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Speech of Col. L. L. Polk, at Smithfield Court.

EXCELLENT ADVICE TO FARMERS—NORTH CAROLINA'S RESOURCES AND NEEDS—A BIG DAY FOR JOHNSTON.

(Special Correspondence of Raleigh News.) SMITHFIELD, Sept. 25, 1877. The large crowd at Smithfield today reminds one of the campaign of last year when Gov. Vance and Judge Settle canvassed the State.

Commissioner of Agriculture. Col. Polk commenced by saying that this was his first visit to Johnston county. He had come to have a talk with the farmers, but being indisposed, spoke under great disadvantages.

HOW MANY SHEEP AND WORTHLESS CURS there were in Johnston county. He referred to one county where they had got full statistics of sheep and dogs.

LAND AGENCY had by law been organized which was for the purpose of filing the State with emigrants.

SUGAR COATED PILLS as a "sweet morsel to roll under their tongues," but came to tell their plain truths.

NEW ERA dawned upon North Carolina, and yet, as you looked around you could see but little improvement.

BOTTOM, and a reaction had taken place. What had brought this about? Simply because the farmers were taking hold, and higher ideas of farming were being developed.

MONARCHICAL GOVERNMENTS, where we had been taught that labor was cheaper than in America.

STATES appropriate annually to the agricultural and geological department, as follows: Pennsylvania thirty-five thousand.

DEPARTMENT of agriculture, receives not one cent from the State. Do you ask what these States expect to receive by these liberal appropriations?

YOUNG MEN he gave wholesome advice, appealing to them as true sons of North Carolina to redeem her from this apparent

her large and growing cities, by the rapid and splendid development of their agricultural and mechanical resources.

THEY WERE NOT AFRAID to have their guanos analyzed, sell their goods here. He referred to one company that used to sell here, whose guano showed it contained 57 per cent sand.

STATE PRIDE. This was shown in no adornments of our homes and our farm-yards. They must be made attractive and worthy the allegiance and affection of our sons and daughters.

FAIR, and bring something to show the great productive power of Johnston county, and also to send samples of all products for the museum.

MISCELLANEOUS. A Night in the Station House. Society licenses persons to make men crazy. An hour's time and a sibling's worth of poison, will transform a quiet, inoffensive man into a wild, raving maniac.

FAMOUS AUTOMATA. No automata or deception ever had such success as the automaton chess-player, which for more than half a century astonished and delighted the whole of Europe.

PLEASANT PARAGRAPHS. A little boy went to his father crying the other day, and told him that he had kicked a bee that had a splinter in its tail.

Even if a boy is always whistling "I want to be an angel," it is just as well to keep the preserved pears on the top shelf of the pantry.

How far may a widow go in providing for her children? If left to the widow, she would probably think it right to go one step—father.

An orator declaring that Fortin knocked at every man's door once, an old Irishman said, "When she knocked at mine I must have been out."

An old gentleman who is getting "thin at the top" says, "Always pick out a bald-headed barber to shave you because he can't consistently ask you to buy any hair restorative."

If the people of the West are so resolutely bent on a cheap circulating medium, why don't they adopt Confederate money? It may not be a very sort of cash, but it is cheap.

Clerk Adams obligingly announces that the Democratic majority in the House will be eleven. This is not large, but it will nevertheless prove the little seven that leaveneth the whole lump.

Those men who expect a minister to give them \$1,500 worth of grace for \$300 salary, are the same ones who demand local notices in their home paper for nothing, and do their advertising on Novelty press hand-bills.

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A minister going to visit one of his sick parishoners, asked him how he rested during the night. "Oh, wonderfully ill, sir," he replied, "for mine eyes have not come together these three nights." "What is the reason of that?" said the other. "Alas! sir," said he, "because my nose was betwixt them."

Said one student to another, whom he caught swinging a scythe most lustily in a field of stout grass:—"Frank, what makes you work for a living? A fellow with your talent and abilities should not be caught engaged in hard labor. I mean to get my living by my wits." "Well, Bill, you can work with duller tools than I can," was the reply.

One Square, of ten lines, first insertion, \$100. Each subsequent insertion, 50. The privilege of yearly advertising is strictly limited to their own immediate and regular business; and the business of an advertising firm is not considered as including that of the individual members.

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THE NEEDS OF THE SOUTH.

The New Orleans Times comes to the just conclusion that the young men of the South must realize that the historical period of reconstruction is at an end, and that a new era is upon them.

"It is their duty to show the world that the overthrow of negro rule is not a reaction in the direction of slavery, but a progressive forward movement."

"The North at last distinctly announces its desire to receive the South in the national councils, not as conquered foes and repentant sinners upon trial and toleration, but upon the fullest equality."

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Captain Randolph A. Shotwell, late associate editor of Southern Home, is to be managing editor of Farmer and Mechanic, to be published at Raleigh.

Stock Laws.

We clip the following communication from the Danbury Reporter, of last week, on the subject of the Stock or No-Fence Law, as it contains some practical calculations on the subject, which will doubtless be of interest to both the friends and opponents of the law:

In no age, since the discovery of the American continent, have our people been so fully aroused upon the subject of retrenchment and reform, than at the present period.

The most oppressive and most uncalled for tax ever imposed upon American citizens is brought about by simply "building fences."

It is safe to say there are 2,000 men in Stokes who either own or rent farms, and that these men will fence each one acre of land every year;

Some will say, but we will have to build fences to make pastures. That is so; but we will have to cultivate clover and the grasses, which will improve the land more in value than the pasture fences will cost.

I throw out these few feeble arguments for the reflection of our farmers; and this winter let us discuss the matter among ourselves, and make the fence law an issue in our next campaign.

General Grant on the Political Situation. The ex-President, while travelling in Scotland, had a remarkably free and easy conversation with a correspondent of the New York Herald,

"I shall stay in Europe a year or more. I have special reasons for so doing. I am a private citizen now, and nothing whatever to do with politics. If I were a home I would give Mr. Hayes and his policy all the support I could, because the object aimed at is a noble one, and I hope he will succeed."

