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Now for patriotic patronizing of home industries. Let us not send abroad for what we can get within the limits of our own State...

A prominent candidate for Speaker of the Federal House is Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, who, the Wilmington Messenger says, is a native of North Carolina.

We note that Mr. Wade H. Harris, city editor of the Charlotte Chronicle, severs his connection with the paper in question.

The Wilmington Messenger is in receipt of a letter from ex-Gov. Jarvis dated October 26th stating that he would sail for home from Rio on the 17th inst.

The German Reichstag re-assembled Thursday and the Emperor made a pacific speech on the occasion.

The Leakville Gazette says: "The late campaign in this county developed a democratic, Jeffersonian democracy, Jacksonian democrats and straight democrats."

In which class does our esteemed contemporary put ex-Speaker Webster, who, as we understand, while claiming to be too good a democrat to vote for Cleveland, voted for Harrison to be President?

The Atlantic & North Carolina road, we understand, will be laid with steel rail from one end to the other before long, possibly within the year.

A POST-ELECTION SLANDER. The Signal, in the course of a very extraordinary article about the efforts made to defeat Mr. Nichols in a district whose democratic majority is reasonably 2,000, says:

"Mechanics were threatened with discharge if they voted for him; merchants were threatened with the boycott if they permitted their clerks to vote for him; manufacturers called their employees before them and admonished them not to vote for him; heads of public institutions threatened the discharge of any employee who dared vote for him; boss workmen from our railroads left their places and spent the day at the polls to watch and report every man who dared vote for him, and even the poor negroes who worked as train hands were threatened, and some of them have been discharged for voting for him."

We offer to the editor of the Signal space in the NEWS AND OBSERVER to go into the details and specify the names of the persons referred to in the above paragraph. Come, Mr. Signal, don't let your modesty prevent your coming before the public and stating the facts. We say the whole paragraph is false and slanderous.

The Durham Tobacco Plant is rash enough to "come again" with reference to our denial in toto of its charge that there was "a howling mob" in Raleigh on the occasion of the wreck of the State National Bank.

Excitement over such a failure as that was a natural consequence, and if our memory does not play us false the statement now made by our brother of the NEWS AND OBSERVER does not tally exactly with the reports of the catastrophe that appeared in his local columns at the time.

Now, we do not at all propose to quarrel with our neighbor. To refresh the memory of its editor, however, we reproduce the part of our local account of the wreck covering the point made as to the failure of what we say now to tally with what was said at the time of the catastrophe.

"Our people have accepted the situation in a practical and sensible way which is most commendable."

"Groups of people were seen to collect about the doors of the bank at intervals yesterday morning, but the place was not crowded by excited masses of people as is usually the case. All seem to take the disaster with calm resignation and fortitude."

We regret for its own sake that our neighbor did not content itself with the becoming paragraph with which it ends its article and which is as follows:

"We may have been somewhat extravagant in using the term 'howling mob,' if it is to be given a literal interpretation, and if anybody is of opinion that the people of Newbern have made arrangements for the publication of a hand-book of that city, descriptive of its attractions as a winter resort, The Charlotte Chronicle is agitating for a book or pamphlet of the same sort for the city it represents."

JUDAS RUCKER, of Colorado, writes an open letter to Senator Blackburn which is equivalent to a challenge. The question is, therefore, What will the Senator do about it?

"A WESTERN DEMOCRAT" writes a very timely and pointed letter to the New Berns Journal in which he says: "I find that you are appealing to democrats not to help republicans in your county into office by going on their official bonds. I was surprised to see that it was necessary to make any such appeal to democrats."

We people up here prefer to elect our county commissioners by popular vote, but we are perfectly willing to surrender that right in order to save your county, and others like it, from being controlled by ignorant and corrupt men; but if democrats in your county are so fond of republican rule as to become sycophants for the good conduct of those who lead the negroes against them, I do not see why we should make the sacrifice. You certainly must be unnecessarily concerned about the matter, for I cannot conceive of what manner of democrat it is that will aid such republicans who lead the negroes against his true interest in giving bond for an office."

We say the words are to the point and of particular force just at this time. We hope they will be well considered by the democrats not only of Craven but of the whole east and of the centre as well. They should be acted upon everywhere. The question they suggest is one not of mere politics but of the maintenance or destruction of the most vital interest of this section of the country. Democrats, white men, of the State should see that it is decided in accordance with the spirit of the letter of "Western Democrat."

Not long ago we heard a mother remark: "The effects of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is simply wonderful, it helps my child every time and leaves the little fellow as bright as a new dollar."

The dismissal of Lord Sackville by President Cleveland puts the members of the British legation at the foot of the list of the diplomatic corps in Washington. Lord Sackville stood fifth on the list, but his dismissal sends his successor, who ever he may be, and all his official household to the bottom. Precedence in the diplomatic corps is determined on all official occasions in Washington by length of service.

The representative of the little black republic of Hayti is the dean of the diplomatic corps. Thus Hayti, the most feeble government in the whole civilized world, and the poorest, will, through its representative stand first on the list of official honors here, while Great Britain, the most powerful and richest, comes in at the tail end.

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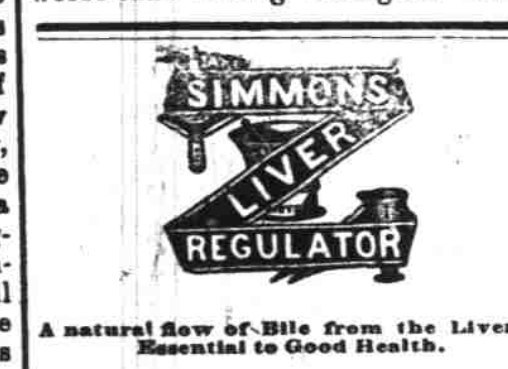
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Neither Mr. Johnston nor the democratic party have cause to be mortified over the race just concluded for Congress in this district. He received this year 15,404 votes, over 5,000 more than was ever before received by a democrat in this district, and 2,430 more than he received four years ago.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Lee, Johnson & Co.'s drug store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption.

Raining cats and dogs is surely no worse than hailing strangers. -Life.



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