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The WATCHMAN is organ of the Alliance in the 5th and 7th Congressional Districts.

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HILL SUBSIDIZING NEWSPAPERS.
A correspondent of the Atlanta Journal writing from New York sheds some light on the political situation up north. Among other things he says:

"A very prominent New York democrat, now residing in Washington, who insists that his name shall not be made public in connection with his political speculations, said to your correspondent last night that he had about thought himself to believe that Tammany Hall would so manipulate the State of New York that a Hill delegation would be sent to the next democratic national convention."

This deponent from Gotham is a strong Cleveland man and he bore witness to this political state with genuine sorrow. He says there is no doubt that the hachelog govern- ment is extremely reluctant to make the govern- ment that he is plotting and scheming constantly to make his nomination a certainty. He claims that the governor not only has his agents going through the State constantly working his boom, but that in other states newspapers and agents have been subsidized in his interests.

Hill, he claims, is an unscrupulous, selfish politician, and that he has been trying to kill ex-Governor Gray, of Indiana, to take a second place on the ticket with him in order that the plan may be made in the two doubtful states, New York and Indiana, could not otherwise be placated."

It has been known for some time that Hill is a traitor. He sold New York in order to get himself elected governor. If he has subsidized several newspapers it is evident that he intends to make a desperate fight. This is sufficient evidence that he is not fit to be president. A man who must subsidize newspapers or buy votes has no business holding any kind of an office. Such a man ought to be introduced to a whipping post and then put in the penitentiary, for there are better men there. But this story may be man- ufactured.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.
The Charlotte Chronicle commenting on the meeting of the G. A. R. veterans at Detroit last week said:

"The G. A. R. in its meeting at Detroit last week sang its more grand wail in one of its hymns is as follows:

"There will be no fusion of the Blue and Gray,
As we go marching on."

This is sincere. The old Federals sang their true sentiments and the people of the south should not ignore themselves in going more than half. Only time can establish complete and honorable peace between the two sections, and that time will not come until quite all the leading figures of the war will have died."

We regret to say that there is much truth in the words of the Chronicle, but so many lies are being telegraphed that we are not ready to believe the report. But even if this detachment of the G. A. R. did sing the song it is not the sentiment of the best people in the north nor in the south. G. A. R. men who are paid in fat pensions may sing, especially if loaded with whiskey, or the professional politician whose method is to divide the sections. However, it don't matter what our people sing, for they don't always agree with the songs. For instance we sing: "Hang Jeff Davis Davis on a sour apple tree" notwithstanding we are his friends. But such sentiment north or south should be cried down. "Blessed is the peace maker." The war is over and it is our duty to sit down on the little narrow-minded scamps who wish to revive old memories. True soldiers and others on either side do not endorse such stuff.

THE STATE ALLIANCE.
The State Alliance is in session at Morehead. Ninety-two counties are represented. President Carr read his report which had a good effect upon the audience. The reports of the officers have been made.

The members show earnestness and enthusiasm in the work.

Colonel Polk is present and made a speech in the Atlantic hotel and was cheered continuously before its close. His audience was not made up only of alliance men but a large number of non-members.

The members seem flatly in favor of the sub-treasury. A vote was taken to ascertain if it was an important feature and it was decided unanimously.

The report of the State Secretary shows over one hundred thousand members.

The first subordinate alliance was organized April 20th, 1887, at Ashpole, Robeson county. There are now 2,221 subordinate alliances in the State.

The president and other officers of the Alliance will be elected to-day.

We will give a more full report next week.

Editors Polk and Ramsey are both in attendance.

HAZING AT THE UNIVERSITY.
We are glad to know that the scholars at the University have denounced hazing. They will not tolerate it there. Now let rowdism be banished from the smaller colleges and boys' schools.

The following resolutions were passed by the Sophomore Class of the University and endorsed by the entire student body. They have the ring of manliness and decency.

"Recognizing the fact that the development of the University depends upon the harmonious co-operation of its friends, and especially upon the voluntary adoption of true standards of manliness by the student body, the Class of 1891 in meeting assembled do hereby resolve:

"1. That the practice of hazing new students is far beneath the dignity of University men and contrary to the spirit of a real university.

