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THURSDAY, July 19, 1894.

**PRENDERGAST,** the assassin of Carter Harrison, was hanged in Chicago last Friday.

It is now stated that Capt. Peebles who was recently nominated for the legislature from Northampton county, and who was first reported as being a Ransom man, now says that he is opposed to Ransom. Well, who would have thought it?

There is a revision of feeling against the voluminousness of New York dailies. What stomach can retain its equilibrium after partaking of fifty pages of those Metropolitan wet blankets?

President Cleveland has been invited to Chicago to join in an investigation of the labor troubles. Surely these anarchists that are leading those riots do not wish to strike a blow at the head of the government.

We have received a copy of the last catalogue of the State Normal and Industrial School at Greensboro. The enrollment is large, near four hundred. It seems to be getting all the patronage it can accommodate.

Moore county last week instructed the delegates to vote in the Democratic Congressional Convention for Hon. Duncan McIver for Congress. There are quite a number of candidates in that district, and Mr. McIver has a good running chance.

An enterprise is on foot to unite the Chicago and Columbian Universities under the Superintendence of President Harper. If the project is carried out, it will be the union of two of the greatest schools in the country.

Yesterday the News-Observator Chronicle was sold at auction. It was bought by Mr. J. N. Holding, of Raleigh, for \$6,810.00. The paper will be run as heretofore strictly as a Democratic paper. The plan of the buyer has not been made public, however.

It is estimated that the railroads have lost eight millions of dollars by the strike. Cook county and the city of Chicago will have to refund to the railroads the most of that amount. The railroads will not lose a cent. The people of Chicago will lose nearly all of it.

In China the cholera is reported as being terrible. It is said that some forty thousand deaths from the disease have occurred in Canton alone. The authorities have been suppressing the reports of the ravages of the epidemic, but the truth has leaked out just the same.

It is now known that the earthquake in Constantinople last week killed over two hundred people and destroyed property up in the millions. The world renowned mosque of St. Sophia was badly damaged but can be repaired. The walls of the city were much shattered.

LAST Saturday Craven county Democratic convention adopted resolutions instructing the delegation to the State convention to vote for a resolution favoring primary elections for United States Senators on the day of election. The convention also passed a resolution endorsing Senator Jarvis to succeed Senator Ransom.

Chicago newspapers claim that four-fifths of the strikers who have been engaged in the destruction of life and property there for the last three weeks are of foreign birth. Isn't this immigration question worthy of consideration by Congress any way? It seems to be about time for the doors to be shut until Americans can gain the ascendancy even in strikes.

Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, is an interesting character just now. He says that he put down the strike himself. He seems to allow the United States regulars to enter into the calculation at all. He says that he had the situation on the hump all the time, and didn't want any help anyway. It's true that it takes a thief to catch a thief, but the governor's thief was the loser this time.

**THE QUESTION OF ARBITRATION.**

President Cleveland's acquiescence in appointing a committee of investigation, the other day, to inquire into the labor troubles, has occasioned the labor leaders to feel more hopeful about arbitrating the differences with Mr. Pullman. Some of the leaders and sympathizers of the strikers have claimed that the upshot of the whole matter is that a committee of investigation is one of arbitration.

Mr. Cleveland distinctly said that it was a committee of investigation, but the labor leaders have claimed that action as a surrender of an important point, and hence a guarantee that the other will come in good time. Therefore they expect to exert such a pressure upon the Pullman company that they will consent to arbitration sooner or later.

Pullman says that no set of men can force him to make cars at a loss. He is not willing for a committee of arbitration to decide that he should work his shops, when such action would entail nothing but loss upon him.

If Pullman speaks truth when he says that his company has been losing on all recent orders that they have filled, then he is right in refusing to arbitrate. Who can force a man to continue a losing business? Were he to consent to arbitration, it would be a virtual acknowledgment on his part that other men have a right to force him to work at a loss. He has the right to quit a business that does not pay. He has a right to close his works when no profit arises from operating them.

But has Mr. Pullman the right to expect the country to believe what he says about the matter? Can he reasonably expect that the country will take his statement about losses as true? We are not saying that Mr. Pullman has falsified about this matter. We presume that he has spoken truly. We have no just cause for disputing that point. His words may be as true as those found in the Pentateuch. But we do declare that Mr. Pullman should give the country better reason to believe it than his word.

When a business involves, as this one does, the interest and well-being of twenty thousand people, the proprietors of that business should be willing to surrender a part of their rights if it does not entail loss. The company should be willing for this committee of investigation to examine its books, so that the country will be satisfied about the statements of the company. Until that is done public opinion will be divided upon the matter, and people will be undecided where to place the blame.

