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AN IMPORTANT STEP.

As the proposition made by Mr. Best and other Northern Capitalists to buy the State's interest in the Western North Carolina Railroad, has called forth the earnest discussion, and the manner in which said proposition was received by the Governor and his council has been in many instances harshly and unfavorably criticised, through this section of the State, we have endeavored to present fairly to the public both sides of the question, and we trust that our readers will peruse carefully the speech of Hon. W. T. Dortch, who is opposed to the sale of the road, on the terms proposed by Mr. Best, and the reasons which Governor Jarvis assigns for calling an extra session of the General Assembly to consider said proposition, all of which are published in this issue of the ADVANCE.

Upon every question of public policy the humblest citizen is entitled to an expression of his opinion, and when that question involves an increase or diminution of the burdens of taxation, the people are entitled to know the reasons for the same, and to be heard only through their representatives, and legislators should be reminded that they are called upon to act not for themselves alone but, according to well established democratic principles, they are to carry out the wishes of their constituents.

We regret that our convictions of duty and the interest and pride which we feel in the welfare of North Carolina induce us to differ with the Governor in this matter. We believe that he has acted with too much haste, considering the importance of the result and there will not be wanting those who will regard the action with suspicion and who will inquire why this haste to convene the legislature to consider the proposition of Northern Capitalists to buy the State's most valuable property in which they see millions for themselves, when nothing was ever said about conveying that honorable body to remedy an oversight of its officers in failing to sign the school bill which left thousands of poor children of the State without the means of acquiring an education. In the address which he has caused to be issued, in pamphlet form, to "his fellow citizens," the Governor says: "It is for you (referring to the people) to say whether Capitalists shall be permitted to come and invest their money amongst you." Exactly so. Let us see how far the Governor is consistent. On the 21st day of February, he issued his proclamation calling upon the members of the Legislature to meet at the Capitol in Raleigh on the 15th of March to consider a proposition to sell the most valuable property owned by the State. This was the first intimation that the people had that such a proposition was pending. The people are generally allowed from three to four months to determine their choice between candidates to fill the various State offices but when it comes to disposing of their property by the million they are allowed only three weeks in which to inform themselves and instruct their representatives how to vote.

The Governor admits that the road from Salisbury to Paint Rock when completed will be worth \$3,000,000. Then where is the philosophy in accepting Mr. Best's proposition. If the people of North Carolina deem it expedient for the State to retain the control of her railroads, as will take only eighteen months more to reach Paint Rock, why not complete the road to that point, then sell the State's entire railroad connection from Paint Rock to the Atlantic coast, and, as Mr. Dortch says, it will be all for nothing to pay off the entire State debt. Then instead of taxation being increased 12 cents on every hundred dollars worth of property for road appropriations as the Governor argues, the ratio of taxation will be reduced by twice that amount and the State will then indeed be able to complete the Western Insane Asylum and discharge too the duty which she owes her poor children by providing schools at which they may obtain an education.

Among other reasons for advising the sale, the Governor mentions the fact that the "proposition also contains a proviso that the purchasers, in the matter of transportation shall not discriminate against any North Carolina city or town, or against any one North Carolina city or town over another." The Governor touches lightly upon this point for he has had experience enough as a legislator to know how difficult a matter it is to frame a law against railroad discrimination which will affect all sections alike. Our people here know from bitter experience that it is easier to talk about, than devise a remedy for, this evil.

In further justification of his course the Governor says that ten days will afford ample time for the decision of this question and, after making a minute calculation, he concludes that the extra session will not cost to exceed \$13,000. Is the whole thing cut and dried? How does the Governor know but that the members of the Legislature may assemble, conclude to give their constituents a little more time to consider the railroad question, lay Mr. Best's proposition on the table, then return to their favorite theme "Retrenchment and Reform" and spend twenty days in getting their officers straight on the school bill matter, in establishing criminal circuits in cutting off some of the red tape around the Agricultural Department and, after deciding another important matter, who is ahead in the gubernatorial race, adjourn and go home like sensible men to prepare for the next election.

It may turn out that the Governor has acted wisely in this matter, but with the lights at present before us, we must confess our inability to see how the greatest interests of the State are to be promoted by such hasty and precipitate step.

Ex-Governor Garcelon of Maine comes to the front and says, that General Chamberlain had no authority from him to run the State Government after his office as Governor expired. That the \$1800 which the Legislature proposes to appropriate to pay the expenses is not chargeable upon his administration. And that a few hundred dollars which he is prepared to pay upon demand is all for which he is in any way liable. It seems a difficult matter to settle the question who was Governor of Maine from the time Garcelon's term of office expired until the assumption of Executive authority by Davis, the present incumbent. And equally as difficult to settle the question of bribery raised by certain fusionist members of the Legislature. Swan reiterates the charge and says that he still has in his possession the money given him by White for that purpose, and wants to know what he shall do with it.

Ex-Judge Reade in declining to be considered a candidate for Governor on the Republican ticket, after alleging as a reason, disinclination for any more official honors, impaired health, &c., says, that "Sparta has a worthier son than he." As the Judge is known to be precise and careful in the selection of words it is presumed that he designedly changed the quotation by using the singular number. Some curiosity has been excited to know who was probably meant. Who is that worthier son? Is it Buxton, Bynum or Albreton? The first named seems to be the favorite of the Republican party generally when any preference has been indicated. Some speculation has been indulged in as to the fortunate or unfortunate Spartan. But outside of the councils of the faithful, he is not known.