"2. That new students who enter the University hereafter be not to be subjected to hazing or maltreatment by this class.

"T. B. LEE,
"H. BINGHAM,
"J. W. WHELAN,
"Committee."

At a mass-meeting of all the students of the University it was unanimously resolved: "That the students of the University endorse the action of the Class of 1891 and promise their hearty co-operation in eliminating from University life all maltreatment of new students."

That great enterprising journal, the State Chronicle, announced Tuesday that it would print the proceedings of the State Alliance in full. No paper can do that. Besides that this great paper with cutter and paster never found out where the meeting would be until this week. The chief editor started to Morehead Monday and got off at every station between Raleigh and Morehead thinking he had got to the place. The latest news is that Mr. Daniels is lost in a swamp below Kinston and that he is making Alliance speeches to the misquitos and off ring to take them home to dinner with him. His death would be published in the Chronicle until it goes the rounds of the State press.

RECENTLY a citizen of Salisbury remarked to the editor that "you are putting too much rampant Alliance matter in the WATCHMAN." We are aware that a large number who are kind enough to be patrons of the WATCHMAN do not endorse the Alliance doctrine. But as they will all, if they live long, have to look these same doctrines square in the face, in other words, live under a government controlled by Alliance sentiment, they should be getting used to it. We would not do our duty if we failed to put "rampant Alliance matter" in it. Our only apology is that we can't put more and stronger matter in.

The latest sensation is that State Business Agent, Wynne, of Georgia, is short to the amount of \$20,000. Maybe it is true; maybe not. If it is he will be condemned just as any other man who does wrong. But it is a sad story.

The News and Observer is out again with the old story that the cotton average ought to be reduced. We fully agree with Capt. Ashie and suggest that more politics be raised in place of so much cotton.

STATE NEWS.

Items Baled Down to Easy Space—From Mountains to Seashore.

Travis McSwane of Stanly, was killed by lightning last Sunday.

G. D. Worth made a present of \$500 for the construction of another building at the State University.

Winston has beat the Washington boys playing ball. They will start on a Western tour in a few days.

George Dudley who murdered Redmond Blue on the 13th of May, was captured in Virginia on Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Overman, near Goldsboro, raised fourteen water melons that weighed over 700 pounds, the largest weighed 593 pounds.

McDonald, the Richmond county murderer was captured in Oregon last Saturday. Gov. Holt sent an officer after him.

Burglars drilled a hole in the money safe of Dr. F. D. Dyer & Son, of Kernersville, broke the lock and stole \$200 in cash, besides other things.

Dolph Hollar killed John Black in Texas on the 18th of July. Hollar is a native of Burke county, this state. He gave bond of \$4,000. Public sentiment is in his favor.

A boy, Claud Worly tried to jump across the track before the vestibule train in Charlotte, which was running at the rate of fifty miles an hour. He was knocked 140 feet and was killed.

A son of Mr. W. W. Ward while rambling through the park this morning, caught a "Highland terrapin." The terrapin was about the size of a man's two fists. Young Ward was about to throw it away when his attention was attracted to some engraving on its ground floor. In neat letters was carved: "Dick Mason, July 1887." The terrapin was taken to police headquarters, but Chief Mason is absent tending camp meeting, so the curious will have to wait till he returns to hear the history of the terrapin. —Charlotte News.

PUT THIS IN YOUR PIPE.
Plain Facts and Sharp, Pithy Sayings from Reform Papers.

Jay Gould is out in an interview opposing silver coinage. Poor Jay wants the laboring man to have a good dollar. Kansas Jeffersonian.

Many banks are failing right now. Not lack of money, you know; just simply a lack of confidence.—Nonconformist, Winfield, Kansas.

United we stand divided we continue to hand over to banks, trusts and combines the larger part of the proceeds of our labor.—Rural Home, Wilson, N. C.

It costs the Associated Press one cent for ten words over the Western Union line and it will cost you 25 cents for ten words. Do you want to know why? You don't belong to the right gang.—Ex.

