

It is writing to change your address at any time...

Pill Nye

Often spoke his witticisms laden with the greatest truths...

NOT SETTLED.

The gold Democratic papers and the Republican papers seem to take it for granted that the last election settled the question...

While it may hold in law and answer all practical purposes a verdict secured by deception, intimidation or fraud is no verdict at all...

We know the unprecedented methods which were resorted to to secure that verdict.

We know that more money was expended than was ever expended in any political campaign in this country.

We know the methods resorted to by the managers of national banks, savings banks, insurance companies, and other money institutions...

We know how the fears of workmen were played upon by threats of loss of work and loss of wages by depreciated currency...

We know how the fears of the manufacturers themselves were worked upon by the countermanded orders...

We know how the mortgage was held over the heads of the farmers in some States...

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What the party will do remains to be seen, but there is one thing certain, it cannot ignore its pledges without inviting an antagonism that may cost it its life.

"We suspect that there are a great many advocates of international bimetalism, a great many business men who voted last week against silver...

"But while we hold this view as to the probable action of the Republican party upon its restoration to power, it is an undesirable fact that there are indications in some quarters of a tendency toward the fulfillment of Senator Teller's prediction...

"We do not know how, when, or where it was settled that our standard is to remain gold. There is no such thing in the St. Louis platform...

The question as it stands now is not settled by a good deal, the late popular verdict to the contrary notwithstanding.

The fool election wager payer is now coming to the front. The fellow who rode a barback horse with a tooting band behind him...

Rev. Tom Dixon was so anxious to vote against Bryan that he registered illegally and lost his vote.

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The first women in the land have good reason to recommend to every sufferer Paine's celery compound.

The proprietors of Paine's celery compound are not "patent medicine men."

They claim not one whit more for this wonderful remedy than it will accomplish.

They resort to no schemes to sell it; they offer no prizes. They believe in the only kind of advertising that can be profitable in the end...

Although within a year the most astonishing number of people in high society, men who hold public offices of great importance, the wives of most distinguished citizens, such people as for instance, Mrs. Senator Quay, Mrs. Dr. Parkhurst, Elizabeth Cadyston, Congressman Grout, Powers, Wilber, Bell, Mrs. U. S. Senator Warren, the great Presbyterian leader, Rev. Charles L. Thompson, D. D., of New York, Maj. Gen. Birney, Congressman Meredith of Virginia, Mrs. H. B. Sperry, Sup't W. F. Smith, of the U. S. botanical department, Helena Modjeska, Col. Littler of the Chicago produce exchange, the Rev. Dr. Meek, President Rowley, Hon. George L. Fletcher, ex-Minister Francis—the public will recall scores of others of national prominence.

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CARLISLE ROASTED. Nervous

REMOVES A CAPABLE AND TRUSTED OFFICIAL FOR DOING WHAT HE HIMSELF LIKED.

Fleming Charged Him With Using His Office to Punish Those Who Differ With Him.

Judge W. B. Fleming, the Kentucky Democrat, who, having been granted leave of absence from his position in the Treasury Department, made speeches during the campaign for Bryan and Sewall, and was summarily removed the day before the election, has written the following letter to Secretary Carlisle:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 7.

Hon. John G. Carlisle, Secretary of the Treasury, City.

Some of our countrymen guarantee to all citizens the privilege of free speech, so that every American has the natural right to express in a proper manner his political opinions.

No objection on your part to my activity in the campaign which was closed was ever made known to me during the campaign. On the contrary, I was informed that you held the view that you could not consistently remove any man from office for exercising the same rights which you yourself were exercising.

My removal from office, the first intimation of which was obtained from the newspapers while on the train on my return to Washington, from my home in Kentucky, was a complete surprise to me.

Had I known or suspected that I could not hold office under this administration and at the same time exercise the rights of an American freeman, I would have promptly tendered you my resignation at the opening of this campaign.

Inasmuch as other appointees of the present administration have been permitted to take an active part against Mr. Bryan in the campaign, not only in the newspapers, but in the work of organization without rebuke or censure, it is evident that the cause of my offending lies not in my actions, but in my convictions.

It follows, therefore, that you have used your great office to suppress the freedom of thought and action, and to punish those who dare to differ from you—a thing insupportable in free government—by terrorizing over the weak and humbling the strong.

In consequence, I can only say that, humbled as I am, I would rather be a discharged employe of the Treasury Department—discharged for doing my duty as I saw it, for my people—than be Secretary of the Treasury with a record of self-stultification, such as you have made for yourself, staring me in the face.

Very truly yours, W. B. FLEMING.

U. S. COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

A. Dupin County Negro Held For The U. S. Court For Resisting Ejectment Without License.

To be Brown alias Adolphus H. Brown, colored, was given a hearing yesterday morning before United States Commissioner R. H. Bunting on the charge of resisting ejectment without license.