Let Mr. Pullman open his books to the investigating committee and let them report to the country the condition of the company's business. Is that too inquisitive? Perhaps so, but something is radically wrong somewhere, and it is a patriot's duty to mend matters when he can, even if he has to surrender his own rights to an extent for a time. It would be magnanimous in the Pullman company to do that, and we think that they should.

**BEHIND CLOSED DOORS.**  
At last the tariff bill has disappeared from public view. For months it has been before the country. It ran the gauntlet of the House. It stood the stare of the Senate. It survived the rough handling of Hill. It existed during the mutterings of Reed, and Sherman, and Hoar.

It has been in public sight for a long time. It has weathered the storm of indignation throughout the Democratic camp. It has been in the very teeth of the gale, and yet has not flinched.

But now it has sought the seclusion of the committee room again. It is before the conference committee of the two houses for agreement.

For ten days the Democratic members of that committee, eight of them, have been holding caucuses trying to decide upon the provisions of the bill. The six Republicans of the Committee are not even asked to attend the meetings. They are not in it at all. Their room is preferable to their company. They are noisities. They are back numbers, and so they take back seats while the Democratic bloods run things in that committee room to suit themselves.

There is no reason for the Republicans to complain about such treatment, however, for they would do the same thing if they had a chance. The Democrats have the majority and will control matters anyway. They want to decide upon some action, and after they have decided they will admit the Republicans and let them cast their six votes against it. Six to eight is the way the vote will stand, and what is the use of having those six Republicans standing around waiting for their Democratic matters to come to a conclusion?

What is passing in that secret cave of Democrats the country cannot determine. It is understood, however, that Mr. Wilson and the House conferees are making a resolute stand against the extreme demands of the Senate. They are sticking to the principles that are embodied in the Wilson Bill, namely, that the fundamental Democratic doctrine is to gather whatever revenue that is needed under a tariff system from a revenue tax on the finished product, and not on raw material or successive taxation on different processes of manufacture; and that the correct system of taxation is on value. The other, the ad valorem method of assessing duties is the correct one in preference to the specific.

Those are the principles upon which the House conferees headed by Mr. Wilson are making their fight. If they be successful free sugar, free coal, free iron, and free lumber will soon be the items of the bill. The conferees from the Senate are also determined upon carrying their point, and a long fight will doubtless be the result.

As to what the result will be no one can conjecture with anything like certainty. It will doubtless be another week before a decision can be reached, and then the bill will again see the light of day.

**WOMAN IN THE WILD WEST.**

Rather a sensational case came over the wires last Saturday. Nevada furnished a bit of news this time that is noticed even in the midst of the congestion of attention over the big strike. Nevada is small in population, scanty in labor riots, but she does not propose to be entirely surpassed even by Chicago.

The story that the wires ticked out for the country Saturday night is about as follows: There lived some where in Nevada a man and his wife. The husband was a very suspicious old scoundrel. He was a jealous old brute. He was always imagining that his wife wanted to run away from him. The story does not say whether she did or not.

One day she got in the notion to go to see some relatives some miles up the road, and left in the passenger coach drawn by horses as it passed her house. Her husband was not present when she left, but he came back pretty soon, seized his gun and galloped on over the coach.

He soon overtook the coach which contained his wife, the coachman named Lovelock, and a passenger named Sullivan. He immediately fired and killed Lovelock, then Sullivan, and jumped into the coach and drove on to a well where he said he intended to conceal the two corpses.

Then he was going to kill his wife and deposit her there also. When he halted at the well and began to get out, his wife seized a pistol from Lovelock's pocket and shot him dead. She then seized the reins and drove on ahead to a town with three dead men in the vehicle and told the interesting story.

What country can beat Nevada? The wild west cannot be beaten when it comes to furnishing material for quill drivers. That woman would draw a crowd if she was put under a tent.

Stranger than a Watch Tale.

Mr. Bartlett Tarleton is one of the most respectable and responsible men of the Gibraltar neighborhood of Union county. He is a man of truth, and his neighbors say his word is his bond in all things. His wife is the same kind of a woman that he is a man and she verifies every word he says.

Last Friday evening Mrs. Tarleton noticed two or three large snakes near the house, and called her husband to see them and kill them. When arrived they went to the reptiles and found, instead of two or three, about twenty-five of them. They were black and in shape nearly like a buggy whip, but had no head at all, so far as Mr. Tarleton was able to see. When they came in contact with a stick or weed they simply parted in the middle, went around it on both sides and then went together and again assumed their natural shape. Then Mr. Tarleton tried to kill some of them, and he sat them i-

to the ground, but in a very short time they would rise out and be as sound as ever. He tried to kill them repeatedly, but always met with the same luck.