"But, General, many Republicans fear that his course will destroy the party."

"Never fear. I have always of late years had an abiding faith in the success of the Republican party at each election, not so much because it is always the strongest with the people as because always, just at the last moment, the Democrats do some foolish thing and give the victory to the Republicans. Now, mark my words, we will have a Republican President in 1880, because the Democracy cannot resist its general disposition to kick over the milk pail after it is full. I told Judge Niblack, of Indiana, so just before the last election, and he smilingly admitted the truth of what I said."

maneuvering, whether I had or not, and I want to banish politics from my mind until everything settles down. I can say for one thing, however that if I were at home I should exert my influence, as far as I could exert it, in aid of Mr. Hayes' plan of Reconciliation.

An Issue at Last.

The hog and hollary vs. cotton question has at last forced itself to a solution down in Mississippi where the planters refuse to pay the charges of their factors.

There was an exhibition in a store in Dupont street, San Francisco last week, of a mammoth bunch of grapes from the great grape vine of Santa Barbara (a cutting from the monster tree to the Centennial).

If we may credit telegraphic dispatches and rumors from Texas, there is a fair prospect for another war with Mexico. The proposition for Texas to put in the field several regiments of State volunteers "for active service on the Rio Grande," may be an efficient way of stopping marauding, but it will lead, in all probability, to war in the end.

The New Orleans Democrat, conceding that 50 per cent. for advances is a most oppressive rate, does not see why the farmer should arbitrarily offer his pound of cotton against a pound of bacon and then conclude: "If the merchant charges the farmer exorbitant prices, the farmer ought to give his custom to some other merchant."

Let the farmers of the county refer to stay up to the office like little men, pay up squarely for what they bought at the prices they agreed to pay, and then go home, put enough land in corn to meet all their needs, raise their own pork and provisions, put the residue of their land in cotton, and at the end of the year they will have corn and meat in abundance, and their cotton crop, whatever it may amount to, will be clear money; they can then snuff their fingers at the merchants who charge them fifty per cent. on advances and use their cash to buy from those who will sell them cheapest.

General News.

Alexander H. Stephens tips the beam at ninety-eight pounds. DEATH OF A JUDGE ON HIS BENCH.—At Knoxville, Ga., last week, Judge Barnard Hill, of the Superior Court, whilst seated upon the bench was observed to throw his head back upon his chair and a deadly pallor overspread his countenance.

A couple were married in Georgia by a Justice of the Peace. Unto the man he said: "Sir, will you have the beloved woman you hold by the right hand, in the name of the State of Georgia, Cobb county, and the new constitution, whether it be adopted or not, to be your lawful wedded wife?"

The Patent office fire. The commission investigating the origin and cause of the patent office fire are pursuing their work with diligence. It has been intimated that the fire was burning at least three hours before any alarm was sounded, and this together with a report that certain records of the Indian office were removed to the stable in the neighborhood of the patent office, which was also burned, will receive the attention of the commission.

Charlotte Observer: Seeing in our paper a week or ten days ago something about a very singular still in Lincoln county, a friend is moved to tell us of one near Troutman's depot, on the Statesville Railroad, which is made altogether of wood, even to the works. There is neither copper, brass or iron about it, and it is said that the brandy which is turned out from it is the very best that has ever been made; men will pay fifty cents more on the gallon for it and the children in the neighborhood are crazy for it.

Congress meets in extra session the 15th of this month, and its organization and deliberations will be looked forward to with intense interest. We think it very probable that Hon. S. J. Randall will be re-elected speaker, although there are several candidates for the position.

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The University Magazine is to be revived, and the following young gentlemen on Friday last were elected as editors: From the Philanthropic Society, Isaac M. Taylor, Chapel Hill; Frank D. Winston, Port; John B. Lewis, Edgecombe. From the Diabetic Society, Alfred Jones, Cary; E. E. Englehard, Wilmington; George McCorkle, Newton. The first number is to be issued about December 1st.

A curious story is told by the Charlotte Observer, vouched for by responsible parties. In Berryhill Township, Mecklenburg county, Jacob Jamison, a colored man, dial, and after he was shaved and laid out, the letters O O were discovered under his right nostril, and the figures 1877 under his left nostril. These characters are said to have risen in the form of blisters and were very distinct.

Charlotte Observer: The new freight line to the North via the Carolina Central Railroad to Hamlet, thence via the Raleigh & Augusta Air-Line, and Raleigh & Gaston Railroads to Northern ports, may now be said to be open. The first shipment for that route, consisting of a lot of new cotton, was received from Atlanta yesterday, and will be sent on to-day.

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As Others See Them: A letter received from a gentleman, who recently visited Charlotte, contains the following in reference to our house, and we submit it to our patrons as an evidence of our ability to make all our promises good.

"The house of Wittkowsky & Rintels seems to me, as a wholesale establishment, to stand pre-eminent in being able to supply such goods, and on as favorable terms to merchants as can be secured south of Baltimore.

OUR FALL STOCK, The Largest and Most Complete Since 1872, is now ready for inspection in both the WHOLESALE as well as the RETAIL DEPARTMENTS, and we COURT & DEFY COMPETITION, the ever present Baltimore drummer, or our local establishments.

IN WHOLESALE WE ARE READY TO DUPLICATE ANY BILL, no matter where bought. In RETAIL we present the most complete assortment of the LATEST NOVELTIES ever offered in Charlotte.

To give the reader some conception of the immensity of our stock, we cite as follows: 125 CASES PRINTS—about 6,000 pieces. 30 CASES BLEACHED GOODS—about 1,000 pieces.

WANTED. COW PRAS IN UNLIMITED quantities, at WITKOWSKY & RINTELS. Sept. 22, '77-16-tf.

THE NEW YORK WEEKLY HERALD, JAMES GORDON BENNETT, Proprietor. The Best and Cheapest Newspaper Published. ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR. 50 Cents for Six Months. An Extra Copy to every Club of Ten.

