

THE FRANKLIN TIMES.

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MAY C. DOWD, of Charlotte, is preparing to write a biography of the late Senator Vance.

It is reported that Spain will offer concession to the Cubans with a view to ending the war.

The Alabama Democrats in State Convention declare for free silver.

MRS. PATTIE D. B. ARRINGTON has entered suit against ex-Judge Spier Whitaker in the sum of \$10,000 for criminal libel.

The House of Representatives unseated Congressman Cobb, of Alabama, Democrat, and voted to seat Goodwin, Populist on last Tuesday. Mr. Cobb has been a member of Congress four times and was once before unseated.

BARON HIRSCH, of Austria, immensely rich and famous for his efforts in behalf of the Jews of Russia during the time of their persecution by that government, died one day this week.

THE Senate on Wednesday passed a resolution calling for information concerning the imprisonment of Diaz in Cuba by the Spanish authorities. Diaz is a naturalized American citizen and is a Baptist missionary. The charge against him is sympathy with the Cuban insurgents.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTIONS have been held in a number of States this week. There still seems to be a difference of opinion on the financial question in the party, but we trust that when the delegates meet in Chicago the stand taken by the party whether for the free coinage of silver or not will be accepted by the voters. Democratic supremacy is essential to the continued prosperity of the South because it stands for a revenue tariff only; reform of the pension list by which millions of Dollars are collected from the South and disbursed among undeserving Federal soldiers who reside in the North and West, and the appointment to office of WHITE men, besides numerous other reasons which we have not the space to recite. These things are vastly more important to us than the free coinage of silver, and should have first consideration.

GENERAL FITZHUGH LEE.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee has been appointed by President Cleveland to the position of Consul General at Havana, Cuba, vice Williams resigned. The appointment seems to have been a happy bit, and even the Spaniards are proud so distinguished a Southern is coming to Havana. In case of any "unpleasantness" between this country and Spain, Mr. Cleveland can just say to Gen. Lee that he can take "charge de affairs" and Spain will vacate too, quickly.

COULD NOT AGREE.

Speaking of the recent failure of the Populist and Republican committee to effect fusion the Burlington News says: The fusion committees of the Populist and Republican parties failed entirely to agree on fusion at Raleigh yesterday. We understand that the leaders disagree; but it was said that the great rank and file of the two parties demand fusion. The trouble is the combine two years ago was for office, and they now fall out about the division of the offices. The News is of the opinion that if they want fusion the leaders can't keep it off, though they may.

The Republican party, or its leaders, believe that they can carry North Carolina. They believe further that the next president will be of their cast, and they want to be in line for office.

The Pops do not want to be called Republicans, nor do they want to fulfill the Democratic prophecy of turning the State over to the Republicans, hence they stand out for the governorship, and for free coinage.

If three tickets go in the field, interest in the result will increase. History is being made, and you only have to wait the result.

EDWARD PARTRIDGE, the wheat speculator, known generally to the speculating world as "Plunger Partridge," died in Chicago last week.

THE result of the Louisiana State election held Tuesday is in doubt up to the time we go to press. Trouble has broken out in one or two places caused by Pinkerton detectives employed by the "fusionists" to detect fraud. The governor has sent troops to the turbulent districts.

DEFEAT may sometimes prove a blessing. Such has been the experience of individuals, of armies, of churches, and of parties. Unwavering devotion to just principles is sure of final success. The leaders who have departed from principle, and have run after strange gods, whether they were leaders of armies, or of parties have in every instance been overwhelmed by defeat.

It requires a three fourths vote to secure the admission of women as lay delegates to the Methodist Episcopal Quadrennial Conference, to be held in Cleveland in May. The women have come very near to winning their fight. Out of a total of 10,120 votes cast, 7,511 favor the Baltimore amendment; 2,609 are against it. It is evident that in the end, the women, who are the steadiest and sturdiest supporters of this great Protestant body, will have justice done them.—Ex.

THE House Committee on Accounts refused to make any recommendation respecting the resolution to provide the Representatives with clerks the whole year 'round, instead of for the session only; but, as Mr. Cannon said: "The House is stacked for it"—and, therefore, the interests of the country generally, and of Candidate Reed especially, will not avail to block its passage. It is never hard to "stack" Congress in behalf of any measure which comes home to the Representatives individually or to the members of their families.

THERE is no longer any reason for doubt as to where Speaker Reed stands. The platform adopted by the Main Republicans this week was submitted to Mr. Reed for his approval and for the purpose of allowing him to make any desired changes therein several days before the convention met. Mr. Reed revised the platform and made several changes in its wording, so that it may be considered as a personal declaration of principle held by him. He deserves more credit than McKinley for his handling of the financial question; he doesn't try to straddle it but comes out squarely against silver and in favor of gold.—Durham Sun.

THERE is no telling what will be next claimed for the Roentgen ray. It is believed that hereafter all that will be necessary will be to flash your little X-ray on a sick person and the ray will do the rest. It will ascertain what is the matter and cure it. Profs. Pratt and Wightman, of Chicago, two learned electro-therapeutist and bacteriologist, claimed to have practically knocked the spots out of scarlet fever epidemics by their discoveries during the past week. They claim that Asiatic cholera will also be as harmless as the earache, and that diphtheria will be no more dreaded than the toothache.

THE VICE-PRESIDENT COMING.

As the News and Observer says, it will be good news to the people of North Carolina that Vice-President Stevenson will be present with his wife and daughter at the University commencement in June. The Vice-President will deliver the diplomas to the graduates and make an address on Thursday, June 4th.

Nowhere has the Vice-President more friends than in North Carolina, and upon this occasion he will be greeted with an audience that will be worthy of him. Four years ago the North Carolina delegation voted for Mr. Stevenson for President in the National Democratic convention, and his well known adherence to the cause of bi-metalism greatly strengthened the ticket in North Carolina. He is a grandson of whom the whole State should be proud.

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Administrator's Notice.

I have this day qualified as administrator on the estate of J. P. Young and this is to give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and all persons indebted to said estate will present their claims on or before the 15th day of April 1896, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This April 7, 1896. HENRY B. WISWOK, adm'r.

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REGISTRATION.

The registration book for the election of Mayor and four commissioners for the town of Louisburg, N. C., will be opened in the office of the Registrar on Saturday the 11th, 18th and 25th of April, from 9 o'clock A. M. until 4 o'clock P. M., and Saturday the 2d day of May from 9 o'clock A. M. until 9 o'clock P. M. A new registration is not required, only those who have moved in the town or become of age since the last registration are required to register. GEO. S. BAKER, Registrar. April 5th, 1896.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of W. W. Hill all persons owing his estate are notified to make payment at once, and all persons holding claims against said estate will present them to me for payment on or before the 15th day of March 1896, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. O. L. HILL, Adm'r. of W. W. Hill.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has qualified as Administrator, de bonis non, of J. L. Timberlake, deceased. All persons owing said estate will come forward and settle the same at once, and all persons holding claims against said estate will present them on or before March 27th, 1897, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This March 27th, 1896. A. J. P. HARRIS, Adm'r.

TAKE NOTICE.

All persons indebted to King & Macon are hereby requested to make settlement of same at once, or their account will be put in the hands of an officer for collection. KING & MACON.

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