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FOUNDATION PRINCIPLES.

The Washington Post has laid down a platform that appears to be brief enough to satisfy the most critical, and yet it embraces just those principles for which every true Democrat in the land contends...

CARFIELD'S BARK DOWN.

The great Garfield, in his first speech on the Army Bill, took the most ultra ground in opposition. What he said was directly contrary to what he had declared near the close of the last Congress.

"Enthusiastic Republicans having subscribed for some hundred thousand copies of Garfield's speech, will now have to put on their spectacles and determine which speech they will have—the one in which he started the revolution or that of last Friday, in which he stuck a pin in his own bubble and let it wind out."

are other societies formed for similar purposes, as we are told. The way they operate is to circulate among the freedmen political documents, and this has been going on for about two years.

"The Farmers' Association" aimed particularly at getting the emigrants into Northern Texas, but the current has started the other way and Kansas is now the Promised Land of the deluded people.

the same indefatigable infidelity, with unblinking effrontery, will harangue in language of idiomatic purity an auditory of students, burning with as restless a desire to proselyte, as it did when its first converts were secured on that fatal morning when our first mother yielded to the intonation of that earliest of all infidel discourses which was preached by Satan to her "itching ears" in the beautiful garden of Eden.

The busy and earnest seeker of untruth is ever working, and each year finds its energies exerted in some new direction. The soldier of the Cross is forced to meet a fresh adversary, or an old enemy with a new face, every few months at the farthest.

Grand Pic-Nic—Angola Canal, &c. A grand picnic will take place at Crook's Bridge, in Pender county, on the 19th inst., at which time prominent speakers from Duplin and Pender will address the people.

There seems to be considerable divergence of opinion in many localities as regards the amount of money a merchant or trader has to pay in order to procure a license to do business. In some counties, Sheriffs and Registers of Deeds demand that 75 cents shall be paid for a business license, and business men dispute it.

WASHINGTON. Presidential Nominations—A North Carolinian on the List—Naval Matters—Announcement of House Committee—Appointment of Revenue Storekeepers, &c.

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THE LEADER OF THE NEW MOVEMENT.

The Rev. J. C. Embree, of the African Methodist Church, is said to be the leader in the negro emigration movement. He has been interviewed recently, and he says that he it was his first prompted Senator Windom, of Minnesota, to introduce "the explicit and exhaustive resolution" in the Senate, as the person describes it.

INFIDELITY.

Infidelity is by no means dead. Its form is Protean. It is seen constantly lurking near the precincts of pure and undefiled religion, seeking to undermine and destroy the fair and beautiful edifice in which it abides. It was a great mistake to suppose that infidelity was entombed with Hame, and Voltaire, and Volney, and Bolingbroke, and poor contemptible Tom Paine.

It will be seen that this benevolent person is a great friend of humanity. He is a pure philanthropist. He has no political schemes in view. Oh, no, not the remotest. He is simply moved by a deep and consuming compassion. He is only getting the negro out of politics, and opening up the way for Chinese immigration to the fertile sections of the lower Mississippi. All of which may be believed by those who feel inclined.

PRISONERS ESCAPED.

We learn that three of the prisoners confined at the County Work House, or House of Correction, succeeded in making their escape on Friday night last and are still at large. The names of the parties are A. Dunmore, Peter Coleman and Recco Jackson, all colored.

THE BOILER EXPLOSION.

We have already published the fact that Mr. J. B. Timberlake was killed by the explosion of a boiler in the foundry of W. F. Konegay & Co., at Goldsboro. He was, for seven years previous to locating in Goldsboro, employed in the shops of the W. & W. R. R., in the moulding department.

FIRE IN ROCKINGHAM.

From a passenger on the Carolina Central Railway, last evening, we learn that the residence of Col. Walter L. Steele, at Rockingham, narrowly escaped destruction by fire on last Wednesday night.

EPIZOOTY.

We regret to learn that epizooty has made its appearance on the plantation of Hon. D. L. Russell, in Brunswick county, and but a short distance from this city. He has already lost two horses from the disease, one of them as fine an animal as there was in the county, and all the remainder of his horses but one, and all of his mules, are now suffering from this dangerous distemper.

