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THE WILMINGTON DISTURBANCE

The people of Wilmington after passing a quiet election day and winning a notable victory at the polls, the old bad blood had to find vent, yesterday, and the battle of ballots has changed to a battle of bullets.

It is too early to pass judgment upon the result, but there can be no question that the final settlement shall be for white rule and good government in the metropolis of North Carolina, which has been too long cursed with Russellism, which has developed a spirit among the negroes of Wilmington hostile to civilization, and inimical to law and order.

The disturbance of Thursday, in Wilmington, is really the culmination of a year's petty crimes, committed in that city by the negroes. These crimes may not really be placed in the column of misdemeanors, but they have not proven more serious in character because they did not reach their full extent.

Robbery and incendiarism have prevailed without serious check in Wilmington. The negro has had his way. He has talked, paraded and given public voice through his newspaper. He has established himself upon what he regarded as a safe foundation, upon the false premise that there was a common equality of the white man and the black man.

This assumption has been fostered and encouraged by Russell and his henchmen. It has been so constantly and persistently upheld as a truism, this common equality, that the Wilmington negro has grown to believe it. Thursday's action by the white citizens has dispelled this idea.

It would seem as if the public notification to Russell and his followers, in regard to the election, ought to have demonstrated to these negro leaders that white supremacy was to be established all along the line, that Russellism in Wilmington and New Hanover must end.

But the negro seems to have had too deeply rooted in him the idea of his importance, that the white man was only threatening, in jest. What has followed shows how very different was the fact. Blood has been shed. More may follow, and it will continue until it is fixed upon the negro of Wilmington that he is not the equal of the white man, nor shall he sit in judgment or rule the white man.

The Wilmington disturbance teaches a lesson which the white leaders of the negro should take note of, and profit by so doing. It shows the danger of keeping in unity the negro vote to further the personal ends of a few white leaders, regardless of civic and social conditions.

And seeing the danger of thus forming a single race to vote solidly and blindly at the dictation of a few men, the lesson to be taught, and to be deeply impressed upon all white leaders of the ignorant negro vote, is that their leadership is at an end, that the solid negro vote shall not be thrown against Anglo-Saxon rule, nor the cause of good government, which can only be maintained and upheld by the white man.

The Wilmington disturbance is a serious matter, considered from a point of law and order, but with the atrocious conditions existing and the constant menace which threatened the white people and the commercial interests of a great city, the disturbance and the final settlement of local evils is welcome, and vastly to be preferred to a continuation of the previous uncertainty which has held in uncertainty the commerce of a great city.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Cures a Cough or Cold in 10 minutes. Why cough and sneeze? This medicine is ready to cure you. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds. Sold by all druggists.

Based on the Gentlest Sex. There is much of the slave and the tyrant hidden in the nature of woman. Thus woman is not yet capable of friendship, but only of love.

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A man should be reared for the vocation of a warrior; a woman for the recreation of the warrior. All else is rubbish. A woman's principle of honor is to love more than she is loved, so as not to be second.

In any game where love or hate is not at stake women play a mediocre part. All women behind their personal vanity cherish an impersonal contempt for woman.

As a rule, a mother loves herself in her son more than she loves him.

\$100 Reward \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.

Book Swinging in India. Hook-Swinging—the swinging of religious enthusiasts from hooks thrust through their flesh—is still practiced in some parts of India.

A Clever Trick. It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lane's Back and Neck Kidneys, Malaria or nervous troubles.

Not the Only Unfortunate. Mrs. N. Peck—"Down in Pennsylvania they've caught an eel fast in a wedding ring."

Bound to Win. An Indiana couple who have married life with \$2 in cash have acquired a competency and have had five pairs of twins born to them.

Might Bite Her in the Back. "Why did Mamie Higgins decline to take a tandem bicycle ride with Jimmie Gossett?"

Trouble With the Thread. "Bessie, you don't seem to be getting along well with your embroidery. What is the matter?"

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A Virginia Mother

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How it Happened. Mrs. Good—"My poor man, are you married?"

Other Games Given. Many steamers are reported lost in the Yukon, but it isn't stated that any of them sank by being overloaded with gold.

Dr. E. Berchman's Anti Diarrhoeic. May be worth more to you than \$100 if you have a child who soils bedding from incontinence of water during sleep.

When it is Dangerous to Be Funny. Don't attempt to be funny with a stranger; he may prove to be funnier than you are, and your best friends will laugh to see you outwitted.

Should Be Watched. Kearney county has a young gentleman named Larkin Forster, and a young lady named E. M. Wating.

A Type of His Class. "I see you've still got your old office boy."

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RETROSPECT. When you were born, I cried and loved when you were half the day; these were small signs of affection that sweetest converse of the blooded way.

Chess Clocks. There are specially constructed ones used in the game. Hourglasses or sand glasses were formerly used for the purpose of measuring time at chess matches.

The Pony Express. W. F. Bailey contributes to The Century an article on "The Pony Express," between St. Joseph, Mo., and San Francisco.

Wine of Cardui. Women used to think "female diseases" could only be treated by "local examinations" by physicians.

Wine of Cardui. Wine of Cardui has now demonstrated that nine-tenths of all the cases of menstrual disorders do not require a physician's attention at all.

The Penitentiary and His Horse. The Italians are not remarkable for kindness to animals, but rather the reverse.

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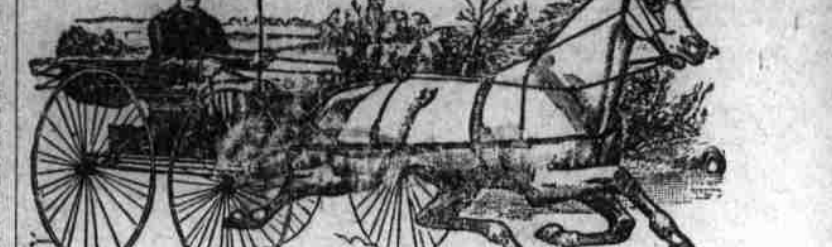
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