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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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JUST LIKE A DEMOCRAT.

The Philadelphia Press, an able Republican paper, commenting upon the election of a Democratic State Treasurer in Pennsylvania, says:

"Treasurer-elect Berry will not only lift the lid but he will tear off the whole cover of the State Treasury and give the people a full view of all that is inside. He declares for a policy of publicity. This is right. The State Treasury, carrying \$14,000,000 of the people's cash, is not a private affair. It is not to be managed in the interest of any combination of politicians, no matter what influence they may have. Depositors are not to be favored on account of the accommodations they are willing to make to campaign funds. The money is not to be used as a political or private asset. There has been too much scandal, bank looting and suicide.

"The pitifully weak assertion that the State has never lost a dollar does not meet the demands of the people. With astonishing emphasis they have declared that they propose to have a knowledge of the inside of their Treasury. It is creditable to the intelligence of the Treasurer-elect that he so fully comprehends why the great majority of the people have expressed their confidence in him. He announces that he will take them into his confidence, and that they shall know in every detail how their Treasury is concluded. Such publicity is needed. The management of the Treasury is the people's business, and those who manage it are the servants of the people and should render a public account of all their acts. Treasurer-elect Berry is on the right track. Tear off the cover."

It is so much like a Democrat to recognize that he is merely the people's servant and that it is their business and not his that he is to look after. That Democratic State Treasurer talks like he is the genuine article and when Republican ridden Pennsylvania gets a taste of good, sound Democratic administration of their finances, they will want a governor about the size of Berry and another one of "the faithful" to take his place as keeper of the money boxes.

THE WEEKLY TAR HEEL.

The Star has received the initial number of "The Weekly Tar Heel," the new Republican paper which Congressman Spencer Blackburn and his associates have been promoting and promising for the past nine months. It is a sixteen page publication in magazine form, printed on book paper, and is quite attractive typographically. Greensboro is its place of publication but the name of the editor does not appear. The salutatory makes this, among other announcements:

"The Weekly Tar Heel is here. It is here in response to a demand long felt, widespread and urgent. This demand comes not alone from the rank and file of the Republican party of North Carolina, but it comes also from those who are decent enough to be tolerant, and brave enough to be independent. \*\*\* In politics, The Weekly Tar Heel is a Republican of the Roosevelt type. It accepts his courageous and superb leadership."

Of course, there is a great deal more of the salutatory, and more over the editorial department is both full, vigorous and sprightly, indicating that a writer of ability is at the helm. The new paper runs more than two columns of pithy paragraphs and some of them indicate that at least one faction of the Republican party in North Carolina is opposed to the assumption that State Republican Chairman Rollins and Marion Butler are to run the party in this State. "The Tar Heel wears no collar," says one paragraph. "Is public office a family trust?" is another, and again another is "If you want public office be a-kin to somebody." These are references to the statements that Chairman Rollins and so many of his kin people are on the official payroll in North Carolina, and so it will be noted that the new paper comes into the field with its fighting clothes on.

The Tar Heel is well edited and is really a meritorious publication as to its journalistic features.

MONUMENT FOR LUMBERTON.

The Star is pleased to note that the Fayetteville Observer of Friday says:

"Mr. A. W. McLean, of Lumberton, one of Robeson county's foremost lawyers and a young man of splendid ability, has written to Mr. M. G. McKenzie, chairman of the committee of the Confederate Veterans' Association of Robeson,

advocating the erection of a monumental Lumberton, the county seat to Robeson county's dead heroes of the Civil War, and proposes that the monument cost not less than twenty-five hundred dollars. He starts the fund with a subscription of two hundred dollars. He said the idea came to him while on a recent visit to various parts of the country, especially the North, where he found everywhere imposing monuments. Mr. McLean's proposal should meet with a prompt response, and his own patriotic action is to be greatly commended."

We join in the commendation of this movement for a monument at Lumberton. No county in North Carolina furnished truer, braver or better soldiers than Robeson and their self-sacrifice, heroism and patriotism deserves a memorial that future generations can look upon. The record of Robeson's soldiers is a matter for county pride, and the spirit which prompts the erection of a shaft to their memory shows that the present generation inherits and illustrates the sturdy manhood of those whose valorous deeds they seek to perpetuate.

CURRENT COMMENT.