Farmers, while you are weeding out your corn, don't forget to weed out of your mind some of this old honeycombed which you have been fed for years, and when you get clear of it don't take any more—take the honey.—Union, Leavenworth, Neb.

Since the tariff was taken off of sugar a family can buy nine pounds more for a dollar. The tax was ninepound out of every dollar worth. Where can you find a better argument for the reduction of tariff than in this fact?—Tama Northern.

The sub-treasury promises to give the producer a chance to get something near the value of his products. What evidence has he under the present system of getting it? Yet some have the hardihood to stand up and argue against it and still offer no substitute.—The Alliance.

The farmers alliance is simply a school to prepare the farmers for the performance of the citizenship, intelligently and understandingly. If he sees that organization is necessary for the promotion of his interests, what class has a better right to organize?—Home Advocate.

Jay Gould's daily income is said to be about \$75,000. But this is rather small compared to Rockefeller who is supposed to receive \$18,000 daily, or Astor, who gets \$28,000 daily or even Cornelius Vanderbilt, who has to get along with \$15,000 for every twenty-four hours.—Ex.

Those editors who say that the sub-treasury of the Farmers' Alliance will soon blow over, seem to be hitting very near the "bull's eye," for it is being blown all over the country on every breeze, which threatens to become a cyclone that will sweep Florida from the gulf coast to the seaboard.—Florida Alliance.

The United States builds warehouses to accommodate those who deal in the product of foreign labor; why can't it not build warehouses to aid in the exchange of the product of American labor? Has the laborer of Europe any more rights or privileges than the laborer of America? If so, what are they?—Economist, Washington, D. C.

In Cincinnati thousands of pairs of trousers are made for 5 cents per pair, and overalls for 3 and 4 cents. Under the sweating system hundreds of women are earning from 1.25 to \$3 per week and children are working for 2 cents a day, and are subject to fines that often equal their wages.—Justice.

In Henry county, a bank refused to take a farmer's note simply because he belonged to the farmers' Alliance. Upon proof being furnished of the fact, the county Alliance passed a resolution against having anything to do with that bank and not to trade with any one who patronized it and the bank failed in four months time.—Ex.

Every county alliance, so far as heard from, has sent delegates to the state alliance instructed to vote for the sub-treasury. In Anderson county, the home of the Hon. Ben. F. Rogers, one of the leaders in calling the opposition meeting at Fort Worth, was a candidate for representative to the state alliance, but was completely snowed under. The Tribune doubts whether there will be a delegate at the state alliance opposed to the sub-treasury.—Columbian Tribune.

In the face of the democratic republican fusion in many parts of Kansas and the anti Alliance Alliance proclamation of the democratic editors of that state, at their recent Topeka meeting, is any democrat or republican editor possessed of sufficient gall to accuse the Alliance of being an annex to either one of the plutocratic twin? They have forced the issue and it is clear out—"die, Alliance, or we die," in other words, Wall street vs the People. The Alliance is in the middle of the road and the plutocrats will have to stand aside or be run over.—Weekly Union.

Letter From Faith.
Mr. R. A. Rainey is building a residence for Mr. Henry Canby.

Mr. D. A. Wiley is building a residence for Mr. W. R. Ritchie.

So one of the neighbors are having a flock of cedar lumber sawed at Mr. Fick's saw mill.

We would be glad to have the pleasure of showing the surveyors of the Roanoke & Southern railroad over our granite belt. A fine sample of this granite can be seen on the streets in Salisbury at the new Presbyterian church, where Mr. C. C. Wyatt, the foreman, and others are dressing up the granite for the new building. There are several large granite quarries and a number of large roads, in our township. Our township has a solid foundation, because it was underlaid with beautiful, hard, white granite. The railroad that comes this way will never regret the route among the granite hills.

Respectfully,
J. T. WYATT
Faith, August 3rd.

New Siring Letter.
We are having a fine season now. Farmers have commenced to break and for wheat.

Corn is doing well where it has been well worked. Cotton has plenty of weed and weeds generally, but it is hard to put any estimate on the crop. It will suffice to say people are a little "down in the mouth" about it.

