

THE FARMERS SOLD OUT BY THE  
MEN THEY SENT TO LEGISLATE.  
It will be a shock to the honest  
farmers of the State when their  
commission merchants refuse to  
make advancements to them to run  
another crop till they pay every  
cent they owe. Those who would  
not go out to hear anybody but  
their own candidates last year will  
go out next campaign to learn how  
they have been sold out to the gold  
bugs of Baltimore, by the men they  
sent to the Douglas Legislature.  
What is that six per cent money  
to a man when his credit is de-  
stroyed? It is like the pie to the  
little boy who didn't have the  
nickle to buy it—nothing.  
It would be humiliating to the  
Legislators to escape the wrath of  
the people by pleading ignorance. It  
is degrading to the State of North  
Carolina to admit that the Legis-  
lators have been bought by a  
chamber of commerce for song.—  
News and Observer.

THE NON-PARTISAN LEGISLATURE.  
The Governor has not only a very  
able, but a very conservative legal  
adviser, and if he can get a fair  
shake from the "non-partisan judi-  
ciary" the hopes of some legislative  
appointees are apt to be blasted.—  
Charlotte Observer.

The flippant way in which our es-  
teemed contemporary speaks of the  
only true and genuine (see "the  
name blown on the bottle") non-par-  
tisan court the State ever had, will  
shock those who speak with sacred  
breath when they mention this sacred  
court. "Get a fair shake" indeed!  
The Observer will be reprimanded  
by the "Reformers" if it uses such  
an expression in reference to the  
present court. Now is such parti-  
sans as Shepard, MacRae and Bur-  
well were on the bench, this con-  
tempt of the court might be passed  
unchallenged. It is true that  
neither of them ran for a State  
office, and never engaged in the  
partisan of a State campaign, but  
they were "partisans," and could  
not be set on a pedestal. But what  
could be said of them with impar-  
ity is irrelevant. As spoken of the  
immaculate "Reformers."

Why shouldn't this country meet  
Spain half way. If we remember  
correctly, Columbus came all the  
way and even set foot on American  
soil. Be brave.  
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Senator J. J. Long, of Eastern  
North Carolina, died Saturday. He  
was one of the appointees to the  
Agricultural Department. Gov.  
Carr will have a vacancy to fill if  
the Supreme Court sustains the ac-  
tion of the Doug Legislature.  
Just as has been said time and  
again, the same doubted and denied  
by all who worshipped at his throne,  
Marion Butler, whom the Legisla-  
ture has made U. S. Senator. He  
has gone straight on the Republican  
side, bride and all. He comes  
nearer being fit for such association  
than with any others.  
Did You Ever  
Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for  
your troubles? If not, get a bottle  
now and get relief. This medicine  
has been found to be peculiarly  
adapted to the relief and cure of all  
Female Complaints, exerting a won-  
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or nervous, Sleepless, Excitable,  
Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy  
Spells, Electric Bitters is the medi-  
cine you need. Health and Strength  
are guaranteed by its use. Large  
bottles only fifty cents at Fetzler's  
drug store.  
Last Tax Notice.  
All taxes not paid in full by the  
first of April will be advertised for  
sale.  
U. M. MORRISON,  
Tax Collector.  
The skating rink at Walter's Hall  
did not materialize.

