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NEWS ABOUT THE STATE.
Happenings as Reported by the State Press.
Sallybury Herald: Miss Fannie Shober left last night for Montgomery, Ala., to attend the marriage of her brother, Mr. C. Ernest Shober, to Miss Graves, on the 30th inst.

The Weldon News says it is rumored that the celebrated Ringwood Vineyard (of Halifax county) has been sold to the Mann-Arrington Gold Mine Company for \$75,000. This is one of the largest and most valuable vineyards in the South.

Scotland Neck Democrat: The Norfolk and Carolina Railroad Company have recently filed for record in Halifax a mortgage executed to the Central Trust Company of New York to the amount of \$12,000 per mile on the road from Portsmouth to Tarboro.

Asheville Citizen: The Mt. St. Joseph's Academy, in this city, has been closed and the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy in charge of that institution will be transferred to other fields of labor. The cause of the suspension of the school was occasioned by a lack of patronage and the necessarily heavy expense incidental to its proper maintenance.

Wilmington Review: A large and interesting meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held at the rooms last night, to concert measures to raise the balance of the amount necessary to complete the building fund. It was stated that \$21,000 is now pledged and that the work will not be begun until \$25,000 is raised. A number of young men volunteered to take around subscription lists to raise the \$4,000 needed, and they were on the streets today but had not reported at 4 o'clock.

Wilmington Messenger: The interest in emigration is unabating among the colored population of this city. The meeting at Saul's Chapel Monday night was attended by upwards of a thousand men and women and numbers were turned away because they could not get standing room inside the hall. Last night there was another largely attended meeting at Wooten's Chapel, and tonight it is proposed to have another mass meeting at Saul's Chapel.

Life in Oklahoma.
Kingfisher (Oklahoma) Boomer.
Rale Thimberigger paid us a pleasant visit yesterday and told us that he had just won a fine quarter section at a shooting match with a tenderfoot. He paid the funeral expenses himself. Rale is a gentleman. We learn that the seven new towns started west of this place overlap one another very seriously. One man from Illinois lives in three of the towns and is running for mayor of all of them.
Coroner Gonsweiler is so far behind in his work that he requests us to inform his patrons that he is doing the best he can. His friends will oblige him by not making efforts to increase his business at this time.
Jim Triggers called on us yesterday and made us a nickel-plated derringer for a year's subscription to the Boomer. He got the derringer from a man who died suddenly after calling Jim a horse thief. Come again, Jim.

There will be a two game and a Sunday-school running in this town tomorrow. All are invited.
The new cemetery south of town is moving with general favor. If any reader of the Boomer sees anything that he doesn't like in this paper we will gladly take it back on our next issue.
Secretary Window's Illustration of Bad Politics.
From the Baltimore Sun.
The heads of the various departments, especially Secretary Window, have many appeals made to them by Republican patriots to turn the "Democratic rascals" out of desirable offices. Secretary Window is a practical politician as well as a politician.

It is unable to be influenced to a considerable degree by demands made upon him by party friends. He was recently called upon to accept the resignation of an official in the Treasury Department. In doing so he said in the most straightforward manner: "Mr. —, I have heard many compliments paid you in the discharge of your official duties, and were your politics different I should be pleased to have you remain in the department. You can, of course, appreciate the fact that it would be many faithful Republicans are knocking at our party's door."

An industrious, sober mill operative at Elmir, N. Y., killed himself and his four children, sparing his baby. The mother was attending a sick neighbor. His wife testified that they lived unhappily together and were to have separated next month. He left a note on the little one's cradle.
"I leave my silver watch to baby. Take care of him and give him the watch when he grows up. Buy me and the children in the family lot in Sabourville."

A Scrap of Paper Saves Her Life.
It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; it helped her, she bought a large bottle, it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued to use it and is now strong, healthy, rosy, plump, weighing 140 pounds. For fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, druggist, Fort Smith. Trial bottles of this wonderful Discovery Free at Burwell & Dunn's drug store.

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Round trip rates to New York, account of Centennial of Inauguration of Washington, in effect April 26th, 1889.

Henderson to Gaston inclusive	ROUND TRIP RATES.	
	Individuals	Parties of 25 or more.
Henderson to Gaston inclusive	\$15.75	\$11.00
Millbrook to Kittrell, inclusive	15.00	10.25
Stanford to Apex, inclusive	18.00	12.25
Gibson to Cameron, inclusive	18.75	12.75
Cheaw	20.25	14.25
Rockingham to Lenoirville, inclusive	18.75	12.75
Wadesboro to Charlotte, inclusive	18.75	12.75
Mt. Holly to Lincolnton, inclusive	20.00	13.50
Cherryville to Shelby, inclusive	20.50	14.00
Lacrosse to Rutherfordton, inclusive	21.25	14.50
Croftly to Maxton, inclusive	20.00	13.75
Louisburg and Laurel Hill	20.50	13.50
Cherter and Catawba Junction	20.00	13.75
Weldon	14.50	10.00

Tickets to be placed on sale from April 26th up to and including train No. 35, on the 29th, good to return until May 4th, inclusive. Tickets not good on trains leaving New York after 2 p. m. on May 6th.
Party tickets to be sold for uniformed parties of 25 or more, traveling together on one solid ticket.
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Genuine Linen Holland Shades (not paper) on the very latest improved spring roller, will last for many years; all colors reduced from 50c to 45c. A better grade Linen Shades, with Dadoes, in all colors, on spring rollers, reduced from 60c to 45c. A still better grade—well, these take the cake. Well, we put the knife in the price and let them go at a sacrifice. Don't forget the fixtures to our curtain shop will not tarish.
A genuine Maximilian Quilt reduced from \$2.50 to \$1.75. Another grade nearly as good reduced from \$2.00 to \$1.45. Another grade—well, we don't want to give them away, though they are worth \$2.25 you can have them at \$1.75. One lot Dresden Gingham worth 50c. This week we put the knife in the price and they are yours at 35c.
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