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THOMASVILLE FEMALE COLLEGE, DAVIDSON CO., N. C. THE TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL SESSION begins the last Wednesday in August.

"That this School presents superior educational advantages is fully proved by its steadily increasing patronage the last three years. Some of these advantages are its peculiarly quiet and beautiful location, the habitual enthusiasm in study in its pupils, careful attention to their manners, morals, health and comfort, a full corps of tried and earnest teachers, an extensive and carefully arranged course of study, discounts for selected students, and for an English course, suited to pupils limited in time or means, one for the fall course, and especially greatly reduced rates.

Ladies' Dress Goods, Trimmings, and other new Novelties for the Summer season, at T. D. WINCHESTER & CO'S.

MONROE High School, MONROE, N. C. J. D. HODGES, A.M., Principal. W. J. SCROGGS, A.M., Assistant in Male Department. Mrs. M. L. STEVENS, Assistant in Female Department. Mrs. W. J. SCROGGS, Instructor in Music.

H. M. Houston & Co., NOW HAVE IN STORE A NEW AND COMPLETE STOCK OF WINTER GOODS. At Prices to Suit the Times. OUR STOCK OF LADIES' HATS, ARE BOTH STYLISH CHEAP AND VERY PRETTY.

We also have a Large Line of DRESS GOODS. CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND JEANS FOR WINTER WEAR. AN ATTRACTIVE STOCK OF SHOES AND HATS, AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. H. M. HOUSTON & CO. Nov. 13-1876-24-tf.

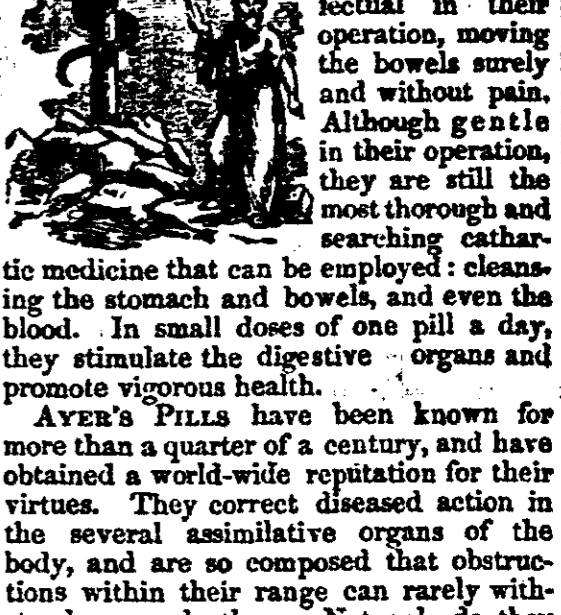
LOOK HERE. I HAVE A GOOD HOUSE AND LOT in Monroe that I offer for Sale or Rent. The House is two story and contains five rooms, conveniently arranged, and is on a nice lot, situated convenient to the business part of the town. Possession given at any time. J. J. HASTY. Sept. 6, '77-14-tf.

Carolina Central Railway Company CHANGE OF SCHEDULE. WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 5th, 1877. SCHEDULE ON AND AFTER FRIDAY, THE 5th inst. Trains will run over this road as follows: PASSENGER, MAIL AND EXPRESS.

Leave Wilmington at 5:55 A. M. Arrive at Monroe at 8:17 P. M. Arrive at Charlotte at 8:00 P. M. Leave Charlotte at 7:45 A. M. Leave Monroe at 9:23 A. M. Arrive at Wilmington at 9:45 P. M.

LOCAL FREIGHT—WEEKLY. Leave Wilmington, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:30 A. M. Arrive at Monroe, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 9:45 P. M. Arrive at Charlotte, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 9:45 P. M. Arrive at Wilmington, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 4:30 P. M.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills, For all the purposes of a Family Medicine, and for curing Constipation, Jaundice, Indigestion, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsical and Bilious Disorders, Biliousness, Dropsy, Tumors, Worms, Nourishment, and a purgative for the Bowels.



"Are the most effective and congenial purgative ever discovered. They are mild, but effectual in their operation, moving the bowels surely and without pain. Although gentle in their operation, they are still the most thorough and searching cathartic medicine that can be employed: cleansing the stomach and bowels, and even the blood. In small doses of one pill a day, they stimulate the digestive organs and promote vigorous health."

Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass., Practical and Analytical Chemists, SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

STEWART HOUSE, MONROE, N. C. T. M. BROWN, Proprietor. This House, formerly known as the Central Hotel, is now thoroughly renovated and newly furnished for the perfect comfort of the public, and the Proprietor hopes, by his constant personal attention, to make it second in style and comfort to no house in the State.

PORTERWAY & SCHULKEN, BROKERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. FULL ORDELS for all descriptions of Merchandise, giving our patrons the advantage of the lowest prices in the market. We handle Cotton, Naval Stores, Wheat, Wax, Wool, Furs, Hides, Poultry, Eggs, Fruit, &c. Prompt and profitable returns. Orders and Consignments solicited. Agents for Wilcox, Gibbs & Co.'s Gunpowder. Sept. 1st, 1877-13-tf.

A NEW WRINKLE. The undersigned will open, during the second week in September, at his old stand in Stewart's Brick Row, an ENTIRELY NEW STOCK OF General Merchandise, FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE, CONSISTING OF DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS, Groceries, Hardware, and in fact nearly all articles usually needed by the citizens of this country.

W. H. TROTT, Respectfully, Sept. 6, 1877-14-tf.

Job Printing.—We continue to do Job Work of every description. Persons wishing pamphlets, posters, dodgers, cards, letter heads, bill heads or anything in the printing line executed will find it to their interest to call at the ENQUIRER PRINTING OFFICE. Best work and lowest prices guaranteed.

The Monroe Enquirer.

MONROE, N. C., OCT. 8, 1877.

Our Churches To-morrow.

