

WILSON ADVANCE

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A FEEBLE CRY.

The Raleigh Signal goes for the editor of the State Chronicle because he did not call the name of the Signal in show up the many false statements made by the Signal in speaking of the finances of North Carolina.

The Signal makes no attempt whatever to deny that the Republican party robbed the State of the permanent school fund piled up debts upon the people for which they never received any benefit and proved, themselves in every possible way as absolutely unworthy of being trusted.

IT WON'T WORK.

The Republicans have been endeavoring to make party capital out of the fact that several negroes went to Bishop Lyman's house when he invited them there to tea.

They were not received socially or as equals at all and the attempt of the Republicans to make party capital out of this is but another evidence of the straits to which they are driven for political capital.

CO-OPERATION.

The thing that has built Durham up is the fact that her citizens co-operate and labor harmoniously for any and every thing that will help Durham. We see that a canning factory and a broom factory are to be started there at an early day.

The name of Judge Fowle has been much spoken of in the past weeks for Governor. There is little probability of his ever being honored very much in North Carolina. Not because he is not in every way worthy of being recalled to the service of the State, but because he has been so greatly injured by his well wishing but mistaken friends.

If a newspaper is afraid of friction, it should prepare to do for, mark you, the true and high-toned service is prescribing evil at every stroke of its pen.

BETTER RATES NEEDED.

North Carolina for North Carolinians. It is time that North Carolinians should turn their attention to building up North Carolina town.

SENATOR M. W. RANSOM has accepted an invitation to deliver the address at the commencement of Oak Ridge Academy, on the 29th of May. Our senior senator will give the people of that section of the State an address that will be remembered for its beauty of expression and thought.

THE presses of the country have been giving some needed information upon that greatest of frauds, the pension business of the government. The people of the South are mercilessly drained year after year by a high protective tariff so that every thrifless Northern man who went within a hundred miles of the contesting armies a quarter of a century ago, shall be supported in his laziness by a pension. It does look to us that the fellows who "saved the patriotism" for a little while and give the treasury a short rest.

JUDGE JAMES E. SHEPHERD enjoys the confidence and esteem of the people of the State to an unusually large degree. We note with pleasure the frequency and persistency with which he is mentioned for a seat on the Supreme Court Bench. There is no better judge on our people will nominate him for a seat on the Supreme Court Bench.

GEN. PHIL SHERIDAN is a Republican possibility for the Presidency, and it appears that there is some doubt as to the place of his birth. An exchange says that he claims that he was born in New York State, his mother says he was born in Ohio, and a cousin of his says he was born in Ireland.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Durham Recorder says: "On the Democratic side for Supreme Court Judges, it seems to lie in the east, between Pruden and Shepherd, with the chances in favor of Shepherd. In the center between Manning and Dillard, and in the west between Platt Walker and Judge Avery."

The rapidity with which Farmer's Alliance are being organized in this State is astonishing to some people. We see it stated that they have been organized at the rate of five a day since the first of this year.

OLIVER H. DOCKEY, will be the republican candidate for Governor we should say from an article that appeared in last week's Signal—the organ of the Republican party in this State. We are free to admit that we would prefer they should nominate some blatantly inconsistent man like Tyre, York or Richmond Pearson.

President Cleveland marked out the foundation upon which the approaching political campaign will be fought. He put it squarely upon a generous reduction of the tariff and the party will make an earnest fight in that line.

This is eminently a practical age and it therefore behooves every man to look out for his interest. The sensible business man recognizes the fact that a set of negroes led by such demagogues as Harris, Nichols, Boyd, Stanton and such men, are not to be trusted to manage the finances of a people.

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COMMISSIONER of Agriculture Johnson says that the work in Stokes county will result in adding to the coal resources of the State not less than 40,000 tons of accessible coal. The Agricultural Department has been doing some first class work recently.

BALDWIN LETTER.

Raleigh, N. C., March, 6, '88. There is a good deal of talk about politics, but no political information. Nobody knows how the cat is going to jump, but every man thinks he knows who the nominee for Governor ought to be.

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