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"KEEP THE TAX ON WHISKEY."

procure one, direct it to his Congressman, and put on the other side something like this:

"Hox. surplus when it does me no good. Keep the tax on whiskey, but give us cheaper food and clothing. If you will 'hear something drop' in the coming campaign should you stand "Very respectfully,

their allegiance to the party; but it ink slingers,

the people wrong, iniquitous and dead and dving issues. unjust, and on this account is ob- Make way! The old North State noxious and odious, placing them comes! Let her sister States at the degrading to the manhood of American freemen. Even if it were concoded that this excise law was admishoarded wealth in government vaults without relief to the people. Its continuance will not take away the detested espionage that hovers around the homes of many who would be honest if the government would only

The wish of the whole party is the State has been so plainly and fully expressed on this subject that Chairman Battle, in his official capacity, sent to Washington an able delegation of prominent Democrats to urge the embodiment of an intertal revenue repealing clause in the tariff reform bill then being formulated by the Ways and Means Committee, and it was done; and that able, astate and popular representative, John S. Henderson, of Rowan, knowing full well the demands of his constituents, when interviewed asserted his intention to vote for re-

that, thing one hundred and sixty-there reduction to a basis for reve-three votes as necessary to pass the Detective Cuddy, and when that Democratic Prohibitionists are not o rats who oppose it on the plea of Independents are also committed to affair, and then made the following fore be sure not to countenance this PORTABLE ENGINE crippling our manufactures, but the it, and that six votes claimed as Ran-confession;

mands that we "keep the tax on being the Louisiana delegation, will will clear White. I want to tell you whiskey"? It is not the Democracy eventually support the measure, and here in the presence of White that of North Carolina, for they have tion. It is a close cut piece of work, he had nothing to do with the forheld aloft the banner of repeal for and will require to pan out completenear a quarter of a century. It is ly in all its parts to succeed .-- Monnot the Republican party, for they, roe Enquirer and Express. seeing the popular current, advocate repeal. It is not the devoted Women's Christian Temperance Unions, earth is inhabited by one thousand have to go to jail, so we decided to who labor from year's end to year's millions of human beings, or there- try the next best thing. We resolvend, for they not long since, through abouts, and that thirty-three years ed to get as much money as we could Senator Vance, asked, by petition, make a generation, and that there- secure and skip. We did that and for a repeal. But the mighty power and million die. Thus the number Referring to the forgeries Cross straggling against all these is the who die on earth amounts to each said that \$15,000 would cover the is imported into this country at the great whiskey ring, whose millions year thirty millions; each day, whole amount. of dollars have been accumulated by eighty-six thousand; each hour, Yesterday being a legal holiday, the monied valuation given to the thirty-six hundred; each minute, no session of the court was held .whiskey traffic by internal revenue. sixty; each second, one. Now, at this moment, one of our fellow-And they—the greatest of all Amer-creatures is going out of the world, The pair are completely broken that with repeal comes their pecu- than three thousand souls will have down and take their sad plight very

tors and representatives in Congress, voters, and at the same time say, "Keep the tax on whiskey."

The campaign is opening up, and the people, not saying much, are, Micawber like, waiting and watching for something to turn up, and we may set it down that they will sup-"It costs only one cent to buy a port those who favor the repeal of city: postal card. Let every tax-payer this odious, obnoxious, un American law irrespective of party. It is said to be the "principle and duty of the Democratic party to down monopoly, "Dear Sir: The government col- the offspring of despotism," and the and tired of paying my share of this will vote to down this revenue "infernal."

