

A GRATEFUL CORPORATION.

The Standard Oil Bank Praised the Administration.

It is very natural that the National City Bank of New York in its October review of United States securities and government finance should praise Secretary Shaw and pay high tribute to the work of the treasury department. It would be ungrateful of the managers of this Rockefeller corporation if they did not acknowledge the benefits that the Republican administration has dealt out to them. They praise the issue of \$30,000,000 of Panama bonds, although this Republican administration of the United States treasury had at that time about \$130,000,000 of the public money on deposit with the Rockefeller and other favored national banks, on which no interest was being paid. This enabled those favored banks to buy the Panama bonds with the money so kindly loaned them by the treasury and at once to begin drawing interest upon the bonds and then deposit the bonds to increase their currency circulation, which they could also loan at the going rate of interest. In fact, most of the proceeds of the bonds, like the government deposits, at once found their way to the Wall street banks, drawn further by the abnormally high interest rates.

Nor does this conclude the benefits and special advantages vouchsafed to the national banks for which the Rockefeller bank magnates extol the treasury management, for in the last week of September \$25,000,000 more of the people's money was loaned to the banks, and, although piloted to banks all over the country, most of it, by reason of the lack of the necessary securities, found its way into the Rockefeller and other Wall street banks. This is proved by the statement of the New York Associated Banks for Oct. 6, which reported \$25,000,000 of government money on deposit against \$10,000,000 shown in the last week of August, a gain of over \$15,000,000.

Many who read this will no doubt be surprised that the Roosevelt administration, which boasts of its incorporation record, should thus favor the national banks at the expense of the people, but in addition to all these favors the treasury lent the Wall street banks during August and September \$35,072,000 of gold to facilitate the importation of gold, so that they would not lose the interest on that amount while the gold was in transit, and \$2,000,000 to a Boston bank for a like purpose.

All this aid to the Wall street corporations and trust manipulators very naturally brings forth high encomiums from the Standard Oil bank, and no doubt the magnates of that giant corporation will return these favors by ample contributions to the Republican campaign funds to elect a Republican congress, which proposes to "stand pat and pass the hat," as Speaker Cannon so euphoniously expressed it.

REPUBLICAN USURPATION.

Roosevelt Rejects Theory of the People's Sovereignty.

The theory of our constitution is that all federal powers are delegated powers and must originate in grants made by the people alone, or, in the language of the tenth amendment of the constitution, that "the powers not delegated to the United States by the constitution nor prohibited by it to the states are reserved to the states respectively or to the people." But President Roosevelt rejects this theory and despises this constitutional provision. In his speech at the dedication of the new capitol at Harrisburg, Pa., Oct. 4 he said:

"We need through executive action, through legislation and through judicial interpretation and construction of law to increase the power of the federal government."

How can the power of the federal government be constitutionally increased through executive action, judicial interpretation or congressional legislation? The only power which the legislative, executive or judicial department of this government possesses or can honestly possess must come through the action of the people alone. Roosevelt's declaration is entirely unconstitutional, and the acts in pursuance of that declaration are usurpations.

Mr. Garfield's Speech.

Corporation Commissioner Garfield made a speech the other day before a class of New York university students in which he severely arraigned the business methods now prevalent in Wall street. He said:

"There is a commercial conscience which throws aside all ideals except the acquisition of wealth. It calls trickery ability, scoffs at common honesty and teaches that all things and all men have their price and can be bought."

These words are absolutely true, and the commercial conscience thus described has become the political conscience of the Republican party. It is responsible for the protective tariff, the subsidies to railroads, the favoritism shown to trusts, the proposed ship subsidy and the entire economic policy of that party. It is also responsible for the corruption of the voters, as illustrated in the "blocks of five" scandal, and the \$10,000,000 corruption fund of the Hanna machine in 1896.

The Tariff Responsibility.

Eggs are at a fancy price, milk is higher, meat is again dearer, and most other necessities, except flour, have advanced in price, which makes it trying for the homemaker to make both ends meet, and the family is responsible for a good deal of it. Yet the National candidates for congress have declared for the stand pat policy to continue if they control congress.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Troy as Seen in The Tax Books—Other News Notes.

The Montgomerian.

The tax books for the town of Troy and the graded school district have been completed, and the figures below taken from the books may be a little interesting to the town people.

The real estate lying in the town listed by the white people is valued at \$163,130; the personal property at \$234,937. The real estate lying in the town limits listed by colored people is valued at \$1,375; the personal property at \$739. The number of white people in town subject to poll tax is 116; the number of colored is 78. The tax rate for the town is 20 cents on the hundred dollars worth of property, and 60 cents on the poll. The amount of town tax, including the releases, removals, etc., which are to be deducted later, is \$801.16.

