

THE GREENSBORO PATRIOT.

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GREENSBORO, N. C., FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 1888.

THE WELFARE PATRIOT
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RENOUNCING BROWER

The *Winston Union Republican*, a republican organ from head to foot, denounces Brower editorially this week for voting with the Democrats on the Mills bill. Continuing it says:—

"Hon. John M. Brower, nominated and elected to the House of Representatives by the Republicans of the 5th District, disregarding the positive declaration of the convention, has arrayed himself with the Democrats and has voted for the passage of the Mills bill."

"With Mr. Brower's motives we have nothing to do; nor can we predict what effect his course may have upon the election. We believe he will gain but few, if any, Democratic votes, and we are assured he will lose Republican support. Mr. Brower cannot expect Republicans to abandon principle for the sake of electing him. He cannot suppose that editors and speakers and THE PEOPLE will desert their principles and abandon party policy and upturn their party platform simply for his personal aggrandizement. With all the power the administration could exert, the Mills bill could hardly be passed, and at this juncture Mr. Brower deserted from his comrades and joined the forces of the enemy."

"Does such a course betoken a far-sighted man, worthy to be elected to Congress and to have in charge the dearest interests of the people?"

"To add fire to the Republican cause, we will not admit that he is a man of high standing in the community, nor that he is a man of high standing in the community, nor that he is a man of high standing in the community."

"If we were a man capable of seeing in what a shape his vote has left his party in the district, if not the State, he would surely resign into the hands of the District Committee the nomination unanimously tendered him by the convention, so that a better choice could be made."

"Referring to the language of the resolution, Mr. Brower is neither consistent nor patriotic."

"While the Republican has the manhood to uphold its principles, the North State lies in ambush and says sic him, Goslen."

THE THIRD PARTY CONVENTION

The leaders have been chosen for the campaign of the third party in Guilford county, and they will soon be before the people in the discussion of their claims to public confidence and to the assumption of the county government and representation in the State legislature.

so on. But when the Democrats propose such slight but important reductions on the poor man's tools and necessities the cry goes up from the Money Devil, the Platonists, the Monomaniacs, their newspaper organs and tooters—"Free Trade!" But people are not such fools as the protectionists give them credit for being—which time will prove.

publication. Several of the members gave individual opinions on the situation. Mr. Hiram Adkins, of Vermont, said the situation in New England was very encouraging, and although Vermont could not be placed in Democratic column, large gains would be made among the new voters. He considered New Hampshire debatable ground; Massachusetts too. Over both voters the Democrats are making heavy gains. Mr. J. J. Richard, of Iowa; said: "I think more than one of the Western States will be found in the Democratic column next November. We claim Indiana, and I think at least one other State will cast its electoral vote for the Democratic candidates."

The situation in Iowa is good. The people are becoming more educated to a true appreciation of the question of protection and the tariff. This is true, not only of Iowa, but of all the Western and Northwestern States. I think Iowa, Illinois and Michigan are in the unsteady list this year." Erskine M. Phelps, of Illinois, said: "Not only is the fighting coming in Illinois and Iowa, but Wisconsin and Michigan also." In this last statement Mr. Weston joined, and said: "In Michigan the Republicans are in a minority, and we have found in tariff reform the link to unite the opposition. Senator Kenna promised at least 10,000 majority in West Virginia. Republican talk about the State drifting away from the Democratic column, he said, was sheer nonsense.—New York Cor. Baltimore Sun."

And so the Republican Senators have unanimously agreed to report and vote for a revenue reduction bill contemplating a reduction of sixty or eighty millions mostly in the tariff! No wonder the *Tribune* is struck dumb; no wonder there is consternation far and wide in the party camp, or that voters are rubbing their eyes and demanding a reason for so startling a change of policy. "What is the meaning of all this?" the astonished ranks exclaim. We will tell them. Briefly, one month's experience proved to the veteran leaders of the party that they were in a very untenable position, and that, at what over risk and shame, they must undertake what is always a desperate experiment—a flank movement in the face of the enemy. It was simply the one thing left to do, and after a hurried conference at the well furnished tent of Mr. Everts they decided to give the order and take the chance.

Has there been in the political records of our nation a more complete and abrupt collapse of a party's policy at the very threshold of a campaign? We doubt it; and we predict that this action will become historical in American politics.—N. Y. Com. Adv., Ind. Republican.

ON TARIFF REFORM LINES.—A Philadelphia special to the *New York Times* says: The Democracy of Philadelphia and the surrounding country is making a bold bid on the lines laid down by the President's message and the Mills bill, and the results already apparent show that the party has nothing to fear in such a course if the issue is plainly put before the people. Among the 30,000 Democrats of Philadelphia, some of whom it would naturally be expected would be influenced by the policy of Radicalism, a number of converts have been made from among the Republican textile workers, and the indications are that President Cleveland's vote will be considerably larger than it was four years ago.