The crowning results of man efforts often appear many years after his "return to dust"; the sweetest -Concord Times. and most perfect ties of home life The oft-reiterated demands of the have often but taken deep root when North Carofina Democracy, the in- death snatches away the father or ternal revenue repeal clause in our mother, and even years pass before State Democratic platform, the ac- some well-planned governments rise tion of our State Democratic Execu- to their zenith. This is conspicutive Committee, and the expression onsly true just now. Though her of our legislative bodies, would seem representatives are admitted to seats to brand the above caption as alto- in the nation's legislative halls, and gether undemocratic, but in the face their speeches have sent terror into of all this we find there are some in the "rank and file" of government the ranks who advise against inter- jobbers and scheming monopolists, hal revenue repeal. The loyalty of North Carolina has ever since the these representatives of Jeffersonian war been, in a greater or less degree, principles we do not doubt, neither the butt of evil remarks and groundwould we challenge for a moment less assertions of the "bloody-shirt"

does really appear to us that they The dawn of a new era is upon us. have forgotten the leading question. The recent bank robbery at our capiby which our present officials, from tal-committed by men who are total senator to constable, hold place, and strangers to every principle of jusby which the old North State is now tice, honor, gratitude and love-has won for North Carolina a place in Almost without an exception Dem- the ranks with civilized Iowa, Ohio, o ratic candidates have successfully New York, Maine and the other cone before the people on this issue; moral and patriotic States. The and the cry of "red-legged grass- chasm needs no bridge; an occurhopper" has echoed from hill to hill. rence characteristic of the modern Why? Because this whole revenue moral idea of civilized States has system has ever been considered by filled this chasm with the remains of

The Massachusetts Senate defeated

the women shall reign supreme.

The Republican managers are in a desperate fix over the difficulty of finding an available Presidential candidate. It may, in the end, be necessary to import one, and in that event, Mr. Jim Blaine stands a good

The Mills Tariff Bill.

tariff bill, and the estimate is made

Number of Deaths in a Year.

entered into an eternal state. It may or may not be undemo- The widow of General Hancock condition. He is filled with fear Island, New York, 460 feet long and perfect white variety known, for its cratic to oppose tariff reduction, for there are many able statesmen of the party who differ on this great quesparty who tion, but we cannot see how any North Carolina Democrat can enficient money for its purchase and the action of our Legislature, to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and with a deeper grain; will shell more parties from Raleigh Monday night, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and with a deeper grain; will shell more parties from Raleigh Monday night, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building, and sixlocomotives attached by topes to the underpinning control to the stalk; it is earner than the Golden Dent, more productive and the building and sixlocomotives at the building and sixlocomotive and the building and sixlocomotive at the building a

CROSS AND WHITE.

or the demands of the Democratic The Former Makes a Confession-He Court Proceedings Yesterday-The Day a Holiday.

From the Raleigh News and Observer of Wednesday we clip the ments in the bank robbery in that

Raleigh bank case is assuming a pecultar form. It is developing into a triangular fight of considerable eity Monday to look after the interto New York, promising to send in been accustomed to obliging each yous. other in this way, so the request was Toronto, Ont., April 3 .- Charles not unusual. The amount wanted E. Cross and Samuel C. White, the was duly forwarded and received by absconding bank officials of Ral-White, who pocketed the package, trate this morning, charged with and, with Cross, flitted. He also bringing stolen money into Canada. against the pair of boodlers, charging the prisoners. them with bringing stolen money into Canada, to which it is probable they

Mr. Hardy says he spent two days proper shape.

State of high culture, that sets herevening, having been detained several hibition or "Third" party. The self up as an infallible guide in hours by a railway accident on the trick is too apparent to catch honest financial, political and religious mat- New York Central railroad. He is Democrats. The Sun's words, which ters. However, it is a consoling fact accompanied by F. H. Busbee, Disto the South that even the Bay State trict Attorney, Mr. Graves, one of been called to meet in Greensboro in her wisdom, through her representatives, has said, if not emphati- Rogers, ex-deputy sheriff. After convention is to organize a third cally at least decisively, that around leaving Raleigh on Friday they went party and put candidates in the field the fireside, as shapers of character, direct to Washington, where they for the various offices to be filled this 559,98. secured the necessary requisition pa- year, from the highest to the lowest. New York, April 1.—Despite the pers for the extradition of White No sensible man believes for a mople saw the opening base ball game and Cross on the charge of forgery. ment that such a movement can be of the season at R.dgewood park to-They left Washington at 10 o'clock attended with success. Whoever day. New York 2, Brooklyn 2. Saturday night and traveled contin- shall be nominated for Governor, uously until Monday evening. Mr. for instance, will be beaten clean out Heartt says he hopes to return with of sight. The fight is between the the boodlers at once, but in this expectation he is likely to be disap- der as grain between the upper and pointed, as their counsel has resolved nether mill-stone It is calculated A careful canvass of the House of to fight extradition to the bitter end. to injure the Democratic cause by peal, come from whatever quarter it Representatives has been taken with He says he will assist Mr. Hardy in calling on some Democrats ; and for

