

THE FALEIGH SENTINEL. PRINTERS' UNION VS. THE BAL- EIGH NEWS.

TO THE CITIZENS OF RALEIGH AND THE STATE.

The Daily News, of March 1st, in reply to certain communications published in the Sentinel, concerning that paper, contains an article that is false in many particulars, and does the printers of this city great injustice.

As the objects of the organization of printers are not known by a great many, we will, before noticing the charges of the News, endeavor to set them before the public.

Printers do not organize themselves into Unions, as some people are under the impression, (workmen among the number) for the oppression and bleeding of employers, nor for the purpose of "applying the torch in secret," as the editor of the News would have them know no better believe;

For these principles we are assailed and maligned. We appeal to the public, and every honest-thinking man to know, if they are not principles that every freeman should feel proud of.

Now for the facts relative to the "strike" in the News office:

The News says, "For the benefit of the public—the masses—the News again stepped forward and had the public spirit and the enterprise to reduce the price of job work to moderate figures."

It was found that the printers then in the office were paid out of proportion to other mechanics, and to the shrinkage of all values. A reduction was asked and refused, on the ground that a "Union" to which the printers belonged, refused its permission.

As regards the reduction in the price of job work, there was never anything of the kind, before, nor until a time after the "strike," and was made then simply because the man who had charge of that department knew nothing about job printing, for he had never worked in that branch of the business before in his life; consequently, if the News reduced the price of job printing, which they claim to have done, it was done through the ignorance of their celebrated "job printer," and not from a sense of duty to the public.

Nor was the "strike" in the News office caused by the printers refusing to work for less than the established Union price, but for the non-payment of wages already earned by the hands at work on the newspaper, as can be proven by reference to the correspondence between Jordan Stone, manager of the company, and the printers to whom the money was owing.

Does the editor of the News know what he is talking about when he says that Union printers are clamoring for the bread earned by his employees? We think not. Why, man, those very employees of yours, of whom you pretend to think so much because they can be shaped to suit your narrow-minded ideas, have been fed and cared for by us "fancy priced" printers. Ask them whether this is so or not, and if they deny it, we will prove what we say by our records. God forbid that a single crumb should be taken from them, for we that demand "fancy combination prices" are prompted by a feeling of humanity to put bread in their mouths rather than take it out, knowing as we do the difficulties under which every workman has to labor, and especially those that have to contribute a portion of their small earnings towards "having hundreds of dollars to merchants" and enriching the coffers of capitalists.

Is it not inconsistent in Colonel Cameron, the editor of the News, to cry down an organization of workmen, simply because they demand a living price for their labor, when he himself received the "aristocratic fancy price" of five dollars per day as clerk of the house of representatives, and then "clamored" for an additional one hundred and fifty dollars, besides receiving \$30 per week for editing the News, to say nothing of the income derived from his own paper, the Hillsboro Record.

Is it not inconsistent in Dr. Graham, another stockholder in the News, to tolerate this war against a set of workmen because they have a uniform scale of prices for the labor performed by them, when he is a member of the academy of medicine, which, if he were to charge less than an adopted price for his services, would brand him as a "cheap-ohm?"

Does Dr. Blackall, who owns stock in the News, allow a traveler or any one else to board with him for a week and pay what he thinks is a fair price? No indeed.

If a man says he is unable to pay \$5 per annum for their paper, do the managers of the News let him have it for \$2? No. They set their own prices, and presume to set other people's also, and when their demand is not accorded to they set up the cry of "fancy combination prices," &c.

We do not mention the names of these gentlemen to injure them in their profession, but simply to show what degree of propriety the journal in which they own stock assails us because we have the manliness to contend for that which is due us and every other class of mechanics.

The News says, that immediately after the "strike," they employed non-Union printers, and that these printers have worked in the office ever since with satisfaction to their employers and themselves. This is something that we do not propose to interfere with, but it does seem strange that we should be content with their lot, while they say publicly they would do anything, but if they could retract their steps. One has been heard to say that he would willingly give \$1,000 (provided he could raise the sum), to place himself in the position he occupied before going to the News office; while another acknowledges that his action has caused him any quantity of "tears" while sitting in his peaceful abode meditating over the wrong he has done himself and those with whom he once was associated. The thing is, they fully appreciate the odium they have brought upon themselves and are "satisfied" with anything their employers give them, knowing that they can work no where else.

Hope that these unvarnished statements concerning the difference between the News Publishing company and Union printers may be read and appreciated, we leave the matter with an impartial public.

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SMITH & STONE, Attorneys for plaintiffs. March 10-d1aw

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