. Munger. 15. L. Foster, W. M. Foster, J. D. Wilkins. 51. L. Keech, B. Rattliffe, A. Waters. 53. M. P. Ehorn M. Terterton, G. A. Woolard. 65. H. D. Satterthwaite, J. B. Archbell, J. W. Galyard. 70. F. P. Brooks, J. Crawley, T. M. Midyett.

#### DIST. LONG ACRE TOWNSHIP.

16. W. D. Singleton, A. Pinkham, J. B. Everson. 17. J. L. Brown, A. Alligood, W. R. Congleton. 18. A. N. Cutler, W. J. Cutler, R. O. Gurganus. 19. J. Brady, J. Hawkins, J. B. Wallis. 20. F. H. Waters, P. S. Waters, M. Waters. 21. G. T. Latham, T. H. Harris, J. R. Bowen. 24. L. Alligood, I. Woolard, G. W. Woolard. 52. C. Candy, C. Alligood L. Alligood. 53. H. S. Latham, R. T. Waters, R. C. Waters. 56. L. P. Harris, E. R. Gurganus, J. T. Boyd. 60. J. H. Alligood, C. R. Tankard, J. Shepherd. 64. H. C. Boyd, H. T. Waters, A. C. Harris. 68. T. I. Waters, H. G. Jordan, I. Wallace.

#### DIST. WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

22. W. Z. Morton, Sr., C. M. Brown, Dr. S. T. Nicholson. 23. W. H. Stancill, J. B. Mixon, J. T. Ohanuey. 24. N. Rawls, J. B. Woolard, B. Jackson. 25. H. L. Hodges, B. F. Hodges S. W. Woolard. 26. W. J. Woolard, J. H. Jolly, J. Robertson. 27. J. H. Hardison, A. Hodges, E. Perkins. 28. B. F. Leggett, J. Leggett, C. C. Williams. 54. M. G. Rawls, W. C. Leggett, K. D. Taylor. 62. F. P. Hodges, A. Ball, B. Hodges. 69. J. A. Jackson, J. R. Robertson, F. E. Woolard.

#### DIST. CHOCOWINY TOWNSHIP.

29. J. F. Goley, J. Mayo, B. F. Godley. 30. W. H. Buck, W. H. Patrick, J. T. Winfield. 31. W. M. Lewis, W. D. Lewis, N. Garrett. 32. B. E. Downs, S. B. Latham, J. H. Butler. 33. W. H. Jordan, F. D. Barr, N. Whitley. 34. C. C. Jones, C. H. Latham, C. B. Cutler. 35. J. Jones, E. Adams, N. J. Potter. 36. D. M. Gaskill, J. Warren, H. M. Cox. 37. H. D. Sulley, R. H. Harris, W. B. Cox. 47. J. Taylor, W. A. Harding, F. H. von Eberstein. 58. J. H. Hill, J. Taylor, J. Lewis. 59. W. A. Blount, jr., J. Norris, J. T. Jones.

#### DIST. RICHLAND TOWNSHIP.

38. N. Tripp, C. Lewis, I. H. Pipkin. 39. Ab. Tuten, E. Tripp, C. W. Bonner. 40. H. Bonner, T. R. Boyd, J. Pate. 41. C. W. Holdia, A. C. Cayton, W. H. Boyd. 42. J. S. Rowe, C. E. Tuten, W. R. Caton. 43. F. C. Buck, H. Broome, W. T. Hooker. 44. D. C. Styron, F. B. Allen, J. R. Calloway, S. S. Deal. 46. S. Whirlington, J. W. Mayo, B. H. Mixon. 49. H. H. G. Sawyer, C. A. Roberts, E. Tuttle. 66. J. S. Bennett, Noah Bennett, A. D. Caton. 67. B. West, R. Johnson, J. Brothers.

### FROM NATURE'S STOREHOUSE

It stands to reason that a medicine which will destroy the germ of contagious blood poison and counteract the effects of mercurial poisoning may be depended on to overcome the diseases that have their origin in malaria, or have their seat in an impure condition of the blood. This is what S. S. S. has done, and what it will do, as its popularity attests. As a preventive, and a remedy for the long list of affections that display their activity during the spring and summer months. It stands without a rival. The secret of this is that it is a remedy drawn from nature's own storehouse.

### AN ODD COINCIDENCE.

#### Divorced Couples Meet While on Their New Wedding Tour.

The true story is told of a Lewiston man who several years ago was divorced in the West, came East, and married a woman who was also a divorcee, says the Lewiston Journal.

They traveled South, and there as they sat on a hotel veranda the Lewiston man bowed coldly to a lady who passed them hanging on the arm of a gentleman. "Curiously enough his wife also bowed to the couple."

