

The Wilson Advance

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JOHN E. WOODARD, Editor
J. W. LANCASTER, Editor

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1880

Ex Senator Lyman Trumbull, of Illinois, a distinguished democratic statesman, and late chief Justice of the State, said in a late public speech,—"That the contest of the future will be between the aggregate wealth on the one side, and the people on the other. There is no hope of overthrowing the republican party until that is made the issue. And by the aggregate wealth I mean, the corporations, the national bank, the tariff and all that favors the money power."

THE POLICY OF THE SOUTH.

Much has been said in our exchanges, since our late defeat by the perfidy and selfishness of New York politicians, about the policy to be pursued in the future by the South.—A talented but eccentric Southern Senator, Hill of Georgia, recommends the abandonment of the democratic and republican parties, and the formation of a new political organization, to be known as the "National Union party."

We do not concur with Senator Hill in his views upon the political situation, nor share in his apprehensions of dangers of a solid North against a solid South. We are not prepared to admit that the democratic party has attained its maximum strength at the North. Four years ago the North was not solid against the democratic party, and because in the late election our Candidate for the Presidency was defeated by a small majority of the votes of a single northern city, obtained by the bribery and fraud of our opponents, and the perfidy and selfishness of a few democratic politicians, we think it would be the height of folly, to abandon the only party, upon which the friends of republican freedom can ever rely, for successfully waging warfare against the advocates of centralization and a strong government.

The principles of the democratic party are as dear to us to-day as they ever were, and we can see no reason why they should not be as dear to every lover of constitutional liberty. They were enjoined upon the country by the fathers of the republic—embodied in the Constitution of the United States—are the principles upon which the republic itself is based, and when they die, the republic must die also. While the republic lasts, the "good old democratic cause" must ever be of vital importance to all who love and value constitutional liberty. The true policy of the South is, we conceive, to adhere to the democratic party as heretofore, and not suffer a defeat, by a few thousand votes, to work its demoralization or disorganization. It has won too many battles in the past—has impressed itself too indelibly upon the country—has enlisted the affections of patriots and Statesmen of too many generations, to allow the absurd proposition of its abandonment to be entertained for a moment. All that is wanted is patience and earnest work all along the line.

Had the democratic leaders of New York and Brooklyn done their duty on the second day of November last, these cities would have given their usual legitimate democratic majorities, and General Hancock would now be our President elect, and the South would have marched forward with an accelerated pace on the road to peace, reconciliation and prosperity.

Above all other things however, if the people of the South ever expect to attain power and influence in this country, and emancipate themselves from the control of Northern politicians, they must henceforward look jealously and manly after their own welfare. They must improve to the utmost their natural advantages—utilize the mines of wealth which they possess in their cotton and other staples. They must encourage home manufacturers, and unite labor to remedy as speedily as possible, any deficiency in this particular, which may at present exist. In this way the South will in a few years, become rich, prosperous and powerful, and command the respect of all sections of the country. Thus becoming true to herself and the better enabled to make her influence felt, in behalf of the great principles of the democratic party, to which she is so firmly attached, the "solid South" would then be felt as a power throughout this country and not a leered at as a term of reproach.

RAILROAD TROUBLES.

At a recent meeting of the Stockholders of the Atlantic and N. C. Railroad in Newberne, a proposition was made by the Wilmington & Weldon road, through Hon. R. R. Bridgers, President, and Capt. John F. Divine, Superintendent, to lease the road for 30 years at an annual rental of \$35,000. The inevitable Mr. Best, of the Western North Carolina railroad, came forward with a proposition also, to pay \$34,000 annual rental for the same number of years, and as security for complying with the terms of the lease, offered to deposit \$25,000, or cash securities in some North Carolina Bank. A large majority of the private stockholders appear to be in favor of leasing the Wilmington & Weldon road upon the terms offered. But the State's proxy, Mr. F. M. Simmons, was instructed by Governor Jarvis to withhold the vote of the State, which left the meeting without a quorum, and the propositions to lease were defeated. The reason assigned by Gov. Jarvis for directing the State's vote to be withheld was, the early meeting of the Legislature, and the probability of several propositions being made to that body, which, fresh from the people, and responsible to them for their action in the matter, should assume the responsibility of disposing of the State's interest in the road. This view of the matter seems to us both wise and prudent, but it appears not to have given satisfaction to the private Stockholders, who evidently think that they have got an elephant upon their hands, and want to get rid of it as speedily as possible. They will have to "possess their souls in patience" however, and wait until the people's representatives are consulted about the matter.

The President elect, Gen. Garfield, has arrived in Washington City, and his troubles have commenced. The wide awake newspaper reporter and the greedy politicians of his own party are giving him a lively time. He has no doubt been reminded of the old King's soliloquy, "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown."

The Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle says: "The South has at least the satisfaction of knowing that she kept her part of the bargain, and if the 'hero of Gettysburg' is not President, it is not her fault. What she will do in the future, time must disclose. Much depends upon how great a gain the republicans have made in the Senate and House, and what their policy will be towards this section. The South will be kept reasonably solid for her own protection, and for the purpose of preserving the balance of power after the next apportionment, when the political dominion shifts from East to West. The tremendous problem now confronting the two parties of all sections is, will the administration of Garfield be modeled upon that of Hayes, or dictated by Grant, Conkling and Cameron. Until we know the exact nature of the administration we must remain in abeyance—preparing for the worst yet hoping for the best."

A Colored Man's Views.
BATTLEBORO, N. C.

EDITOR OF THE ADVANCE:—The article in your last issue clipped from the Oxford Torch-Light discusses a subject in which I feel much interest—not so much because I come within the pale of the attempted proscription, (being a colored man and a republican) but because, standing on the broad plain of principle in a land of civilization and freedom, and above all, in the light of that gospel which says: "Love your neighbor as yourself." I know not of anything more to be deprecated than an attempt to educate public sentiment in such a species of political popery and bourbonism, as the article in question inculcates. It is not from fear that the attempt will succeed that I protest against it. I know too well that political popery and prejudice will fall in the combat with justice. But it is because I know that while such a course on the part of its promoters will be productive of no good whatever, it will widen the breach that I was beginning to hope would ultimately be healed—the breach that grew out of the former relation of master and slave. I am willing to admit that a great many colored men vote more from prejudice than principle, and their conduct in the matter has in some instances more the appearance of brutish instinct than reason, but I think it is bad policy in any point of view to try to coerce, and attempt by oppressing, that which ought to be accomplished by kindness and a charitable disposition to enlighten.

Knowledge is the first great need of the colored man, and what he will have to possess before he ever becomes an intelligent voter. A man can offer no better excuse for anything he does than want of knowledge. Instead then of oppressing, show a disposition to

enlighten. This plan if it has no other recommendation, is at least scriptural; and if the colored man is so thick-headed as not to be susceptible of any improvement you will have the best of rewards anyhow—a good conscience.

I might say a good deal more on this subject but I fear I have already encroached too far on your valuable space. Hoping that you will do me the favor of letting me be heard, I am most respectfully,
M. W.

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A large stock of

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WHISKEY,

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of the very best quality on hand at lowest prices.

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NEWBERN, N. C.
S. R. STREET & SON, Proprietors

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Has opened on Tarboro Street a first-class Bar and Billiard Parlor, where he will be pleased to see his friends.

Bar stocked with the best of liquors.

H. K. & F. B. Thurber's Celebrated

Brands of "CENTURY WHISKIES."

Wheat and Rye.

During the Summer Months his BEER will be kept on ICE.

Ice House in the Cellar.

ICE WILL BE FOR SALE

The finest line of Cigars in town, Cigarettes, &c.

—Call and see him old J. R. Stand.—
Dec 3rd if

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For sale on reasonable terms my Saw Mill, Grist Mill and Cotton Gin, and all necessary fixtures. The location, six miles from Wilson, on the old plank road, is one of the most eligible in the County. I shall sell out by January 6th 1881, and parties desiring to purchase should apply to me at once for terms.
JESSE M. TAYLOR.
Dec 3rd if

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The firm of I. B. Farmer & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent May 5th, 1880. The business is now conducted by A. L. Bardin.
I. B. FARMER,
I. B. BARDIN,
A. L. BARDIN.

STRAYED.

My large black milk cow, with long hind hoofs. A liberal reward will be paid for information leading to her recovery.
W. G. SHARPE,
Tobacco, N. C.
Dec 3rd if

Big Pay. AGENTS WANTED.

We want a limited number of active, energetic canvassers to engage in a pleasant and profitable business. Good men will find this a rare chance.
To Make Money

Such will please answer this advertisement by letter, enclosing stamp for reply, stating what business they have been engaged in. None but those who mean business need apply.
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\$66 No risk. Reader, if you want a business at which persons of either sex can make great pay all the time they work, write for particulars to H. Ballew & Co., Portland, Maine.

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BROWN & FRETTE, Proprietors
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Postage Free to all subscribers in the United States or Canada.

The volumes of the Magazine begin with the numbers for June and December of each year. When no time is specified it will be understood that the subscriber wishes to begin with the current Number.

A complete set of Harper's Magazine, comprising of volumes, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express, freight at expense of purchaser, on receipt of \$2 25 per volume. Single volumes, by mail, post paid \$3 00. Cloth cases, for binding, 25 cents, by mail, post paid.

