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MR. SIMMONS CONFIRMED.
 The JOURNAL has already announced the confirmation of Mr. Simmons.
 The country is familiar with the influence that caused the delay and it is not necessary further to refer to them. Now that the senate has done its duty, we trust that it will tend to unite the Democracy of North Carolina more closely than ever. Mr. Simmons richly deserved recognition at the hands of the Government, and there can be no doubt that he will discharge the duties of his office with scrupulous fidelity.
 The appointment and confirmation of Mr. Simmons necessitates the election of a new Chairman of the Democratic state Executive Committee. We have no man to suggest for the place; but we trust that, whoever he may be, he will be a representative of the party and not the fagelman of a faction.
 It has been said that some of the appointments of Mr. Simmons to places in the Internal Revenue service were injudicious. It would be the strangest of strange things if no mistakes had been made by him in the selection of his subordinates. The wonder is that he has acquitted himself so well in his difficult task. There are many men that he would have delighted to honor with official station, but like another distinguished North Carolinian, he had more applications than he had plate, and may plates had to be returned empty.
 We have no doubt that Mr. Simmons will magnify his office, and that higher honors are in reserve for him.

MAJOR ROBINS DESIRES INFORMATION.
 He Makes a Request of Confederates Who Fought at Gettysburg.
 To Confederates who were in the battle of Gettysburg:
 The Gettysburg Battlefield Commission would be glad to have the present address of all Confederate officers and men still living who were in the battle of Gettysburg, together with a statement of the commands they were in and the rank they held at that time. Also, letters from each of them specifying with care and accuracy what precise points on this field they occupied and fought over, and any other important matters concerning this subject which they can state definitely. I would also be gratified to have as many old Confederates as can afford it to visit this field and look over it with me.
 The United States Government is seeking, through us as its agency to locate and mark with permanent tablets the lines, positions and evolutions of every command on both sides in the battle on each of the three days—in fact, to photograph on the ground all the phases of that historic conflict in which both armies displayed the almost heroism and won immortal renown.
 The commission has requested me, as its Confederate member, to give special attention to verifying points and details on the Confederate side. We already have much information but desire absolute accuracy. Those who will be kind enough to comply with this request should address me either here at Gettysburg or at Stateville, N. C.
 The press of the whole country, and especially of the South, will oblige us by giving this notice the widest circulation.
 Wm. M. ROBINS, Comr.
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 Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Land.
 Pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure of mortgage and order of sale of the Superior Court of Craven County, North Carolina, in the civil action entitled Green, Fox & Co. vs. W. H. Clark, et al., a Commissioner duly appointed and authorized by the said judgment and order of sale, I will sell to the highest bidder at the Court House door of Craven County, in the city of New Berne, N. C., on the 24th day of May, 1894, (being Monday) and the first day of Spring term of Craven County Superior Court, at 12 o'clock noon, or as soon thereafter as the Court shall take a recess, all the following described land, lying and being in Craven County, North Carolina, on a child's creek, and bounded on the North by a child's creek, on the East by Adam's creek road, on the South by the New Berne road, on the West by the lands of the late Rufus W. Bell, containing one hundred and fifty acres, more or less, being the same tract of land formerly owned by Stephen L. Givner, and well known as the Givner tract of land. Terms of sale cash.
 This April 18th, 1894.
 C. R. THOMAS, Commissioner.

How a Chicago Man Was Cured of Rheumatism.
 Mr. John Hall, of 9235 Commercial Ave., Chicago, met with a serious accident for which he used Chamberlain's Pain Balm, freely, with the best results. "But now," says Mr. Hall, "comes the best part of my story. For many years I have been quite a sufferer from rheumatism, with stiffness of the joints. Since the application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, all symptoms of rheumatism have disappeared; in fact I believe that it has banished every trace of rheumatism from my system." For sale by J. V. Jordan, Druggist's.
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A NERVOUS COASTER.
 Tobogganing Down the Steep Incline of Lookout Mountain.