Mr. Tarleton was a little excited and went to tell one of his neighbors. When he and his friend returned the strange reptiles had disappeared and could not be found. They have looked for them often since but have never found them. Mr. Tarleton says it is one of the strangest experiences in his life and he would like for some one to explain it.

LINCOLN and Grant are being spoken of for the nomination for President and Vice-President on the Republican ticket in 1896. Bob Lincoln is the son of President Lincoln and Fred Grant is the son of President Grant. It is thought that they would make a strong team, not for what is in the boys themselves, but for what is in the names. In all probability they would, for at every election since the war there has always been some old negro who wanted to vote for Grant.

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**THE STATE OF UTAH.**  
Only the President's signature is needed to make Utah a State. The bill for its admission has been passed by both houses and was immediately sent to the President.

Utah would have been a State years ago, if it had not been for the persistency of a large portion of her people in holding to the practice of polygamy. The new State will have a larger population than either of the States of Idaho, Wyoming, Montana, Nevada, Delaware, and possibly New Hampshire, and Vermont.

According to the last census this population of Utah was something over two hundred thousand, and surely such a large community deserves representation in Congress and to govern its own affairs.

**Treason in the Senate.**

It will not do to look upon Peffer as merely an intellectual misfit upon the floor of the United States Senate. The time has come when he must be taken seriously. His utterances upon Tuesday were treason, flat and uncompromising treason; and no treason more frank and defiant has ever before been uttered by any enemy that the country has had.

He is for the overthrow of the Constitution. He wants the Senate and the House of Representatives swept away and the Government abolished. He demands the suspension of the law that all business may be forced to cease and that all right of property may end and anarchy ensue. He does not mince his phrases; his words are as straight as his purpose is vicious.

What is to be done with this public enemy, this agent of treason, who has invaded the precincts of the Senate? Peffer is not to be lightly passed as a paranoiac without dynamite, a misstep of nature with nature's errancy marked in his make. We say he must be taken seriously, because he talks treason.—New York Sun.

We read Mr. Peffer's speech that the Sun comments on as above. We think Mr. Peffer showed too much temper and we think he should have been called to order. However, we are inclined to let Mr. Peffer cool off and then hear what he has to say.

Last week the Senate passed a resolution endorsing President Cleveland's action in sending troops to Chicago to put down the mob. Senator Daniel introduced the resolution and it went through without a dissenting vote.

President Cleveland last week, appointed a committee of investigation to inquire into the causes of the strike. The labor union calls it a committee of arbitration, although the President distinctly told them that the committee would have no power to arbitrate but only to investigate.

The Salisbury Herald thinks that Mr. Joshua Hudson, of Stanly county, deserves to take front rank among the citizens of the State. He is 99 years old, has been married three times, has 23 children and 400 grand children and great grand children. Notwithstanding his great age Mr. Hudson is hale and hearty and is active and cheerful.—North Carolinian.

At last the labor troubles in the west seem to be at an end. Some two thousand coaches were destroyed by the mob besides millions of other property owned by the railroads, consisting of engines, rolling stock, round-houses, and track. It is said, however, to the strikers credit, that the greatest part of the damage was done by the tramps, dead beats, and loafers of Chicago who took advantage of the situation to pilage. We don't know how true that is, but it is a reasonable supposition.

**WOMAN IN THE WILD WEST.**

Mr. Pullman says the stock of the Palace Car Company has never been watered, that every time the stock has been increased the cash was paid over to do it with. We don't blame Mr. Pullman for doing that, for requiring cash instead of water. Water is a very good thing to take, but one can get enough of water. Whoever heard of Mr. Pullman getting enough of cash?

News from the West is to the effect that Debs is still striking. He has given orders for all the members of the A. R. U. to remain faithful to one another until Pullman comes to terms. The only thing to bother will be to determine what sort of terms the A. R. U. are going to live on until Pullman does show the white feather.

**Noteworthy Forthcoming Discussions.**  
In the forthcoming (August) number of the Forum, there will be striking articles treating of the three recent startling manifestations of crime—the Great Railroad Strike and its Causes; the Assassins of Carnot; and the Police Revelations in New York. Discussions of these subjects are grouped under the general title, "The Sentimental Dealing with Crime and its Increase; and following these is a fairly startling review of the recent world wide increase of crime, by Mr. Henry Charles Lea, of Philadelphia. These make one of the most note-worthy groups of strong and timely articles that have ever appeared in our periodical literature.

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