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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

ELECTION, TUESDAY, November 6th.

NATIONAL TICKET.

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FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR:
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FOURTH DISTRICT:
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You can get the DAILY NEWS AND OBSERVER from now until January 1st, 1889, for $1.20. Everybody will need a daily paper during early fall. Get one for yourself.

Caution.

Both parties agree on the amendment increasing the number of Supreme Court Judges, but all the same it is important for Democrats not only to vote for the amendment, but to vote for the Democratic nominees for Judges as well, lest it happen that the amendment be carried and Davis, Avery and Shepherd be beaten. The Radicals will be sure to vote for the amendment and their nominees for Judges.

The Democrats must take no risks in this or any other matter on election day. Take warning from the Radicals, and as they will be certain to vote for the amendment and their men, be sure that you vote for the amendment and your men—Davis, Avery and Shepherd. Don't fail to vote for your nominees.

DOCKERY'S TICKET IN 1884.

At the election in Richmond county in 1884, Oliver H. Dockery, the present Republican candidate for Governor, voted as follows:

To represent the public in the Legislature he voted for Harvey Quick, a negro lawyer, against John W. Sneed, one of the best white farmers of Richmond county.

For Coroner, he voted for Felix Jacobs, a negro man, against Daniel Gay, a one-legged Confederate soldier.

For Register of Deeds, he voted for one N. W. Harlee, a negro man, against Alexander L. McDonald, a white man competent to fill the office and universally esteemed in the county for his courteous bearing.

SEE the additions made today to Judge Fowle's appointments.——Carter's Mills, Moore county, Monday, Nov. 5th, and Carthage the same day at night.

Hon. W. H. Kitchin is to speak at Charlotte tomorrow night; at Cedar Grove, Orange county, Tuesday, and at Durham Wednesday. He is making the Radical fur fly everywhere.

FRED DOUGLASS, the colored leader, says he sees no chance for Radical success either in New York or Indiana. As the colored man generally likes to be on the winning side, he may as well take due notice and govern himself accordingly.

READ the letter of Congressman Smith, a representative of Labor indeed, and then think how the laboring man of this district is misrepresented by "Bat" Nichols! Alas, what humiliation there is in the thought! Fellow citizens, let us put an end to the farce!

JUDGE FOWLE speaks torrow at Bayboro, Pamlico county, and Tuesday at Kinston. Gov. Scales speaks tomorrow at Ruffin, Rockingham county; Senator Ransom at Old Fields, Nash county; Senator Vance at Asheville; Messrs. Strudwick and Robbins at Vanceboro, Craven county; Messrs. Waddell and Sanderlin at Gatesville; Maj. Stedman at Princeton, Johnston county.

THE WORKING AND BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

The work of the Working and Business Men's Association shows the earnestness of our people here in the city and their full determination to elect the ticket. It is understood that the country precincts are going to give a glorious account of themselves on election day, and Raleigh is going to send back an answer that will make glad the heart of every Democrat in Wake county. We are going to elect the ticket. Mark that. Raleigh is going to do better than ever before. Our people are more united, more determined, more enthusiastic than ever before. Buck Jones is bound to win as when he led the forlorn hope once before and won. Hurrah for Wake county!

THE JUDGES.

It is surely not necessary to urge upon the people of North Carolina the importance of seeing that the proper men are chosen to sit upon our supreme bench—to constitute our court of last resort. The whole election now before us is important, but the question as to who shall be our Supreme Court judges is important in a peculiar sense. Every State interest is dependent to a certain extent for its safety on the character of the men to be chosen to the high offices referred to. It behooves every citizen to interest himself actively to the end that the nominees of the Democratic party, all men of the highest character, of approved fitness, may be elected.

In the words of the standing warning we have been printing for some time, both parties agree on the amendment increasing the number of Supreme Court Judges, but all the same it is important for Democrats not only to vote for the amendment, but to vote for the Democratic nominees for Judges as well, lest it happen that the amendment be carried and Davis, Avery and Shepherd be beaten. The Radicals will be sure to vote for the amendment and their nominees for Judges.

Let us look carefully after this matter of having the right sort of Judges in our court of last resort. We cannot afford to take any risk anywhere, but least of all here in the matter of the Supreme Court judgeships.

A TRUE FRIEND OF LABOR.

