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What's the matter with W. T. Crawford ex Congressman from the ninth district for Governor? Raleigh News and Observer.

The Truth. A Democracy that should deplave for free coinage at 16 to 1 would not be the Democracy of Jefferson, or of Jackson, or of Benton, or of Calhoun.

The Cost of Surry Court. Editor TIMES: I send you aggregate of the bill of cost allowed as expenses of the last term of the Superior Court, of Surry county.

Witnesses and Officers costs \$1014.67. Jury cost estimated 475.00. Total \$1489.67. It cost the county nearly fifteen hundred dollars to run the last term of court.

Respectfully, J. G. Burris. Rockford, May 5th, 1896. Doughton for Governor. Mr. J. M. Carson one of the editors of the Alleghany Star writes to the Raleigh News and Observer the following letter.

This fall the voters of North Carolina will elect State and county officers. In performing this duty, incumbent upon every voter in the State, our people should exercise precaution.

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Letter on Finance.

On this beautiful day when the sky is so ethereally blue and the sun so warm and dazzling, when the catbirds are chanting their melodious voices in honor of their safe return from the regions below, when the crows are flapping their wings and shouting caw, caw, over the sprouting corn.

AN OLD FOGY.

Revenue Agents have been playing havoc with our block-aders around here the past week. They cut up an illicit distillery about 4 miles north of this place and seized one bucket of the corn juice which they took down to Mr. A. Dinkins' and gave Mr. Dinkins the bucket and gave a negro who was working for Mr. Dinkins the contents, seems that the negro beat the white man out "that once".

Communion services were held at Forbush church last Sunday. A fairly large crowd was present, and Rev. Jones Angel, preached a very interesting sermon to a large and appreciative congregation.

Rev. M. H. Long, of Yadkinville will conduct a two days meeting at Huntsville, M. E. church commencing Saturday before the third Sunday in this month.

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A Burning Bush in Caldwell.

Mr. Calvin Cobb, of Granite Falls, Caldwell county, writes State Geologist Holmes as follows: "On my plantation there is a piece of land where fire is to be seen both day and night time. The light appears like fire, moves like it and roars like it, yet the vegetation is not burned.

A Campaign Reduction.

As is the custom with nearly all the State papers we have decided to make a reduction in the price of the TIMES for the campaign. We will send this paper from now until January 1st 1897 for FIFTY CENTS.

T. T. Best, of Winston who died last week left his property which amounted to about \$10,000 to the Christian or Campbellite church.

New Castle Notes.

Politics and the other kind are beginning to bother the people a little. We don't claim any acquaintance with the former. Mrs. J. M. Crater has a bonnet that was made by her great-grand mother sixty five years ago.

Mr. J. T. Roberts has a clock that has been in use one hundred and forty years. Every wheel is made of wood. Ugly Sam. May 2nd, 1896.

A child was cured of croup by a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. A neighbor's child died of the same dread disease, while the father was getting ready to call the doctor.

How to Treat a Wife.

First, get a wife; second, be patient. You may have great trials and perplexities in your business, but do not therefore, carry to your home a cloudy or contracted brow.

For every quarter in a man's pocket there are a dozen uses; and to use each one in such a way as to derive the greatest benefit is a question every one must solve for himself.

Swan Creek Smiles.

Mr. James Carter and sister Miss Jamie Carter visited at Mr. B. L. Mathis Saturday and Sunday. Mr. W. D. Adams lost a fine milch cow Sunday morning. Cause: murrain.

There was a Demorest Silver Medal Contest at Swan Creek last Saturday night. There were ten contestants. Mr. J. M. Adams won the medal. M. A. This. May 6th, 1893.

Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physicians' prescriptions or other preparations."

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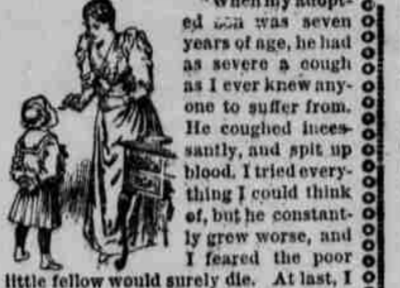
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