"Perhaps the Governor doesn't feel much like it, but he ought to get out his Thanksgiving proclamation just the same.—Philadelphia Press (Rep.)"

"It will be just like some mean cuss to explain the result in Ohio by reminding us that Secretary Shaw made several speeches for the Republican ticket in that State.—Washington Post."

"The referendum soon to occur in Norway will be a novelty in the way of elections. Never before has such an issue been presented in such a manner. The people, under a system of universal manhood suffrage, will vote as to which they prefer—a republic or a constitutional monarchy.—New York Globe."

"Do not forget that no candidate of any party in Pennsylvania or New York advocated private ownership of municipal franchises. Every one stood for city ownership—some at once, some by degrees, some now, some later. But all stood for it. The correct principal that is going to prevail in every city where the people are not governed in the interest of the pocket books of private individuals.—Raleigh News and Observer."

"The different papers over the State are commending the papers of Maryland for getting regular advertising rates for political matter submitted to them. The way those papers got paid for this stuff is by charging for it, and the papers in North Carolina would have heavier pockets if they would do the same thing. Instead of this they tear their shirts for the party and different candidates and when the candidates come into their own, they don't remember the paper that 'tore itself' for them, but when they have anything that they could throw the papers, ignore them altogether. We want to go on record as one in favor of the Maryland plan.—Statesville (N. C.) Mascot."

TWINKLINGS.

"Well, Tommy, are you very good to your little sister?" asked the friend of the family. "Sure," replied Tommy, "I eat all the candy, 'cause it makes her sick."—Philadelphia Record."

"Your new house is nearly completed, you say? I thought the plans didn't suit you at all. 'They didn't,' but my wife and the architect insisted they were all right."—Philadelphia Press."

"Bessie, why are you and Willie forever quarreling?" said the mother of the pair, in a reprimanding voice. "Why, mamma, it isn't my fault," claimed 5-year-old Bessie, "Willie always wants his own way."—Detroit Free Press."

"Have you asked yourself where that candidate got his money?" "Deed, boss," answered Mr. James Colliflower, "I hadn't got da fur along. I been busy wonderin' wa he gwine to do wif it in dis election."—Washington Star."

"Gentlemen of the jury," queried the clerk of the court, "have you fully agreed to disagree?" "We have," answered the juror. "The lawyers have bungled the case up so that we don't know any more about it than they do!"—Chicago Journal."

"Don't you think you ought to give the people an explanation of your attitude on the trusts?" "No," answered Senator South, "I give an explanation that is satisfactory to the people what kind of an explanation am I going to give the trusts?"—Washington Star."

Life is a constant fight against the dangers of disease, and he holds his own best who keeps his body and his functions in the best working trim.

There are times when nature gratefully accepts little aids. She does not want a wringing up of depression by depressing reaction.

In most cases a tonic and a laxative, properly employed, will afford the required help by promoting digestion, assimilation and reconstruction of tissue and reducing waste of vital nerve force.

It must not be an alcoholic stimulant—just a vegetable tonic. Meeting these needs, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been in successful use these forty years and has accumulated a record of cures unequalled in the history of medicine. It is composed of non-alcoholic, glyceric extracts of Golden Seal root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Cherry bark, Bloodroot and Mandrake root, and by special processes perfected by Dr. Pierce, in his own laboratory, so combined in the most exact proportions, so combined that the medicinal properties preserved without the use of alcohol as to render it a safe and effective remedy for use by the family without consulting a doctor. Young or old can take it freely and now that its composition is published, there is no ground for prejudice or secret medicine. It is neither.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets relieve constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a safe and effective cathartic. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a safe and effective cathartic. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a safe and effective cathartic.

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TIRED FEELING?

A tired or languid feeling is a sign of weak vitality, and this, in women, is nearly always due to the debilitating influence of female trouble. When your menstrual functions are out of order, they call upon the nerves for help, and your nerves answer the call by throwing into the weak parts all the blood force and vitality they can possibly get together. Of course this weakens the rest of your body. Of course you feel tired and languid. Of course you need outside help to keep up your strength and vitality to make you well. This necessary help you can get by taking Cardui, the pure, old, reliable, scientific remedy for sick women. For tiredness, weakness, irregular menstruation, monthly pains, dragging sensations, debilitating discharge, and all female complaints, a sure cure is

WRITE US A LETTER freely and frankly, in strictest confidence, telling us all your symptoms and troubles. We send free advice (in plain sealed envelope) how to cure them. Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

WINE OF CARDUI Woman's Relief From Pain

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 11, 1905.

