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The Supreme Court Refuses a "Corner."

The United States Supreme Court by a division of six to three held that no man or set of men have the right to buy up the corn, wheat or cotton crop and then boost the price to make for themselves an unjust fortune. The court held that the parties indicted in the Federal court in the State of New York for violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Law should be tried under this act according to the facts in the case.

All Want A Job?

It certainly does seem a strange thing that Democracy's loyal supporters are aching in the stomach for a small piece of national patronage to satisfy a vacancy that has existed for sixteen long years, when congressmen and senators are attempting to devise a plan to remove all Federal employees appointed

by the president, by July 1st, 1913. Some may suppose that this is a new scheme, but it seems to us that just such a dido was cut in North Carolina several years, by abolishing the office, and later created a new office, but for the same purpose, and filled it with men of their own choice. And if we are not mistaken Locke Craig was a leader in trying to impeach some supreme court justices for no other motives than a political end. We had hoped, but in vain, that men of that stripe had passed forever.

North Carolina Furniture Men Win.

It must be exceedingly good news to every Tar Heel to learn that after a long and hard battle by the furniture manufacturers Association of North Carolina the unjust discriminating freight rates on furniture in car load shipments from North Carolina to the Pacific states have been ordered reduced by the Interstate Commerce Commission to the same basis rate given Va., New York and all Eastern states. Consequently our furniture manufacturers are at least on the same freight rate basis with all competitors. However, its a well established fact that for a long time our manufacturers have been making a better and finer product than many of the eastern and western makers. As an evidence of this fact the White Furniture Co., of Mebane have been for years selling a large part of their product in the extreme west with odds in freight against them.

And in justice to Mr. W. W. White of Mebane we must note that this ruling reducing the North Carolina rate is largely due to his untiring efforts assisted of course by many other large furnishing manufacturers.

This victory is only beginning to the removal of the many other discriminations that exist on nearly every product shipped in-

to North Carolina. Its the duty of every citizen of the state to support loyally and liberally every organization that is fighting, the retarding of business by freight discriminations.

Is It So?

A few days ago some one brilliantly remarked that Mr. Woodrow Wilson would be a good president for all until his inauguration on next March. The statement carries with it much truth. So far he has had no trials, that the result could cause division. Can you conceive of any trouble, dissatisfaction or disappointment, if he appoints Josephus Daniels to the cabinet, W. J. Bryan to the Secretary of State over the protests of Champ Clark and his friends, or ignores Wall Street when he appoints a secretary for the Treasury? These are problems that he must solve and let the decision be right, as we hope it will be, he will make enemies. And assume that he does not make a Wall Street selection for the guard of Uncle Sam's funds, it means a financial disturbance. There are many things to cross the President-elect's pathway that will torment him by day and haunt him by night.

He has acted wisely so far in living up to his own rule of being a good listener, but the day is not far distant when he must mount the stage, with the lights on and the real play will begin

Rockefeller too Sick to Appear at Hearing.

Washington, Jan. 7.-Affidavits that William Rockefeller has "Gouty inflammation of the Larynx and windpipe" which has necessitate six operations, the last of a "serious nature," were recorded with the House Money Trust investigating Committee today as evidence why the much-sought oil magnet should not appear before the committee.

The affidavit by Walter F. Chappelle, Mr. Rockefeller's

physician, said Mr. Rockefeller cannot speak above a whisper and must take the so-called "silent treatment."

Dr. Chappelle swore that to force Mr. Rockefeller to testify "would not only be an act of inhumanity, but actually would endanger his life."

Another affidavit by Dr. Samuel W. Lamont was much to the same effect. When the affidavits were put into Money Trust Committee's record Chairman Pujo announced that the committee would investigate the situation "through its own agencies."

Brought Baby's Body From California.

(From the Statesville Landmark)
 Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mahaffey and a child, who have been making their home in the state of Washington, passed through Statesville yesterday enroute to their old home near Hiddenite. Mr. Mahffey and family went from Washington to California some weeks ago expecting to spend the winter there. Their six-months-old baby became ill and died in a hospital at San Bernardino, Cal., December 26. It was then decided to come to the old home in Alexander for a visit and take the baby their for burial. The little coffin was with the other baggage of Mr. and Mrs. Mahaffey.

Death

Willis Stout the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Stout of Haw River died Saturday and was buried Sunday, funeral by Rev. Mr. Rose of the Baptist church Graham.

The eleven month old child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Modlin of Haw River died Monday and was buried Tuesday.

Mrs. Turely Coble wife of B. M. Coble of Haw River died Tuesday and will be buried Thursday at Mt. Pleasant Methodist church. Funeral will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Curry.

William Ruffin a respectable negro of Graham died Saturday and was buried Sunday. He was 50 years old and served for quite a while as janitor at the Graded School of Graham

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