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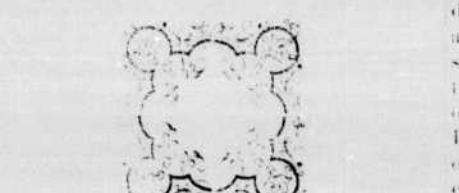
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Hold on to your hand when you are about to strike, steal or do any impropriety. Hold on to the truth, for it will serve you well and do you good throughout eternity.

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Government participation in international exhibitions of one sort or another is expected as a matter of course, and it is rather difficult to draw the line where reciprocity ends and exaggerated show grubbing begins. The safe rule of the State Department has been to recognize officially only those exhibits which, although largely related, are relatively to fields of industrial enterprise which America seems destined to occupy. From this point of view the forthcoming International Exposition at Glasgow in 1901 seems well worthy of American participation and support. The Scotch are among our best customers, and an exhibit of products of the United States in the commercial metropolis of Scotland would largely stimulate trade which has already become heavy and profitable.—Philadelphia Record.

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The observer regrets the action of the lower house of the Legislature in cutting down salaries of the presidents of the State University and the State colleges, and of the superintendents of the deaf and blind institutions. The salary and fee bill savors of the false economy of Populism. The laborers worthy of hire. The State cannot afford to have second class men at the head of its educational and charitable institutions. Certainly she cannot have first class men for second class pay. North Carolina cannot afford to be niggardly and miserly.—Charlotte Observer.

Stick to Brights.

Mr. O. L. Joyner, the intelligent warehouseman of Greenville, N.C., writes an interesting and instructive article on cigar tobacco in eastern North Carolina. Mr. Joyner says in substance "that cigar tobacco can be grown in eastern North Carolina without a doubt, but can it be produced profitably is a question of much consideration."

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It is great relief to be rid of Judge Norwood, who is so much to bring the judiciary into disrepute. He is said to be a clever gentleman personally, and we have no reason to doubt it, but a morbid sentiment bolstered him up in the exalted position he has disgraced entirely too long. It is the poorest sort of business for any man, but for a preacher or a judge to persist in getting drunk as a dog, and wantonly sacrificing the sacred name of truth and justice to his appetite ought to be sufficient cause to strip him of his authority at once. Let him be referred to private life, where a great officer shall not suffer for his sins.—Charity and Good.

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The new Raleigh Christian Advocate has made its appearance as the organ of the North Carolina Conference. It is a handsome 8-page paper and fills its mission excellently. Dr. T. N. Byrd is editor and Rev. N. M. Watson business manager.

"Senatorial courtesy" got in its work in the Senate Friday night, and caused the defeat of the charter-dispersal bill by a vote of 31 to 12. And now Charlotte, like Greenville, is torn all to pieces and will have an issue in the next campaign to divide the Democratic party on. The Legislators would have done the wise thing to keep this question out of politics by passing the dispensary law.

OVER THE COUNTRY.

William L. Merritt, United States Minister to Costa Rica, Nicaragua and Salvador, has arrived at Manila.

In order to settle an estate at Milwaukee, Wisc., Julius Linck has, for the second time within a week, been intimated legal dead.

Elzie Cook, of Thisaboo, Ala., who set fire to her little brother during his mother's absence, said she "wanted to see him die."

A trout of nine and a half inches containing 200,000,000 eggs last week was sold to Chatfield & Keen and others, of Chicago, Ill., for \$1,000,000.

The Tarr Distillery, in Lexington, Ky., has been bought for \$10,000 by the recently formed trust of Kentucky distillers and warehouse companies.

Three hundred fugitives passed through New York on their way to Mexico, where they will be employed as laborers on the Mexican Central Railroad.

Secretary Long says he stands by the statement he sent to the Senate regarding the Sampson Seley controversy.

Bear Admial Dewey has informed the Navy Department that he has deposited \$2,000,000 of seal蔡元培.

The big strike of shop menders at Holly, N. Y., has been settled, but the core-makers still out.

The new four-masted steel ship Arthur Sewall was Saturday launched at the yards of his builders, Arthur Sewall & Co., Bath, Me.

J. G. Parry, of Denver, Colo., was killed in the wreck of the Union Pacific, near Cheyenne, Wyo., and seven persons were injured.

An explosion of gas in the cellar of their home, at Webster, Ind., fatally injured Mrs. Emily Burns and her adopted daughter, Bessie Lane.