SPRITS TURPENTINE—Market no sales.

TAR—Market firm at \$1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at \$3.35 per barrel for hard, \$4.75 for dip and \$4.75 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin in steady, \$2.50; tar firm at \$1.60; crude turpentine, firm, at \$2.25, \$3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine 37

Rosin 63

Tar 15

Crude turpentine 173

Receipts same day last year—62 casks spirits turpentine, 214 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar, 134 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Dull, 10 7/8 for middling. Same day last year—Market, steady, 9 1/2 cents.

Receipts, 1,745 bales; same day last year, 3,703 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, (new) Prime, 80c; extra prime 85c; fancy 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c; Spanish (new), 85c@90c.

CORN—Firm; 70c@75c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15 to 16c; side, 11 to 12c; shoulders, 11 to 12c; ribs, 11 to 12c.

EGGS—Dull, 22 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull, Springs, 15c. to 25c; Growns, 30 to 35c.

BEEF—Firm, at 20@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 1 1/2@5c per pound.

FEAS—White, No sales; clay, \$1.15 @1.20.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50c @55c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 2 3/4c, pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 20@22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 2 to 5 points, which was considered better than due on the easy cables, and clearing weather in the western belt. There was considerable pressure against the market, however, and a decline of about 11 to 14 points on the active months in spite of predictions for a freeze in the northwest, following recent rains. Trading was fairly active and demand was sufficient to absorb offerings at the decline and cause a rally of 3 to 4 points from the lowest in the middle of the morning. Receipts to-day, 50,509 against 48,603 last week and 56,182 last year. The week, estimated, 375,000 against 364,544 last week and 385,226 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 13,663 against 12,151 last year and at Houston 15,411 against 12,767 last year.

Futures opened steady. December, 11.04; January, 11.17; March, 11.40; May, 11.51; June, 11.51; July, 11.60; August, 11.40 bid.

Futures closed firm. November, 10.99; December, 11.14; January, 11.29; February, 11.41; March, 11.51; April, 11.55; May, 11.64; June, 11.65; July, 11.63.

Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands, 11.60; middling gulf, 11.60; sales, 39 bales.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Steady, 11 5/16c; net receipts, 15,304 bales.

New Orleans—Steady, 11 7/8c; net receipts, 13,663 bales.

Memphis—Firm, 11c; net receipts, 1,971 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 7/8c; net receipts, 10,445 bales.

Charleston—Firm, 10 3/4c; net receipts, 441 bales.

Wilmington—Dull 10 7/8c; net receipts, 1,745 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 1/4c; net receipts, 6,245 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1/2c.

New York—Quiet, 11.65.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11.65; net receipts, 165 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.90.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 50,709 bales; Great Britain, 10,300 bales; France, 13,105 bales; Continent, 9,027 bales; Stocks, 1,094,817 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 50,709 bales; Great Britain, 10,300 bales; France, 13,105 bales; Continent, 9,027 bales.

Great Britain, 760,366 bales; France, 257,231 bales; Continent, 775,900 bales; Japan, 8,230 bales; Mexico, 280 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 5/16c; net receipts, 15,411 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 11 1/8c; net receipts, 2,285 bales.

Memphis—Steady, 11 1/2c; net receipts, 6,157 bales.

St. Louis—Steady, 11 1/2c; net receipts, 1,125 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 546 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 5/8c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, Nov. 11.—Cotton. Spot

IN FAIR DEMAND; PRICES 5 POINTS LOWER.

American middling, 6.55d; good middling, 6.25d; middling, 6.05d; low middling, 5.93d; good ordinary, 5.74d; ordinary, 5.59d.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which, 500 were for speculation and export, including 6,000 American. Receipts, 4,000 bales, all American. Futures opened steady and closed quiet. American middling G. O. C. November, 5.97d; November and December, 5.97d; December and January, 6.00d; January and February, 6.04d; February and March, 6.06d; March and April, 6.09d; April and May, 6.10d; May and June 6.08d; June and July, 6.03d; July and August, 6.14d.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Flour steady, with better demands; Winter patents, 4.25@4.65; Minnesota patents, 4.75@5.25.

