

THE DAILY SENTINEL

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OUR TERMS

THE SENTINEL is issued every morning (Sunday excepted) at the following rates: From the present to the 1st of January \$4.00

Our terms are invariably in advance. The scarcity of money however, obliges us to say to our friends, that responsible and prompt persons who desire the Sentinel need not delay, sending us their names at once, who can send us the Cash in a short time.

OUR FRIENDS TO WHOM the Sentinel has been sent, in town or country, will please inform us at once whether they desire it or not.

We further venture the prediction that the reconstruction or Union party will have a large majority in the Convention, and that the constitution formed by them will be ratified by the people and accepted by the Federal Government.

The foregoing sentence is a long and able article in the Standard, to prove the general loyalty of the people of the State, is rather surprising. Does the Standard think that there is more than one party in North Carolina? If so we had not heard it. Where does it hold forth? Who are its leaders? What are its principles? What is its object and aim?

We profess to have some knowledge of public sentiment in North Carolina, but we know nothing of the existence of any party in the State, at the present juncture. All our people who give expression to their sentiments are in favor of reconstruction in the best way and at the earliest moment—all are avowed supporters of the administrations of Gov. Holden and President Johnson in the work of reconstruction.

We think the results of the election for the Convention will show that there is no party in the State, but one feeling of Union on the best terms to our future quiet and happiness. We do not say that there is a perfect agreement on all questions. There being no party but a common Union sentiment, the people will not stand upon platforms, drawn up by unauthorized parties. Every man has his own plank to stand upon, but every plank is Union—union in the best way and in the quickest way.

WE HAVE PLACED the proclamation of Gov. Holden conspicuously upon our first page. The public will not fail to mark, learn and properly digest it. No one can fail to understand the Governor as to the qualifications of a voter, and all will perceive that if any one properly entitled to that privilege fails to vote, it will be his own fault.

WE HOPE these efforts of the Governor to have a full vote will be successful. We desire this the more, because of the apparent indifference which prevails among some in regard to the elective franchise.

IN FORMER DAYS this was regarded as the very highest privilege of the American citizen. No trivial excuse could justify its neglect. Men would forego everything to exercise this right; but of late a contrary spirit prevails. This is much to be deprecated.

NO NORTHERN PAPERS were received last night. The trains failed to connect at Walden; hence we have no late news.

WE LEARN THAT THE FRIENDS of General Butler, Hook & Co., to effect the sale of North Carolina lands, are very encouraging. At one time the indications were very favorable. Numbers were coming forward to invest largely in North Carolina lands but the interpretations of the press, nearly closed up negotiations.

CONFLICTING opinions prevail in regard to the sale of our lands and the introduction of a large foreign population. Many doubt the policy, because of the supposed effect it would have upon our social, moral and political condition.

TO US IT IS perfectly plain that the greater portion of our large landholders, hold too much land large tracts of uncultivated and unproductive any country, and most important of all, the wealth and enterprise of the State must be promoted in proportion as the soil is well tilled and densely populated.

AGAIN a change in the system of labor, will demand a powerful stimulus to render the new system efficient. Blacks are proverbially averse to labor. None ever yet attained a steady aptitude and disposition to labor who were not previously trained under compulsion. Moreover the want of judgment and skill in labor always demanded the presence of a constant director.

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WHAT IS THE EXACT position of a person embraced in the fourteen exceptions of the President's proclamation, who has applied for pardon or who is on parole, but whose pardon is suspended for any cause? This is a very important inquiry to hundreds of persons, who are without means and who have families to support.

IT WILL be recollected that under the general pardon, it was determined that no person could engage in any vocation prior to their taking the oath required by the proclamation of the President. Persons implicated by the fourteen exceptions are required to take the oath prior to their pardon.

FROM TIME to time there have appeared various estimates of the number of bales of cotton at present in the Southern States, some putting the number as high as three million, some as low as one million bales.

IT MUST be over twelve months before another crop can be raised and put on the market; and owing to the subversion of the labor system of the South, not more than a million bales will be made per annum for the next two or three years.

BY MY friend, Edgerly, that you have used several French expressions in your article. I think, if you will study the English language, you will find it capable of expressing all the ideas you may have. I have always found it so, and in all that I have written I do not recall an instance when I was tempted to use a foreign word.

THE WHOLE policy of this journal can be stated in two lines. It is to persuade the Southern people to act as to retain in their own hands the administration of their own affairs. In order to do this, our people cannot proceed altogether in blind ideas and old predilections.

WE ARE NOT living now under a policy of State sovereignty, or side by side with the institution of slavery. The slaves have been made free, and we have been thrown into a National Government, in which the constituent populations must, in duty to each other, and if necessary, harmonize, to a considerable degree, their political views.

WITH THE change of circumstances our duties have become changed; and what a man's principles in the former times might have exacted as a duty, would now, in many cases, be no less than a crime.

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