

The Raleigh Daily News.

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CONGRESSIONAL USURPATION. The landmarks of Republican Government, established by the foresight and wisdom of our ancestors, are being gradually obliterated.

Under such specious titles as Civil Rights Bills and Enforcement Laws, local governments in the States have been overthrown and the rights of the people trampled with impunity in the dust.

Despotism, naked, ruthless, unrelenting, stalks abroad over the land—with here and there a protest from some outspoken journal, that has the honesty and the firmness to utter a solemn warning against the tendency to centralized power, which has characterized the action of Congress since the close of the war.

The Radical party has had complete control of the national legislation, and is therefore responsible for all the assaults upon the Constitution which have been made by a tyrannical Congress—supported and upheld by a tyrannical Administration.

The wind has been sown—sooner or later the whirlwind must be reaped. As surely as effects follow causes, will evil to the nation in the end result from this departure from the fundamental principles of our Government.

The affairs of the Government may move on smoothly. But at some time, suddenly it may be and unexpectedly, the ship of State will strike against the rocks that lie concealed under the surface and be dashed into fragments.

There is only one hope of safety and that is for the country to retrace its steps and to return, as far as the changed condition of affairs will allow, to those cherished principles which underlie the true Republican institutions, and without an observance of which no Republic can flourish.

The political freedom of the black race at the South is an accomplished fact, and must be accepted as such by all persons of all parties and sections as one of the results of the late war between the States. The rights of the colored race are entitled under the law to the same protection with those of the whites—but they are not entitled to any better protection.

But in its anxiety to protect the freedmen, the Congress of the United States was not justified in infringing upon the immunities of the white citizens in any State. The power assumed under acts of Congress by Federal Jeffreys, sitting as Judges in the United States, Courts is violative of the most sacred principles of personal freedom and civil liberty—which we have been taught to revere, through the precepts and writings of our forefathers.

To give a strained and loose construction to the acts of Congress for the punishment of the white people of the South, it is easy to find such creatures as Bond, for calling upon a scoundrel, the Wilmington Journal has been indicted by Grantwell for libel, and Durell, who has been denounced over and over again by the press North and South, and Busted, who has a disgraceful record in Alabama, and other judicial politicians who have disgraced the ermine and bought obsequy upon the exalted positions which they occupy but do not fill.

It was but a few days ago we gave an instance where a convicted negro felon, Lee Dunlap, now in confinement in jail in this City for a willful, malicious and unprovoked murder of a respectable white citizen, has been allowed, on his affidavit, to have his case transferred from the State to the Federal Court, under the provisions of the Civil Rights Bill of Congress. This, too, after he has been found guilty of murder in our State Courts—prosecuted by a Republican Solicitor and sentenced to be hung by a Republican Judge. Dunlap in his affidavit that he cannot get justice in the Court of any county in the State, alleges that he is an active Republican and a colored man, and that the deceased was an active Democrat and a white man.

We gave a full history of the legal aspects of the case in a lengthy editorial several days ago, which has attracted the attention of the press of other States. In noticing the Dunlap case, the New York Herald, in an article headed "A Death Blow Aimed at State Jurisdiction," refers to this conflict between the State and Federal Courts, which it says, if decided successfully in favor of the defendant will result in destroying the jurisdiction of State Courts in any similar case in the South.

We notice also that the Mobile Register, John Forsythe's paper, and one of the leading journals of the South, copies in full the history of the most important questions which have arisen under the Civil Rights Bill, and which if established in favor of the murderer, strikes down the independence and power of the State judiciary and places it at the feet of the Federal authority.

The present sad and prostrate condition of Louisiana appeals with eloquent voice against the encroachments of

of Federal power in the States. And the condition of Louisiana to-day may be the fate of New York to-morrow. The downfall of civil government in one State will be followed by a similar calamity in others. A blow at the rights of the humblest citizen in land is a blow at the rights of all. A government that sanctions and legalizes such outrages will sooner or later totter and fall to the ground.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? The town in which the bloody fight between the negroes and whites occurred in Louisiana, is called Colfax—in honor of the retired Radical Vice President.

The parish in which the town of Colfax is situated is called Grant—in honor of the President himself.

This is the peace that Grant gives to the people of Louisiana!

Grant parish is an appropriate place for the enactment of the first scene in the dark tragedy.

STORMS. Violent storms in the West have done much damage to private property, and have seriously interfered with Railroad and telegraphic communication.

Our Omaha despatches to-day state that the storm in that section extended over a strip of country three hundred miles wide.

