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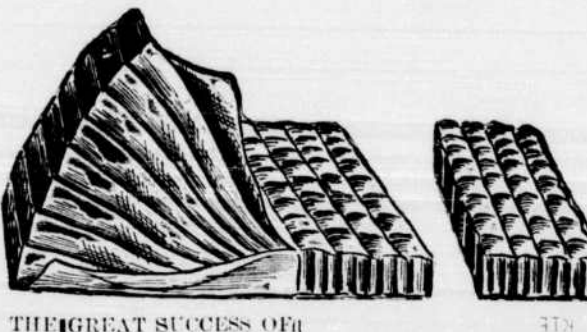
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The Famous Barker Fountain Pen
Writes Right Every Time.

OUR RALEIGH LETTER

New Lets Get Down to Business and Return to the Even Tenor of Our Ways.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 5.—Well, the campaign is ended and with the setting of tomorrow's sun the election will be over—and Bryan or McKinley will be president for the next four years and Simmons or Carr our next senator.

This has probably been the most eventful year politically in the history of our State, and I believe all our people will welcome the surcease of political strife that is to follow, for eighteen months at least.

Let us all return to the even tenor of our way and look more industriously and intently to the building up of our State and respective communities, morally, educationally, industriously, and religiously. And let Democrats especially harbor no ill feeling to ward each other on account of the warm senatorial controversy between ourselves; permit not one of the unkind expressions, which should never have been uttered, to be remembered; let us be brethren still, not forgetting that each has need of the other and that the party of good government has need of us all.

REFORMATORY FOR YOUNG GENERATIONS.

The Legislature which meets two months hence will be the next thing to claim general attention. It will be a most important session, for a number of questions of great importance will come before it for settlement.

One of the most important of these will be the demand for the establishment of a State Reformatory for young delinquents—a institution for which this writer has been working, and using every legitimate avenue at his command to secure, for a number of years. Public sentiment now seems to be ripe to force the matter upon the attention and favorable consideration of our law makers. The adoption of a resolution in its favor by the State Press Association is the best proof of the existence of the support of the weekly press of the State practically assured the accomplishment of the ends many newspaper men are striving for—for no class of people (not even the pastors of churches, who are all now heartily favoring the movement) is so competent to judge of its desirability, not to say necessity, and I trust every "country" newspaper in North Carolina (the members of thought and public sentiment in their respective communities) will do their part in helping this righteous cause along.

If you and your readers could talk with Mayor Powell and the trial magistrates of this city, and those of the other large towns, for five minutes every year, your heart would sick at the tale of juvenile depravity that would be unfolded and you would not be unreasonably content until you saw the reformatory authorized by legislative enactment and put in active operation.

NO MORE STATE PRIMARIES.

Good bye to the "primary system." Whether Simmons or Carr is the successful candidate, it appears to be pretty certain the democrats of North Carolina (friends of both aspirants) are thoroughly disgusted with the "primary"—that South Carolina importation, which has grown to be such a disgraceful affair in its native State that it is shown by leading South Carolina papers a continuation of sensibility and refined feelings can rarely be persuaded to offer themselves for office, and where it will soon be disposed with altogether.

The experience which our people have had during the last few weeks has been more than enough to satisfy the great majority of us that we want no more of it "in ours. Away with it! Let us bid it a long and final farewell to the State Primary experiment. May its meaning lying face never show itself again among the Democrats of North Carolina!

"Legalize" it! Never! I don't believe one Democratic legislator in ten will entertain the suggestion next January.

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For bilious headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation and all kindred diseases. **TURT'S LIVER PILLS** AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

Later Day Proverbs.
Can we begin life at 50? Theoretically, yes; practically, no; habit is the sum and substance of life at that age.

The idealist is employed and paid by nature. If wise, he will not present his bill to society.

For God to imagine is to create; and to man also, in his limited degree.

Creation is a transcendental scheme; do not insist knowing all the details at present.

Man is a fragment, dreaming himself a whole.

Selfish determinations are our death warrants.

To minimize life, be mean.

Moral divination is odious in proportion as it is true.

Our lives are notes of hand payable on demand with interest, but we lose no sleep on that account.

Variety is genuine coin, but not legal tender.

Woman seldom makes a false inference; she never gives a true reason.

Irresolute characters have gentlemanly parities of views.

So late as we see economical we economize on success.

Horses and men, most eager to start are often the least patient in going.

The fox is sly, but there is always one more a bit fatter; therefore we see the fox's pelt tacked up to the barn door.

Time melts us before death as autumn ripens up fruit before frost.

Study time backward year by year and there would remain few infidels.

The godlike in us defies space and time—the true idealist grows younger as he grows older.

The living body is but an appearance of life, the dead body only an image of death. We are not yet arrived at reality.

A dream is life's best image. We have not yet realized that existence of which full wakefulness is the emblem.—H. A. Kendall in Boston Transcript.

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500 CORDS OF Dogwood AND Persimmon

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THIS WOOD must be round, nearly free from knots, and sawed off at both ends. Will take 1 foot and 8 feet long and as small as 5 inches diameter at small end, but no smaller.

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800 New Home 800 Sewing Machines IN USE IN PIT COUNTY.