Read the letter elsewhere printed of Congressman Henry Smith, the only distinctive Labor member of Congress, giving his reasons for voting for the Mills bill. Mr. Smith evidently knows what he is talking about, and he talks most sensibly. His remarks should be read by every workingman in the country. They are incontrovertible so far as they give the reasons for support of the Democratic measure of tax reduction, and they are the words of soberness and truth.

TO NORTHERN SPORTSMEN.

This State is the very paradise of those who like to hunt. It is full of game of all sorts and has only to be tried to be appreciated by those who know what's what in the way of sport. The partridge shooting it affords is as good as any in the world and the best headquarters for this sport is Raleigh. Game

THE Radicals are working this time with a zeal, an energy, a system and a constancy greater than they have ever displayed before and they have an ample supply of funds to draw upon for their purposes, legitimate and illegitimate, particularly illegitimate. We give the Democrats of the State fair warning. If they wish to maintain the good government Democracy affords; if they wish to maintain honesty, economy and efficiency in the administration of public affairs they have got to work to secure the consummation so devoutely to be wished. They have not an ample supply of funds to draw upon for campaign purposes. They must work, every man individually, and must continue steadily at work until the sun goes down Tuesday week. Else Fowle may get in only by a scratch; else we may lose the State! The danger we point out is real. Democrats everywhere must to work to save the State.

WHY should Democrats vote for Jones; for Green, Baucom, Judd and Beddingfield; for Page, Goodwin, Lougee, Knight and Shaw? Because they are the nominees of the Democratic party; because they are all good men and true; because if elected they will faithfully represent the best interests of the county; because they are all well fitted for the offices for which they have been nominated; because they are all for honesty, economy and efficiency in the administration of public affairs; because, if elected they will to a man be capable and creditable officers and representatives; because they are to a man opposed to what in its full development has been well termed the "hell broth of Radicalism."

WHY should Democrats vote for A. D. Jones? Because he would, if elected, faithfully represent the interests of the whole county; because he is able and efficient and would make a creditable and useful representative; because he is for low taxes and for honesty, economy and efficiency in the administration of public affairs; because he is one of our best and truest and most gallant men; because he is the nominee of the Democratic party.

WHY should Democrats vote for Ben Bunn? Because he is the nominee of the Democratic party; because he is for tax reduction; because he is against the *Trusts;* because he will worthily represent the district in Congress; because he will be of practical benefit to the district as its representative; because he is able, true and eloquent; because he is the man for the place.

—Axworthy, the defaulting treasurer of Cleveland, Ohio, is said to have delayed his departure for England long enough to insure his capture in Quebec.

THE UNIVERSITY.

The October Meeting of the Literary Seminarium—An Interesting Discussion of Historical Methods.

Cor. of the News and Observer.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C, Oct. 26.

The monthly meeting of the Literary Seminarium was held Tuesday, and the subject for discussion was History.

The first paper, by President Battle, defined the province of history to be: First, to record the facts of the past in all the departments of human knowledge; secondly, to show the general laws and principles under which those facts are comprehended. The application of human reason to the facts of the past makes possible prescience of the future, the loftiest achievement of the human intellect. Soldiers and statesmen, no less than chemists, astronomers and other scientific workers must be guided by the experience of others. The ancient historians were lacking in scientific method, and too often their facts are fables. The perfect historian must be the greatest of men. Vast learning, calm judgment, keen intellect, and lofty integrity must mark him, while his style should be clear and vigorous. His ory, like the other sciences, is now divided and subdivided into special branches of investigation, and minute and painstaking study is daily rectifying errors long established and throwing light upon what has been obscure. North Carolina especially has suffered by the carelessness or malevolence of historians; but the historical facts published to the world, do now completely vindicate her character. History is the high court of justice, before which all nations must stand. Thus it is a never failing inspiration to noble deeds and a wholesome barrier against national crimes. Above all, history aims to establish the truth. True history is a beacon light, while false is a will o' the wisp.

Prof. Toy remarked upon the position now occupied by history as one of the sciences. The philosophic spirit prevails, and the tendency is to the strict scientific treatment of historical problems. Histories are written now a days entirely devoid of narrative and devoted to a philosophic consideration of the causes of things. The aim is for truth.

Prof. Alexander called attention to palpable errors of the so-called scientific historians and commented on the dangers of an implicit reliance upon the statements in the "scientific histories." Their claims are apt to mislead by inspiring excessive confidence but they are themselves most fallible, through ignorance or prejudice.