METHODIST.—Preaching every Sabbath by Rev. O. J. BERRY, Pastor, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M.

Sabbath School, 9 A. M.

BAPTIST.—Preaching every Sabbath by Rev. J. T. BRASGROW, Pastor, at 11 A. M. Sabbath School, 9 A. M.

EPISCOPAL.—Preaching 1st and 3rd Sabbaths of each month by Rev. R. A. MILLEN, Pastor, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.

EPISCOPAL.—Preaching 2nd Sabbath of each month by Rev. A. H. BOYLE, Rector. Services at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.

LOCAL AND STATE.

Index to New Advertisements.

FARM FOR RENT.—B. S. Traywick Fall and Winter Stock.—A. F. Stevens & Co.

PEOPLES DRUG STORE.—English & Ashcraft.

Fifteen marriage licenses were issued during the last month.

Dr. B. S. Traywick offers some good farming lands for rent. See advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

We will publish next week a statement of the county expenditures for the last twelve months.

Rev. R. A. MilLEN will preach in the Presbyterian Church on to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock, and at 4 o'clock P. M.

Our jail fees for September amounted to \$71.40. The jail fees for the last two years have run from \$700 to \$1,200 a year.

We call especial attention to the excellent article in our Farmer's Column this week. There is a good deal of hard, common sense in it.

Scarlet Fever kills children, and so do worms. Shriners' Indian Vermifuge will destroy and expel worms wherever they exist in the human body.

REV. WALLACE DENHAM, of Wofford College S. C., has been elected president of Randolph Macon College, in the place of his brother, Rev. Dr. James A. Duncan recently deceased.

THE COTTON TRADE for the past week has been quite lively. Up to Friday night 196 bales were sold, at prices ranging from 3 1/4 to 10 1/4 cents. Today's (Saturday) sales will run the number for the week to over 200.

COL. L. F. WILLIAMS, representing the firm of Carvers & Blackwood, has returned to Monroe for the cotton selling season, and will be pleased to see the samples of cotton brought to our market.

An attempt to blow up the city bell tower with powder, was made in Charlotte on the night of the 3rd inst. It is supposed to be an act of wanton mischief, as the condition of the tower rendered it somewhat of a nuisance.

STILL IMPROVING.—Mr. Thomas M. Brown still continues to add improvements to the "Stewart House," and it really seems that he intends carrying out his purpose, as advertised, "to make it second to no house in the State."

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.—A slight change of the schedule on the C. C. R'y was made on last Friday, to make connections with the trains on two Raleigh & Augusta Air Line. The mail train will arrive here, daily, from Wilmington at 6:17 P. M., and from Charlotte at 9:23 A. M.

The Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo (Col.) People.*

As the perfection of entirety depends upon the perfection of minutiae, so no one can hope for robust health of the entire system if the blood should become in the least impure. Its standard of purity is best maintained by the use of Dr. Bull's Blood Mixture.

NO GAMBLING ALLOWED.—We saw at the Secretary's office yesterday an application received this week from Sharon, Pa., offering eight hundred dollars in cash down, for the privilege of running one wheel of fortune in the Fair grounds. It was absolutely refused, as not even the great desire of the executive committee to lighten the pecuniary load which they bear, will induce them to permit the entrance of any such gambling devices upon grounds set apart for the innocent amusement and relaxation of the people, and also devoted to their improvement and not their demoralization.—*Rail Observer.*

ANOTHER CURIOUS COMING.—We have received a circular stating that O'Brien's circus, a mammoth concern, comprising six big shows in one, has started on a Southern tour and will exhibit at prominent points in this State.

WILL BE GLAD TO SEE YOU.—We would respectfully suggest to subscribers who are in debt to us that while attending Court next week, a favorable time will be had to call in and settle. We think we have the names of none but responsible men on our list, and we confidently expect every one to settle their dues promptly.

STOP! READ THIS.—I will sell one of the most desirable residences in Monroe at astonishingly low figures. The house is a two-story dwelling, finished and painted both inside and outside. I will give a GREAT BARGAIN. "I mean business." Try me and be convinced. Call at once on

J. H. WALSH, of "BARNY" WILLIAMS, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer. Sept. 23, '77.—16-1f.

THE PUBLIC ROADS.—We hear a good deal of complaint on account of the bad condition of the public roads in this county. This should not be the case. It is to the interest of every one, and more especially the farmers, who do the most of the road-working, to have good roads. Every overseer should see, before the Winter weather sets in, that his section is put in good order, and then they can be more easily kept so while being travelled by the market-wagons.

TO FARMERS WHO ARE CONTEMPLATING laying in supplies of any kind for the fall and winter, we would simply call their attention to the merchants who advertise in the columns of the *Enquirer*. They are good, reliable and liberal merchants. They tell you what sort of wares they keep; they lay the goods and wish to sell them, and you will not find them peevish in their dealings.

TO KEEP UP POSTED ON THE AFFAIRS that are constantly happening, every one should read the advertising columns of the paper as well as the reading matter. Often tracts of valuable land and other things are offered for sale, or rent and no person ever know anything about the sale until it is all over when probably they have missed a fine opportunity for a good investment.

OTHER ACCOMMODATIONS.—In speaking in our last issue of the new public wagon lot recently opened by Mr. H. M. Houston, we failed to notice the fact that the comfort of teams was provided for, as well as that of the drivers, for on the lot there has been erected a long row of comfortable stalls, where the teams can be sheltered.

HAMLET.—One of the chief sights of the place, at present, is a hydraulic ram in operation, by which means a constant stream of water is raised some fifty feet into the railroad water tank, the capacity of which is 7,000 gallons. Near by is located the tank of the Raleigh & Augusta Air Line of 15,000 gallons capacity, it being the intention to supply both tanks by the same ram.

AN EXCURSION TO RALEIGH.—Why not the C. C. Railway and the Raleigh & Augusta Air Line run an excursion train from Charlotte or this place to Raleigh, during the State Fair, via Hamlet? We believe it would be well patronized, and beg leave to call the matter to their attention. The time is short, and if anything is done in this direction it must be done promptly.