As we have said before the publi-  
will not know just what the Doug  
Legislature did for months to come.  
The Doug's themselves don't know.  
Little by little it comes forth. The  
thieves and bums in and of the com-  
post heap stole bills and slipped  
others through to such an alarming  
extent that we all must wait.  
A great reduction in pension ex-  
penditures has been brought about by  
the present administration. The total  
amount appropriated for 1893 was  
\$155,411,000, for 1894, \$180,081,000  
for 1895, \$151,081,000, and for  
1896, \$141,884,000. Here Con-  
gressman DeLoach thinks the cost  
is likely to stick for two or three  
years, the falling off from deaths  
and other causes being counterbal-  
anced by first payments in new pen-  
sions allowed, which often embrace  
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OUR SHOWING.  
What North Carolina Women Will do  
to Attract Attention in Atlanta.  
"The Populist-Republican com-  
bination in the North Carolina legis-  
lature," says the Baltimore Sun,  
"find it hard to get ahead of the  
noble women of the Tar Heel State.  
The ladies recently had a bill intro-  
duced into the legislature providing  
for a display of the work of the wo-  
men of North Carolina at Atlanta,  
but it was tabled. Not discouraged,  
the ladies have decided upon a most  
appropriate and unique exhibit at  
the approaching exposition. In the  
room assigned to North Carolina in  
the Woman's building at Atlanta  
they propose to place a large bare  
pine table, and upon this table, in a  
frame, the petition and bill which  
the Senate so promptly tabled, and  
in another frame a picture of the  
members of the Senate. With the  
eyes and noses marked. Only this  
and nothing more, but it will tell to  
all who visit the exposition in At-  
lanta why the women of North  
Carolina have no work on exhibition  
there." Two tables will be needed.  
—Charlotte News and Courier.  
[There should be another table  
with the life-sized portrait of Fred  
Douglas on it, and tagged with the  
names of those who, in the lower  
house, adjourned and wept.]  
Another Newsy Letter.  
Out of twenty farmers of this  
section, seventeen have declared they  
will not use "bought fertilizers"  
this year.  
The Rev. Mr. Bryant will preach  
at Bethel church the fifth Sunday  
in this month.  
Prophet McNulty is on a bee-  
line for Ohio in search of gold.  
In spite of cheap pork, pigs go  
readily at one to two dollars.  
Mrs. J. C. Hough, after a lingering  
sickness of eight weeks, is conva-  
lescing.  
There is a scarcity of sweet po-  
tatoes for bedding.  
The mail has been getting here  
two hours behind the schedule for  
a week.  
There is talk of a singing school  
at Bethel.  
The oat fields appear to have gone  
through the flint mill during the  
winter.  
J. C. Hough has about finished his  
new barn, which is very conveniently  
arranged and extremely architectu-  
ral and commodious.  
Book agents are on the war path  
again seeking whom they may de-  
vour.  
An organization known as "The  
Educational Aid Society" will prob-  
ably be formed at Bethel academy  
soon.  
S. L. Klutz, Esq., enjoys the dis-  
tinction of having more occupations  
than most any of us, being farmer,  
merchant, apothecary, Secretary County  
Alliance, Sunday school superintend-  
ent, and last, but not least, a magis-  
trate.  
Miss Beulah Jerome, a former  
student of ours, is teaching a very  
interesting school at Bethel Acad-  
emy. We wish for her the greatest  
possibility success, and knowing, as we  
do, her aspirations to be of the high-  
est and purest type, we predict for  
her a bright future.  
Mr. Johnson Miller had an enter-  
tainment at the close of his  
school that was very creditable—  
music by Cardis band.  
CONCRACKER.  
Clear Creek, March 25.  
Donaghties Did It.  
The Raleigh correspondent to the  
Charlotte Observer furnishes a dis-  
covery that was made Tuesday,  
which caused considerable comment  
on our streets today. It is as fol-  
lows:  
An act of the Legislature has been  
discovered in the Secretary of State's  
office, without doubt a "sneaked-in-  
bill," which is far-reaching and  
damaging since no debts can be pre-  
ferred, by mortgage or otherwise.  
It also prevents the borrowing of  
money on mortgage on real estate or  
chateaus, or on crops by a person  
who is in debt to parties other than  
the lender. It reads as follows:  
"An act to regulate assignments:  
"The General Assembly of North  
Carolina do enact: Section 1. That  
all conditional sales, assignments,  
mortgages or deeds in trust which  
are executed to secure any debt, ob-  
ligation, note or bond which give  
preference to any creditor of the  
maker, shall be absolutely void—as  
to existing creditors. Sec. 2. That  
all laws in conflict with this act are  
hereby repealed. Sec. 3. That this  
act shall be in force from and after  
its ratification. Ratified 3rd day of  
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ry, March 9, 1895, the following  
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The survivors of Co. F, First  
North Carolina Cavalry feel that in  
the death of General Rufus Barringer,  
their association has sustained an  
irreparable loss.  
As members of his original com-  
pany we pay a tribute to his bravery  
and chivalry as a company, regi-  
mental and brigade commander in  
the dark days of civil strife. In him  
were blended all the attributes of an  
able, cautious leader.  
With tender affection we recall  
his solicitude for our welfare on the  
battle field and our comfort in the  
camp.  
The characteristics of the true  
patriot and Christian soldier imbued  
in him are worthy of the highest  
emulation.  
We honor him for his great useful-  
ness and sterling worth in private  
life.  
To his energy and efficiency as a  
historian, we are indebted for the  
preservation of our annals as North  
Carolina soldiers.  
In respect to his memory we set  
apart the Second Tuesday in August  
of each year (previously suggested by  
him) as the day for our annual  
reunion.  
May the Divine Commander  
guide and guard the bereaved who  
were endeared to him by the holiest  
and strongest ties of earthly affec-  
tion.—Home.  
J. L. TURNER  
K. W. COOPER } Committee.  
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teeth without pain. Sixteen  
years experience. Office over  
Lippard's & Barrier's store  
after Feb. 8, 1894. 125  
SALE OF LAND.  
Under and by virtue of a decree of the  
Superior Court of Cabarrus county, in a  
judicial proceeding entitled, Edward  
Gray, J. Dove and Harry Gray vs. J. E.  
Cartland, I, as commissioner, will ex-  
pose to public sale on the first Monday  
in April 1895, the same being the first  
day of April, at 10 o'clock, p. m., in front  
of the court house door in Concord, a  
certain tract of land in No. 11 township,  
said county, adjoining the lands of J.  
Dove, M. J. Cori, J. Reed and J. C. Furgeson,  
containing 140 forty acres more or  
less which said land is for sale with  
in the complaint or petition filed in said  
special proceeding.  
Terms of sale: One-third cash, balance  
on six months credit, note and approved  
security required with interest from date  
of sale. Title reserved till all purchase  
money is paid. J. N. L. BOST,  
Feb. 16, 1895. Commissioners.

