

100,000 to the revenue of the Government, thus saving to the people that huge sum in taxes upon the household necessities.

Do not forget that the 579 men who grew sugar cane in 1893, received from the tax payers against their will, the sum of \$11,114,290 in bounty. The Republicans that voted this bounty to 579 men failed to give bounty to any other class of farmers. The new Democratic tariff cures this wrong, removes this evil, repeals this iniquity, this special class legislation. Louisiana got \$10,868,896. The bounty-fed 500 have gone to the Rads, who fed them out of the bounty spoon at the expense of the country at large. Such men are not Democrats.

Do not forget that there are 82 items in the old tariff that are not reduced in the new. They are certain luxuries mainly for the rich.

Do not forget that there are 53 items in which the tax is increased. Of these are diamonds, hogs, sugar, precious stones, dressed meats, mahogany, etc.

Do not forget that the wasteful, spendthrift Republicans actually ran up the pension expenditures of the last year of the Cleveland administration for first term, from \$86,000,000—a very great, a most monstrous sum—to \$160,000,000, of the last year of Harrison's oppressive extravagant administration.

Do not forget that Generals Grant and Garfield both said that \$30,000,000 annually for pensions were enough. The Harrison gang made it more than five times as much.

Do not forget that under Cleveland's second term and in the first year some \$25,000,000 are saved to the people in the reduction of pensions, a great part of them being fraudulent. No honorable soldier who deserved a pension has been deprived of it.

Do not forget the repeal by the Democrats of the infamous Election Laws, and that by their repeal an actual saving to the people has been made of \$450,000 each year. Think of that. You are relieved of a scoundrelly measure of oppression, and of nearly a half million dollars in tax every year.

Do not forget that Populist Peffer, the leading Senator of that gang of theorists, dreamers and impracticables, advocated in the Senate putting the entire taxation upon the people's lands and homes. That is to raise \$450,000,000 upon your farms and let the millionaires, the greedy monopolists, the great railroad corporations, the great sugar and other trusts, the opulent people everywhere, the saloons, the gambling dens, the vices, to go untaxed, and the people owning lands to pay it all. That is Populism. It means ruin.—Wilmington Messenger.

HERE BE ACTIVITY.

North Carolina is a Democratic State—Cabarrus is a Democratic county, certain. But with all this we fear too many Democrats are resting entirely too easy over confidence in the outcome. A simple majority is not what we want, but we want the full strength polled that the majority may be an overwhelming one and one that will be a regular eyeopener to the adversaries. We want no apathy—we want no indifference. We want every Democrat to have the courage of his convictions to express them; act them and thereby exert a good influence among his neighbors.

Don't stop and say "I wish this" or "I wish that"—let your personal disappointments rest and jump in with your might for the sake of patriotism and right. Don't be satisfied with what you are doing until you have done all you can.

See that your name is properly registered. Don't take it for granted—see to it yourself.

Vote the Democratic ticket through—clean through. Do this at the election, but work now—work, faithfully and with the pride that

"ANTI-LYNCHING COMMITTEE."

Some of the leading organs of British public opinion are beginning to show signs of irritation over the display of stupid fanaticism indulged in by those Englishmen who formed themselves into a committee for the purpose of visiting this country and investigating the charges of indiscriminate lynching, murder and assassination brought against the people of the south by a negro named Ida Wells. The London Times and The Pall Mall Gazette, especially, seem to have suddenly opened their eyes to the position in which the members of this British investigating committee have placed themselves; and these organs of British opinion proceed to administer a solemn rebuke, couched in language as serious and as dignified as the gifted editors are able to command.

The Pall Mall Gazette goes so far as to characterize these two-for-a-nickel philanthropists as "irresponsible English busy-bodies," whose mission is a piece of impertinence. The Times, on the other hand, gives ponderous expression to the fear that the committee's efforts will have "the effect of multiplying the number of negroes hanged, shot or burned, not only in Alabama, but throughout the south." In this way the Thunderer manages to administer a scathing rebuke to the committee, and at the same time to put on record its estimate of American civilization. We are just gay enough over here, according to the Times, to rebuke the British imbeciles who have come here to investigate matters by hanging, shooting and burning an extra number of negroes.

