

THE SENTINEL

Democrat Always and Never an Abolitionist.

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THE CRY OF THE EAST.

"There's a cry from thousands, come and gone, from every state, from every city of our country; they are all up, supporting each other, stretching out their hands to the convention, and implored relief from the insatiable ill of *bitterness* rule. It will not be hard to dislodge their votes, for the east half of the state casts 23,000 Democratic votes, and the west but only 46,180. For years the white men of the eastern nation have been fighting you, and never have so many done it. They have left us now, to a man, to the south, as a reward for their long and lasting faithfulness. They have fought for a convention; they now appreciate their grievances and their fidelity, and grant them lasting relief. But, if this convention adjourns without one effort to aid them; if they find that they have nothing to hope for from their own party, their own friends, their own flesh and blood, will they not come to struggle and suffer for the common weal, and make the last terms they can with the enemy? Can they be expected always to bear the cross, with no hope of the crown? Gentlemen of the convention, the question is a serious one—one that may involve the fate of millions of men, the stay or decay of our state. Lay aside all party personal or local prejudices and partialities, and, invoking all wise counsel, act with vigor and resolution, as becomes men who stand near the distance of a noble commonwealth. In a long article on this subject, shy and manfully setting forth the labors of the east in behalf of right, and its urgent needs now, the Roanoke News says:

"Now we propose to speak plainly. So long as this system of county government is continued, there is great danger of the negroes and their allies controlling the politics of the state. If the white men of eastern North Carolina had been divided like the white men of western North Carolina, the state could never have been rescued from the hands of those negroes who were high brought her to ruin. But the white men of the west, although absolutely excluded from all political preferments, have adhered to principle with a fidelity not surpassed in the history of the United States, and have voted, almost as a unit, for the Conservative nominees. This county gave Merrimon for governor the highest white vote it has ever polled; it did not poll more than twenty-five white votes against him. We think he had the highest white vote ever polled in the east, and the loss of his election must be attributed to the defection of the west.

This state of things cannot always continue, the white men of the east cannot always consent to be 'hewers of wood and drawers of water' for their more fortunate western fellow-citizens.

A very slight defection of the white men of the east would give the state to the Radicals. If the present system is continued, that defection must come. If the white men of the west turn a deaf ear to the appeals of their brethren of the east, then the latter must make the best terms they can with the negroes, for to continue as they are now is simply unendurable. If they had remained after official position, if they had craved the 'flesh pots,' they might, in the beginning, have controlled the negroes, or at least, have dominated 'border towns,' and it is not too late yet."

"Honesty is the best policy," and we have deemed it our imperative duty to speak plainly. We beg now to express the opinion that if the present system of county government is not reformed in the particular complained of, the work of the convention will be redone, and the state lost to the Conservatives in 1857. "There is still time to save us."

THE CONVENTION, MOBOCRATS AGAIN.

After a short session, the convention in the convention began adjourning and continued all day, adjourning about 6 o'clock in the evening. Two or three delegates undertook to rebuke the speaker, who is quick to resent an insult, but under these trying circumstances kept calm and maintained the dignity becoming his position. When the body, though rebuked, by division, voted to adjourn, the speakers rebuked and President Ransom fully vindicated. Seven times, as will be seen from the reports, the Radical orationists, resolved to adjourn, to delay a quorum. They failed in and out of the hall, then outside, then again; but, at last, were compelled to keep back in time to be rebuked by the speaker and made to yield to the motion, and an adjournment was effected. The session was never adjourned at any deliberative body, except by the disgruntled mob-proceedings of last Tuesday. The Democrats behaved as they did then, saying nothing, but looking on in silent and dignified disgust at the managing performance. Exempt the ring-leaders, and save money, time and credit to the state.

The success of wool, we are told by an agricultural circle, is in proportion to the number of its spinners to the inch. The first Saxony article has from 30 to 35 kids to the inch. Rapidity in the South is estimated by the same rule.

To many people, in many sections of the country, grommets are a stimulating medium of trade, for they don't grow from an early grass.

The numerous losses of the present financial reverse system render infinitely beyond the comprehension of any ordinary villain. It is a moral and material, of brigandage, continental destruction—the plague of one nation to another. How's one simple bag of a million such: During the last fiscal year, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut—all New England—paid but \$1,000,000 of interest on it; while the state alone paid \$15,419,750—nearly four times as much, and poor old Virginia, not mentioning the \$10,000,000 in the case of Arkansas. How long, oh, low-down leaders of the West and South, will ye submit to such outrage?