R. R. FARE TO THE STATE FAIR.—The N. C. Railroad will run trains nightly from Charlotte during the State Fair, leaving Charlotte at 12:30 A. M., and arrive in Raleigh 10:30 A. M.; leave Raleigh 5:15 P. M., arrive at Charlotte 3:35 A. M., thus making pretty good connections with the C. C. Railway. Return tickets from Charlotte, including admission to Fair one day, \$5.50.

There will probably be some inducements made by the C. C. R'y and Raleigh & Augusta Air Line, in the way of low rates, via Hamlet, but we have not heard the rates yet.

LL. HEATH.—The many friends and acquaintances of Rev. T. P. England will regret to learn, from the following which we clip from the *Advocate*, that this gentleman is in bad health: "We regret to learn from a letter from Rev. J. D. Carpenter, that Bro. England, who left his work (Randolph Circuit) last Spring, on account of ill health, has been growing worse ever since. He has been confined to his bed for two months. Last winter he lost by death both of his little children, and is himself in a very critical condition. He and his wife are with his father-in-law, Rev. Mr. Jackson, at Double Shoals, Cleveland County."

We were favored with a call from Mr. N. S. Poe, of Fayetteville, on last Saturday. He has recently obtained license to practice law, and is visiting our place with an idea of locating here.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MATTERS.—We learn from Mr. C. N. Simpson, Clerk Board of County Commissioners, that the late school census shows the names of 5,783 persons in the county between the ages of 6 and 21 years. Of this number, 4,358 are white and 1,425 colored. The apportionment of Public School Money for the next school year gives 90 cents for each scholar shown in the census. This amount is the same as last year.

WOOD WANTED.—We want to buy 50 cords of Oak and Pine Wood, delivered within two miles of Monroe. Call at once.

H. B. SHUTE & CO. Oct. 6, '77.—18-1f.

A GRACIOUS REVIVAL is now being had at Gibbo Church, (Methodist), near Beaver Dam. Up to this writing (Friday) there have been some fifteen or sixteen conversions and fully that many accessions, while some twenty or more penitents daily present themselves at the altar for prayer. The Pastor, Rev. M. H. Hoyle, has had the assistance of Revs. Wm. Moore, T. W. Kendall, Z. Rush and Hosea Hale.

COLORADO SCHOOL MATTERS.—A meeting of the colored people of this county was held in the Court House on last Saturday, for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent the colored people of this county in a Convention to be held in Raleigh on the 18th inst. This Convention is to be held for the purpose of organizing and devising some plan for a greater advancement of education among their race. Alfred Robinson, of Monroe, and Levi Wilson, of Jackson Township, were chosen to represent this county.

THE PROTRACTED MEETINGS IN Monroe is still continued with great success. There has been no service at the Baptist Church since Thursday night, the Pastor having to attend the meeting of the Moriah Association, but the services will be resumed on Sunday night, and Ministerial help will be had next week. There has been some 6 or 7 accessions this week. This added to the number baptized last Sunday will make 20 or more accessions, since the meeting began three weeks ago.

The Methodist Pastor has had the assistance of Revs. Bobbitt and Rush part of the past week. There have been this week some three or four conversions, and there are several penitents yet in the congregation. Two new members were baptized and received into full connection on last Sunday. The meeting will probably be closed to-morrow night. While the meeting at this church has not been so fruitful in making new accessions and conversions outside its fold as some former meetings, yet it is believed that good has been accomplished within the Church.

NEW CURE FOR DYPTEHRIA.—The Pomaria correspondent of the *Newberry Herald* says:

"Our highly esteemed physician, J. A. Derley, reports one of his cases of Cephthria rapidly disappearing under a treatment of sulphur. He says: The subject was an infant, and the case an unusually well marked one. The previous treatment by the parents suggested the use of sulphur, and I determined to give it a trial. I prescribed nothing but small quantities of 'Flour of Sulphur,' intimately mixed with sugar, and given three times per day. In twenty-four hours the patient had been so far relieved as apparently to experience not the least inconvenience, and was playing about as usual. I comment this to the favorable notice of the profession, both because of its results in this case and the ease with which remedy (if found such) can be applied. I think an occasional dose might be found efficacious as a preventive of this dangerous disease."

Notice.

After the 1st of October, we shall commence sending out our yearly subscription accounts, hoping that they will receive prompt and speedy attention.

In view of the scarcity of money the past summer, we have indulged many of our old patrons, and this indulgence has been given far beyond our own ability. We expect, therefore, our friends to come forward promptly and make settlements.

There are several hundred dollars due us by friends whom we have indulged. The accounts are small—only a few dollars each—but the aggregate is a heap to us, and we are sadly in need of it, and rely confidently on our delinquent friends that they will pay up promptly.

COUNTY MATTERS.—The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session last Monday. All were present. James H. Trull having been appointed Constable in Goose Creek, and having previously filed his bond, the oath of office was administered.

J. C. Laney filed bond in sum of \$500, with A. A. Laney security, and was sworn in as Constable in Buford Township.

W. E. Helms was appointed Constable for Monroe Township, having been chosen by the people at the polls, and filed his bond in the sum of \$2,000, with Able Helms and C. N. Simpson as securities.

M. A. Moore was appointed Constable in Lane's Creek Township, having been chosen by the people at the polls; bond filed and oath of office administered.

The County Treasurer's fees were made one per cent each way for all receipts and disbursements.

The jailor's fees were reduced from 40 cents to 30 cents per day. A number of county claims for jail fees, poor house expenses, county liabilities and other lawful expenses were audited and ordered paid.

The Clerk of the Board was ordered to have a statement of the county expenses for the past twelve months published for one week in the *Monroe Enquirer* and *Union Express*.

The Board will meet in session on Tuesday of first week of Court to transact any business that may be brought before them.