The Government thinks that the troops under Gillem advanced on the Modoc camp Monday night, but on account of the storms no dispatches have been received at Headquarters since the death of General Canby.

MURDER IN AFRICA. There is a good deal of excitement in England over the rumor that Sir Samuel Baker and wife have been murdered in Africa, by the natives. The report comes by way of Alexandria, in Egypt, and until confirmed, should be taken with a grain of allowance.

Sir Samuel Baker and Lady Baker were on a pleasure tour up the river Nile.

FIRES IN NORTH CAROLINA AND VIRGINIA. We have seen accounts recently in our North Carolina and Virginia exchanges of strange fires in the woods, which have overspread whole neighborhoods in different localities in both of these States—the origin of which seems to be involved in considerable doubt.

FOR RENT. Up-Stairs Rooms over J. R. H. Carmer's Drug Store. Apply to W. H. DODD, Cor. W. and Martin Sts.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE 4TH DISTRICT NORTH CAROLINA. RALEIGH, APRIL 16th, 1873. All persons desiring to do any business after the 20th APRIL, 1873, upon which a Special Tax is required to be paid under the Internal Revenue Act of the United States, will please notice this office of the fact, and a blank form of application will be furnished upon request. Application may be made by my Deputies in the various localities, or to this office by letter. All persons desiring business with interest, under the act of April, 1873, will be prosecuted. J. J. YOUNG, Collector 4th Dist. N. C.

OFFICE OF THE NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. RALEIGH, APRIL 18th, 1873. To Subscribers to the Fair of the N. C. Agricultural Society. To enable the Building Committee to proceed at once with the work of improving the new Fair Grounds of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, the following resolution was adopted by the Executive Committee, at a meeting held on Thursday, April 10th, 1873: That the Secretary be instructed to proceed without delay, to cause the first installment of the new Fair Grounds, to be surveyed, and the citizens of Raleigh and other places the lands in the Treasury.

Proposals for the erection of a building for the Cotton Department of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, for the use of the Fair, will be received until Monday, APRIL 22nd, 1873, at 12 o'clock, N. Y. Parties can bid for the Brick Work and Plastering, and the Wood Work, separately, or can bid for the whole. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Architect, J. H. TUCKER, Building Com. No. 100, NICHOLS, Building Com. April 18th.

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We will establish our agencies at different localities in the coming season. THIS COTTON FERTILIZER has received the highest praise from all sections of the country, and the demand for it throughout the State, we give below a few extracts from communications of correspondents in various localities, published in the leading newspapers—reporting the voluntary, constant commendations of the Cotton Fertilizer, and the high repute in which it is held by the planters, as master of public opinion, and being the best fertilizer in the spot and giving the free, brilliant laurels of the whole people, who had tried and seen its effects, many of whom are the best men, and most successful farmers in North Carolina and Virginia. These extracts are published in the leading newspapers—reporting the voluntary, constant commendations of the Cotton Fertilizer, and the high repute in which it is held by the planters, as master of public opinion, and being the best fertilizer in the spot and giving the free, brilliant laurels of the whole people, who had tried and seen its effects, many of whom are the best men, and most successful farmers in North Carolina and Virginia. These extracts are published in the leading newspapers—reporting the voluntary, constant commendations of the Cotton Fertilizer, and the high repute in which it is held by the planters, as master of public opinion, and being the best fertilizer in the spot and giving the free, brilliant laurels of the whole people, who had tried and seen its effects, many of whom are the best men, and most successful farmers in North Carolina and Virginia.

OPINIONS OF THE PRESS. Extract from correspondence of the Battleboro Advance, (Nash county) in its issue of 23rd of August last: "Of the commercial manures used, through our section, it is the opinion of those who have applied it that Gilham's Cotton Fertilizer, manufactured by the Southern Fertilizing Company, Richmond, Va., is decidedly the best of general manures. From the Raleigh Sentinel, of Aug. 14th, we make the following extract: "In conclusion allow me to speak of the favorable impression among our excellent farmers created by Gilham's Cotton Fertilizer. No section of the State can produce such cotton farmers as Edgecombe, and many of them say this Cotton Fertilizer is equal, and some of them say superior, to Peruvian. This is saying much for it, but if we are to be guided by the many crops around here, we are to be guided by the high praise. Nothing is more needed than a good fertilizer, and we inform our readers of the effects of this fertilizer, and the high opinion of it by the cotton planters in this section, and the benefits of the farming interest throughout the State."

From a correspondent of the Tarboro Enquirer, writing from Battleboro, N. C., we make this extract from an article in that paper