WHEAT—Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 91 1/8; Options closed, 18c net low; No. 1 hard, 92 1/8; December, 92 5/8; No. 2 hard, 91 1/8; No. 2 white, 32 1/4; No. 3 white, 28 1/2@31 3/4; No. 2 rye, 72; Mess pork, per bbl., 13.87 1/2@14.00; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.07 1/2; Short ribs sides (loose), 7.20@7.30; Short cased sides (boxed), 7.00@7.12 1/2; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.30.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Money on call nominal, no loans. Time loans, firm; sixty and ninety days, 6 per cent; six month, 5 1/2. American mercantile, 5 1/2. February and business exchange steady with advances in bankers bills at +5.90 for demand, and at 482@482.25 for sixty day bills. Posted rate, 483 1/2 and 487. Commercial bills, 481 1/2 and 481 3/4. Bar silver, 62 3/4. Mexican dollars, 48 3/4.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding 28, reg. 103

U. S. refunding 28, cou. 103

U. S. 3s, reg. 103 1/2

U. S. 3s, cou. 103 1/2

U. S. old, 4s, reg. 104 3/4

U. S. old, 4s, cou. 104 3/4

U. S. new, 4s, reg. 103 1/8

U. S. new, 4s, cou. 103 1/8

American Tobacco, 4s cert., 119 5/8

American Tobacco, 6s cert., 115 1/2

American Tobacco, 4s, 101 5/8

Baltimore & Ohio, 4s, 103

L. & N. Unified, 4s, 104 5/8

Seaboard Air Line, 4s, 89 3/4

Southern Railway, 4s, 120 1/4

U. S. Steel, 2d 5s ex-int., 95 7/8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper 80

American Sugar Refining 138 7/8

American Tobacco, pfd., cert., 104 3/4

Atlantic Coast Line 158

Baltimore & Ohio, 110 1/2

Baltimore & Ohio, pfd., 96 1/2

Chesapeake & Ohio, 52 7/8

Louisville & Nashville 147 3/4

Manhattan L. 163 1/4

New York Central 148 7/8

Norfolk & Western, 119 1/8

Norfolk & Western, pfd., 102 1/2

Reading 139 1/8

Reading, 1st pfd., 92

Reading, 2d pfd., 88 1/2

Southern Railway, 119 1/8

Southern Railway, pfd., 104 1/8

Tenn. Coal & Iron, 94 7/8

U. S. Steel, 101 3/4

U. S. Steel, pfd., 101 3/4

Va.-Car. Chemical, 105 1/4

Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd., 105 1/4

S. A. L. com., 27 3/4 to 28

S. A. L. pfd., 68 1/2

Standard Oil 68 1/2

Western Union 92 1/2

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Improved demand for exporters caused a firm finish to-day on wheat. Closing quotations on the May delivery showed a gain of 1-8@1-4. Corn is up 1-8. Oats are unchanged. Provisions are up 1-2 to 1-10c.

Open High Low Close.

Wheat, No. 2—

Dec. 85 1/2 86 1/2 85 1/2 86 1/2

May 88 88 87 88 1/2

July 83 83 83 83 1/2

Corn, No. 2—

Dec., old 44 1/2 45 1/2 44 1/2 45 1/2

Dec., new 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2 44 1/2

May 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2

July 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2

Oats, No. 2—

Dec. 29 1/2 30 29 1/2 30

May 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2

July 31 31 31 31 1/2

Mess Pork, per bbl.—

Jan. 12.55 12.60 12.52 12.60

May 12.70 12.77 12.70 12.77 1/2

Lard, per 100 lbs.—

Nov. 7.02 1/2 7.02 1/2 7.02 1/2

Dec. 6.87 1/2 6.87 1/2 6.87 1/2

Jan. 6.87 1/2 6.87 1/2 6.87 1/2

May 7.02 1/2 7.02 1/2 7.02 1/2

Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—

Jan. 6.55 6.57 1/2 6.52 1/2 6.57 1/2

May 6.77 1/2 6.77 1/2 6.77 1/2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady; Winter patents, 4.00

@4.20; Straights, 3.90@4.10; Spring