President Battle told of several instances of great injustice to North Carolina by the historians. The first historian, lacking scientific method, had, for some reason, started a misstatement or slander, and all the others had blindly followed. The scientific method was the true one, for by it alone could facts be ascertained or errors corrected.

Prof. Winston discussed the tendency of recent historians to neglect style.

History must have a scientific basis: its facts must be ascertained by the strictest application of the rules of evidence. But history ceases at this point to be a science, and becomes an art. In ascertaining the truth history is scientific; in narrating the truth it must be artistic. In its investigations and deductions it belongs to the realm of truth, but fail to tell it with power. They are deficient in style. Mommsen has investigated Cæsar's life and character with the patience and skill of a chemist, but his hundreds of pages make a less vivid picture than Plutarch's dramatic delineations. Fables and anecdotes, parables and myths are false perhaps in one sense, but they record great moral and social truths; the Bible and Shakspeare, supreme in thought and power, make constant use of the style condemned by the scientific historians. After all the investigations of scientific historians, they have failed to paint a picture of Cæsar that takes the place of Plutarch's. If history is to influence men, to mould character, to guide conduct, it must be readable. Style is even more important than method; for a perfect style will give life to false statements. The investigations of the historian belong to science, and should be excluded from his narrative, which belongs to literature.

Dr. Hume cited Macaulay as combing the literary and scientific treatment in a high degree, and thought that the modern historians were not lacking in style.

The discussion was continued with much interest and with illustrations from ancient and modern history.

Dr. Hume presented a most graphic and interesting paper on the "Genesis of Carlyle's French Revolution," which afforded a fine view of the great historian's spirit, his inner feelings, desires and ambition. Numerous quotations from Carlyle's letters added personal color to the paper.

Prof. Alexander suggested an extensive course of study and reading in Greek history, and made brief but pointed criticisms of each of the ancient Greek historians as well as of the modern writers upon Greek history.

Many new members were elected.

The work of the Seminarium is growing in interest. The subject for November is Sacred Literature.

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A WILMINGTON MERCHANT says through the Star:

"Many of our farmers residing in the country, from crop failures and fertilizers' bills, are heavilyladened with debt. If Dockery is elected and North Carolina has to pay those fraudulent special tax bonds, taxation must be largely increased, and what will become of the property of the farmers? Surely, many of them will not be able to pay or clear up all these encumbrances, and their property must be sacrificed at public sale."

This is a pointer. How are the people of the State going to act upon it?

As the Landmark says:

"A man may drink and not be drunk;
A man may fight and not be slain;
A man may kiss a bonnie lass,
And yet be welcomed back again."

But he can't vote unless he is registered.

Unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation.—Cleveland's Letter of Acceptance.

THEIR SHARE OF THE LOAD.

WOMEN'S RIGHTS AND WRONGS IN THE TARIFF—HOW THEY ARE AFFECTED—WHAT WILL THEY DO ABOUT IT?—SOME MORAL BEARINGS OF THE GREAT ISSUE.

I have been led to observe sometimes, in talking tariff, that the women folks of this land have a great stake in the present campaign.

They are vitally interested in tariff reform and lower taxes.

Make them but see this and protection is doomed. There are no workers like women. They are as untiring as they are faithful; as persevering as they are devoted.

Lower taxes would cheapen nearly everything they buy. If reform should prevail there would ensue a fuller measure of comfort and pleasure to a vast majority of American women—in fact, to all who have not the spending of very large incomes.

With reform, mother will have more money for the children's clothing, more money for household affairs, more money for her own dress, more money for all those thousand and one things that make daily drain on mother's purse.

And the money will have greater purchasing power. Household affairs will run more easily. Comforts will be multiplied. Cares will be lessened.

These are direct blessings that will come from lower taxes.

Beyond these, though there are indirect gains, incidental betterings to be brought to woman's case by reform in the tariff.

As it stands now the hand of the tax-gatherer is raised against her. The conditions of life are changed for her. Under protection her joys are limited, her cares increased.

Mark the incidental bearing of high taxes taxes upon the condition of women. Note the changes and chances against them. See how the lot of many is narrowed. See how the whole current of many lives among them is utterly changed by the unnatural conditions that have grown up under the tariff.

There are many women in this land, born to better things, who are starving themselves, stunting their womanhood, perforce, to make a living. In many instances this is so because the Tariff of Abominations makes it so.