By virtue of authority vested in  
me as a deed of trust from J. J. J. J.  
Cruise, and duly registered in the  
Register's office for Cabarrus county  
in Book 5, pages 232-3, I, as trustee,  
will expose to public sale for cash,  
at the court house door in Concord,  
on Monday, the 15th day of April,  
1895, all that tract of land named in  
said deed of trust, adjoining the  
lands of Richard W. Keiser, Mary  
Fletcher, D. M. Crum and others, in  
No. 6 township, said county, being  
a part of the Sandy Creek tract of  
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Cruise in division of land and con-  
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and being in two tracts, one of 47  
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SALE OF REAL ESTATE.  
By authority of a mortgage ex-  
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Isabella Reed, on the 2nd day of  
July, 1893, I will sell at the court  
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bidder, on the 15th day of April,  
1895, a tract of land containing sev-  
enty-five (75) acres, adjoining the  
lands of John McNulty, John S.  
Turner and others, a part of the  
Dilla Reed land.  
HIRAM BOST,  
Trustee.  
This March 12, 1895.  
North Carolina Superior Court,  
Cabarrus county, Surrogate Court.  
Eliam King, Administrator of  
Simon Linker, plaintiff, vs.  
Mathew Linker, Geo. Smith,  
Administrator of W. R. Linker,  
J. P. Linker, M. R. Linker and  
Ruf. Hatley and wife, Minnie  
Hatley, defendants.  
On reading and filing the will last  
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the satisfaction of the Court that  
Mathew Linker is a non-resident of  
the State of North Carolina and can-  
not after due diligence be found  
within this State; and it further ap-  
pearing that a cause of action exists  
against the said defendants, and  
that they are proper and necessary  
parties to an action relating to real  
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Court for said County and State on  
or before the 15th day of May, 1895,  
and plead, answer or demur to the  
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