

Mr. Devereaux advocated Judge Superior Courts of North Carolina-1888 Fowle's nomination. His own words written in soberness then completely refute his present campaign slan der. During the contest for the der. During the contest for the nomination, it will be remembered, the papers were full of charges and counter-charges against each of the distinguished aspirants. In April of that year Mr. Devereaux replied to the charge that Judge Fowle was guilty of impropriety in regard to guilty of impropriety in regard to the Special Tax Bond transaction.

I enclose a reply which we think should as a matter of policy emanate from the Piedmont region. Please give this matter your best attention. Who is Thomasy If he continues to fling his slime, we will open on him in a way not pleasant to Jarvis. Things look well here and hereabouts. Write to us.

Yours truly, T. P. DEVEREAUX." The following is the letter Mr. Devereaux wrote in defense of Judge Fowle. If it was true then, it is true to-day. Mr. Devereaux probably did not think that his own written words would rise up to confound him, now that he has gone into the misrepresentation business. But so it is. This is his letter:

## "JUDGE FOWLE.

MR. EDITOR:-A writer in your paper calling himself 'Thomas' seems to be very much exercised that Judge Fowle should be so far ahead in the Gubernatorial race and therefore attacks him in a way indicative neither of a good heart nor a sound understanding. When we saw the signature our mind insensibly turned to the joke which Gov. Vance used with such force, about a great deal of walking being 'ahead of you, Thomas.' Thomas asks: What about the hundred thousand of special tax bonds which Judge Fowle received from the ring?

Now, Thomas, you ought to be sufficiently well informed to know that Judge Fowle never received one hundred thousand dollars in bonds or otherwise from the ring. The truth is, after the passage of chapter 7, laws 1868-'69, better known as the Omnibus bill, attempting to validate the special tax bonds and for which Gov. Jarvis voted in the Legislature, Judge Fowle, with other attorneys, was employed to test the constitutionality of the act. He received, as a contingent fee,  $12\frac{1}{2}$  of the special tax bonds, his partner, R. C. Badger, Esq., receiving a like number. There were 14 millions in bonds involved in the snit. As Thomas is seeking information, we will tell him that in addition to the bonds spoken of above, Judge Fowle received as a retainer \$500, and \$2,500 in each as his contingent fee, and his partner received the same. Would any lawyer of decent stand-The most thoroughly self-answer- ing demand a less fee in a case ined man in the present campaign is volving so large an amount? In re-Thomas P. Devereaux, the Radical gard to the 'Wilmington affair,' we candidate for Attorney General. Mr. notice that in another column of Devereaux is not a Radical of the the same issue of your paper, you old school. He was not reared a say that New Hanover has gone ad-Radical. When he first came to verse to Gov. Jarvis, and you might manhood he was a Democrat, and continued a Democrat until he as- 'Wilming on affair?' We would like certained that the Democrats would to know. It seems to help the Judge give him no political preferment, amazingly. He must have had a and would not commit to his hands similar affair in Granville. In regard to the Swepson matter, in the great never-to-be-forgotten things have come to a pretty pass farce entitled "The Grand Liberal when an attempt is made to deand Anti Prohibition Tragedy," Mr. nounce an attorney for appearing Devereaux ran against Gen. Cox as for a man charged with crime. the Liberal candidate for Congress. Judge Fowle was employed in this It was during that campaign that cause after the death of Gov. Bragg, George Lane, a colored politician, who had been Swepson's counsel up vouched for Mr. Devereux, and gave to that time. He (Judge Fowle) has as his reason for supporting him: "I now as his associates in this case am in favor of Mr. Devereaux for Judge Thomas Ruffin, Hon. A. S. Congress because he has got a NE Merrimon, Hon. Joseph J. Davis, GRO'S FEELINGS with Liberal C. M. Cooke and others. Does this allay your itch for knowledge, Tom-Thus inducted into the Radical my? If it doesn't let us know and party, with George Lane as his po- we will attempt to aid you further litical god-father, Mr. Devereux has in your commendable undertaking. been a Radical of Radicals, and no So far, Judge Fowle and his friends man has surpassed him in abuse and have studiously avoided descending wanton slander of honest Demo- to personalities in this contest. crats. In other campaigns he has They consider it wanting in that given himself in a measure over to true delicacy which should always slander and misrepresentation, but mark the high-toned gentleman. it remained for the campaign of 1888 But there is a point beyond which for him to go to the lowest depths forbearance ceases to be a virtue, and be told by Judge Fowle that he and for the benefit of all inquiring was a LIAR AND A SCOUNDREL. So Thomases or Tommies, we close this far as the Democrats are concerned, letter with a quotation 'Point de