Quarterly Meeting Appointments.

CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.—First Round in Part.—Wadesboro Station, Oct. 6th and 7th.

Stanly Circuit, Oct. 13th and 14th. South Charlotte Circuit, at Zion, Oct. 18th.

Monroe Circuit, at Prospect, Oct. 20th and 21st.

Wadesboro Circuit, at Bethel, Oct. 27th and 28th.

Albemarle Circuit, at Albemarle, Oct. 31st.

M. Pleasant Circuit, at Gold Hill, Nov. 2nd.

Concord Station, Nov. 5th. Monroe Station, Nov. 10th and 11th. Pineville Circuit, Nov. 10th and 11th. Pleasant Grove Circuit, at Rebooth, Nov. 14th.

Lilesville Circuit, Nov. 17th and 18th.

Ansonville Circuit, Nov. 20th and 21st.

Charlotte, Tryon Street and Calvary Mission. W. H. BONNETT, P. E.

We ask our friends that, if any body dies, gets married, steals anything commits any murder, an unusual crop raised, and many other items of interest that may occur in their neighborhoods, to send the news to us and do not wait for us to find it out by instinct. Assist in making your home paper interesting, not only to yourselves, but to others. If every one would contribute a little, a great deal of interesting matter could be realized herefrom.

IF YOUR LIFE WORTH 10 CENTS?—Sickness prevails everywhere, and every body complains of some disease during their. When sick, the object is to get well; now to say plainly that no person in this world that is suffering with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and its effects, such as Indigestion, Costiveness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Heart Burn, palpitation of the Heart, Depressed Spirits, Biliousness, etc., can take GUMMERS' AUGUST FLOWERS without getting relief and cure. If you doubt this, go to your Druggist ENGLISH & ASHCRAFT and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try. Regular size 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you.

SICKLY children may be Restored to health and beauty by the use of ten cents' worth of Shriners' Indian Vermifuge. Do not let your children be dragged to the grave by worms.

A New Lot of Home Shuttle Sewing Machines have just been received at this office. Call and buy one; they will please you.

MONROE MARKET.

COLLECTED WEEKLY BY B. D. HEATH & CO. SATURDAY, Oct. 6.

Cotton, 5 lb.	9 a 10
Bacon,	8 a 10
Lard,	13 a 15
Butter,	12 a 15
Cheese,	15 a 20
Pork,	8 a 8
Beef,	5 a 7
Beeswax,	25 a 30
Tallow,	a 7
Rice,	8 a 10
Coffee,	20 a 25
Sugar,	11 a 15
S. Potatoes, 3 bu.,	50 a 00
I. Potatoes,	a 0
Corn—New,	a 00
Old,	90 a 00
Meal,	2 100
Oats,	50 a 55
Flour, 5 sack,	\$3 00 a \$3 50
Wheat,	1 20 a 1 40
Chickens,	12 a 15
Eggs, 1 doz.,	8 a 10

New Advertisements.

PURE DRUGS AT LOW PRICES.

ENGLISH & ASHCRAFT, PROPRIETORS.

People's Drug Store,

MONROE, N. C.

Have in store a full Fresh Stock of Pure Drugs, which, being bought at low prices, can be, and will be, sold

Low for Cash.

Call and see them whenever you need anything in the

DRUG LINE.

Old stand, East side of the Public Square.

Oct. 6, 1877.—18-1f.

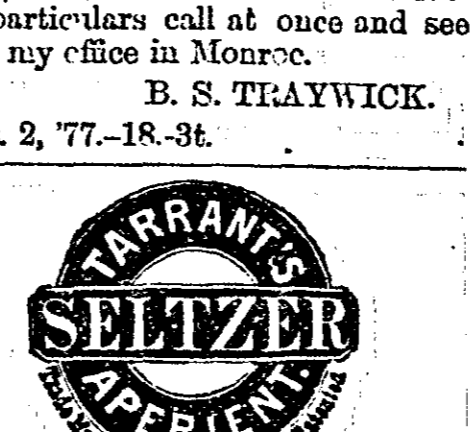
FARMS FOR RENT FOR 1878.

I DESIRE to rent, for the next year, two Farms one in Providence has 50 acres of land, half of it is good, fresh land, all suited for cotton and grain. There is a good double house, splendid water, and some out-houses. This farm is on the border of a splendid stock range, adjoining the Fence Law District.

The other lies seven miles West of Monroe; has 85 acres cleared land, most of which is fresh. Has a country dwelling and out-houses, good water and orchard, also three tenement houses. Will furnish fertilizers where lands need it, if reater desired. Will give reuter extra work in improving these lands, if so desired. For further particulars call at once and see me at my office in Monroe.

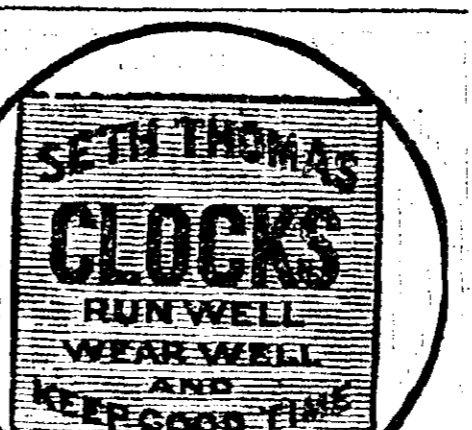
B. S. TRAYWICK.

Oct. 2, '77.—18-3t.



I only bilious, says the debilitated victim of sick headache, pain in the right side, constipation of the bowels, and hypochondria. Are these trifles, then? No; unchecked they lead to mental disease. And yet as surely as dawn dispels the darkness, Tarrant's Seltzer Water will remove them. Try it.

\$12 a tray at home. Agents wanted. Outfit and terms free. TRUE & CO., August a, Maine.



\$66 a week in your own town. Terms and 85 outfit free. H. HARRIETT & CO., Portland, Maine.