Wheat threshing is about over. The crop did not come up to the expectation of the farmers.

Hon. A. Leazar spoke at Brady X Roads last Friday. About 500 persons availed themselves of the opportunity to hear him. Mr. Leazar met with the Alliance in the evening.

The Alliance men have new vigor and are pressing on, paying but little attention to the abuse of the "ants."

Elgin Alliance offered eight prizes last spring—four on cotton and four on corn. The best one of each receives the highest prize.

Mr. Bryant Ingram died on July 28th of fever. There were several more cases of fever in this section.

TRUBER H. YARD.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WASHINGTON LETTER.
The Third Party is Old—The G. A. R. to Encamp in Washington Next Year—Gibber News.

Correspondence of the Watchman.

WASHINGTON, August 10, 1891.—The action of the third party in nominating a full State ticket has intensified the interest in the Ohio campaign, and on all sides one hears the question: "Will the Farmers' Alliance, as an organization, endorse the People's party and its candidates?" and more than one emissary of both the old parties has tried to ascertain at the national headquarters of the Alliance something upon which to base a definite opinion. President Polk refuses to express any opinion upon the matter, saying that it is a matter that the Ohio Alliance will settle for themselves in their own way without any outside interference. Representative Serry Simpson, who is in town taking a rest, is keeping out of sight of inquisitive newspaper men, but I am told that he said to a friend that he had no idea of what, if any, action the Alliance would take regarding the State ticket of the People's party, and that the only personal interest he had in the campaign was to see an anti-Sherman legislature elected.

An Ohio Alliance man whom I met here said that the Alliance, as an organization, would take no action of any sort regarding the State ticket nominated by the People's party but many of its members—how many he had no means of knowing—being in sympathy with most of the principles contained in the platform adopted by the People's party would cast their votes for its candidates, and another gentleman said he had reasons to believe that this was also the privately expressed opinion of President Polk.

Some people who have not the fear of the powers that be before their eyes are commenting rather severely on the naval policy which fills the newspapers with accounts of the splendid showing our new vessels are making at the fashionable watering places, while Rear Admiral McCann, commander of the South Atlantic Squadron is in Washington begging for a flag ship, and his former flagship is on the way to Mare Island Navy Yard to be condemned as worthless. Another one of the vessels of the South Atlantic Squadron—the Tallapoosa—is said to be so unseaworthy that she will have to be condemned where she is because it would be impossible to send her home. Now people are wanting to know why some of our really serviceable vessels cannot be sent where there is real duty to be done. This information could easily be given by some of the social leaders of Washington, if they were so disposed, as it is a fact well-known in this city that this has been the policy which has controlled the army and navy policy of every administration for many years, probably ever since we have had an army or navy.

Just as the taste of blood makes the wild animal more vicious, so the taste of success stirs the ambition of man. Washington having succeeded in capturing the G. A. R. encampment for next year now wants to control all the national nominations next year and its citizens have already taken the preliminary steps towards presenting its claims to the respective national committees, the members for the District of Columbia, but if its business men work with as much vim as they did for the G. A. R. encampment it will be a rival not to be despised before the matter is settled.

Rumors are again prevalent as to the re-organization of the cabinet likely to occur when Secretary Proctor retires, and as many believe, Secretary Noble goes upon the bench of the United States Circuit Court. The story as told by those who profess to know the secrets of the administration is that Mr. Harrison was desirous of giving one of these vacancies to his Illinois friend and that he was hesitating between Hon. Robert T. Lincoln, now the U. S. Minister to Great Britain, and ex-representative, Joseph Cannon, for quite a while, and that he sent for the chairman of the Illinois State republican committee to help him decide. That gentleman put a log in the way by suggesting the name of Senator Cullom instead of either of the other sons of Illinois, and there the matter is said to stand. In view of the fact that Senator Cullom has been outspoken in his opposition to the nomination of Mr. Harrison, and of having announced himself as a candidate for the nomination, it would certainly be a good stroke of politics for the president to disarm him by taking him into the cabinet, but it is not believed here that the Senator could accept anything at the hands of Mr. Harrison.

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