Our readers need not imagine that the Times has any special prejudice to air, or that the expression of its fear is intended as a slur. It is perfectly serious. The editor takes his cue from the British lies and inventions in the London Standard.

Do not forget that the new tariff put a tax on playing cards by which \$1,000,000 will be raised to pay the running expenses of the Government.

Do not forget that the tax on voluntary drinks and self-indulgent luxuries was so increased as to add more than \$30,

cast over the civilized world by the republican newspapers of the north and east. Some of these lies were invented in behalf of the republican party and others for the benefit of western land syndicates; but no matter what their origin their effect has been to convince the people of Europe, capitalists and immigrants, that the south is inhabited by white savages who go about shooting and burning negroes and others.

This is the position the south occupies before the world; and the result has been to keep out of this country an immense amount of capital and a large number of immigrants. We are not sure that the south has really lost anything by that, but northern financiers, who are more than half crazy about foreign capital, could well afford to shed a few tears over the situation. The capital would have been handled from the north and the northern newspapers, by slandering the south, have robbed some of their most esteemed subscribers of large sums of money in the shape of commissions.

So far as the British anti-lynching committee is concerned, it is an affair entirely harmless. It is made up of a lot of old grannies who wanted an opportunity to bring their bath-tubs to this country. The contempt of the British newspapers is wasted on them. They will go home no wiser than they came, and their visit here only demonstrates anew the force of the old saying that all the fools are not dead yet.—Atlanta Constitution.

LITTLE NEWS.

Mrs. Lease, of Kansas, says woman suffrage wouldn't do anything to improve politics morally, for a woman on the stump would call another woman a liar, &c., just as quick as she would flip a slap-jack, if she got her dander up.

The population of France has steadily decreased in the last 12 years. This is due to the birth rate falling below the death rate rather than to emigration.

Unless some change is made in his plans, President Cleveland will not return to Washington until October 20.

When a man is dead drunk his wife is sure to kick. It's different when he's only dead.

"I'll give you a light," said the bull as he tossed the man over the fence.

The Bangkok Times, published in far-off Siam, says that a new industry in that country is likely to have important development. "It is the tanning of elephants' skins, which make, it is said, excellent carpets, though they have the disadvantage of being very expensive. They should, on the other hand, be practically indestructible, as the skin, when tanned, is nearly two inches in thickness.

"For a town not yet six months old," says the New York Evening Post, "West Beach, on the shores of Lake Worth, Fla., shows a remarkable development. It became a community of nearly 800 people within six months of the time its first business structure was built."

Really and truly what has become of John J. Ingalls? He is not even mentioned in these piping times.

The sale of the R. D. to the Southern Railway Company is trying to be set aside by a man who wants \$14,500 for the killing of his father before the change of names.

The Pops and Reps. of Guilford county, couldn't fuse. It was tried Saturday but failed.

A Duel to the Death.

A sensational shooting affair took place in Early county, Georgia, last Thursday, resulting in the killing of a Third party man named Weaver by a young man named Chambers, a Democrat. On Tuesday night before the election some miscreant, unknown, had maliciously placed a lot of fence rails and pine sticks in the public road. Chambers said he believed some d—d Third Party man did it, and Weaver took exceptions to it. Weaver said Chambers would have to take that back what he said. The difficulty was prevented that day, but the next day (Thursday), Weaver waylaid Chambers on the road, and when he came along in his wagon he attempted to pull him off, telling him that he had to take his whipping. Both men drew their revolvers, and opened fire, the fusillade resulting in Weaver being mortally wounded, only living three hours, while Chambers escaped unhurt.

Fifty thousand feet of weatherboarding, flooring, ceiling and rough lumber on hand, and cannot be undersold.—J. T. FOUNDS.

ARTHUR ALEXANDER
Writes to the Standard and We Print it as it is Written.