25 EXTRA FINE MIXED CARNS with 25 maps; 10 cts. post-paid. L. JONES & CO., Nassau, N. Y.

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WORK FOR ALL. In their own localities, canvassing for the Fireside Visitor, (monthly) Weekly and Monthly. Largest Paper in the World, with Maps, Pictures, &c. Address: P. O. YORK, N. Y.

\$5 to \$20 per tray at home. Same as above, with 55 free. S. STANLEY & CO., Portland, Maine.

OIL OF SASSAFRAS.

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Liver Complaints, or Biliousness.

The Liver is the largest gland of the body. It is situated on the right side, just beneath the ribs, and weighs about four lbs. It secretes a thick, dark, greenish-yellow fluid, called bile. As fast as the bile is elaborated it is deposited in the gall-bladder, and passes by a small duct into the intestine.

When from any cause this duct becomes clogged, or the liver becomes diseased, the bile does not pass into the intestine, but it is absorbed by the blood and is diffused throughout every part of the system.

When the action of the intestine becomes perverted, or when the liver secretes too much bile, then the bile is diverted from its natural course and passes into the stomach. It is taken up by the absorbents and blood-vessels of the stomach, and becomes incorporated into the blood, producing nausea, headache, giddiness, vomiting, and other symptoms of poisoning. Such affections are called bilious affections, or biliousness.

Simmons' Hepatic Compound is a cure to regulate every disorder of the liver. It stimulates the absorbents to healthy action, and carries off the impurities with which the system is clogged.

For sale in Monroe by ENGLISH & ASHCRAFT, and BICKETT & GRIFFIN, DOWIE & MOORE, Proprietors, Charleston S. C.

May 14th, 1877. 49-5m

50 Reams Writing Papers in store and for sale cheap. A. F. STEVENS & CO.

A. F. Stevens & Co., NEW FALL STOCK GENERAL MERCHANDISE

NOW OPENING. WILL BE SOLD VERY LOW FOR CASH!

Come and See New Goods AND HEAR PRICES.

Oct. 6th, 1877.

CORNER DRUG STORE. FRESH and PURE.

We have just received a large and varied supply of almost everything in the world that belongs to a first-class Drug Store, which we propose to sell CHEAP for Cash.

CALL IN.

BICKETT & GRIFFIN.

P. S.—Harcourt Dr. Bickett will generally be found at the Drug Store, for consulting, when not professionally engaged. Sept. 29, '77.—17-1f.

THE BEST OFFER!

We will sell during these hard times \$600 Pianos for \$250.

All other styles in the same proportion, including Grand, Square and Upright—all first-class—sold direct to the people at factory prices. No agents; no commissions; no discounts. These Pianos made one of the finest displays at the Centennial Exhibition, and were unanimously recommended for the Honors. Regularly incorporated Manufacturing Co.—New Manufacture—one of the largest and finest in the world. The Squares Grand contain Mathushek's new patent Duplex Overstrung Scale, the greatest improvement in the history of Piano making. The Uprights are the finest in America. Pianos sent on trial. Don't fail to write for Illustrated and Descriptive Catalogue—mailed free.

MEDELSSOHN PIANO CO., No 56 Broadway, N. Y.

H. B. SHUTE. W. O. STARNES.

ANOTHER NEW RINKLE.

WE DESIRE to inform our friends and the public that in connection with our stock of

GROCERIES

we have now in store a full line of DRY GOODS

AND NOTIONS, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS,

for the FALL and WINTER TRADE, and we are determined not to be UNDER SOLD. We also buy COTTON, and pay the highest market prices COUNTRY PRODUCE taken in exchange for goods. CALL and SEE US.

H. B. Shute & Co., Next door to Corner Drug Store.

Oct. 1, '77.—17-6m.

TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

I WILL SELL at public Auction, at the court-house door Monroe, on Tuesday, Oct. 9th, at 1 o'clock, two Houses and Lots situated in Monroe, in the Stewartville section. One house has three rooms and the other two; each lot is 80x225 feet.

Terms, one half payable on 15th next December; balance in 12 months. Bond given for title.

A. J. LOVE.

Sept. 29, 1877.—17-1t.

B. D. HEATH & CO.

HAVE IN STORE

THE LARGEST AND Most Complete

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We offer great inducements to cash customers. Don't fail to see us before you buy.

A. H. CROWELL & SON.

Depot Street.

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UNDER State Management!

And in daily operation over 37 years.

\$15,000 FOR

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Tues., Oct. 16 and 27, '77.

KENTUCKY STATE ALLOTMENT!

OF \$67,925 IN PRIZES.

1 Prize of \$15,000

1 Prize of \$5,000

1 Prize of \$2,500

1 Prize of \$2,000

1880 Other Prizes amount to \$4,925

\$45,000 Tickets, \$50

Whole Tickets, \$1.00. 50 Whole Tickets for \$45.

Chartered for Educational Institutions. Under Charter no postponement can ever occur. All prizes paid in full. Official list of drawn numbers published in N. Y. Herald, N. Y. Sun, and Louisville Courier-Journal. Circulars containing full particulars free.



Stick to the Farm.

We commend to the attention of the young men of North Carolina the following good advice from the Philadelphia Times...

and the most successful in life would appal the day-laborer with the truth of the story of the ceaseless labor that is the price of his achievement...

PICTURE GALLERY.

A. B. CAUDLE DESIRES TO INFORM his friends and the public generally that he has now located in a new gallery over Stewart's building...

PIANOS. Magnificent 3500 Rosewood Parlor Grand, \$1250. Fine Rosewood upright \$850. Fine upright \$650. Fine upright \$550.



Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets

Or Sugar-Coated, Concentrated, Root and Herbal Juice, Anti-Bilious Granules. THE "LITTLE GIANT" CATHARTIC, or Maltin in Parvo Physic.

They are entirely vegetable, no particular care is required while using them. They operate without disturbance to the mind...

WOMAN.

It is an immense privilege, extending to such a great extent, to be able to see the world...

