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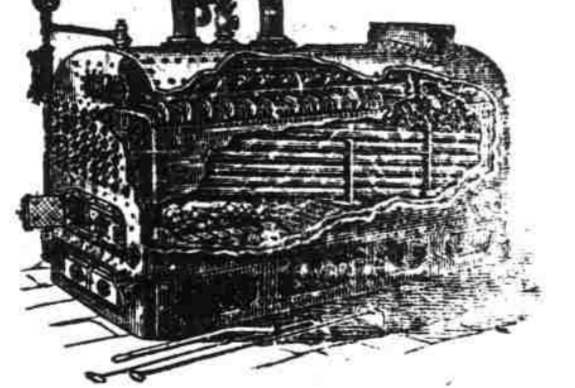
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CAPT. JOHN B. EAVES ON THE AMENDMENT

Addresses a Large Gathering at Sunshine.—Democrats Divided on the Measure.

Special to the Gazette. Rutherfordton, N. C., Feb. 17.—Captain John B. Eaves, ex-chairman of the republican executive committee of North Carolina, spoke to a large and attentive body of people at Sunshine, this county, today on the constitutional amendment.

Captain Eaves expressed himself pleased that so many were present; it was evidence of interest in the issues before them. He continued as follows: "What I have to say will not be new to you. The proposed constitutional amendment is, I presume, what I am expected to talk about."

"I regard this proposition to disfranchise a part of the people as unwise, unjust and in violation of the spirit of the constitution of the United States. The pretext for this issue is 'fear of negro domination.' What are the facts? The whites number two to one in the state, 90 per cent. of the property is owned by them, their educational and general advantages are superior in every respect—then where is the danger? There is none.

"Thousands of democrats believe, with republicans, that every dollar should be worth one hundred cents, and that gold as a standard will make and keep that so.

"On the constitutional amendment the democrats are also divided, many of them agree with the Georgia democrats, that the amendment is unnecessary and that it is a crime against the white people to so amend the constitution that their posterity should be deprived of the right to vote and to exercise the full rights of citizenship.

"This installment plan for disfranchising our people is a novelty and is confusing to many in their own party. That class of our citizens, as good men as we have, descendants of the heroes of the revolution, soldiers and the sons of soldiers of the civil war who cannot read and write, but who have voted all their lives, are asked to impose a restriction upon their children that was never imposed upon them.

"The poll tax clause shows the same spirit of discrimination against the poor man. The man of means can always pay his poll tax on time and vote, while many a poor man cannot, and consequently is not allowed to vote, although he may be able to read and write.

"This amendment, taken as a whole, seems to have been constructed on the plan of the old darkey's fish basket—open at both ends, so, as the old man said, 'Massa, me kin ketch 'em a-goin' an' a-comin'."

"The sincerity of the democrats in their opposition to trusts and monopolies appears questionable when we consider the monopoly on the ballot box growing out of this proposed change in our constitution. Making the poll tax receipt and the ability to read and write the constitution conditions on which the right to vote may be exercised is but creating a political monopoly by which a minority may rule. Minority rule is unjust and always dangerous.

"If the amendment is ratified, nine democrats will be sent to congress

Modest Women

Modesty in women is no less a charm than beauty and wit. Is it any wonder that women afflicted with physical disorders peculiar to their sex shrink from personal examinations by male physicians? The weaknesses and irregularities of women may be recognized by certain unvarying symptoms. Backache, headache, bearing-down pains, irritability and extreme nervousness indicate derangement of the delicate female organism.

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WAYNESVILLE NOTES.

Even the Simmonites Can't do Without the Gazette.

Waynesville, Feb. 17.—We enjoyed a nice little snow this morning—the most that has fallen this season.

Mr. Charles E. Grove, prescription clerk in McIntosh & Co.'s drug store, is visiting his mother, who lives at Charlottesville, Va. While there he will be present at the marriage of one of his sisters.

It is amusing to hear some of our local Simmonites, who vilify and refuse to take or read the Gazette, talking of things that paper publishes. The supposition is they sneak around and read their neighbor's paper while they themselves read the Citizen, of black and tan reputation, or the News and Observer, which rarely ever even attempts to tell the truth.

WORKING NIGHT AND DAY. The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy.

Colonel E. N. O. Clough, who has just died in Kansas City, was a veteran of the Mexican war and colonel of a Missouri regiment on the Union side during the civil war.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube.

CASTORIA.

Account Mardi Gras Carnivals New Orleans, La., and Mobile, Ala., February 21-27, the Southern Railway Company will sell special round trip tickets to New Orleans and Mobile at rate of one first class fare for the round trip, tickets on sale February 20-25 inclusive, final limit March 15, 1900.

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