We have time and again advocated that, taking one hundred and sixtystanding the many prominent Demsupport; that eight Republicans and

internal revenue repeal, we thought, dall votes may be counted as really "I am very sorry for what has was fully endorsed by every Demoerat in the State,

Who is it? What great power deWho is i Who is it? What great power de- needed—but that these seven votes, go to Raleigh and give evidence that geries. I did them all. If anything should happen to my wife they will never try me. The bank was in an awful bad state when we took hold of it, and under our management it It is generally supposed that this continued to fail. We saw we should

much to heart. Cross expresses

day and were formally arraigned on the charge of bringing stolen money Says He Did All the Forging.-Both to wit: \$25,000, the property of the Men Broken Down Completely-No Norfolk National Bank, the Richmond State Bank and the State National Bank of Raleigh, into Canada. Through their counsel they deferred making an election or pleading until following in regard to the develop- Friday, to which day they were ac- been discovered in Macon county, cordingly remanded.

Messrs. Heartt and Busbee had a TORONTO, Ont., April 3 .- The lengthy interview with the prisoners spector General, shows that only this morning. They were inclined to three companies in the State militia be stubborn and refused to listen to came up to the full per centage of any offer made by the District-Attor- attendance at inspections. ney. To all of his inducements they magnitude and special interest. The replied by referring him to their leneers every year a large amount of money it does not need. I am sick pure Democracy of old Carolina police authorities here have the prisoners. The Raleigh authorities in- the ablest criminal lawyers in the tend to bid high for them and the Dominion. Heartt said to your cor-Norfolk National Bank has a claim respondent that he was slightly disdon't vote to reduce the taxes you will been something don't vote to reduce the taxes you will been something don't vote to reduce the taxes you any resistance. While the interview | Dr. Kemp P. Battle, president of instructions to the cells. Mr. Hardy 21st day of June. lodges the information against them. ests of his institution. It appears Bigelow says the prisoners will not lector John A. Oates made an inthat White, the day before he and go back unless granted safe conduct. ternal revenue raid in company with Cross flitted from Raleigh, tele- He says he will bother the Raleigh a United States marshal the first of graphed to the Norfolk National people till they are tired of holding the week into that section of Duplin a consignment of cotton and tobacco terms and agree to a safe conduct bag the game, however, though he for both men to return to Raleigh | did go to Purgatory after them. and wind up the affairs of the bank. return a bill of exchange on New White holds up well, but Cross con-York the next day. The banks had tinues to look depressed and ner-

eigh, were before the police magissqueezed two other banks under Their counsel asked until Friday to

Words of Soberness and Truth.

reported, admitted their culpability. to the careful perusal of our readers: went on a raid from Shelby and capin a vain effort to straighten out the ment," the Asheville Sun speaks destroyed a still and many gallons of under a surveillance debasing and North give her a glorious welcome! tangle in the books of the Raleigh some words of soberness and truth beer, supposed to belong to Henderbank, but had to give up the task in writer is in full sympathy with the Burke county. They then went across despair. He thinks it probable that friends of temperance in the effort to the line into Catawba county and one of the prisoners, at least, will be put a cheek upon, or a stop to the captured some beer ready for distillsible as a war necessity a score of the House bill entitling women to given safe conduct across the line in evils of intemperance in our land. ing. but the still-worm had been reyears ago that time has passed, and vote on the license question by a vote order that he may put the books and He has voted with them, and will do moved to escape capture.-Shelby its continuance only adds to the of 14 to 13.—Raleigh News and affairs of the wrecked bank into so again when the issue is made a Aurora. temperance issue. But he is free to That is exactly right. But we are C. D. Heartt, Chief of Police of drawn into supporting the Republi- mond absorbing market of the say that he does not propose to be surprised at such a result from this Raleigh, arrived in this city Monday can party under the guise of Pro- world.