MR. EDITOR: I wish to speak a few words to the republican voters of this County, especially the Colored. Now we Colored people of this County are republicans, and we know that there is only room in this County for two political parties and we don't purpose to sacrifice our principles for no new theory or set of office seekers that more agrees us then the democratic party; give us a republican ticket and we will vote it every time but away with your democratic republican populistic fusion Confusion Compound Confound prohibition Combynation doctrine, we don't purpose to swallow no such stuff, if we vote the republican ticket and get whipped, it will be nothing more then the demosts did for thirty two years to get Control of the national government but they did not sacrifice their principles to gratify a few soreheaded office seekers, and we are not going to do it. Now the intelligent pops, are going to vote for men that advocat their doctrines, do the republicans do it? No, no, no, they don't, and never will, but a few fool negroes, not in my township, but elsewhere, and ignorant white men are going to swallow the whole rotten thing, but I am here to tell you, the Colored voters of No. one township of Cabarrus County N. C., are not going to sacrifice their principles for the simple gratifications of few so-called reform demosts, we know them well we work with them and for them every day, we know for a fact that they are the meanest element of the democratic party. Now they are telling us Negroes that the demosts are going to pass the Australian ballot system. Now we know that to be the blacks absurdity if the demosts party had wanted the Australian ballot system they could have had it long ago and because I am telling you the truth the pops will tell you that I am a demost and that the demosts papers write that the demosts place and see me vot, and then talk, and as to the latter Charge, please tell your uncle pops that I said, if they want what they call a first class democratic republican populistic Compound Confound prohibition Combynation nonsense article written up to let me know it and I will write it up for them free of Charge, if they will agree to not allow it to go to the press for my honest reason I wouldn't believe it myself and my honest would not allow me to deceive anyone else, I want to say right here too, if the Vestibule or the man that write and Compose what they Call Democratic prayers, would write truths and business and teach their brother pops to say the Lord's prayer, they would do more good, I doubt if many of them know it, I believe they Commit a great sin in using the reverence that belong to their Almighty Maker in that way, Now the pops tell you that the republicans and peoples party are, united, on the election law. Now that is a mistake, those soreheaded office seekers are united in trying to force what they call behind your back, a white mans party, the rank and file the true blues of the republican party want the Australian ballot system, they want to stop every ignorant negro and poor white man from voting, do that look like uniting. Not a bit of it, but Dr. J. J. Mott, two years ago advocated the S. C. election law, and he is one of the chief engineers of this whole rotten scheme, with law is worst than all others, I do not wish to enter in to any discussion with any one, I only wish to speak the sentiments of myself and my township. Now I want to say a word in regard to this Negro racket, the demosts are afraid to use it, and the pops dare not use it, because they (the pops) are already dead so far as the negroes concern, we do not look for the mesleum through the democratic party, and pether do we look for it you pops, we know how well you love us, we know how much more you want our entres represented by our selfs before the Bar, and in the jury Box, then the demosts do you cant fool us Negroes, we know you too well.

Now Mr. Editor will you please pardon me for intruding upon your valuable columns.

Yours for right and justice,
J. ARTHUR ALEXANDER,
HARRISBURG, N. C.

IN MEMORIAM.

"He giveth His beloved sleep."
Died at her home in Rowan county October 2, 1894, of typhoid fever, Miss Anna Bell Parks, aged 18 years, 2 months and 25 days. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. M. Shaw, from that beautiful and appropriate text, "but some have fallen asleep," found in 1st Cor. 15th: 6 verse. We may look upon death in all its forms, we may see the latest striking down like a stricken sower to the grave, or the brave man breathing his last upon

the battle field, with tearless eyes, but we can't ever look on one whose feet are just pressing the thresh-hold of womanhood, young and lovely woman, without the very fountain of life being turned to tears. A child of the covenant, she early received the outward seal, and before she completed her 13th year took upon herself the vows of a Christian, confessed Christ as her Saviour, and was received into the full fellowship of Bethesda Presbyterian church. She was a member and regular attendant of the Sabbath school, also a very active member of one of the Young People's bands, in which she always manifested her willingness to work for the Master. She will indeed be missed, because her place is empty. To those of the band who are left behind, whose work is not yet finished, we would say, emulate her example, and that while you bow in submission to this sad dispensation of Providence, you may rejoice too, because she is with the Saviour, waiting for you just "beyond the river." "Be ye therefore also ready, for the son of man cometh at an hour when ye think not." To the desolate and bereaved family, may they have given unto them "beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, and the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness." In submission may they feel that for her glory, unto likeness with god. For her, "to live was Christ," to die was gain.