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Every Number furnishes the latest information in regard to Fashions in dress and ornament, the newest and most approved patterns, with descriptive articles derived from authentic and original sources while its stories, poems, and essays on social and domestic topics, give variety to its columns.

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PETERSBURG RAILROAD CO. OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, PETERSBURG, VA., March 31, '80 SCHEDULE OF TRAINS.

TO TAKE EFFECT MARCH 31ST.

GOING SOUTH.

New York Express
Leave Petersburg daily at.....1 07 P. M.
Arrive at Weldon at.....3 29 P. M.
Southern express leave Petersburg daily at.....11 47 P. M.
Arrive at Weldon at.....11 58 A. M.
Freight with passenger coach attached, leave Petersburg daily, except Sunday, at.....10 30 A. M.
Arrive at Weldon at.....3 25 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

New York express
Leave Weldon at.....1 10 P. M.
Arrive Petersburg daily at.....3 30 P. M.
Southern Express leave Weldon daily at.....3 55 A. M.
Arrive at Petersburg at.....6 20 A. M.
Freight, with passenger coach attached, leave Weldon daily, except Sunday, at.....5 40 P. M.
Arrive at Petersburg at.....11 50 P. M.

First-class coaches will run through between Wilmington and Washington and sleeping cars on night and day trains. Sleeping car berth can be had for \$1.00 from Richmond to Baltimore. No exchange of cars.

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E. M. SULLY, Superintendent

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I am prepared to furnish at short notice all kinds of

Fancy Cakes.

Families and parties supplied at reasonable rates.

Bread and all goods promptly delivered at the residence of purchasers.

Nov. 9-11

NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Sarah E. Blount, deceased, before the Probate Judge of Wilson county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the Estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and to all persons having claims against the deceased to present them for payment on or before the 25th day of Oct. 1881, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
D. G. CONNOR, Executor.

Nov 5-6w

TAYLOR'S BOSS CLIPPER
STEAM AND DRY
ENGINES

Portable and Agricultural Engines, Clipper Engines from 2 to 10 Horse Power, Dry Steam Engines from 4 to 20 Horse Power, Utensils for Wood & Mill Work, Engines from 6 to 20 Horse Power, Stationary, Adjustable Cut Off, Vertical, Engines from 12 to 20 Horse Power, Improved Corliss Engines from 10 to 15 Horse Power, Bellows, all sizes, from 10 to 20 Horse Power, Steam Mill, four sizes, North Carolina, Portable Corn Mills, Corn Mill Spoons, all sizes, guaranteed to produce better Meal, with 2 1/2 p. c. less power, than any other mill. Some to be had of THE TAYLOR MFG. CO. OF WASHINGTON, D. C., and of the Agents.

NOTICE—TOWN LOT FOR SALE.

By virtue of power vested in me by the last will and testament of Mrs. Sarah E. Blount I shall sell for cash, at the court house door in Wilson, on Monday, December 6th, 1880, the house and lot in the town of Wilson, situated on Tarboro street adjoining the lots of M. Rountree, the Ben. Lancaster lot and others. The house contains four rooms.
D. G. CONNOR, Executor.
Nov. 4th, 1880.

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DUFUR & CO.,

26 North Howard St., Baltimore.

Wire railing for cemeteries, lawns, gardens, offices and balconies; window guards, tree guards, wire cloth, sieves, fenders, cages, sand and coal screens, iron bedstead, chairs, settees, &c.
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TAKEN UP ASTRAY.

An ox came to my house about the first of September. His mark is a swallow fork in each ear and a niche under each. Color—pale red, with a few brindle spots and a white face. The owner can get him by paying for my trouble and expense and the cost of this advertisement.
I. U. AMERSON,
Near Stantonburg, Wilson Co., N. C.,
Nov. 19, 1880.

A Proclamation by the Governor

\$200 Reward.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, Nov. 9th, 1880

Whereas, official information has been received at this Department that Edwin Farmer, late of the county of Wilson, stands charged with murder; and whereas it appears that the said Edwin Farmer has fled the State, or so conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him.

Now, therefore, I, Thomas J. Jarvis, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of Two Hundred Dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said Edwin Farmer to the Sheriff of Wilson county, at the Court House in Wilson, and I do enjoin all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to justice.

Done at our city of Raleigh, the 9th day of November, 1880, and in the 105th year of American Independence.
THOS. J. JARVIS,
By the Governor, G. L. DILLON,
Private Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.
Edwin Farmer is about 39 years old, light complexion, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches in height and weighs about 160 pounds.

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country merchants will do well to call at Bynum, Daniel & Co's.

All Kind of Country Produce Bought at Bynum, Daniel & Co.

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Before you buy or sell come and see us.

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