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WAKE has lands suitable to the culture of tobacco equal to any others in the State...

The Monroe Enquirer and Express says: "A special committee appointed by R. H. Battle, Esq., chairman of the State Democratic executive committee, left North Carolina last Monday night for Washington."

The committee appointed by Chairman Battle derived their instructions from the resolution adopted at the meeting of the Democratic State committee here during fair week in October last...

Resolved, That we are in favor of the unconditional and immediate repeal of the whole internal revenue system as an intolerable burden...

As to the selection of the committee we happen to be aware that invitations to become members of the body were given to prominent gentlemen in all parts of the State...

THIS YEAR WE MAKE HISTORY. In this year of our Lord 1888 we are going to make history.

ACTION is required, action on the part of every one of us. We must actively interest ourselves in the work of preparing for the political struggle.

The times are big with the fate of the country. The crisis is upon us. We should throw aside the sluggishness as regards politics with which we content ourselves ordinarily...

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That plan embraces a stoppage of the surplus revenue, a reduction of tariff rates and a free entry of raw materials. It is maintained with reason that under a system of customs revenue affording incidental protection only, the manufacturing interests of the country in general would not only not be injured but would be rapidly benefited.

means of extortionate outrage upon the great body of the people. The manufacturing interests of Great Britain have developed enormously under the system of free trade in raw materials.

Well, the Keystone State has long held out against this just view, but it is returning to reason, we are glad to see. The evidence of the fact has been growing for some time and now we have the unanimous declaration of the State Democratic committee...

The "line of policy laid down in the last annual message of the president for the revision and reduction of the war tariff especially commends itself to us as a sure guarantee of prosperity to all classes of producers and of that genuine and honest protection to labor so long pretended but never vouchsafed by the monopolistic legislation of the so-called Republican party."

We therefore avow, without hesitation or qualification, our unshaken confidence in the wisdom, courage and patriotism of President Cleveland, and earnestly and hopefully recommend and urge his reelection to the great office which he has so acceptably filled.

This is a hopeful sign indeed and has produced something in the nature of consternation in the ranks of the Republicans. They supposed that Mr. Randall would, of course, put the Pennsylvania Democrats against the administration, but they discover that they were very much mistaken.

It is equivalent to a confession of defeat even at this early day. The Democratic party is a unit for the re-election of Mr. Cleveland and the continued maintenance of their Democratic principles and the Democratic party thus united is invincible.

The tendency in Pennsylvania is the tendency in other northern states, we believe. Everywhere the tide is rising for the re-nomination and re-election of Mr. Cleveland.

All signs fail in dry weather, but unless there is the greatest drought this year that has ever been known, 1888 is going to be another Cleveland year. That's the way the wind goes now, anyhow.—Stateville Landmark.

The negroes and the assistant negroes will have a mighty lively, huge, semental, masonic time in attempting to wrest this State from Democratic hands, under whose administration of affairs it has signally prospered.—Greensboro Patriot.

The custom in North Carolina, that has become almost an unwritten law, of according to a man who once gets a nomination the absolute title to two terms, and no more, no matter how vulnerable is his private character, or however useful or influential he has become, is very unwise.—Newton Enterprise.

The Topic's preferences for the Governorship are well known to be for Col. Armfield. The choice of the people, however, will be our choice, especially as Col. Armfield does not think the nomination himself. He thinks his opposition to the Blair bill would weaken him.—Lenoir Topic.

The Blair educational bill is up, and on a boom, a Congress again. The prospects are more favorable of its passage now than ever before. The proper safe guards being thrown around it, as is the case, we believe it would be of more practical good to the South than any measure that has been passed since the war. The money is hoarded up in the Treasury and is to a large extent money that honestly belongs to the people of the South. It cannot be more wisely or more judiciously spent than in giving the poorer children of South land an education.—Columbus Times.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes A. Friend, Raleigh, N. C. (25), Cornelia Ferrell, Clinton, N. C. (10), Eva Lee, Clinton, N. C. (10), Bessie Patrick, Clinton, N. C. (10), Allmand McKoy Gregg, Clinton, N. C. (37), Mrs. Rowena Micks, Clinton, N. C. (37), Tom Duffy Stuart, Chicago, Ill. (10), Kate Carson Stuart, Chicago, Ill. (10), Minna Matilda Stuart, Chicago, Ill. (10), S. S. Church of the Holy Trinity, Hertford, N. C. (2 00).