The graded school district, which is considerable larger than the town, has much more property within its bounds. The real and personal property listed by whites is valued at \$400,534; the value of that listed by colored people is \$4,759. There are 198 people subject to poll tax in the school district. The taxes for the graded school amount to \$1,514.14.

The educational workers of Montgomery county will be glad to know that Mr. J. H. Cagle of Randolph county has been elected principal of the school at Ether. The session will open about the first of November, and the outlook for a good school is very encouraging. Mr. Cagle is a teacher of considerable experience and no doubt has a year of profitable work ahead of him.

The Guilford Lumber Co has recently bought a body of pine timber of C. C. Wade. The tract of land contains about 150 acres of round timber. The price paid for the entire body of timber was \$10,000.

The committee of the new special tax district in Uwharrie township has elected Misses Lillie Braton, of Wadeville, and Lucy Hunsucker, of Anson county, as teachers for the next session of the school.

PRODIGAL RETURNS.

Voter Seeing the Error of His Way Again Casts His Lot With Randolph Democracy—His Reason.

Mr. Editor.—Not long since I had the opportunity of hearing some of the issues of the campaign discussed. Whether they were discussed in the most logical way or not, I am unable to determine. According to my knowledge of facts and figures, their work was pretty well done.

Touching upon some of the leading principles of the Democratic party as before demonstrated "was sufficient to awaken profitable considerations in reference to a better qualification for casting our votes in the most intelligent way. This is not only a privilege but a duty obligatory upon every citizen of our State and nation.

As such we should be very careful of the liberties vouchsafed to us. The gentlemen to whom we have referred spoke of objectional features in the Republican platform. They spoke of class legislation, high tariff, trusts, monopolies, combines, useless and unlawful expenditures of the people's money, charging their political opponents with being extravagant in the use of the liberties given them and the confidence imposed in them.

North Carolina is a southern state, subject to climatic changes. The farmer, the merchant, the mechanic must profit from this knowledge. We should be very careful in our choice of whom we would have legislate for us. Must we elect men whose interests are identified with our interest; or must we elect men who are alien to every moral and political interest of the South? These are grave questions and are worthy of our most careful consideration. While we would judicially aid the colored race in the pursuit of happiness, the rightful protection of their life, property and home; and jealously guard them against every act of oppression, we must remember that in the social and political sense this is the white man's government. As such we must guard against every encroachment. Is there an American born citizen whose soul is so dwarfed as to desire negro rule in our midst? In every sense of pride, morally, socially, politically, for the love of family ties and coming posterity, we would answer no. Can a southern man for the hope of political preferment barter his right for a mess of pottage? Poor old Eben did this but would gladly have gained it back, yet he never could, though

"It with tears he sought."
If by chance some poor prodigal has spent his substance in riotous living and has been refused the "block of the wine did eat," if he re-

turn to the home of his friends and the confidence of his party, his sins will be forgiven and he shall be clothed with the robe of Democracy, a ring of fraternal brotherhood shall be placed upon his hand and himself restored to the fellowship of southern manhood, which he originally enjoyed.

In conclusion we would say, let every southern man address himself to the duties imposed upon him. Go to the polls, not as a mere spectator, but to perform a duty obligatory upon himself and vote for men and measures for the advancement and perpetuity of wholesome laws and for men who will legislate and execute these laws. Let us vote for men who will enact measures for the common good of the common people of the southern home.

A Returning Prodigal.

The platform adopted by the last Republican State Convention at Greensboro contained the following

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Tax Notice.

I will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the taxes for the year 1906:

TOWNSHIP.	PLACE.	TIME.
Columbia,	Barney,	Wednesday, 1st.
Liberty,	Liberty,	Thursday, Nov 1st.
Providence,	A. J. Quinness,	Friday, " 2d.
Baselmann,	Baselmann,	Saturday, " 3d.

The committees of both parties for the General Assembly and the various county officers will be with me at the above appointments. Please come out, hear the issues discussed, and pay your taxes.

T. J. F. Co., Sheriff.

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Having qualified as administrator on the estate of T. H. Fuller, deceased, before W. C. Hammond, Clerk of Superior Court of Randolph County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of October 1907, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery, and all claims not so presented will be deemed to have been waived. In said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement.

THIS OCT. 29th 1906.
R. W. FULLER, Administrator of the Estate of T. H. FULLER, Deceased.