In January, 1898, United States Commissioner G. W. Carroll, of Magolia, Duplin county, issued a warrant for the arrest of Brown on the above charge, which was placed for execution in the hands of Deputy Marshal John Herring, Brown, who was at that time an inhabitant of Duplin county, was apprehended by Marshal Herring, but escaped from the marshal before he reached Commissioner Carroll's court.

From then until last Thursday Brown has been at large. Last week the United States District Court was in session here and Marshal Carroll was in attendance. While passing down one of our streets the marshal spied Brown and re-arrested him. Yesterday Brown was accorded a hearing and required to give a justified bond in the sum of \$900 for his appearance before the United States District Court in Raleigh, which he failed to do and was committed to jail.

Brown was one of the special policemen sworn in to preserve order here on the day of election.

Prevent sickness and save doctor's bill this season by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Lumber Exports. The schooner Anita P. Schmidt cleared yesterday for Jamez, Havil, with 867,790 feet lumber, valued at \$9,968.91.

Schooner Wm. F. Campbell, for Cayenne, French Guay, with 77,781 feet lumber, valued at \$1,181.93. Cargo by J. H. Chadbourne & Co., vessel by J. T. Riley & Co.

SUPREME COURT.

Opinions handed down in Cases From Pender, Duplin and Jones Counties. [Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 10.—Opinions were handed down to day as follows: State vs. Brown, from Pender county. Affirmed.

State vs. Sanderlin, from Bertie. Error. State vs. Grover, from Duplin. No error. State vs. Noe, from Jones. No error. State vs. Hassell, from Jones. No error. State vs. Turner, from Jones. No error.

The last three are Beaufort insurance cases.

For Over Fifty Years Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with successful results.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY FAIR.

Will be Held at Fayetteville This Week—Will be One of the Best Ever Held—Multitudinous Attendance, Large Attendance Assured.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., November 9.—The Fair of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society to be held at Fayetteville, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week, promises to be the best and the most largely attended ever held. The managers have been striving in their efforts to secure the attendance of such celebrities of the sporting fraternity as will render the occasion one that will afford the finest variety of amusement to the crowds each day.

The programme for the first day the highest enjoyment will commence, and each succeeding day will present an entire change of programme and more interesting amusements. The races will be on Pennsylvania, Maryland, Kentucky, Virginia, South and North Carolina have been entered, and the majority of these are already on the grounds, and the most exciting races ever witnessed in North Carolina will come off on Wednesday and Friday. The track is in excellent condition, the weather is fine and everything indicates that the racing fraternity will be in their glory.

Wednesday there will be two "free for all" races and a relay race, and on Friday several special races, and Mr. G. A. Barus will have charge of the racing, and "he is a sporting man right." Besides the racing on Friday there will be a balloon ascension, with parachute descent.

The exhibits in the agricultural department will be exceedingly fine, and in every department showing machinery and all sorts of manufactured goods produced by the industries of our own country, the finest samples of our own workmanship will be seen. The ladies' department, Floral Hall, will present a display of handiwork such as has never before been seen at any county fair. In every department there will be a large and handsome display.

Mr. Walter Watson, the president of the Association, Mr. G. W. Lawrence, the indefatigable secretary, and Mr. G. A. Barus, manager of stock, have determined to make the Cumberland Fair this year the finest and most enjoyable horse race ever witnessed in the South.

We expect a large attendance from Wilmington and along the lines of the Atlantic coast, and the Special Train will be running from Wilmington, Maxton, Wilson and Greensboro at greatly reduced rates. Ample accommodations for board have been secured, and everybody is invited to come and bring his sisters, his relatives and his aunts.

MOVING THE COITON CROP. Charleston's Receipts 70,000 Bales Ahead of Her Record Last Year.

The comparative statements of cotton now show that the receipts to date are one hundred thousand bales ahead of last year. This, of course, indicates that the crop is well in, for it is not expected to be an unusually large one.

The export for the week was 333,745 against 168,138 for the same week last year, showing that the crop is being rushed to the foreign markets. The stock of American cotton afloat for export is more than twice that at this time last year, being 800,000 bales against 160,000.

Charleston has gotten a splendid share of the crop this year, having handled to date 1,000,000 bales, against 700,000 last year. Last year at this date Charleston had only received 137,937, showing an increase of some seven thousand bales.

The receipts this week closing Friday were 143,429, same date last year 108,884. The season is coming toward a close, however, as the receipts the week just past are nearly ten thousand bales less than the week before.

In the schedule of total receipts New Orleans has a long lead, with nearly eight hundred thousand. Galveston is second, with 600,000. Savannah and Norfolk follow, and Charleston is fifth. It is a notable fact that Savannah has gained but ten thousand bales over last year, while Charleston has gained about seventy thousand.

Our esteemed Charleston contemporary does not seem to think it worth mentioning that the cotton receipts of Wilmington for the period noted are over fifty per cent larger than for the same time last year.—EDITOR STAR.

Be wary of Ointments for Oatmeal that Contain Mercury. Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering the mucous surfaces. Such a should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the good you can possibly derive from them, will be done in tenfold to a hundredfold by the use of the Ointment.

Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. It is buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

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THE CUBAN QUESTION.

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