Her sleep no earthly waking knows, it is the unalloyed repose of those who die on earth, and wake Where waves of sorrow never break.
A. S. I.

Japan Better Surrender.
Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 6.
—The latest discovery of destructive machinery is the invention of a Fort Worth man, Gen. F. M. Clarke, late Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. The invention is called the electrical fish shaped torpedo, to be used in naval warfare. It has been tested and works to perfection. The torpedo can be so controlled by electrical appliances that it can be projected against war ships and blow them to atoms. Gen. Clarke left tonight for New York to complete a deal with the Chinese government

The Chinese are to pay \$1,000,000, of which sum the inventor is to receive \$600,000 and his partner, Col. Fred Grant, the remaining \$400,000. General Clarke received a check for \$5,000 from the Chinese government to pay his expenses in consummating the great deal.

The invention is not a patent as the chemical combination forming the explosives are a secret known to the inventor only.

Spotted Skin, Eh?
Says the Sampson Democrat: "A new skin having grown upon Mr. Butler, he is now desirous of meeting Mr. Glenn again.

Will This Come to Pass?
The Court. "What's the charge in this divorce case, Sutterby vs. Sutterby?"
The Applicant Attorney. "Failure to support, your Honor."
The Court. "The husband would not pay for her sustenance—is that it?"
The Applicant's Attorney. "No, your Honor. She was a candidate on a Populist ticket and he voted for a Democrat.—Exchange.

Yes, Why Not?
Farmer. "Martha, I've a notion to jine the Populists."
Wife. "Why, Abner, you don't know politics from puddin'!"
Farmer. "Well?"

Gladstone Items.
The weather is cooler and frost no doubt was near us a few mornings recently, but no one has seen Jack yet in this community. He is expected. We had fine weather Saturday and Sunday, but Monday and Tuesday rain and wind.

D. H. Ridenhour, Esq., of St. John's, was seen at Bethel church Sunday at communion service. The Squire has had the chills and came to Stanley to improve his health, we suppose.

Two new buildings are going up in Gladstone, and others will follow soon.

A flour mill is talked of at this place. It would be a good location.

Elder T. W. Brown and wife are back from their Annual Conference. They will remain here another year at least.

Mr. B. D. Bangle and Bob Blackelder arrested a prisoner, and while on their way to Albemarle he made his escape by "heels take care of the body."

No corn gathered yet, but will be soon.

Making sorghum is the order of the day now. Farmers will have a busy time now for about thirty days besides hearing the candidates speak and seeing some of their legs and coat tails tremble.
R. B.

CONCORD MARKETS.
COTTON MARKET.
Corrected by Cannon & Fetzer.
Good middling.....5 75
Middlings.....5 60
Low middling.....5 40
Stains.....4 1/2 to 5

PRODUCE MARKET.
Corrected by C. W. Swink.
Bacon.....10
Sugar-cured ham.....11 to 14
Bulk meats, sides.....10
Beeswax.....15 to 20
Butter.....15 to 20
Chicken.....10 to 20
Corn.....70
Eggs.....12 1/2
Lard.....11 to 12
Flour (North Carolina).....2.00
Meal.....70
Oats.....40
Tallow.....34

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Death of Mrs. B. E. Barnhardt.
Mrs. Bette Barnhardt died Tuesday evening at her home in No. 5 township of jaundice. She was about 60 years of age. Mrs. Barnhardt was a member of Mt. Gilead Reformed church. The funeral was held at that place today (Wednesday), conducted by Rev. B. Frank Davis. Mrs. Barnhardt was the mother of Mrs. G. C. Blume, of our city.

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A young married man, a former resident of Concord, but now living in a large Southern city, took his little child to the Great Barnum Circus to see the baby elephant. The child was so delighted at seeing it and so anxious for one, he has since promised to get one if obtainable and writes to a prominent man here to know if the Populists of our county could not furnish him one. It is a well known fact that the Pope has an elephant on hand, but we wouldn't advise this gentleman to trust such an elephant with him or child when the whole Populist can't manage it.

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