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THE News-Observer says that the "logic" of Republican speakers and writers cannot be reconciled with this fact: There is a large grain crop in this country coincidentally with poor crops in Europe, and the authors of the Republican high tariff are rejoicing and claiming that the increased foreign demand for our cereals is due to their tariff legislation. Don't everybody know that when the Democrats were opposing the tariff bill, in the last Congress, they were answered by the Republicans, that all this country wanted was "a home market"?

EDITOR EVERETT MOORE, of the Alliance Vindicator, and Editor E. M. Tate, of the Hopkins County Echo, at Sulphur Springs, Texas, have been cutting at each other through their respective papers recently. The other day they met and fought it out. Moore received five shots, from the effects of which he died. Tate got a slight wound. One is dead and the other is in jail as a murderer. That is the end of what a little more gentility, a little less whisky, and a little more forbearance would have settled, and both been happy and friendly. It isn't good morals, isn't gentlemanly, and don't pay.

We get the above from the Bridgeport (Ala.) News, and it speaks volumes. How much better it would be for not only editors of newspapers, but every class of people in this country, to live friendly, and instead of backbiting and abusing each other, do and say what they can to make everything happy around them.

PARTY! PARTY!! PARTY!!!

Did you ever hear the like of it? Democratic party, Republican party, third party, still party always ringing in our ears. Parties and partisans—the earth and air are always full of their cries. Their worshippers set up a howl equal to the priests of Baal. They have nothing but priestcraft and party-craft to offer to an outraged and down-trodden people. Party worship is their only balm for an over-taxed and pension-plundered people. Taxes and pensions increasing all the time in the midst of this partisan agitation and on account of it. Still the party bosses cry out continually, "Great is the Goddess Diana of the Party." And still great numbers of our people solemnly shout amen. Party, party, party roar the great newspapers in the cities; party, party, party yelp the newspapers in the towns and villages. Party, party, party whine the little cross-roads and ward politicians; but party all the time. The State never, the people never, nothing but party. The Democratic party is the cry in the south. It will do all for the dear people. Up north the Republican party will do all. Can we breathe nothing but party spirit in the air? Can we hear nothing but party strife, and shall we always feel nothing but the party lash? Is it not time to think out some plans to save this Union from the fate of Italy, Greece and France?—Progressive Farmer.

Much of the fuss is made by some Alliance speakers and third party boomers who abuse the Democratic party by saying it is equally responsible with the Republican party for the evils that afflict the people, when, in fact, the Democratic party has not been in a position to remedy the evils since the war.

Yes, taxes and pensions are increasing all the time under Republican control. Why not come out squarely and lay the blame where it belongs instead of abusing the Democratic party also for it.

The Free Press is of the opinion that some Alliance leaders have made too much fuss in abusing the Democratic party and that some Democratic leaders have made too much unnecessary fuss

in defending their party. There has been too much lying and abuse on both sides, and some of the Alliance leaders have done as much of it as the other side. Questions ought to be discussed upon their merits by people who differ in opinion, and under no circumstances should lying and abuse be descended to.—Kinston Free Press.

SOME HISTORY—SOME PROPHECY.

Under the above heading the Hickory Press and Carolinian speaks the following words, and they so well express the sentiments of the editor of the FRANKLIN TIMES that we reproduce them in full:

"This writer was raised a farmer, and worked on the farm of his father. We know the ups and downs of farm life, the latter of which has been most frequent of late, and we know how the ups and downs of all other classes follow those of the men whose occupation is to produce the staff of life. We know that the organization of the Farmers' Alliance was a necessary result of a long continued condition of things which operates against the producer—the toiling millions—and in favor of the rich few of this great country. We know and cheerfully admit that the Alliance has done much good, and we sincerely hope it will do much more towards the great end for which it was originally organized. We are much older than some folks, and have learned from observation that like causes produce like effects. Honest, patriotic men in all ages have given their time, their talents and their services to the accomplishment of good for their fellowmen and for the country in which they lived. Bad men, hypocrites, demagogues and ambitious self-servers have, in all ages, been active to stir up the masses only that they might float on agitated surface, beneath which a moment of calmness and consideration would sink them for all time. We remember the short life of the Know-Nothings, or American party, which threatened to sweep over the country forty years ago. Its purposes were good and its converts were numerous, including all classes of men. Politicians feared, embraced and then destroyed it. Later came the Ku-Klux. We never joined or knew much about that, but good men were in it and said it was a desperate remedy for a desperate condition of disorder which always follows war. It corrected many evils which human testimony was afraid to expose, and consequently the law could not reach. Evil doers of the worst stripe became alarmed for their own safety, obtained admittance and betrayed and exposed the order to outlawry and its members to prison. Whether for or against, the order broke down by its own weight—was short-lived, and is numbered with the things that were.

