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REPRESENTATION IN CONGRESS.

Senators.—Zebulon B. Vance, of Beaufort; term expires March 4th, 1891. Matt. W. Ransom, of Northampton; term expires March 4th, 1891.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Speakers.—L. L. Earby. Houses.—W. H. Anthony, T. H. Taylor.

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CHURCHES.

Episcopal, Rev. Walter Smith, Pastor. Baptist, Rev. J. D. Huffman, D. D. Pastor.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

A PAPER FOR NORTH CAROLINIANS, AT HOME AND ABROAD. EDITED BY EDWARD GILLIAM.

BEN ROHT

TELLS OF SOME REMARKABLE DOGS.

AN UNEXPECTED BARBECUE.

I perused a piece about a dog yesterday which reminded me of when I was a farmer and conceived a yearning passion for dogs. I to gratify myself bought a bull-dog for rabbits, and asked ten of my neighbors to come over and hunt with me.

TRIBUTES TO MR. JOHN NICHOLS.

Since the sad and sudden death of Mr. John Nichols at Apia, Samoa, May 4th, 1889, his relatives have received a number of pathetic and consoling letters relative to his character, his manliness as a soldier, and his department as a christian.

THIS BAD FORM TO TAKE A LADY'S ARM.

(N. Y. Sun.) "The question is often put to me," said a lady whose opinion in matters of etiquette is widely competent, "whether it is ever permissible to take a young lady's arm in acting as her escort on a promenade after nightfall.

STATE PROSPECTS.

CROPS AND BUSINESS.

OTHER NEWS.

Lumber and Crops.

There were a good many of our farmer friends in the city Saturday, and they all report that crops have taken a new hold and have grown and thrived wonderfully within the past week.

Nash County Tobacco Crop.

The bulk of the tobacco crop in this county will be cured this week, and the crop has turned out all that could be expected. We think the tobacco has not as much body as it would have had if the seasons had been more favorable.

Cotton Mills, Tobacco, &c.

The New Factory of the Rocky Mount Mills at Rocky Mount is approaching completion. This new mill contains 10,000 spindles, will be lighted by electricity and equipped with automatic sprinklers and all the latest improvements.

A Famous Betrothal Over Forty Years Ago.

"I wonder how many people know that Victoria the Good, as it has been suggested the queen of England shall be called, when she fell in love had to do the proposing for herself?" said an Americanized Englishman the other morning.

Crops, Factory and a Bank.

A number of farmers who were in town on Monday, were interviewed by the Dispatch in regard to the condition of crops in the county. All expressed a more hopeful view of the situation than that which was held a few weeks ago.

It is Bad Form to Take a Lady's Arm.

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Economize in Little Things.

Webster's Weekly. In the small things to account, save the little things. That's the foundation on which great fortunes have been built.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

The Retort Discomfited. A foolish fellow was taunting a neighbor on the length of his ears.

None Required.

"Let's you and I play a good read 'em," said the first little girl as they stood at the gate.

It Pays to Be Cautious.

"You know George Washington didn't you?" he inquired in a confidential way as he hunched up to a man in a Woodland avenue car.

President Carr and the Alliance.

Statesville Lyndmark. Elmus Carr, Esq., of Edgecombe, who was last week at Fayetteville elected president of the State Alliance.

Salisbury Watchman.

Billy Brown, just returned from Catawba county, reported having been in the corn field of Mr. John Brown, of that county, where he stood in one place and with a saw being stuck through forty-five ears of corn.

But this is not so very extraordinary.

Mr. Brown's case and our stretched arm together would describe a circle of very nearly 12 feet, and it is quite certain that 45 ears of corn can be easily raised on such a circle.

These extraordinary yields are interesting as showing the possibilities in corn raising.

They were undoubtedly the result of high manuring, careful preparation and thorough cultivation.

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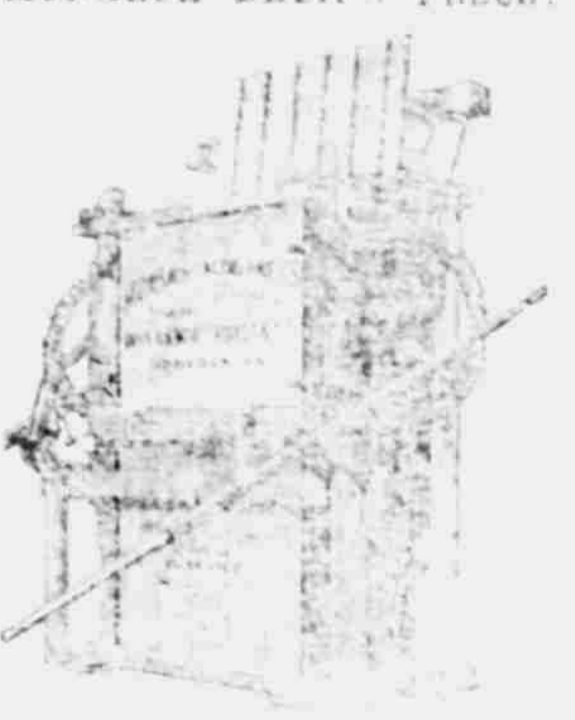
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