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FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1892.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT: GROVER CLEVELAND, OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT: ADALI E. STEVENSON, OF ILLINOIS.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor: ELIAS CARR, OF EDGEcombe.

For Lieutenant-Governor: R. A. DOUGHTON, OF ALLEGHANY.

For Secretary of State: OCTAVIUS COKE, OF WAKE.

For State Treasurer: DONALD W. BAIN, OF WAKE.

For State Auditor: R. M. FURMAN, OF BUNCOMBE.

For Attorney-General: FRANK I. OSBORN, OF MECKLENBURG.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction: J. C. SCARBOROUGH, OF JOHNSTON.

For Presidential Electors at Large: C. B. AYCOCK, OF WAYNE.

R. B. GLENN, OF FORSYTH.

For Judge Twelfth Judicial District: GEO. A. SHUFORD, OF BUNCOMBE.

The Silver bill which passed the Senate a short time ago came before the House last week and was knocked out in short order.

The defeat of this particular bill does not settle the matter, at the proper time a Silver bill will come up and be passed, but it will be quite different from the one just passed by a Republican Senate.

WHEN the country, or rather the Democratic party has defeated the Force bill and repealed the McKinley bill and many other sectional and individual bills that the Republican party has put upon the people, it will then get down to work on new bills and pass the Silver and other measures that the people want and need.

Cleveland got in four years work, and though his hands were tied by the presence of a Republican Senate and House, he gave the people an idea of what honest government is.

OUR EX-PRESIDENT - GROVER CLEVELAND.

With due and proper misgivings as to the appropriateness of my subject and as to its relations and bearings on the events of to-day and upon the future history of the country, I come to discuss the subject selected by me for this day's discourse.

though democrats, whatever the future may have in store for them and him, must always cherish a warm place in their inmost hearts for him who seized their standard planted it high upon the enemy's ramparts, but fell in the act; I come not as a republican though everywhere republicans vie with each other to do credit to the lofty and intrepid moral and political courage which were the salient points of his administration; but I come as an American citizen in the full belief that any man who ever where an American citizen may lift up his voice without fear of offense, in praise of him who because of this lofty and stately bearing is easily the first of American Statesmen.

It is for this stand the politicians dislike Cleveland, and wish to defeat the will of the rank and file of his party which has risen like a great ground swell and threatens to overwhelm all who stand in the way at Chicago. It is this overmastery of the ends of petty politicians and their consequent hatred that elicited for him that most beautiful compliment eight years ago: "Next to honesty, I put FRANKLIN in the hour of trial and pressure. Some have called this stubbornness in Mr. Cleveland. Grant it! It is such firmness, or stubbornness, as is both noble and necessary. He can forget self and all the immediate ill effects of a certain policy, who can even court defeat rather than yield an iota in the pursuit of what he thinks is right, has a heroic stubbornness that will not be degraded when you call names. When Lincoln stood on the field of Gettysburg to dedicate those historic slopes as a national cemetery, feeling the inadequacy of words, he exclaimed: "We cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow this ground. The brave men living and dead who struggled here have consecrated it far above our power to add or detract."

WHY AND WHEREFORE. Every democrat in the country should do his utmost to elect Grover Cleveland this year because— The election of Cleveland means the restoration of democratic principles in national affairs, not for a term but permanently.

Every workingman should do all he can for the election of Mr. Cleveland, because his election means popular government, the equality of men and an end to the false conditions which make Carnegie possible and permit Pinkertonism to run riot. It means equal laws for equal men and an end of favor to the few.

Call at Sprull & Bro's store and get Calvert's Insect Powder. Only 10c. Killed 1500 roaches one night. County Democratic Convention. The Democratic County Convention is hereby called to meet in Plymouth on Monday, August 1st 1892, at 12 o'clock M.