Amount on hand \$34 55 Membership 64 My DEAR CHILDREN:—Coming home yesterday after four weeks' absence, I found a whole handful of letters waiting for me, four of which related to your work. The first one I opened was brief and brief only: "Twenty-five cents for the Bishop Atkinson Memorial Cot. from a friend."

The friend's contribution is duly recorded, and very welcome too, for Jack Frost, or some other chilling agent, is standing between the Cot and the pennies this week. Number two came from Clinton, where we never had any representatives before, and says: "I enclose seventy cents for 'The Bishop Atkinson Memorial Cot.' sent by your little pupil of my Sunday school class, Cornelia Ferrell, ten cents; Eva Lee, ten cents; Bessie Patrick, ten cents; Allmand McKoy Gregg, seven cents. We know nothing of your work until very recently, when I saw in the Raleigh Observer some account of it, and I am not quite sure that I fully understand it now. Have you a society called 'The Messenger Band'?"

"I do understand, however, that the money is to be used for a sick child. My class want to do something, even though it is a very little for the Cot, not only because it is doing good to a sick child, but also for love of our dear, sainted Bishop, now long since gone to his reward; and also for the dear Lord's sake."

We are a very poor people, working to finish our church, and as soon as we are able, will try to have a Rector, but in the mean time we want to do something for the Cot. Wishing you "God speed" in your good work, I am very truly, your friend, J. M. HERRICK.

The organization was formed originally in 1873, and since that time has been endowed by three years' work, the children making within exactly that space of time one hundred and eighty odd dollars, one hundred for the support of the girl during the two years and a half that the endowment fund of nine hundred and fifty dollars was being collected.

The children make their money in all sorts of ways, and are never ashamed to tell how it is done. The work is carried on by means of a letter published every Sunday in the Daily News and Observer, and every Tuesday in the Weekly News and Observer, and everybody within the limits of the whole country is heartily welcome to a place in our ranks, absentee North Carolinians, or their descendants especially. I hope we will have many Messengers in your town.

The next letter came from Mount Stirling, and little Mary will be surprised to see the letter here, and no credit of 25 cents in the list of contributions, but the letter apparently had never been sealed at all, and the money had fallen out and been lost, of course. She says: "Dear Aunt Beckie—Here is 25 cents that I had left after coming back from Salisbury, where I spent and the Xmas vacation. I am very glad that the Messengers of Hope are succeeding so well."

One afternoon at a Sunday school party for the Episcopal children, I was talking to a girl, who asked me if my name was "Aunt Beckie." I told her it was, and she asked if I was the one who used to write to "Aunt Beckie"—that she had seen my name often. I did not remember seeing her. It was Callie Beard. I am real busy at school, and have not much time after I get home. We have lots of chips but mamma and the woman who milks pick them up while I am at school. Hoping you will get a great deal of money every week, I am your loving little friend.

I am sorry the money was lost, little Mary; but better luck next time. Take care and wrap up the money carefully in paper and seal the envelope carefully, too. I remember Callie Beard, and Maud and Blanche too. I still have my original roll of names. So many was not, apparently, now. Tell mamma and the milker, please leave you a few chips for the Cot, and my love to you both. The little Stuart are at their mamma's old home in Rutherfordton. Tom and Kate earned their money by picking up chips, going on errands and washing handkerchiefs, and baby Mignon's was voted to her in family

council for being the best and sweetest of all little people in the world. We hope to hear often from these little sprigs of North Carolina pine and Scottish heather. The last letter has just come in to night's mail: "Dear Miss Cameron: I enclose \$2 for the 'Bishop Atkinson Cot.' sent by the Sunday school of the church of the Holy Trinity, Hertford, N. C. I wish the amount was twenty times larger, but this is all we can spare now. Very truly, I re-echo the wish, dear madam, but two dollars is a very nice addition to the week's receipts, if you notice, and I am very glad to have the interest and co-operation of your Sunday school. I think I had the pleasure of letters from you in the old days of the work. But lack of space chaps me off short here. So good night, everybody! Lovingly, 'Aunt Beckie'."

All contributions for "The Bishop Atkinson Memorial Cot." in St. John's Hospital, Raleigh, N. C., should be sent to Miss Rebecca Cameron, care of Dr. Wm. Cameron, Hill-boro, North Carolina. (Don't send stamps.) The Anthonist Hot Blast thinks that the man who doesn't advertise because times are dull is about as wise as the one who won't eat because his stomach is empty. That is letting the nail on the head pretty closely.—Baltimore Manufacturers' Record.