The Alliance was organized for the sole benefit of the "farmers and their employees," as we have admitted none but "farmers and their employees," to membership. It worked well and was doing much towards a much-needed reformation. But other sheep not of this fold have been admitted, and other doctrines and demands unknown and foreign to the originating causes have been proclaimed. What the "farmers and their employees" started to accomplish in a non-partisan and purely legitimate way, the demagogues and floating little politicians are undertaking at the risk of disrupting the farmers' party in the South, of overriding and disregarding the constitution of the country, and of rendering the last condition worse than the first. "Black sheep" have gone into the Alliance, and on the claim of "equal rights to all and special privileges to none" they have too often succeeded in becoming the bell-weather of the flock which they are leading back into the wolf's den of financial ruin from which the farmers first started to escape.

Men who five years ago did not enjoy the respect and confidence of one-tenth of their nearest neighbors, are now the acknowledged leaders of the Alliance. The land is full of Cromwells,

and some of them would behead the rightful king if they only dared. But thank God this is no one man's government. We thank him more that the people are masters in this country, and that however much they may be fooled for a time, the sober second thought of the educated, reading public will wrest the ship of state from the wicked and ignorant, and guide it safely to the port of peace and prosperity. We have an abiding confidence in the honesty and intelligence of the people. When they have read and thought over the situation they will act as patriots, who value their country's best interests.

The places which now know many of the Alliance leaders will soon know them no more forever. Either this or the Alliance itself, will follow the fate of its numerous predecessors, which have sprung up, attracted the attention of the world for a short time and sunk to rise no more. We are not alarmed. Freedom of speech and conservatism of thought and action are the safety-valves and brakes that will regulate and check any dangerous movement in our constitutional and well balanced form of government. Read and think."

A PROMINENT Alliance man tells the Charlotte Chronicle that Harry Skinner is to be the next Governor, and that before his term expires he will be in the United States Senate. What's to become of Hon. Elias Carr, the veteran farmer.

What All Boys Should Know.

Do not be satisfied with your boy's education, says Supplement, or allow him to handle a Latin or Greek book, until you are sure that he can—

Write a good legible hand.

Spell all the words he knows how to use.

Speak and write good English.

Write a good social letter.

Write a good business letter.

Add a column of figures rapidly.

Make out an ordinary account.

Deduct 16 2/3 per cent from the face of it.

Receipt it when paid.

Write an ordinary receipt.

Write an advertisement for the local paper.

Write a notice or report of a public meeting.

Write an ordinary promissory note.

Reckon the interest or discount on it for days, months, and years.

Draw an ordinary bank check.

Take it to the proper place in the bank to get the cash.

Make neat and correct entries in day book and ledger.

Tell the number of yards of carpet required for your parlor.

Measure the pile of lumber in your shed.

Tell the number of your bushels of wheat in your largest bin, and the value at current rate.

Tell something about the great authors and statesmen of the present day.

Tell what railroad he would take in making a trip from Boston to San Francisco.

If he can do all this and more, it is likely he has sufficient education to enable him to make his own way in the world. If you have more time and money to spend upon him, all well and good—give him higher English, give him literature, give him mathematics, give him science, and if he is very anxious about it, give him Latin and Greek, or whatever the course he intends pursuing in life demands.

PERFECTED CRYSTAL LENSES

THOMAS & AYCOCKE

DRUGGISTS.

have exclusive sale of these celebrated glasses in Louisiana, N. C.

Faulkner, Kellam & Moore, The only manufacturing Opticians in the South, Atlanta, Ga.

These glasses are not supplied with these famous glasses.

A NEW SHOE SHOP.

I have opened a new shoe shop in the "J. J. Murphy office," in rear of Rodgers' bar, and will be pleased to receive a share of the public patronage. Special attention paid to making and repairing shoes, &c. Price and workmanship guaranteed.

MOSES P. WEST.

Louisburg Tobacco Market.

REPORTED BY J. S. MEADOWS.

Smokers—common, 3 to 6
Smokers—good, 8 to 10
Cutters—common, 10 to 12
Cutters—good, 16 to 20
Fillers—common, 4 to 6
Fillers—good, 6 to 10
Wrappers—common, 12 to 18
Wrappers—good, 20 to 30
40 to 65

Market active for all grades, and we advise farmers to sell at present prices.

Order of Sales.

The tobacco sales at Louisburg begin promptly at 10.30 o'clock:

Thursday, Oct. 1.—Hughes, Franklin, Riverside.

Friday, 2.—Franklin, Riverside, Hughes.

Tuesday, 6.—Riverside, Hughes, Franklin.

Wednesday, 7.—Hughes, Franklin, Riverside.

Thursday, 8.—Franklin, Riverside, Hughes.

Friday, 9.—Riverside, Hughes, Franklin.

Tuesday, 13.—Hughes, Franklin, Riverside.

Wednesday, 14.—Franklin, Riverside, Hughes.

Thursday, 15.—Riverside, Hughes, Franklin.

Friday, 16.—Hughes, Franklin, Riverside.

Tuesday, 20.—Franklin, Riverside, Hughes.

Wednesday, 21.—Riverside, Hughes, Franklin.

Thursday, 22.—Hughes, Franklin, Riverside.

Friday, 23.—Franklin, Riverside, Hughes.

Tuesday, 27.—Riverside, Hughes, Franklin.