Dennis Kearney, the famous sand land lot orator and arch agitator appears to be losing his popularity in California. In the Legislature of that State recently, a resolution was offered looking to the exclusion of this somewhat notorious demagogue from a privileged seat. Whereupon the mover of the resolution was threatened and the members of the Legislature attempted to be intimidated by the doughy leader of San Francisco "arsenolization." This impertinent insolence was promptly punished as it should have been, by the arrest of Kearney and his arraignment before the Legislature for contempt of its authority.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee held in Raleigh on Tuesday last, it was decided to hold the Democratic State Convention in Raleigh on the 23rd day of June next.

The Raleigh Observer of the 3rd inst., publishes a letter from Maj. W. Hearne a well informed writer on our State Internal Improvements. It will be seen that he opposes the sale of the Western N. C. Railroad at this time, and to our minds gives very cogent reasons therefor. The letter is timely and comes from one well informed of the matters thereof he

writes, and will attract the attention of all whose minds are not already made up to accept the Best proposition.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 2d. 1880.

Editor Observer:— Under the high excitement of this hot haste in "selling out," some important considerations are lost sight of, among which are the annual net earnings of the Western North Carolina Railroad, which, even before it crossed the Blue Ridge, were never under the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars a year.

The road now to Asheville reaches a freighting business never opened to it before, in Madison, Haywood and other counties of the West, to say nothing of increased passenger travel which during the summer months must now be immense. The net revenues of the Western North Carolina Railroad cannot, therefore, now fall under \$60,000 or \$75,000 a year—more than enough to take care of its mortgage debt of \$850,000 on which the interest is 59,500 per annum.

Again, the 550,000 mortgage bonds which Mr. Best offers the State for a \$3,000,000 railroad, are absolutely worthless and unmarketable, rendered so by the terms of his proposition, that the mortgage is forever non-foreclosable, or words to that effect.

Then, why shall the people of North Carolina and the State sacrifice two and a half or three millions of dollars to the Ducktown idea? Completed to Paint Rock, Governor Jarvis says the Salisbury and Paint Rock line is worth \$5,000,000 or more. And he is willing and urges that this property, and the advantage of its possession by the State, shall be sacrificed to extend a road for Mr. Best to Ducktown.

Let us see how this thing looks: Value of 183 miles of road from Salisbury to Paint Rock, at \$20,000 per mile, \$3,660,000. But the road is short of Paint Rock, say, \$600,000, leaving present value \$3,060,000. Take from this sum the mortgage of \$850,000, and the unincumbered property is still worth \$2,210,000. Take from this \$1,300,000, the compromised State bonds issued to build the road, and \$500,000 expended since 1875, making \$1,800,000, and that sum from \$2,210,000, present unincumbered value of the road, and there is still a surplus of \$350,000 over and above all the road has ever cost the State.

The proposition of our State authorities is to throw away \$2,140,000 of the States money on the Ducktown idea. Better by far keep on paying the annual tax of \$70,000, for thus it will take 30 years to aggregate the present sum proposed to be thrown away at one fell swoop, and about 14 support of convicts, appropriations and all.

Very truly,
W. E. HEARNE.

Our Norfolk Letter.
Communicated.

NORFOLK, VA., March 1st, 1880.

Norfolk is "booming" with all the vigor of the average "Presidential boom," but I hope with more stability. The *Loudmouth* published a statement on the 29th ultimo, giving the length, breadth and depth of the "boom" and a very handsome showing it was. Want of space prevents me from giving the figures.

A new theatre is to be built on Main street near Granby almost directly opposite the *Loudmouth* office. It will no doubt be a handsome building, and will add greatly to the looks and attractions of our city.

The cotton market just now is decidedly weak. Some skeptical "bears" are mean enough to intimate that the bottom has fallen out.

The irrepressible small boy with stick and tin pan is all the rage remaining of our great parade.

I had the pleasure of seeing Mr. James W. Waters, of Wilson here, who proposes to sojourn awhile in our city.

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RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$98,041.61
Overdrafts	10 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	30,000.00
Due from other National Banks	33,474.73
Real estate, furniture, & fixtures	7,624.22
Current expenses and taxes paid	780.21
Prepayments paid	608.73
Checks and other cash items	263.43
Bills of other Banks	2,780.00
Fractional currency (including nickels)	99.47
Specie (including gold Treasury certificates)	10,714.00
Legal-tender notes	7,350.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (five per cent circulation)	1,350.00
Total	\$145,187.40
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$51,000.00
Surplus fund	2,825.80
Undivided profits	2,911.15
National Bank notes outstanding	27,000.00
Dividends unpaid	490.00
Individual deposits subject to check	42,976.36
Demanded certificates of deposit	6,913.48
Time certificates of deposit	10,545.66
Due to other National Banks	1,035.75
Total	\$145,187.40

State of North Carolina, County of Wilson, ss:

I, John Hutchinson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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