Information from Wyoming county, W. Va., says another bloody chapter in the McCoy-Hartfield feud was enacted Saturday night, in which the lives of five McCoy's were sacrificed. —Ex-Mayor Seth Low, of Brooklyn, is mentioned as a possible Republican gubernatorial candidate in New York.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Lee, Johnson & Co.'s Drug Store as the giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article, and they are never disappointed. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can see it by buying, getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

The bank at Tiskilwa, six miles south of Winston, N. C., was broken into by burglars Wednesday morning and about \$6,000 in currency was taken. The burglars in their hurry to get away left over \$1,000 on the floor.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children suffer from teething. It relieves the little sufferer at once, produces natural action of the bowels, and the little sufferer awakes as bright as a button. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all children's ailments, and it is the best known and most effective of all.

M. Coquilin, it is reported, by special desire, gave a performance at Constantinople on board Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt's yacht, the Alva, for which he was paid \$8,000.

The First Symptoms of feverishness, loss of appetite, sore throat, pains in the chest and back, headache, etc. In a few days you may be well, or, on the other hand, you may be down with pneumonia or "galloping Consumption." Run no risks, but begin immediately to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Several years ago, James Birchard, of Darien, Conn., was severely ill. The doctors said he was in Consumption, and that they could do nothing for him, but advised him, as a last resort, to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. After taking this medicine two or three months, he was pronounced a well man. His health remains good to the present day.

WANTED. WE DESIRE TO CORRESPOND with several reliable and active men with view of securing permanent business territory either on the lines of railroads or in the country. To have time, better send names and addresses of persons who are interested in such a plan, to the attention of the undersigned, for reply. Address B. G. A. Box 112, Erie, Pa.

Announcement. Having purchased the interest of Mr. G. Edgar Leach in the late firm of Leach, Page & Arendell, we beg to announce to our former patrons and friends that we shall continue the wholesale and retail grocery business at the old stand, No. 205 Wellington street. We hope by strict personal attention to all business entrusted to us, to create a permanent business for the friends of the late firm. We are, however, a liberal share of the patronage of the old firm. G. E. LEACH, M. W. PAGE, F. B. ARENDELL, Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 14, 1888.

Advertisement for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, featuring a bottle illustration and text describing its benefits for various ailments like coughs, colds, and asthma.

Advertisement for Pat ApSCO Flouring Mills, established 1774, located in Raleigh, N. C. It promotes their patent roller flours for their quality and uniformity.

Advertisement for Pat ApSCO Superlative WHEAT OBTAINABLE, highlighting its rich, creamy color and superior quality for baking.

Advertisement for C. A. Gambrell Manufacturing Co., located at 214 Commerce Street, Raleigh, N. C., offering various manufacturing services.

Advertisement for W. C. & A. B. STRONACH Grocers, located at 100 N. W. 1st St., Raleigh, N. C., offering a variety of grocery items.

Advertisement for Candy Manufacturers, offering to jobbing trade at manufacturers' prices for various candies and chocolates.

Advertisement for CAR LOAD, featuring Crop New Orleans Molasses, New York C. Yellow and Granulated Sugar, and other food products.

Advertisement for WILD TURKEYS WANTED, offering a reward for the capture of wild turkeys for a restaurant or hotel.

Advertisement for MOSELEY'S DINING HALL, located at the headquarters for all the luxuries of the season, offering a variety of dining options.

Advertisement for DON'T FAIL, offering to try fried oysters, stewed and raw, birds on toast, and other delicacies.

Advertisement for THE FIRM OF—John S. Pescud and Santa Claus, offering to dissolve copartnership and continue business as John S. Pescud.

Advertisement for Hello There! A. W. Goodwin & Co.'s DRUG STORE, featuring fine brands of tobacco and other goods.

Advertisement for PAT APSCO Flouring Mills, established 1774, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering various flour products.

Advertisement for A. W. Goodwin & Co. EDWARDS & BROUGHTON, PRINTERS AND BINDERS, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering printing and binding services.

Advertisement for J. C. BREWSTER HARDWARE, STOVES, HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering a wide range of household items.

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Advertisement for ST. MARY'S SCHOOL, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering education for boys and girls.

Advertisement for ALLEN & CRAM Founders and Machinists, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering various mechanical services.

Advertisement for Lone Star Pump, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering various pump and engine services.

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Advertisement for FUEL & FEED, offering various types of coal and feed for sale.

Advertisement for JONES & POWELL, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering various goods and services.

Advertisement for DOWNS PAPER SHELLS, located in Raleigh, N. C., offering various types of paper shells.

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