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In order to convert our entire stock of goods into the cash we will sell AT COST from now until our stock of goods is entirely disposed of. We have a good line of

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## THE TRAGEDY IN THE NORTH SEA.

Charlotte observes. The firing of the Russian Baltic fleet upon a fleet of English fishing smacks in the North Sea was a horrible thing, and the fierce indignation of the English people on account of it is understandable in a sense. In another view of the case it is not, for the English are a composed, self-contained people, and that their anger should burn against the whole empire of Russia, and the government at St. Petersburg, is not quite like them. It is utterly inconceivable that the Russian government was behind this attack, and if it was not, British wrath should not be visited upon the whole Russian people. The most the Russian government was guilty of, reasoning by all the rules of common sense, was putting a hair-brained commander in charge of the Baltic fleet, or if he was not the guilty man, putting in charge of a warship a captain who had no more sense than to give the command to fire under these circumstances. The best theory that can be advanced, in advance of the official report of the Russian Commander, is that somebody got rattled, mistook the poor fishermen for Japanese, and fired upon them in that belief. The story is that ever since leaving Litan, which they did on the 16th inst., on their voyage of 15,000 miles to Vladivostok, every day on the Baltic fleet has been scared to death, expecting to be blown up at any minute by Japanese torpedo boats. Who knows this we are unprepared to say, but that is the story, and if it is true, it would well account for a degree of nervousness which might explain anything. Of course the officer who gave the command to fire, whether the commander of the fleet or the captain of the vessel from which the shots were delivered, should be hanged from the yard arm of his own vessel—if there are yard arms on battleships—but nobody of ordinary reasoning power can believe that the Russian government is responsible for the outrage. It is safe to say that it will make ample apology and all the reparation possible. The world is down on Russia anyhow, and it is likely that this tragedy will have the place at St. Petersburg worse than it did at St. James.

## Overconfidence.

Two strangers who were standing at a downtown corner crossed the street and crossed a young man on the opposite corner. "Will you please tell me," said one of them, "what is the best way to go from here to Seventy-second?" "Well," replied the young man, "the best way, of course, is to take an automobile. If you can't do that, I suggest a street car as the next best."

## He Knows It All.

Here is the exact answer of a New York schoolboy to the questions, "What is the meaning to the word 'all' how many words are there that sound like 'hall,' and what are their meanings?" "Hall, were you open the door and go in; lawl, hawling along a boy that won't go to school; and, what the bookmaker charge's you 25 cents for to let you see, all, all everybody in the world."

## A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought and tried Dr. King's New Life-Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 50c at all druggists.

A woman can get to love most any man if he will only be careful to keep telling her he hopes some day to be worthy to lay down his life for her.

**WHEN YOU HAVE LOST YOUR GRIP** on the affairs of life, and your business seems dull and your WTS are dull, take from 3 to 5 Ky. or Ind. Liver Tablets, one at a time, an hour apart, and you will be surprised the next morning to see how bright and clear everything will be. You will begin your day's work with so much added vim and vigor that you will naturally increase your business success by the result of your activity. You will be able to know into every detail. The formula of Hedges' Liver Tablets is one of the most effective combinations known to modern medical science.

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## SAME OLD RADICAL CROWD.

Republican orators object seriously when Democrats confront them with their record. They become particularly incensed when they are reminded that they put one thousand negroes in office in North Carolina when they were in power. They now claim to be the "only white" party, and declare they are as much in favor of white supremacy as the Democrats. What are the facts? This paper could print forty columns about the Republican candidates in the several counties showing that from John R. Smith down to or up to ex-Rev. Babb the Republican candidates in nearly every county are the same sort of cattle that were elected to office in 1894 and 1896, and in not a few instances they are the very same men.

As an illustration of the difference in treatment white Republicans and negro politicians receive at the hands of Republican leaders, Mr. J. W. Sanders, in the Morehead Coaster, cites the following: "Are they any better now because they can't do a thing they would do if they could? Is a man any less thief because he is in jail and can't steal? Look at Carl Duncan as a sample of what they have done and would do if they were in power. To poor David Sharp, of Carteret, a white man, he gives a place out of doors in the cold, heat and rain to guard convicts at 83 cents per day, and Jim Young, a negro, a clerkship under him in a comfortable office at \$3 a day. Is Duncan any better now that the negro is out of politics than he was before? If so let's see the change: Jim Young given 83 cents and poor David Sharp \$3 per diem. That would be demonstrated proof and no other will be convincing. It won't be done, and when you vote the Republican ticket you vote for a party that would if they could dominate the State with negroism. They are shorn of power, but the principle remains the same."

## Wheat in the South.

The high prices for wheat this fall will probably tempt the wheat-growers of the South to increase largely the acreage of this important cereal. It will be far wiser to bend every effort to the increase of the yield rather than to the increase of sown area. It will not pay the wheat-grower to put soils in wheat that will not produce at least 12 bushels to the acre when wheat is worth \$1 per bushel. This will allow \$2 per acre for fertilizers. The cost of raising wheat is difficult to determine with anything like accuracy. The price of labor, the rental value of the land, the facilities for reaching markets, the risks from diseases or injurious insects are all important factors in the determination of this problem. But it is believed that by the use of improved implements for sowing, harvesting and threshing the average crop may be reduced to \$10 per acre. If the yield, therefore, can be increased to 20 bushels per acre, the profits will be twice as much if only 15 bushels per acre are raised. Prosperity increases in a geometrical ratio, other things being equal, with the enrichment of the soil, and this fact should never be lost sight of. It is not the quantity of land cultivated that makes the thrift of the farmer, but the amount remaining after paying the cost of growing the crop.