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strict, James E. Shepherd, of Beautort strict, Fred Phillips, of Edgecombe, H. G. Connor, of Wilson.

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the Special Tax Bond transaction. What did he say then? He wrote the following letter to John Gray Bynum, Esq., of Morganton: "RALEIGH, N. C., April 18, 1880. DEAR GRAY:—The last issue of the Blade contained a communication from Thomas' which Judge Fowle's friends here thought should be an-swered at once. Speaking for them I enclose a reply which we think State Special Tax Bond transaction. What did he say then? He wrote State Special Tax Bond transaction. SollCHTORS. Ist District, John H. Blount, of Perquimans. 2nd District, Geo. H. White. (col.) of Halifax. 3rd District, D. Worthington, of Martin. 4th District, T. M. Argo, of Wake. 6th District, C. H. Allen, of Duplin. 7th District, B. F. Long, of Iredell. 9th District, W. H. Bower, of Caldwell. 1th District, Frank Osborne, of Mecklenburg, 12th District, James M. Moody, of Buncomber.

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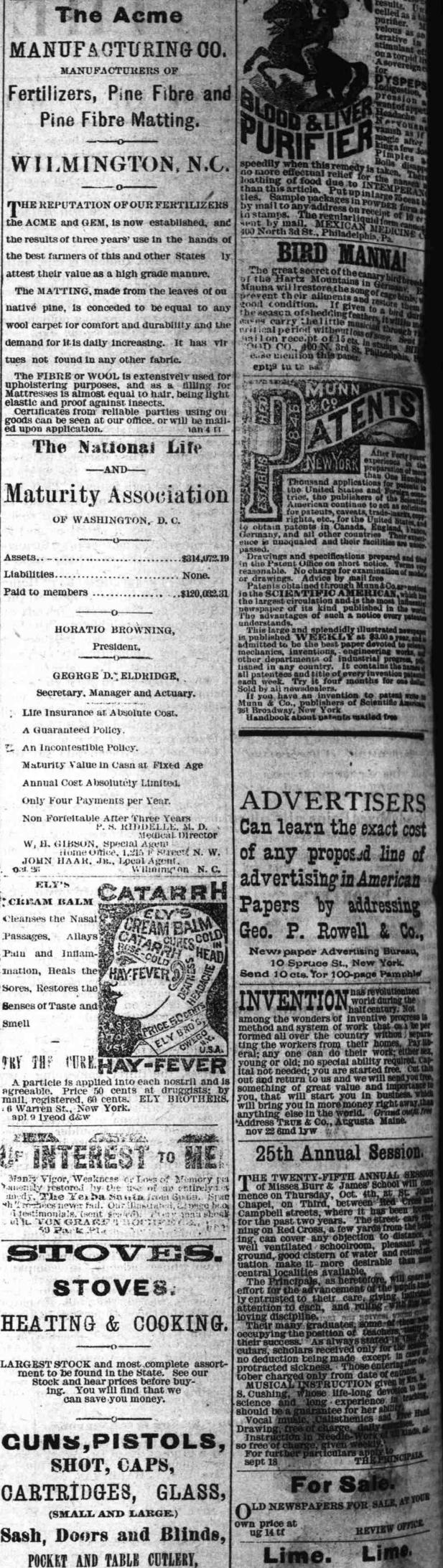
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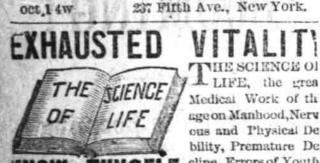
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## THOMAS DEVEREUX. (Raleigh Chronicle.)

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