This unbroken Democratic front may be almost entirely attributed to the voters gaining a better insight into the tariff question, and because of the absurdity of the Republican cry of free trade has been clearly shown to them. Tariff reform clubs are being formed throughout the city, and it is a significant fact that in the mill districts a considerable number of Republicans have become Democrats. In the counties lying about Philadelphia the Democrats have boldly thrown down challenges to the Republicans to debate the tariff question with them before the people, and the Republicans show considerable reluctance in meeting the issue.

AN INTERESTING WAR TIME RELIC.—A Raleigh gentleman has collected and preserved an interesting souvenir of war times down South, in the shape of a scrapbook, filled with samples of home made cloth, of every description. The eight of these goods forcibly carries one back to the days when the old time spinning wheel and loom were to be heard in every house.

Every grade and color of fabric is represented, from the coarsest copperas check to the finest "silk-mixed" which was made by carding minute bits of any kind, with the half and half as fine as possible on a rough hand-loom. It now looks strange that persons of wealth, taste and culture could ever have worn such clothing, but there was no help for it. We did wear it and we are proud of our independence. Most of these specimens have a family history of their own, having been preserved by his sisters, consins and aunts and presented to the gentleman who placed them in the scrap book for future generations to see.—New-Observer.

That was a very tender-hearted young man who, on being told that his wife, who had held the house an hour before, was drowned, and that her body was found only a mile or so below, said, "She must have floated down quite lively."

THE CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.—The Democratic National Campaign Committee met at 4 o'clock, but the proceedings could not be given to the public. They will meet again at noon tomorrow, and then they promise some news for



HON. DANIEL G. FOWLE, The Nominee of the Democratic Party for Governor of North Carolina.

TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES.

THE FARMERS' INTER-STATE CONVENTION.—It is plain to see that Raleigh is on her mettle and proposes to do the thing in style on the occasion of the Farmers' Inter-State Convention which will be held the latter part of this month. She is to have distinguished guests from all sections of the South and she will receive and entertain them with that grand old North Carolina hospitality which always characterizes her and which will be eminently fitting for this great occasion.

TALBOT SMITH'S BOSS BRUNSWICK STEW.—The Wilmington *Observer* says: "Col. Fred A. Olds has been the recipient of so many gracious attentions from his immediate neighbors on the sound, that he determined to retaliate. Accordingly yesterday afternoon he had proposed a barbecued pig and Brunswick stew which was served in the camp pavilion. It takes an up country man to prepare such wands, and Mr. J. L. Smith, caterer for the Durham Light Infantry, who had remained over to enjoy the delights of the sound, volunteered to perform the service for the Colonel. The Brunswick stew was so much enjoyed that requests were asked for and given the ladies for its preparation; and it is probable that Brunswick stew will become a very popular dish on the sound."

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.—Intelligence was received here yesterday of the boiler explosion which occurred Tuesday afternoon at Forestville, on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, thirteen miles from this city, killing one man outright and severely injuring several others.

A portable steam engine was running a threshing machine on the farm of Mr. P. H. Mangum. Mr. Mangum and Mr. Geo. Wall had just ridden up to the spot on horseback and had halted about six feet apart and near the boiler, when the explosion took place. Half of the boiler and the truck upon which it rested were hurled forward with fearful force, passing directly between Mr. Mangum and Wall.

A colored man named Toby Mangum, who was near the boiler when it exploded, was instantly killed. Mr. Mangum was struck in the breast by a heavy fragment of iron and was knocked violently from his feet, and received several serious injuries which it is feared will prove fatal.

Pittsburg, Miss., August 1.—A battle took place yesterday between Bob Reagan, on one side, and E. N. Enchel, James Enchel and Charles Cochran, on the other. The men had a dispute over a business matter, and Reagan was assaulted by the other three. He drew his pocket knife and used it with such effect that in less than five minutes Cochran lay dead on the ground and the Enchel brothers were mortally hurt. Reagan received a blow with a bar that broke three of his ribs.

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LOCAL NEWS.

ONE-FOURTH HIGHER.—Among other things done by the Plaid Manufacturers' Association in session here the other day was to raise the price of their manufactured goods a quarter of a cent on the yard.

A GOOD WORKING FORCE.—Already one hundred and sixty-five hands are at work on the Wilmington extension of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. at Fayetteville, with equally as many more near Wilmington.

SIX THOUSAND SQUARE FEET OF ORE.—During the last few weeks a surface of six thousand square feet of iron ore has been made bare at the Danbury iron mines, and the beauty of it, the ore is pronounced of excellent quality.

PRITTS-REMFRY.—In High Point last night, Aug. 2d, '88, Dr. H. Clay Pitts led to the hymeneal altar Miss Alice Remfry. The ceremony was performed in the Episcopal Church at that place.

WATERMELONS.—The like of watermelons that have passed through this city for Northern markets within the past ten days has never before been known. No less than thirty-seven trains loaded with melons have passed here since the 22d of July, and they continue to come and go.

RETURNING FIRES.—Mr. Hiram Breighton, residing near Charlotte, was startled a night or two since by two rocks crashing against his door. He opened the door to ascertain the cause, and was greeted with two pistol-shots. He got a gun and fired from the door, and another volley of shots was returned.

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