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Something To Please The Ladies.

Just received a beautiful line of

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The Captured Flag, Belonged to the 14th N. C. Regiment.

We clip the following from the Charlotte Observer.

Having seen some articles in regard to a flag captured at Sharpsburg, I will state the flag belongs to the Fourteenth North Carolina. It was a blue silk flag (North Carolina State flag, given when the Fourteenth North Carolina Regiment was formed as the Fourth Regiment of Volunteers. The ten regiments of State troops having taken part first, the Fourth Regiment became the Fourteenth.

The color bearer, G. B. Little, of Anson county, was killed, one half the company was captured and the flag fell to the ground, no doubt stained with Little's blood. Most of the men who escaped from "the bloody lane" were shot running out. I witnessed the above during the melee.

Yours truly,
A. S. MORRISON,
Company C, 14th N. C.

A letter from A. D. Ayling, Adj. General of New Hampshire, to Col. Alston Grimes, describes this flag as follows:

"The flag referred to is of blue silk and looks as if it was made from pieces, the center portion being of darker material. The flag is bordered with a yellow silk fringe. On one side is painted the seal and coat of arms of North Carolina, on the other the words 'Fourth Regiment, North Carolina Volunteers.'"

This settles the controversy as far as the flag's ever belonging to the Southern Guards or Company E. of the 4th Regiment, is concerned.

Supreme Court.

The Rules of the Supreme Court recently adopted take effect from and after the 24th of December, 1897.

As the "Entire Record" in appeals (except pauper appeals) is now required to be printed, it is very essential to the dispatch of business that the work should be done before the Court begins the call of the District to which the case belongs.

Weyler still expects to fight America before he dies, but he does not say how many typewriters he will need for his work.

Persons who are troubled with indigestion will be interested in the experience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk in the railway mail service at Des Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For two years I have suffered from indigestion, and am subject to frequent severe attacks of pain in the stomach and bowels. One or two doses of this remedy never fails to give perfect relief. Price 25 and 50 cents; for sale at Tayloe's Pharmacy.

Russell in a Hole.

Raleigh, Jan. 13.—Otho Wilson testified today before the Railway Commission that he only took passes last April at the Governor's earnest request and to save the State's money.

Governor Russell then testified in return and denied that he had "earnestly requested" Otho Wilson to take passes but swore he had advised him to take them. Otho Wilson swore that the Governor had said that he was getting free passes for his guests at the executive mansion.

The Governor went back to the Railway Commission office and swore that he had not said that he had gotten passes for his guests at the mansion but that he could get them for pretty much anything that he wanted.

Wilson also went back to the Railway Commission office and swore that Russell had said he used the passes for himself and family and that when Wilson said jocularly that "his family" was only himself and wife, Governor Russell replied to him, "oh, H-ll! that means Mrs. Russell's guests at the mansion."

Riots in Havana.

Washington, D. C. Jan. 13.—Consul General Lee wires the State Department that rioting was going on in Havana, but the disturbance has been quelled for the present. As a matter of precaution the Spanish authorities are having the private residence of Gen. Lee and the U. S. Consulship building's guarded. By order of the Department the battleship Maine is ordered to be in readiness at Key West to leave for Havana at a moments notice, and is placed in communication with General Lee. Gen. Lee reports their 200,000 people on the island who are in the last stages of destitution and it would cost \$20,000 daily to relieve them.

Mr. Seymour Hancock of New Berne, is in Raleigh, accompanied by his father, seeking the appointment of Assistant District Attorney. This appointment seems to lay between Mr. Hancock and Mr. Oscar Spires of Harnett County.

The Civil Service debate in Congress threatens to be a long one.

Senator Teller confidently expects to see the Republican party go down in 1900.

A Cure for Lame Back.

"My daughter when recovering from an attack of fever, was a great sufferer from pain in the back and hips," writes Loudon Grover, of Sardis, Ky. "After using quite a number of remedies without any benefit she tried one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and it has given entire relief." Chamberlain's Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. Sold at Tayloe's Pharmacy.

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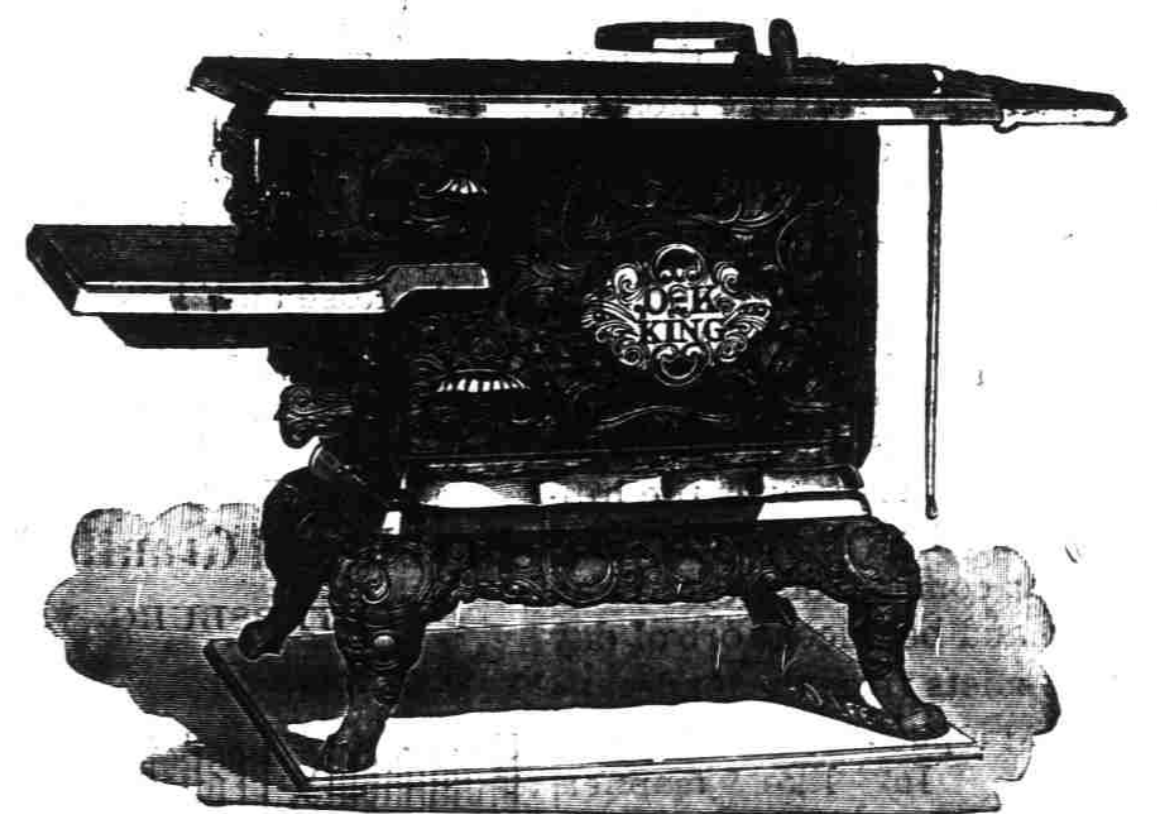
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