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

The female, however, is but a feeble expression of my ideal appreciation of its value, based upon my own observation...

Those who desire further information on this subject will find it in the "Pierce's Favorite Prescription"...

TUTT'S PILLS

A Noted Divine says: They are worth their weight in gold. READ WHAT HE SAYS:

Dr. TUTT'S PILLS. For ten years I have been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation, and Piles. Last winter my pills were recommended to me...

TRIUMPH OF SCIENCE

Gray Hair can be changed to a glossy black by a simple application of Dr. TUTT'S PILLS...

WHAT IS QUEEN'S DELICAT?

It is a plant that grows in the South, and is especially adapted to the cure of diseases of that climate. It is NATURE'S OWN REMEDY.

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The most powerful blood purifier known in medical science for the cure of old and new diseases...

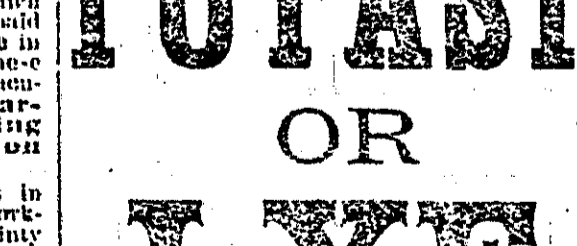
The Charlotte Hotel.

UNDER THE NEW MANAGEMENT OF J. RILEY DAVIDSON. Has been re-furnished in first-class style...

NEW STOCK. WILL RECEIVE NEW STOCK OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

THIS WEEK AND NEXT, A. F. STEVENS & CO. May 14th 1877-40-41.

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will fill the bill every time. Give it a trial and be convinced. Send for circulars.

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I NOW HAVE entirely ready for market a few thousand gallons of WINE of last vintage...

White Sweet Sappernong - perfectly smooth and very popular. White Dry Sappernong - a light table wine...

Red Sweet Sappernong - resembling Sweet Port. Red Dry Sappernong - resembling Dry Port.

Sweet Concord - rich and palatable. These Wines are BUNGD and PURE, and I guarantee them to be such.

In order to facilitate their introduction, to realize upon their speedily, and to empty my cellar preparatory for the new crop, I make a new departure by GREATLY REDUCING the price for the season...

By the dozen - \$3.00. By the barrel - \$25.00. By the cask - \$50.00.

By the present time, I will have none of my present small supply, I will have none for sale until next vintage becomes marketable.

H. B. MOHRE, Proprietor Tokay Vineyard. Orders will be received in Monroe by W. C. WOLFE.

We sell EVERYTHING for the GARDEN, And offer now (from June 15 to Aug 15) Dwarf Plants.

Dwarf White, by mail for \$1 per 100. Dwarf Red, by mail for \$1 per 100. Dwarf Blue, by mail for \$1 per 100.

Any of the above Celery Plants, by express, for \$5.00 per 1,000. Cabbage Plant. Premium Flat Dutch, by mail for \$1 per 100.

Turnip Seed. Any of the following leading sorts sent by mail for 10c per oz. - 25c per lb. - 75c per lb.

A. ROBINSON, BARBER AND HAIR-DRESSER.

Desire to inform the public that he has opened a first-class Barber Shop in Mr. H. Shultz's building...

WE SELL

Geisers Grain Separator, The Mitchell Wagon, The Studebaker Wagon, The Virginia Horse Power, The Hoosier STEEL TURN PLOW,

Corn Shellers, Straw Cutters, Partly Made Plows, Finished Plows, Harrow Teeth, Forks, Hoes, Mattocks and Picks.

Now in Store 200 BBLs LIME, PIEDMONT GUANO.

An elegant and cheap lot of CLOTHING, just opened. New lot of Shoes just in.

New Dry Goods every week, New Hats just arrived, Sol, Upper and Harness Leather, a specialty.

The best Sugar, Coffee and Molasses, always on hand, allow figures. Give us a call, look through our stock.

If you are due us by note or account, come in and settle, we want money, and it will add to your credit to pay, and our interest to have it.

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Wholesale and Retail FURNITURE, BEDDING, &c. &c. Chamber and Parlor Sets, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Washstands, Tables, Chairs, of every description.

A full assortment of everything pertaining to our business. We carry a Large Stock, and can offer inducements to the trade. We solicit a call. No. 5 West Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C. June 15th 1876-3-1y.

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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. GOODS ARE ALL MADE IN OUR FACTORY at this place, and under our own supervision.

We defy Competition, either in workmanship or low prices, and solicita trial. ALTAFFER & HILL, 40-41. Wilmington, N. C.

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13 different machines with which Builders, Cabinet Makers, Wagon Makers and Jobbers in miscellaneous work can compete as to QUALITY AND PRICE with steam power manufacturing; also Amateur's supplies, saw blades, fancy woods of designs. Say where you read this and send for catalogue and prices. W. F. & JOHN BARNES, Rockford, Winnebago County, Ill. 51-St.

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Manufacturers of Building Material Generally. DRESSED FLOORING, CEILING AND WEATHER-BOARDS. MOULDINGS FOR BUILDING PURPOSES, IN GREAT VARIETY, NEWELS, HAND-RAIL AND BALLUSTERS. WOOD TURNING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Good and substantial work made as cheap at this establishment as can be made in the United States. We have on hand the largest stock of the above South of the city of Baltimore, all of which we guarantee will give entire satisfaction to all who want good and substantial work.

The subscribers are the only Practical Mechanics - Sash, Blind and Door Makers - by trade, carrying on the business in the city of Charleston, and can refer to gentlemen all over this State, Georgia, North Carolina and Florida, as to the character of their work for the past twenty years.

NOTICE - On account of the manner in which we box up our work, and our own assumption of the risk of breakage of Glass with ordinary handling, our goods are shipped over the roads in this State at HALF RATES, which is a great saving to the purchaser of our work.

W. P. RUSSELL & CO., Charleston, S. C. March 26, 1877-42-1y

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