Democrats and Republicans, and any third party would be ground to powregard to the prospects of the Mills his scheme rather than let them go, this reason, Democratic Prohibition-

> third party movement. Such an organization would do the cause of he comes to the Prohibitionists with door in Concord, N. C., on ever so fair a face, it is not safe for Democratic temperance men to yield to his blandishments. "Fear the Greeks even bringing gifts."

to jeopardize Democratic success by co-operating with any third party.

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rate of \$1,000 worth a day.

turns are quite good, as the berries are still selling in the North at from 30 cents to 50 cents per quart.

dorse the action of our Legislature, have met with success. The lady the action of our State Executive at once.

The lady posting himself on matters.

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White and Cross came up before Police Magistrate Dennison yester
Direct money for its purchase and parties from Raleigh Monday night, furnished the motive power. Not a posting himself on matters.

White and Cross came up before building.

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Pront.

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Henderson has organized an electric light company.

The Piedmont Wagon Company at Hickory is now turning out 5,000 wagons a year.

Another valuable mics mine has and will be developed.

The report of Col. Cameron, In-

The Asheville Citizen says Jay Gould and Thomas T. Eckert, general manager of the Western Union plying them with a superior quality of Telegraph Company. have engaged rooms at Battery Park, and will arrive there about June 1.

Clinton Caucasian: Deputy Col-

Governor Scales has authorized the exchange of the circuits of Superior Courts, by which Judge Montgomery will hold the April term of Cabarrus and the May term of Judge Connor, while Judge Connor will hold the Spring terms of Tyrrell, Dare and Hyde in place of Judge Montgomery.

Rev. Dr. T. H. Pritchard has been similar pretenses-a Richmond (Va.) plead and this was agreed to. Fur-appointed one of the delegates to National bank for \$10,000 and a ther proceedings have not yet been the World's Missionary Conference, Raleigh bank for \$5,000. This was decided upon. District Attorney to be held in London, June 9th to all the money they took away with Busbee received a dispatch this 19th, 1888. This a high compliment morning from the Comptroller of and worthily bestowed. The recithem. The Norfolk cashier pro- the Treasury at Washington asking pient of it is one of the most disposes to secure his \$10,000, and will, him to preserve the packages of tinguished and warmly beloved if necessary, prefer an information money intact that were taken from preachers in the State. He will reflect credit, no doubt, upon his native Carolina which he loves so well. Charlotte Chronicle.

From the Charlotte Observer we Messrs. George W. Means and will plead guilty, they having, it is clip the following and commend it McFalls on Sunday night, the 25th, Under the head, "A Foolish Move- tured that night Mr. Henry Buff and to Prohibition Democrats. The son Pruett, in Lower Fork township,

China has become the great dia-

The latest device in the electric light line is said to be a shade which intensifies the light at least 25 per cent .- New York Tribune.

Washington, April 3.-The debt decrease of the public debt during the month of March to be \$11,586,

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white variety of corn, which, in ear liness, productiveness and quality, should be equal to the Early Golden Strawberries are now being ship- Dent (which we introduced some ped from Gainesville, Fla., at the years go, especially for the South rate of 2,000 quarts daily. The re ern States, which has become the most popular variety of that coun-This new variety we have named the Southern Snow Flake .-It was awarded the first prize for great contrition and feels deeply his The Brighton beach hotel at Coney Fair last September; it is the most

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Bank for an advance of \$10,000 on out, when they will accede to his known as Purgatory. He failed to Groceries, provisions and other articles ef home use. A specialty on flour. which cannot be purchased elsewhere of the sama grade as cheap as I will sell it. Don't sell your country produce before calling on

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PATTERSON'S demand from the people, notwith
three out of the one hundred and crying bitterly. Cross said he wished they lend the radicals a helping hand they lend they lend the radicals a helping hand they lend they lend the radicals a helping hand they lend the

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