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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

- For Representative in Congress—Sixth District: Hannibal L. Godwin, of Harsett. For Corporation Commissioner: Franklin McNeill, of Wake. For Judge Superior Court—Fifth District: Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir. For Solicitor Fifth District: Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow. For State Senate—Eleventh District: George H. Bellamy, of Brunswick. For Representative—George L. Morton. For Sheriff—S. Percy Cowan. For Clerk of the Superior Court—John D. Taylor. For Register of Deeds—John Haar. For Treasurer—Hector McL. Green. For Coroner—C. D. Bell. For County Commissioners—Duncan McEachern, William F. Robertson, H. L. Vollers, W. F. Alexander and Morrison W. Divine. For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.

OUR RELATIONS WITH JAPAN.

If we were to judge from the editorials of many newspapers in this country, we are in danger of a war with Japan because some Japanese pupils have been excluded from the public schools of San Francisco. That is a merely local incident for which the United States is in no way responsible, and the Japanese are too sensible a people to want to go to war many believe that while the school controversy is of no consequence the Japanese are merely looking for an excuse to quarrel with the United States in order to carry out a design to seize the Philippines. The New Orleans Picayune alluding to the incident says: "This shows how prompt the Japanese Government is to claim and maintain its real or imagined rights against the American people. There is a deep-seated belief that there is something more behind this affair than the indignation of a nation, because the Japanese children in San Francisco were excluded from the white schools and sent to one expressly provided. There are those who believe that any excuse was wanted to pick a quarrel with the United States, so that the Philippines may be seized before any efficient defense can be made. The Japanese Navy is near at hand, while ours is many thousands of miles away. "The treaty of peace between Japan and Russia, made in the United States contained an express provision that Manchuria, whether occupied by Japan or Russia, must be returned intact to China. Notwithstanding this solemn requirement of the treaty, having fought a successful war and obtained control of Manchuria, Japan now wants to remain in that region. Everything that could be done to solidify Japanese control over Manchuria has been done, and it was so flagrantly in violation of the terms of the treaty of Portsmouth that Secretary Root, by direction of the President, protested and demanded that Japan observe the solemn pledges made in treaty and in repeated notes to the United States. Responding to the protest, Japan gave formal assurances that it would withdraw from Manchuria and not hinder American trade." We are not surprised to see that Japan is pursuing the policy attributed to her with reference to Manchuria. It is just what we expected that she would do and we do not presume that many of the statesmen either of the country or of European powers are at all surprised that Japan is holding on to Manchuria and intended all along to do so. We anticipate no serious trouble with Japan over the San Francisco school incident, but the alarm raised over the possibility or even the probability of war serves to impress two facts upon us—one that our colonial adventure in the Philippines renders this country vulnerable to attack, and

the other is that if we keep up the colonial scheme there we must have the biggest navy of all the countries of the world. The long and short of it is, if we persist in "imperialism" or "colonialism" we may as well let up on any antagonism to the "big stick" idea and all fall into line with Captain Hobson's advocated hobby and President Roosevelt's policy for a big naval establishment. If we keep the Philippines we must have a big navy, and if we don't have a big navy we will get caught napping when Japan or any other country takes a fancy to our far eastern possessions. The present scare is healthy for the "big stick."

MEXICO BUSTS THE TRUSTS.

The Savannah Morning News says: "The Mexican government fights trusts in a practical and direct sort of way. When the meat trust advanced the price of meat to a practically prohibitive figure, so far as the poor were concerned, the government went into the business and undersold the trust, at the same time giving better meats. The competition had its effect and the trust quickly reduced prices. The government has made arrangements whereby it can go into the meat business on a very large scale at any time the trust becomes too greedy." That will give Col. Bryan a new wrinkle. It might be a good idea to hold a threat of Mexicanization over the beef trust in this country.

NO FAITH WITHOUT WORKS.

Says the Greensboro Industrial News (Rep.): "It may be possible that the Democratic leaders really labor under the delusion that they will carry the Eighth district; but if this be true, why are they piling into that district almost every prominent Democratic speaker in the State?" If the Democrats had an idea that they could carry the district without canvassing it, "delusion" would be a mighty good word to describe their State of belief, but the fact that they invaded the district with speakers is an evidence of faith that they could or would carry it in the election. Faith without works is nothing, or words to that effect. Go on.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Just about the time we get through with the campaign we must tackle the Legislature. —Raleigh Times. —Senator Clark, of Montana, has had enough of the Senate. He is able to own a seat in that body, but will give it up, while others who are not able to buy one are anxious to get a seat. It is the way of the world. —Nashville American. —Following our editorial yesterday on the system of prescription writing one doctor has discontinued his subscription to The News. We expected no less, and will be entirely satisfied if he, and the others who are writing them promiscuously, will also cut out their prescriptions. It's a little significant that one of this very doctor's patients was fined \$20 in the Recorder's Court this morning for a prescription drunk. —Charlotte News. —The negro ministers of the Centerville circuit of the Methodist church in Delaware have formed an association and pledged themselves to "denounce all crime and lawlessness" and to assist the authorities by every means in their power to bring violators of the law to their race to justice. The organization will do good work, if it lives up to its declarations. Too often negro violators of the law are shielded and hidden by negroes, merely because of their color. The way to make the law respected is to enforce it, without respect to color. —Savannah News. —Arkansas has imposed a fine of \$10,000 on a packing company for violating the State anti-trust law. The ice trust men in Toledo, who were convicted last Summer of violating the State's anti-trust law, have been moved one stage nearer to the jail by the refusal of an Appellate Court to interfere with their sentences. The Ohio courts have also convicted two other trusts, and the Supreme Court of Illinois has laid the axe at the root of the tree by enjoining the sale of one corporation to another, the effect of which was to create a monopoly. The administration and the Republican orators are making all the noise, but the State courts, in accordance with the opinion of Mr. Cleveland, are