 A short, compactly built man with a heavy blonde mustache took a toboggan slide down Lookout Mountain recently. He went via the incline and made the trip from the Point hotel to the engine house, a distance of forty-five hundred feet, in three and one-half minutes, which is just one-third the time it takes a car to descend. Fully one hundred people saw him make the lightning-like descent, and all were greatly excited. The nervous coaster, however, was as cool as the proverbial cucumber, and upon reaching the foot of the mountain walked away as coolly as though it had taken him an hour to descend. About four o'clock the coaster appeared at the Point hotel with what appeared to be a block of wood about eight inches square under his arm. On one side of the block was a steel horseshoe, in the curve of which was a small flanged wheel. The other side of the block was slightly concave. The block was put on the outside rail of the incline, the wheel fitting close, and the horns of the horseshoe were on either side. Then the man put a heavy glove on his right hand, and sitting down on the block started down the mountain without more ado. He held his feet crossed straight and before him and rested them on the iron rail. For a few feet the little one-wheeled car moved slowly, and then the speed increased until it and its human freight were going down the mountain at a rate that made the spectators hold their breaths. When a curve was reached the coaster slowed up slightly by pressing his heels against the rail and steadied himself by touching the cable with his gloved hand. Finally, when he reached the very heavy grade just above the engine house he took off all brakes and came down like a shot out of a gun. Arriving at the bottom he put on the "heel" brakes and gently came to a stop just in the depot. Coolly rising from his queer vehicle, he placed it under his arm and walked quietly away before any of the astonished spectators had a chance to recover their breath or ask any questions.—Chattanooga Times.

MILLET'S SUBJECTS.
 His Sympathies Were with the Toilers in the Fields.
 Millet chose the subjects of his pictures from among the familiar objects of the life in which he had been brought up, and from the work that he himself had performed, not that he wished to delineate misery, but that he sympathized with the laboring peasant life. To him it seemed the most natural condition of man, and he knew by experience that the workers of the fields do not continually grumble at their occupation, that even in many instances they enjoy it, and know how to mingle amusements with their labor. His subjects always impress one with his great love for humanity, and are not presented to excite pity on the part of the beholder. If he represents a mother showing her daughter how to sew or knit, it is always with the affection and tenderness of a mother. Or he represents a new-born lamb, which the shepherdess carries in her apron, the legs of the newly born being still too weak to walk to the sheepfold. The ewe follows the lamb, never taking her eyes from it, and has the anxious air of a mother trembling with love and tenderness for the safety of her little one. Thus he shows us the sentiment of love as it exists in nature, even among the animals.
 He admired order and care in the mother of a family. He has never painted a peasant with clothes torn. He sometimes painted one with patched clothes; but surely this spoke of order in the home. He had a horror of people who went with clothes torn and unsewed, showing the want of neatness and care.
 His peasant is always honest and respectable in his rustic but orderly ways, and never has a wicked or trivial air. He never made a portrait of an individual peasant. He tried to paint a type which would characterize the man of the fields.—Century.

RECEIVERS' SALE OF WATER WORKS.