## Better Than Pills.

The question has been asked—in what way are Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Liver Tablets superior to the ordinary cathartic and liver pills? Our answer is—they are easier and more pleasant to take and their effect is so gentle and so agreeable that one hardly realizes that it is produced by a medicine. Then they not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and aid the digestion.

Girls know a heap more before they are married than they are willing to let on they know after.

Those who take the most pride in doing a thing by sheer instinct pay the penalty for it in cold judgment.

## Next Congress.

Next to the Presidency, the control of the House of Representatives in the next Congress is the most important result at issue in the approaching national election. The Republican majority in the Senate is too large to be imperiled by the election. But in the present House the Republicans have a majority of only 34. The membership, exclusive of 4 vacancies, is: Republicans 208, Democrats 172, Union Labor Democrats 2. There are 30 Democrats and 25 Republicans who hold their seats by pluralities of less than 2,000 votes. These districts are generally regarded as debatable. It is the expectation that whichever party elects its candidate for President will elect also a majority of the House. This has been true in every presidential election since 1872, with the exception of 1876.

## Takes a Clean Sweep.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the sales you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures Burns, Sores, Bruises, Cuts, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It is only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by all druggists.

## The Betting on October 21, 1892, was 5 to 4 on the election of Harrison.

Fifteen days later Cleveland was elected President, receiving 277 electoral votes to Harrison's 145.

If troubled with a weak digestion try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will do you good. For sale by M. L. Marsh.

## Suing the Company.

Fairbrother's Everything. Last summer a couple of soldiers who were returning from a state encampment were killed on the A. & N. C. railroad. They were riding on top of a passenger coach—without authority and against all rules and customs, and it happened that their necks were broken or their heads crushed, or something happened that caused death because of a covered bridge.

And straightaway a suit is brought at Durham, where the unfortunate victims lived, to recover something like \$8,000. And under the law the railroad must answer. The men had paid their fare—and they knew as all the world knows that they had no business on top of the passenger coach. They took their lives in their own hands when they violated the printed and well-known rules of the railroad company, and the heirs should not recover a single cent.

It is alleged that the railroad company knew they were riding on top of the coach and that it was its duty to have informed them of danger. And such clap trap will go before a jury in this country. The facts are the men knew they had no business there. They knew, as every other man, woman and child knows, that the top of a passenger coach is not the place to ride, and if they rode there and were killed and messed up the property of the company with their blood and hair and bones, their estate, if they had any, should be taxed to pay the damage sustained by the company. That would be simple justice—but the chances are that a jury will be found to return a verdict for the amount asked—not because it is just, at all, but because there is a chance to "sock it to" a railroad company.

## When a Man is Poor.

A man is poor when he has lost the confidence of his friends, when people nearest to him do not believe in him; his character is honeycombed by deceit, punctured by dishonesty. He is poor when he makes money at the expense of his character, when principle does not stand clear cut, supreme in his idea. When this is clouded, he is in danger of the worst kind of poverty. To be in the poor house is not necessarily to be poor. If you have maintained your integrity, if your character stands foursquare to the world, if you are honest, you are not poor, and you may be compelled to beg bread.

## Helping Her Along.

Saddler Sime was a droll character, of a type by no means scarce in the rural towns of Scotland. One morning when a neighbor entered his shop he was greeted as follows: "Man Jamie, I had an awfu' dream last night. I thought I saw my wife d'ein' awfu' up to heaven wi' a great big pair of wings."

"Aye, man, an' did ye no' try to put her back?"

"Na, na," said the saddler, "I just clapp'd ma hands an' cried, 'Shoo! Shoo!' I was feared she wid never hae another chance o' gettin' sae near in."

## Only a Matter of Time.

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"True," replied the czar, gently, "but if he don't win while I am praising him what would he do should I begin to abuse him?"

Seed of discontent will take root in any soil.

## First-Class Accommodations to Pastidious People

The Inland Inn (at the top) is well known as the best of everything and up to the World's Fair under the most advanced sanitary conditions. The hotel is well appointed to the management of this famous resort. Seasonal rooms with bath, well furnished, an excellent cuisine, prompt service and every possible attention are provided at the Inland Inn. The Inland Inn is the best place to stay in the Inland area during the season. The rates vary from \$1.50 to \$3.50 per day on the European plan, and from \$1.00 to \$2.00 on the American plan. Reservations can be made up to December 1st, and a postal card addressed to the Inland Inn, World's Fair Grounds, St. Louis, will bring interesting details.

## ARE "REPUBLICAN POLICIES" NEEDED.

Candidate Harris says he "knows no State that needs Republican policies more than does North Carolina." What are "Republican policies" in North Carolina? So far as the platform and the speeches are concerned and the record of 1895-1901, the Republican policies are:

1. Negro rule, with 1,000 negroes in office.
2. Scandals in every department of government.
3. Graft and stealing everywhere in and out of the penitentiary.
4. Prostitution of education to politics that knew no racial difference in management.
5. Hostility to temperance and subservience to illegal whiskey stills and corrupt revenue doodles.
6. Contempt for Confederate soldiers and refusal to care for their aged and infirm.
7. Opposition to appropriations for education, the insane, the helpless, and other worthy causes.
8. Advocacy of or acquiescence in the plan to rob North Carolina of one-third of its representation in Congress and the electoral college.
9. Approval of or acquiescence in social equality.

These are the only "Republican policies" known in North Carolina. Does this State need them? The voters will answer on the eighth day of November.

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