sawing the wood.—Philadelphia Record. —The Pullman Car Company is making a futile effort to dodge the new railroad rate law. It claims to be running a hotel on wheels. The scheme, however, will not work. A Chicago dispatch says that the State of Illinois statutes regulating hotels would require the Pullman company to provide a register for its guests and see to it that everybody who engages a berth registers. It will also have to install an iron safe in each of its cars for the safe custody of the money and valuables of each guest. It will also have to reconstruct its cars so that the doors will open outward instead of inward. The Pullman company in its attempt to play this game, will be very likely jacked up.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—Physician's Wife: I need a new evening dress. Physician: "All right, my dear, I'll look over my list and find some fellow who can afford an operation for appendicitis.—New York Press. —Old Chum: Your wife reminds me of a girl I once knew in Boston. Prettyman: "That's nothing, she is continually reminding me of every girl I ever knew anywhere.—Life. —"What are you crying for, Bertie?" "I wish I had a little boy to play with me." "You are too big now to cry for someone to play with." "Well, then get met me a wife.—Judge. —"He's a gentleman." "Nonsense. He's a snob." "He always gives up his seat in a car to a woman." "That's because sitting down bags the knees of his trousers.—Cleveland Leader. —Father: "So you want to get married, eh? Tell me why, pray?" Daughter: "Oh, I suppose it's one of the traits I inherited from my mother."—Chicago News. —"You ought to think of helping me save something for a rainy day." "I thought of it to-day, and I have ordered you a nice umbrella and me a dozen pairs of the swellest stockings you ever saw.—Houston Post. —"Here's something about the Dutch stealing one of the Philippine Islands. I wonder what Uncle Sam will do about it?" "Well, it would serve them right if he refused to take it back."—Cleveland Plain Dealer. —"Great news!" cried Jack, evidently excited. What is it?" asked his cousin May. "I'm going to marry Vera Roy." "Pshaw! That's not news. She asked me a month ago if I'd be her bridesmaid."—Milwaukee Sentinel. —Obtrusive Citizen—"I ask you, sir, are you one of those who profess to believe that tariff revision spells ruin?" Cautious Candidate—"I have only to reply sir, that in all that relates in any way to spelling I am proud to stand squarely on the line with our peerless and fearless President, Theodore Roosevelt. (Applause long continued.) —Puck.

BITTEN BY VICIOUS DOG.

Animal Eats and Lacerates Both Hands of Child. Gaffney, S. C., Oct. 29.—A little child of Mr. and Mrs. Elish Scruggs, while lying in bed at home this afternoon, had both hands and arms eaten and lacerated by a vicious hog, which in some manner managed to get into the bed where the child was lying. Dr. Allen, who attended the child, says that it is probable the child will lose both hands. The child was alone in the house at the time, the parents being out looking after something about the yard. The child was a boy about two years of age. The Scruggs live about twelve miles from Gaffney.

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RURAL DELIVERY AND GOOD ROADS

Government Requires the Country Must Have Good Roads and Bridged Streams if it Expects Mails Delivered Free.

The Star publishes by request the following furnished by W. P. Edwards, rural letter carrier, on Route No. 1, Franklinton, N. C.: "It is announced that the government will look more carefully to the enforcement of its rule regarding the roads over which rural free delivery is established. The present requirement is: 'Roads traversed shall be kept in good condition and unobstructed by gates; there must be no unbridged creeks or streams not fordable at any season of the year.' In many cases the residents along proposed routes have made improvements that enable them to obtain rural delivery service. But sometimes the efforts to keep up the roads are relaxed. But the government has decided that unless the roads traveled by carriers are properly maintained the service will be withdrawn. The Postoffice Department now calls on the carriers for reports on the roads, and will stop the service where the highways in question are bad. "The 35,973 rural delivery carriers now employed cover 863,363 miles daily, and it is unreasonable to expect them to contend with neglected roads or to work for communities lacking the enterprise to keep their common highways in decent shape. Wherever a route is discontinued the inhabitants themselves will be to blame for it, for if alive to their own interest and their duty to the public they would give their roads vigorous and constant attention. The idea that a route once authorized is necessarily permanent is a mistake. Advice on the best methods of road working is supplied by the Agricultural Department at Washington, D. C., Division of Good Roads, and can be obtained for the mere asking. And a neighborhood that loses its rural delivery must itself bear the discredit for so unpleasant and humiliating an event."

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