 Pursuant to the power conferred upon us by a order made by the Superior Court of Craven County in an action where in C. DeLafayette and others are plaintiffs and the Lewis Mercer Construction Company and others are defendants, which order is now pending in said court; WE WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION at the Court House door in the city of New Berne, on Monday the 4th day of June at the hour of 12 o'clock M., for cash, to the highest bidder, all the property owned by the city of New Berne Water Company, described as follows:—That certain tract or parcel of land adjoining the City of New Berne and the west containing about two acres, and being the same which was purchased by the city of New Berne Water Company from Jno. F. Zetler, by deed recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven County, in book — pages —, and the same wherein is situated the power house, stand pipe, and wells of the said Co.; also the stand pipe, power house, engines, boilers, pumps and all other machinery and fixtures of every description now on said land; also all the pipes, mains, hydrants, valves, and all other property of the said City of New Berne, the same consisting of about 7 miles of pipes and mains, seventy five fire hydrants, and all the necessary gates and valves for the operation of the said water works system; the said property being now a completed water works system for the city of New Berne, as provided by the contract made by the City of New Berne, with the Lewis Mercer Construction Company, on the 7th day of February 1893; also all the franchises, rights, powers and privileges granted to the said Lewis Mercer Construction Company, by the City of New Berne by the terms of said contract, which said contract has been assigned to the City of New Berne Water Company; including an easement in the streets of the said City of New Berne, for the purpose of using and operating the water works system and a contract with the City of New Berne, for the purpose of using and operating the water works system and a contract with the said City of New Berne, for 75 hydrants, at the price of fifty dollars per year each, for the term of 30 years; also all the tools, and all other property of every kind owned by the city of New Berne Water Company, in the said City of New Berne; and all property of every kind attached in the action above recited.
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Sale of Valuable Property.
 Pursuant to a judgment of the Superior Court of Pamlico County rendered at Spring term, 1893, in an action entitled American Lumber Company vs. Wm. Potter & Amos da his wife, et al., by which judgment the undersigned was appointed commissioner, I will sell by public auction, at the Court House door in Pamlico County, to the highest bidder on Monday the 24th day of May, 1894, between the hours of twelve o'clock M., and 2 o'clock P. M., the following described property, to wit: A certain piece of land, lying and being in Pamlico County, North Carolina, in No. 3 township and described as follows to wit: Beginning at 162 1/2 poles from George Dees Northeast corner, running South 75 degrees West, then North 2 1/2 degrees East, 200 poles then North 75 degrees West 200 poles to Judge Egan's line, thence South 75 degrees East 200 poles to the Sawyer line, thence with said line to the beginning, containing four hundred acres, being a part of the Bryan Smith tract of land, and conveyed to the said Wm. Potter, Sr. by deed by Geo. Allen, Executor and others, recorded in Pamlico County 11 book No. 7, folios 47-4-5, to which reference is made. Also one steam saw mill formerly situated on the Bryan Creek in Pamlico County, consisting of boilers, engines, saws and all fixtures and appurtenances and all attachments thereto connected for the operation of said mill, also the leasehold interest in the lands on said Broad Creek upon which said mill of Wm. Potter, Sr. and W. S. Swindell was situated with privileges &c. for the operation of said mill. The said mill is now located at Lenoir's Creek, and the same is now located. Also one hundred and twenty five thousand feet of lumber, consisting of the said mill, viz:—Taper Broad Creek, Pamlico County, North Carolina, and one hundred and twenty five thousand feet of lumber the same being at the former location of the said mill, viz:—Taper Broad Creek, Pamlico County, North Carolina.
 This April 18th, 1894.
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 Etta Johnson vs. Action for Divorce.
 Primitus Johnson, take notice that you are required to appear at the Fall Term, 1894, of the Superior Court in and for the said county, to be held at the Court House in the city of New Berne on the 12th day of October next, Monday in September 1894, and plead, answer or demur to the complaint on file in this office of the Clerk of said court.
 W. M. WATSON, Clerk Superior Court.
 George H. White, Atty. for Plaintiff.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.
 Pursuant to a decree and order of the Superior Court of Craven County in a certain proceeding for sale for partition, entitled Joseph L. Hahn, vs. Hannah A. Matthews and John Matthews, I will sell at the Court House door in the city of New Berne, to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday the 4th day of May 1894, at the hour of 12 o'clock M., the following described lot, as set out and described in the petition filed in said proceedings, bounded and described as follows: Lying and being situate in the City of New Berne, State of North Carolina, beginning at the Northwest corner of lot number 369 on the South side of Queen Street, and running thence south easterly to the Northwest corner of lot number 374, thence easterly to the southeast corner of said lot number 369 thence north westerly to the beginning on Queen Street. This 28th day of April, 1894.
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