Said she: "To whom did you bow?"  
"To the lady," said the Lewiston man with a flush. "She was once my wife. To whom did you bow? Do you know her?"  
"No," said she, "I bowed to the gentleman. I had the misfortune once to know him intimately. He was my husband."

#### The Horse Power of Niagara Falls.

The great work of tunneling beneath the city of Niagara, in order to utilize some portion of the tremendous water power there, is fully described in the September number of the Engineering Magazine, New York, by Coleman Sellers, the chief engineer. The paper is elaborately illustrated and makes an exceedingly interesting contribution to the literature of that subject. In the course of his paper, Mr. Sellers says: "Among the various gaugings that have been made of the quantity of the water that flows over the falls 265,000 cubic feet per second has been accepted as reliable, representing at 216 feet fall about 4,750,000 effective horse power. The quantity of water in the great lakes is so vast in amount that it could be gradually drained off and fed over the falls at this rate of flow without any fresh supply from rainfall for at least a century. In other words it would take, with a leakage of 255,000 cubic feet of water per second across the rocky barrier, 100 years to drain the upper lakes, were such a course possible."

#### Flips And Flings.

Calculated to Aggravate It.—Dr. Parris.—"I think, Mrs. Butts, it would do your husband good to feed him on goat's milk a while." Mrs. Butts—"But Doctor, my husband is very headstrong now."—Puck.

#### Wanted It Applied.—"Pa,"

said little Johnny Cutley, "I heard you talking with Mr. Brown just now, and you said you—you didn't believe in future punishment." "Well, Johnny," replied the old man, "the subject is a strange one for you to speak about; but, really, I don't." "Then, I suppose—I suppose that lets me out of the licking, you promised me after supper."—Puck.

#### Hall's Hair Renewer is free from alcohol and does not injure the skin.

It is scientifically prepared, and will restore gray hair to its original color and vigor.

#### President Butler on the Third Party

"I don't see in North Carolina any prospect for the success of the Third Party. My view is that we can accomplish what we desire without it. The farmers want certain relief. The easiest way to get it is the best way. At the same time the farmers do not compromise in any way their demand for relief. There are enough reasonable men in the State to know that it will not do to fight the farmers, if the latter act in a sensible and conservative way. I believe they will so act; but they will not be trifled with any. As their President, I shall stand by them in their demand for relief. Of course the Third party is already organized, but it is not needed in North Carolina. Here the farmers can get what they need. All we have to do is to conduct ourselves properly and success is assured."

#### Ayer's Sarsaparilla, highly concentrated, is the most economical blood purifier that can be used.

No Cash Girls Or Boys In The Shops Of Paris.

There are no cash boys or girls or change railroads or anything of the sort in the Paris stores but there is one very nice custom there, that of seating every lady who comes in. You never stand to do your shopping in Paris. The moment you speak to a clerk, male or female, he or she steps around the counter and places a chair for you without waiting to see whether you are going to purchase or not. No matter how small the shop may be this is always the rule. In the larger Parisian stores there is a room elegantly fitted up for ladies, where there is every convenience that ladies can require, and it contains a free lunch counter supplied with different kinds of cordials and nice cakes.

### The City of Wagon.

The novel feature of going a hundred miles or more in wagons to visit a great Exposition, is attracting the attention of many people within traveling distance of Raleigh, N. C., where it is to be held the great Southern Exposition during Oct. and Nov. No doubt thousands will attend the Exposition in this way, and some of them will stay two weeks. The cost will be comparatively nothing, and it will be more pleasant than stopping at hotels or riding on railroads.

Parties of a dozen or more will arrange to meet and start at the same time, and in this way it will be a real pleasure to go the journey in the old-fashioned way.

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#### Not A Single Good Reason for a Third Party.

There is not a single good reason why any man in North Carolina should for a moment entertain the idea of abandoning the Democratic party. To do so is to—

1. Surrender present good State government.
2. Go into the minority party that can hope to accomplish nothing; and
3. Worst of all, to surrender to the Republican party complete control of the Federal Government for an indefinite period.

To remain in the Democratic party is to insure most of the reforms desired, and to preserve good State government, and put a stop to the Republican policy, which is the only grievance that makes the people indignant, and that has caused them to organize.

#### A Lady Assaulted By A Negro.

WILMINGTON, N. C., September 7.—Saturday afternoon last, near Garland, a station on the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley road, a negro man assaulted Mrs. W. R. Peterson, a middle aged white lady while she was on her way to her son's house. The negro knocked Mrs. Peterson down, but her shrieks for help frightened him off. The man was arrested Saturday evening, was identified by his victim and confessed the crime. He was kept at Parkersburg under guard of two men, the intention being to send him to jail at Clinton, the county seat, on Monday, but Sunday night about fifty masked men took him from the guard, carried him to the place where the assault was committed and hanged him to a telegraph pole along side the railroad. The negro gave his name as McBest, and said he had been discharged from the penitentiary about ten days ago.

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