on as that of babes, we turn our gaze to the everlasting hills and mountains, if they still stand unmoved and firm, we regain our composure. So when the storms of political chicanery, speculation, and hereby burst over us, or when we are at sea, dashed hither and thither by the billows of political and economical unrest, we turn our eyes and expect to see such men as Grover Cleveland standing unmoved like a mountain on everlasting foundations of granite on a light-house on a rock; we take our bearing anew and steer into clearer seas. Allow me one thought more and I am done. "Coming up from the ranks of the people, like a modern Gracchus, he swore to stand by the peoples' cause; to rise with it alone or perish in its fall. Elevated to the presidency of this great republic, and with a heart as big as the boundaries of the Union, he knew do councillor but the constitution, no master but God, no end but the common country, North and South. If I were an artist, I would love to paint the administration of Grover Cleveland as I see it now. I would paint a temple from which thieves and robbers had been scourged—not by whips of cord, but by the dazzling light of truth and honesty. I would paint the old homestead, built by Southern arms, defended by Southern soldiers, graced by Southern statesmen, and yet from which our people had long been exiled. I would paint the Southern States, like transient boys, coming back to the old mansion, while in the doorway to welcome their return, stands a man whose hand was never sullied, and by his side the queenliest queen that God ever made." For I am free to say that the crowning gem, the brightest star, the purest flower of his administration was Mrs. Cleveland. Lovely, sensible, full of grace, sweetness and light, she met every requirement of an exacting situation and rounded out an administration that must ever remain an ornament, an example, and a landmark in American history.

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STATE NEWS.

THE LATEST HAPPENINGS, AS GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGE AND ELSEWHERE.

The town of Salisbury is to have a complete sewerage system. Fifteen prisoners occupy berths in the Rockingham county jail.

Mr. Dock Gregory was accidentally drowned near Hertford last week.

A movement is on foot to establish a lithographing works at Winston.

Two thousand five hundred packages of truck was shipped from Newbern one day last week.

Steps have been taken by Duplin county to test the legality of the present school tax law which allows each county to raise the tax collected.

Reidsville is to have a flour mill. The Charlotte Brick and Tile Mfg. Co., with a capital stock of \$100,000 has been granted a charter.

Durham (Glebe): An old rattle belonging to William Durham, died of heart failure this morning. He was sixty years, five months and ten days old.

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The Charlotte Observer says: President Marion Butler, of the Farmers' Alliance who has been supposed to be a badly disorganized Democrat, is now reported to be thoroughly organized. Mr. Sol. C. Well, of Wilmington, was in the city yesterday and stated that Mr. Butler said to him, and also to Senator Vance, last Saturday, that he should support the national as well as the State Democratic ticket. Mr. Alexander the first president, Mr. Elias Carr, the 2nd president and Mr. Butler the 3rd president of the Farmers' Alliance in this State are all true to the Democratic ticket both State and National. Surely the rank and file of the Alliance will not repudiate the views of all of their presidents.

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New York World. Every democrat in the country should do his utmost to elect Grover Cleveland this year because—

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Because the election of Cleveland will put an end to Billion-Dollarism.

Because his election will bury the Force bill idea with no hope or chance of a resurrection.

Because his election will be the first step towards the breaking down of that kind of tariff taxation which aims to enrich the few at the expense of the many.

Because it will put a final end to the policy of centralization in which the republic's greatest danger lies.

Because it will free the country from the scandal of Rainn, Kilkins, Woods, Wann, maker and the rest of the personal shames that have blighted its fair name.

Because it will restore the democratic idea of government by the people instead of government by a favored class for gain.

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The township primaries will meet on Saturday July 30th 1892 at Roper, Newbern's Store and Crewwell, respectively, and at Plymouth on July 29, to elect delegates to the county Convention.

Plymouth township has 10 delegates; Lee's Mills 9; Skippersville 3 and Supperburg 10.

The County Convention will elect delegates to the District Convention, and transact all other political business put before it.

C. L. PATTENSON.

NOTICE.

CONVENTION 2ND SENATORIAL DISTRICT. The Democratic Convention for the 2nd Senatorial District of North Carolina will be held in the town of Washington, N. C., on Tuesday the 16th day of August 1892 at 11 o'clock a. m.

The object of the convention is to nominate two candidates for the Senate for the 2nd Senatorial District.

By order of the 2nd Senatorial District Executive Committee, Levi I. Fagan, Chairman.

NOTICE.

All persons desirous to form a Cleveland and Carr Club will meet at the Court House in Plymouth on Thursday July 28th at 8 p. m. Agood time during the campaign will be ensured.

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