If you need a Machine see me at H. C. Hooker's store, or write me Jan. 1. J. C. LANIER.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The undersigned having duly qualified before the Superior Court Clerk of this county as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of W. R. Whitchard, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same for payment on or before the 15th day of October, 1901. This notice will be filed in bar of recovery.

MADE BY THE SUPERIOR COURT CLERK OF THIS COUNTY, EXECUTOR OF W. R. WHITCHARD

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby notified not to enter upon any land lying in the county of Wayne, N. C., adjoining the lands of Mrs. N. E. Anderson, and heirs, Jackson, Williams, the Boston lands and Oct. 24th, 1900.

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RAILROAD CO. CONDENSED SCHEDULE. TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

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Johnston's Sarsaparilla QUART BOTTLES. IN THE SHADOW OF DEATH.

A Whole Family Cured. Mrs. C. E. Knapley, who keeps a millinery and fancy goods store at St. Louis, District Co., Mo., and who is well known throughout the country, writes:

I was badly troubled with rheumatism, catarrh and neuralgia, had liver complaint and was very ill. I was in a sad condition every day I began to fear that I should never be able to get well again. I had read of Johnston's Sarsaparilla and decided to try it. I took four bottles and I cured myself. I am very glad that I heard of it. I would cheerfully recommend it to every one. I have taken Johnston's Sarsaparilla of all of them. I prefer Johnston's to all of them. I prefer Johnston's to all of them.

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OUR RALEIGH LETTER

The proposition just launched upon the eyes of public opinion by Superintendent of Public Instruction McLean and others to erect a monument to the late Dr. Calvin H. Wiley in Capital Park this city, in meeting with some encouragement. It is also suggested that all county superintendents inaugurate a Calvin Wiley day, to be celebrated in the schools of every county in the State.

The 5,000 cotton mill operatives who have been "locked out" of the mills of Alamance county by the owners, because of their refusal to abandon the newly formed labor unions, are now preparing for a long seige. An agent of the International Textile Labor Union, who has hundreds of thousands of members has been on the scene lately and is arranging to furnish food and clothing (and shelter where necessary) to the working men and workingwomen who are refused employment on account of their organization. Looks as though there will have to be concessions on the part of somebody before the mill owners and operatives get together again. In the meantime many of looms and spindles are idle.

The Democrats of this district are congratulating themselves and each other on the fact that we are to have such a splendid representative in the next congress. The fourth district has contributed mightily poor material to the congressional structure of late years, but I believe we have had few if any slyer and no truer and more effective and thoroughly representative congressmen than we have had in the past. He is a splendid man in every way, and just ripening into full manhood, with a heart overflowing with love for his State and people.

The "Fountain" cotton mill of Tarboro has authorized an increase of its capital stock 100 per cent, making it \$200,000 and Concord is to have a new cotton mill, B. E. Harris and others build it.

Two new cotton mills are to be built in Burke county and one just across the Catawba river in Caldwell. Messrs. Alberholt and Radisill of Cherryville, will build one and the Rhodias manufacturing Company the other two.

The negro State Fair held here last week was fairly successful one. The exhibits of the colored A. and M. College of Greensboro and a number of specimens of the handicraft and industry of colored people were very creditable to the race. The Fair, as usual was held on the ground of the white State Fair, association, which annually gives the darkeys the free use of both grounds and buildings.

Col. A. B. Andrews, of this city, first vice-president of the Southern Railway, last week completed a quarter-century connection with the lines now composing part of that system, he having been elected superintendent of the N. C. Railroad in 1875. Col. Andrews enjoys the reputation of being probably the ablest railroad manager in the entire South, and North Carolina is proud of him.

Another matter of State interest in Raleigh circles is the reported offer of the position of General Manager of the Grand Truck Railroad of Canada to vice-President St. John of the Seaboard Air-Line. It is added that Mr. St. John feels too great an interest in the latter road (which he has so largely contributed to build up) to sever his connection with it now, and the management will simply decline the offer.

The University of N. C. against the Georgia University football game to be pulled off in Raleigh ten days hence, is claiming much

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| Washington | .. 4 |
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The managers of the National Republican Congressional Committee, on the other hand, claim to have elected 193 Representatives, as against 184 Democrats. This claim is based on gains alleged to have been made in California, Kentucky, Illinois, Kansas, and other doubtful States.

The next Senate, assuming that the State legislatures will fulfill their duty and choose senators to represent their States, will stand, on the basis of yesterday's election, 49 Republicans, 27 Democrats, and 49 Independents, with the Legislature in doubt in three States, with the privilege of electing five senators at this time.

The legislatures in doubt are Delaware and Nebraska, in each of which States two senators are to be chosen, and Idaho, with one senatorial chair to be filled. Among those classed in the Independent column are Senators Stewart, of Nevada, and Kyle, of Kansas, who acted with the Democrats, and Wellington, of Maryland.

Shorter, but more eloquent

In the public discussion between the two candidates the first speaker had made a masterly argument, and at the close of his efforts he sat down amid the enthusiastic applause of half the large audience.

But when the other candidate arose to speak he simply said: "I will all you fellows who've got to vote for me give me the bar in the room below!"

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| New Hampshire | .. 2 |
| New Jersey | 2 9 |
| New York | 14 20 |
| North Carolina | 7 2 |
| North Dakota | .. 1 |
| Ohio | .. 16 |
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