For murder Mrs. Meyer and her daughter to obtain \$2,000, Samuel Rivers, George Hale and Edwin Johnson are to be hanged at Troy, Ala., on March 21.

The Kentucky Whisky Trust will absorb several plants at a cost of about \$12,000,000.

The transport Roanoke will sail from San Francisco, Calif., Saturday with troops for Manila.

NEW LAWS.

Buncombe's county treasurer to incorporate the Carolina & Northern Railroad; to authorize payment of Halifax public school teachers for 1897; to change manner of electing officers at Hertford, Perquimans county; to amend charter of the Goldsboro Lumber Company; to repeat chapter 334 public laws of 1889; to amend chapter 175, public laws of 1889; to incorporate Chapel Hill School; to repeat acts of 1895 and 1896 regarding townships and precincts in Forsyth; to repeat act regarding timber cutters in Tyrrell to establish lines before cutting timber; to provide for working public roads in Nash; to amend chapter 34 of The Code and chapter 181 acts of 1889; to repeat the road laws for Halifax; to amend chapter 174 public laws of 1891; to create graded schools in Winston; to amend the road law in Graham; to establish a dispensary at Smithfield; to amend chapter 127, public laws of 1895; and chapter 162 public laws of 1897 as to Jones county; to repeate chapter 171 public laws of 1895; to provide public bridges in Clay to give New Hanover additional commissioners to amend chapter 200 public laws of 1897; 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TRINITY NOTES.

Mr. Albert Whitehouse has been elected Director of the Gymnasium and is expected to reach here this week. Mr. Whitehouse has had several years experience in this kind of work at three of the well-known colleges of the United States. He received his training at Harvard University where he was four years an assistant in the gymnasium, was two years instructor in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, at Boston, and three years trainer of the Athletic Team at Dartmouth College. He studied medicine at Tufts College, Mass. He is thoroughly equipped for his work, and will introduce into the gymnasium here the methods followed at the leading colleges of the country. The new gymnasium furnished with all modern apparatus, will be opened March 1st. This is something the college has long needed and much good is expected to come from it.

Hon. G. H. Connor, Speaker of the House of Representatives, delivered an address at the tea celebration, held on Washington's birthday under the auspices of the Trinity College Historical Society. His subject was "A Slave and Better Citizenship." Judge Connor is a man who has studied social questions, and his address was full of good advice and sound wisdom. His address was of great interest to a large audience consisting of residents of the Park and visitors to the city.

The third of the series of Historical Publications is just from the press. It consists of papers prepared under the direction of the Historical Society.

The South Carolina papers announced that the necessary Address at the commencement of Morehead College is to be delivered by President Kilgore.

Rev. C. F. Siler, Pastor of Trinity Church, Charlotte, has arrived at the Park. He comes at the invitation of the College V. M. C. A. to hold a series of special religious services.

Bronk Elias, a member of the Board of Trustees, has been at the Park on a visit to his son and daughter, who are students in the College.

At the last regular meeting of the Scientific Society, Mr. N. H. Adams presented a series of drawings, concerning the recessions of Mars. Mr. L. C. Newell gave an interesting discussion of sources of electrification, and Mr. C. L. Hormann read a paper on Mr. Richard Webb's optical illusions. The Society appointed a Committee to advance the interests of the College Museum.

Her Silence Explained.

A young lady from the country was suing her ex sweethearts for breach of promise, and the lawyers were, as usual, making all sorts of impudent inquiries.

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"How close?"

"Close enough so's one cheer was all the settin' room we needed."

"And say he put his arm around me?"

"No, I didn't."

"What did you say then?"

"I said that he put both arms round me."

"Then what?"

"He hugged me."

"Very hard!"

"Yes he did; so hard that I come near hollering out."

"Why didn't you holler?"

"Cause."

"That's no reason. Be explicit please. Because why?"

"Cause I was afeared he'd stop."

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The Fruit Crop.

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The Georgia peach has suffered to the extent first reported.

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Florida was just beginning to recover from the terrible effects of the freeze of 1895, and has been sending us this winter the best oranges we have had since that disaster.

The whole country is interested in the Florida orange crop, as it is in the Georgia peach crop. The Florida orange and the Georgia peach have no equals, they are no substitute for either.

The great industry of this state has grown to vast proportions, and the market for its product has been extended to every part of the country. Last year there was an unprecedented yield of peaches in Georgia, and it brought millions of dollars into this state at a time when hardly any other money crop was available.

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