Wednesday, 28.—Hughes, Franklin, Riverside.

Thursday, 29.—Franklin, Riverside, Hughes.

Friday, 30.—Riverside, Hughes, Franklin.

NOTICE OF SALE.

By virtue of the power conferred upon me by W. B. Conway on the 18th of June 1890, I will, on Monday, the 19th day of October 1891, at 12 o'clock, a. m. at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C. sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following articles of personal property to-wit: one bay horse, one chestnut sorrel horse, one phaeton, one hearse, one dray; one 2-horse wagon, one 1-horse wagon, to satisfy a debt secured by the said mortgage. This 23d day of September. B. D. CREFORMER.

NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as administrator on the estate of Mrs. Mary C. Harris, this is to give notice to all persons owing said estate to settle at once, and all persons holding claims against said estate to present them before the 19th day of September 1892, or I will plead this notice in bar of their recovery. This the 19th day of September 1891. M. P. PEARSON, Adm'r. W. M. Person, Att'y.

\$10 REWARD.

I will pay \$10 for the arrest of John Smith, white, who escaped from Franklin county jail on the 19th inst.

DESCRIPTION.

John Smith, white, is about 21 years old, fair complexion, dark hair, about 5 feet 10 inches high and weighs about 140 pounds.

H. C. KEARNEY, Sheriff Franklin county.

FOR RENT.

The land in Freeman's township belonging to Lucy Carson, containing about 80 acres, being lot No. 3 in division of land of Madlin Young.

This land will be rented for year 1892, at Court House door in Louisburg on Monday October 20, '91. E. W. TIMBERLAKE, Guardian.

Just received at J. P. Winston's 500 crystal shirts at 60 cts each 72, 200 pr ladies black hose 35¢ cost 37 1/2 200 pr ladies kid gloves at 1/2 price, 500 men socks at 1/2 price, 1000 fancy hoods at 1/2 price, 1000 fancy scarfs at 1/2 price, hats, big lot stationery, 1000 men's and ladies underwear, and other goods too numerous to mention. Call at once for bargains.

THOS. B. WILDER, Commissioner.

Oct. 1, 1891.

STILL IN THE LEAD

—THE—

Riverside Warehouse!

Meadows is now at the Riverside Brick warehouse, and is making things lively. Below find some of the sales made at the Riverside the past few days:

T. W. Wheeler 0.75, 10.75, 15, 16.75-25.

J. R. House 12, 13, 17, 22.

T. J. House 9.50, 13.75, 17, 23.

W. T. Brewer 11, 13.50, 15.75, 20.

Nick Mingo 25, 30, 40.

J. Y. Mealin 12.25, 15.50, 16.75, 17.75-25.

H. Ethridge 10.50, 13.25, 15.50.

J. T. Lancaster 10.50, 12, 14.75, 17, 25.

Berry Williams 10.75, 14, 13.50, 15.50, 20.

Prices will tell. That is what pays the planter. Bring your tobacco to the Riverside and we will send you home pleased.

J. S. MEADOWS & CO.

Oct. 3rd, 1891.

CASTORIA for Infants and Children. Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me. H. A. ASCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

IT ALWAYS PAYS TO GO TO HEADQUARTERS

when you desire satisfaction both as to PRICE and QUALITY.

It is unnecessary to name the various lines we carry, as the public is aware that we

therefore you need not pass by

Crenshaw, Hicks & Allen's.

The Franklin

Still Leading.

We are happy to announce that all disputes between the Warehousemen have been settled, and peace now reigns supreme, and still PLEASANTS & HART are

Leading the Market.

Our opening sales were a grand success, and our house has been crowded nearly every day since, and every one will admit that we have sold tobacco for higher prices than any other house in Louisiana. We thank our friends and know that we have taken care of their interest, and intend to do so in the future. We are glad to report a lively market with prices full up on all grades. We are in good shape, and cordially invite you to

Give us a Trial.

Our lights are the very best—our accommodations first-class, and we have Charlie Harris as our weigher, which is a guarantee that all will be dealt with justly. All that we ask is a trial. We intend to give you correct weights and get you the highest prices for your tobacco. Our motto is to sell tobacco, not to buy men. We intend to take care of every one. We give below some of our prices:

B. L. Weaver 25, 20, 17, 16 1/2, 10, 51.

A. C. Stone 94, 162, 20, 167, 94, 64.

D. S. Thomas 6, 9, 11, 20, 15, 151.

Hunter & Allen 6, 15, 18, 20, 13, 7, 490.

J. F. Murphy 20, 17, 16 1/2, 14, 9 1/2, 74.

C. W. Hutson 154, 184, 11, 10, 6, 20.

Edmund Johnson 9, 74, 15, 144, 3, 90.

L. W. Pullen 6, 20, 35, 224, 161, 9, 10.

R. D. Bowden 6, 151, 25, 25, 15.

We have sold some piles at much higher prices, but we do not want to deceive our friends by noting a few piles high, when the average has been only medium. Bring your tobacco to us.

PLEASANTS & HART.

Oct. 3rd, 1891.