A Wounded Indian has just been released from the hospital. He is anxious to care less for quality than quantity and variety. He ought now to be yielded to straightforward repeated doses, now, using a steam-collage voice, mixed with rousing snuff-boxes, side-whisks and a cutlass-halter; with high-pressure shoe-pig and fine grained attack, full horse-javelin, rattling our way to the square here, no voice in the Valley, and the Witch of Endor stridule of the rainy day.

A dandified Newborn frenzied had run across toward a fire the other night, when he discovered that he had forgotten to put on his paper collar, red-gold necktie, and soft-color diamond breast-pin. He was compelled to turn back, and before he completed his toilet the conflagration was extinguished.

CONFIRMED—HIP-OPINT DIS-EASE CURED.

W. GROVE STATION, IOWA.

Dr. Price, Buffalo, N. Y.—

DEAR SIR—My wife first became lame nine years ago. Swellings would appear and disappear on her hip, and she was gradually becoming reduced, and her whole system rotten with disease. In 1871 a swelling broke on her hip, discharging large quantities, and since that time there are several openings. Have had five doctors, at an expense of \$125, who say nothing will do any good but surgical operation.

J. M. ROBINSON.

Golden Medical Discovery is sold by registrars.

July 16, 1857, he writes thus: My wife has certainly received a great benefit from the use of your discovery, for she was not able to get off the bed and was not expected to live a week when she commenced using it, at a year ago she has been doing most of her work for over six months. Has used twenty bottles, and still using it. Her recovery is considered as almost a miracle, and we attribute it all to the use of your valuable medicine. I can cheerfully recommend it as a blood-purifier and strength-restorer.

STATE NEWS.

Henderson contains 25 stores.

Charlotte has been having frost ever since Sept. 27.

Albuquerque's expenses last year were only \$6,123,25.

Charlotte's new jail cost \$20,000, and her old one sold for \$4,000.

The press of the state in Albuquerque, for exempting manufacturers from taxation.

Tom Brower, of Mt. Airy, runs the Radical Party Visitor and sells wagons for a living.

L. A. Blackshear and Leroy Elliott, of Granville county, lost their tobacco barns by fire a few nights ago.

A Yadkin county stock-breeder has substituted his jack Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. We can only speak highly of him.

Shelby dines and wines the officials of the Carolina Central railroad and the mayor and aldermen of Wilmington, to-morrow.

One of Charlotte's would-be granger editors has bought an outfit of Cochran's boots, in hopes of securing pecuniary ease.

The Oxford Torchlight is going to spread to a 25-column. Illuminator, and to print experiments from 40,000 to 60,000.

W. H. & E. S. TUCKER.

Sept. 12-13.

Hom. A. W. Washell delivers the address at the Fayetteville fair, and Judge Clegg at the Winston City one.

The Raleigh "Scribbler" has increased, and Wilmington and Smithville are sweetly swishing rain and little clouds of lightning.

W. F. Phifer has given the Charlotte Democrats over a cotton-stalk containing 25 full bolls. It is from the "Cheekless seed," which is said to yield three bolls to the acre.

Newbern has organized another military company, with A. J. McIntyre as captain, Joseph Kinney 1st Lieutenant, W. H. Morris 2nd Lieutenant, and J. P. Outlaw 3rd Lieutenant.

Gov. Broden has pardoned Wm. Elwood, who was to have been hanged at Charlotte Friday, for the murder of Alex. Stanford. The editor, who had free ticket to the show, are greatly disappointed.

Thomas Warren, a white Radical, was killed by a negro in Lenoir county, last Saturday night. He was heard that a company of negroes were in an old field near his house, and started out to see, and was killed on the way.

A little Wilmington boy, while gathering mushrooms last Sunday, was attacked by a large horned snake. His cries brought help, and the descendants of the great number of all the Radicals was killed. It was nearly five feet long, and though it had savagely wound itself around the body and legs of the terrified child, it had not bitten him. But there's one small boy that has lost all interest in chumming for the rest of life.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup should be kept in every family, a black cough, if unchecked, is often the harbinger of Consumption, and a timely use of this sovereign medicine has removed many from an early grave.

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