NO GAIN.

Rhode Island, Wisconsin and Michigan are the Republican States thus far in the present campaign. Phil. North American. But there is no gain there, brethren. All three of these States have adorned the Radical column for the last twenty years. We admit, however, that there are indications that Wisconsin will soon part company with her erring sisters.

ABLE AND DISCONTENTED.

The Wilmington Star has entered upon its twenty-fourth half-yearly volume. The Star is an ably conducted, influential paper.

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Milton is to have a telegraph line; the man to put it unexpected daily. The people are talking of a turnpike from Ringwood, Halifax county, to Weldon.

The Southern thus comments on our report of Capt. Spragins' misfortune in pulling off the wooden leg: "The passenger was a gentleman of Cork, who he wooden war one."

Christian Advocate: Rev. I. L. Nash, in a private letter, dated Greenville, N. C., March 25th, says: "We are getting along well on my work. Will finish two fine churches this year, I think, and commence another."

The Federal Court met at Greensboro Tuesday. The Patriot says there are on the docket 47 criminal, 5 libel and 35 civil cases. There are some sixty or seventy parties bound over to this term. There are no cases of special interest to the public.

Charlotte Observer: The following new post offices were established in North Carolina during the week ending April 8th: Stony Creek, Caswell county; Colfax, Guilford county; Paqueta Falls, Polk county. The following changes of name were made: Martin's Lime Kiln, Stokes county, to Jewell; Fort Mountain, Mitchell county, to Clouidand.

The monthly statement of the Orphan Asylum for March has been published. Amount received is cash, \$13,322. There were small contributions in kind. The Superintendent says: "The month closed upon the orphan still grateful for the continuance of excellent health, vigorously prosecuting their studies, planting the garden, and enclosing additional land for cultivation."

Washington special to Baltimore Gazette: The contested election case from the Second North Carolina District, O'Hara against Kitchin, will probably not be much of a case, as the facts will be established by Kitchin's counsel that O'Hara was not at the time of the election a naturalized citizen of the United States. In his allegation of fraud, O'Hara does not charge Kitchin with fraud in the election.

Wilson Advance: Rev. T. T. Eaton, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Petersburg, has accepted the invitation tendered him by Prof. Brewer, to deliver the annual address before the young ladies of the Wilson College Seminary at the approaching commencement on Wednesday, June 5th. There is but one expression of opinion in our community as to the merit of Col. McRae's two lectures, and that is that they could not have been improved.

Goldsboro Messenger: There is a diversity of opinion as to whether the fruit crop in this section of the State damaged by the recent cold snap, some holding that it has been altogether ruined, and others that the damage will not reach half the crop.

Raleigh Observer: W. H. Hamilton, Sergeant of Company E, 4th Regiment N. C. S. T., who lost an eye in the battle of Williamsburg, in May, 1862, appeared before the Probate Judge, Sheriff of the County Commissioners on Tuesday, and made application for the pension granted by the recent act of Assembly. It was allowed.

Goldsboro Mail: The actual circulation of the Mail this week is 1,200, an increase of 100 since last issue. On account of the illness of Judge Seymour Court was adjourned from Tuesday until Friday. The great revival at the Methodist Church in Goldsboro, after pressing for over two weeks, about 125 persons have professed faith in Christ, 40 of whom joined the Methodist Church last Sabbath.

Charlotte Observer: Tuesday afternoon, about sundown, when on their way home from Monroe, and when about three miles from the town, a difficulty sprang up between Leander Stack and Robert Parker, in the progress of which the latter shot the former, the ball entering about three inches above the left nipple and ranging down towards and probably entering the heart, producing death in a very short time.

Charlotte Observer: The committee of invitation of the 30th of May celebration held a meeting yesterday afternoon and decided to extend a general invitation to the citizens of North Carolina and of adjacent States to participate in the festivities of that occasion. All organizations, whether military or civil, will be welcomed.

Weldon News: We learn that on Sunday last the new dwelling house and kitchen of Mr. Newton Grant, son of J. W. Grant, of Northampton county, was burned to the ground. Loss \$400. No insurance.

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