These women are buffeting the world in the walks and works of men, when they ought to be happy wives and mothers with plenty of love to live upon and good stout hearts to lean upon and strong right arms to hang upon.

I may be old-fashioned about such things, but I am one of those who think a woman's first right is to be loved and admired and her second is to have a good stout fellow to work for her.

The Tariff of Abominations is abridging her chances, though, continually. It is making old maids and old bachelors every day.

It is harder to make a good living for two than it used to be among the poor and the middle classes. Among the rich, selfishness and the vices that spring from it decrease marriages.

In the one case marriage is often deemed too costly. In the other it is often thought a burden.

Often it happens, too, that fathers and husbands and brothers after years of labor for their loved ones are cut down in the day of their strength. And often their women folks are left to struggle for a living; because, after ..., the little that remained from the price of the breadwinner's labor was taken to satisfy the demands of the tariff barons and the trust promoters, leaving nothing to lay up against a rainy day and the haps and mishaps of life and death.

This is why many women, and generally women of refinement, from what Saxe calls that "uncomfortable niche, above the poor and below the rich," are left to walk the way of life alone, without the company of that bread-winner and protector they ought to have, by right of Nature's law and to the best interests of true religion and genuine morality among us.

This tariff imposes false conditions upon us. It gives superabundance to a few. It restricts the many to a mere sufficiency for physical wants. It makes many more till the struggle for existence becomes such a serious problem that room is not left for consideration of any other question.

In one community, in one set, in one family, extravagant habits are bred and nurtured, the wholesome lessons of self-restraint and self denial go unlearned.

In another misery and want make wickedness. Thrift is sunk in penury. Poverty crushes aspiration.

The beneficiaries embrace all the vices of the suddenly rich. The victims commit the crimes of the abjectly poor.

Abnormal conditions beget abnormal results. A tariff which breeds cupidity and chicanery, which arms riches with power to rob poverty, which lends one strong class artificial aid against another, weaker in the struggle of life; a tariff which taxes with injustice and inequality, which compels tribute from millions to thousands, which gives wealth to the rich in the name of the law and denies to all the natural right of buying in the cheapest market, a tariff which pretends one thing and does another, a tariff which deceives, and lies, and cheats, and robs, in the name of protection, establishes bad conditions from which bad results are bound to flow.

The mythical links that bound Prometheus to his lonely rock; the chains that hung from the stately limbs of Zenobia, when she stood before Aurelian; the gyves that clasped the proud Incas' wrists, captive in the presence of a Spanish adventurer; the fetters that link Russian exiles, toiling their terrible way to Siberian mines, have been held up to a pitying world in song and story. Many a time and oft where men do congregate have they served to point a warning to tyranny or to adorn a tale of man's inhumanity to man.

But here we have bonds as soft as love, as strong as death. Here we have self-forged charms invisible as spiders' webs in the dusk of eventide—yet as strong as the silken meshes that inwebbed the great muscles of Samson when deceitful Delilah had beguiled his confidence and betrayed him to his persecutors.

How shall we burst these bonds? What must we do to be saved?

Our only hope is in the strong arm of Democracy and the help the gods lend those who help themselves.

Elect Grover Cleveland, pass the Mills bill—the work will have been begun.

After that, make it hot for the conspirators. Agitate against them, combine against them, work against them.

Never forget the service you may do your own people, your neighbors, your country, the aid you may give to the cause of humanity.

Do this and success will crown your efforts. Grow weak in the faith, grow slack in the work and God have mercy on your liberties, for they will be in mortal danger.

Daily too long and the day of peaceful relief will have passed by—the red hand of Revolution alone will be strong enough to seize embattled Avarice by the throat.

Then must the rich blood of patriots flow to atone for the folly of the weak and to wipe out the sins of the oppressor.

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—The Democratic club parade in Richmond, Va, was a great success.

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—The Philadelphia Journal of United Labor, in its editorial columns, says that positive information has been received from a number of sources that the mail list of that paper for the last week in August is in the possession of the Republican National Committee, and that it was surreptitiously taken from the office of the Journal.

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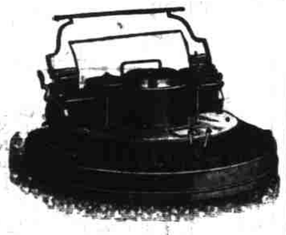

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