THE ECONOMIST.

"And he gave it as his opinion, that whoever made two blades of grass or two ears of corn grow where but one grew before, deserved better of his country and was more entitled to the gratitude of mankind than the whole race of politicians put together."

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Speech of Hon. Dan. W. Voorhees.

skeleton frame and withered death's-head, admonishing all the world of the loathsome consequences of a government fashioned in hate and fanaticism, and founded upon the ignorant and vicious classes of mankind. Her sins may have been many and deep, and of the color of scarlet, yet they will become as white as wool in comparison with those that have been committed against her in the hour of her helplessness and distress.

In North Carolina the same scenes of misrule salute us as we cross her borders. Her debt in 1861, was $9,699,500. A debt now of $34,000,000, without the ability to pay the interest on it, $11,000,000 of her bonds besides declared to have been fraudulent and void, her people groaning beneath unbearable taxation, and despair and gloom gathering over their future, are the chief consequences which have befallen North Carolina under the policy and ascendency of the Republican party.

Louisiana presents even a still more striking instance of scandalous and stupendous robbery. The official statistics show her to be in debt to the appalling amount of $50,540,206; all of which, except $10,066,074 has been created in the degenerate days that have overtaken her since the war. The human mind as it ponders over these figures recoils from the villainy which they necessarily involve.

The feeble State of Florida comes forward also with her burden of complaints. When she fell into the clutches of her new rulers she had a little debt of $221,000. Now her liabilities reach the sum of $15,763,447 54, the payment of which is utterly and totally beyond her power. She has suffered from drought and flood and worm, but the presence of Republican officials has been more damaging to her than them all combined. But I can go no farther in the discussion of these terrible details. Time and space would fail me. I submit the following condensed table of figures, and I defy their successful contradiction on this floor or anywhere else:

Alabama.—Debts and liabilities at the close of the war $3,939,654 87; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, $38,381,967 37.

Arkansas.—Debts and liabilities at the close of war $4,036,952 87; debts and liabilities, January 1, 1872, $19,761,165 52.

Florida.—Debts and liabilities at the close of the war, $221,000; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, $15,763,447 54.

Georgia.—Debts and liabilities at the close of the war, nominal; debts and liabilities June, 1871, $50,137,500. (See statement of Mr. Angier, treasurer of Georgia.)

Louisiana.—Debts and liabilities at the close of the war, $10,099,074 34; debts and liabilities June 1, 1871, including the excess of expenditures over receipts, $50,540,206 91.

North Carolina.—Debts and liabilities at the close of the war, $9,699,500; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872; $34,887,467 85.

South Carolina.—Debt and liabilities at the close of the war, $5,000,000; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, $39,158,914 47.

Mississippi.—Debts and liabilities at the close of war, nominal; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, about $2,000,000.

Tennessee.—Debt and liabilities at the close of the war, $20,105,606 66; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, $45,688,263 46.

Texas.—Debts and liabilites at the close of the war, nominal; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, $20,361,000.

Virginia.—Debt and liabilities at the close of the war, $31,938,141 59; debts and liabilities January 1, 1872, $45,480,542 21.

The present assessed value of the taxable property of the States on whom this vast mountain of debt has been so fraudulently and so frightfully accumulated is considerably less than one-half what it was in 1860. It was not merely the liberation of their slaves that wrought this great change. Their system of labor was broken up, great battles were fought in all their borders, their railroads were destroyed, their towns and cities and cotton burned, and every description of property handed over to the destruction of a fierce and implacable war. They emerged from the desolating conflict fit objects for the wisdom and care of a benevolent statesmanship, rather than as the proper prey of hungry jackals, who mangle and feed upon the wounded after the battle. Their fate, however, in many respects, surpasses in infamy and in misery the worst that ever befell a conquered people.

Sir, what single benefit, what solitary blessing has been bestowed on that devastated region in return for the hundreds of millions of taxation which have been wrung from it, and the yet greater burdens which still impend over its struggling and impoverished inhabitants? When is the great public work that tells of the outlay of these immmense sums? What deed of benevolence or honest fame has been achieved? Other lands have been plundered by the oppressor, but none was ever left so naked and destitute of every advantage arising from its own mighty contributions.

The geat Nopoleon wasted the substance of France, and consumed her vitals in the remorseless rage of ambition; he hurled the rising generations of his empire one after another into the flaming vortax of war; he gave them to the edge of the sword, and to the unconquerable fury of elements; he palsied all the industries, and blighted every field and fierside; the shadow of the tax-gatherer and the conscript officer fell on every foot of French soil; any yet convulsive sobs of grief shook the breasts of his subjects when he fell; and the whole empire stood uncovered at his bier when his dead body was brought back from tropical seas to sleep in her bosom. Though he had oppressed France he had given her glory in return. Though he had taken with an unlicensed hand, he had adorned her as a lover does the mistress of his heart. Stately buildings reared their heads on high; solid thorough fares were opened for the people; waste lands were drained and reclaimed; education was fostered; the arts and sciences were munificently patronized; and a code of laws was passed and promulgated which established and enforced domestic justice and peace. She had these benefits of which to boast when reminded of her awful sacrifices.

And when Cæsar, the armed conqueror and spoliator of his own and other countries, lay in bloody funeral state in the market place, it was said of him with truth:

"He hath brought many captives home to Rome
Whose ransoms did the general coffers fill."

And—

"When that the poor have cried, Cæsar hath wept."

And again the orator of his good deeds exclaimed—

"Here is the will and under Cæsar's seal.
To every Roman citizen he gives,
To every several man, seventy-five drachmas."

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"Morever, he hath left you all his walks,
His priva'e arbors, and new-planted orchards
On this side Tiber; he hath left them you,
And to your heirs forever; common pleasures
To walk abroad, and recreate yourselves."

If he had plundered the Roman treasury, he had often filled it again; if his vaulting ambition brought sorrow to this poor, he sympathized with them; if he career was stained with extortion, he expended his gains in beautifying the eternal city; if he had robbed the people of their substances in his life-time, he provided that much of it should return to them at his death. And if we turn from the far-off regions of antiquity to the immediate present, still we find no parallel to the evil administrations of the South. With what a clamor the corrupt practices of four or five men in the city of New York have been hailed for many months past. The air has been vocal; the press has resounded; the telegraph has been made weary of its daily burden, and the accusing voice of self-righteous indignation has been universal and unceasing. The Democratic party, it is true, crushed these men in an instant; but still the story of their offenses salutes us everywhere. And yet their work of extortion, compared to that in the South, is the mote to the beam, the molehill to the mountain, the speck in the sky to the cloud that overspreads and darkens the whole heavens. Their crimes, too, have a still further mitigation in comparison. If they enriched themselves, they at least did not take all. They made New York the wonder and the glory of modern civilization. If they robbed the people, they bestowed upon them in return a city more magnificently adorned with public works than Rome or Paris in their days of pride, of pomp, and of power. Her glorious parks, her vast avenues, her newly opened, solid, and far-reaching streets will testify to after ages that her officials bequeathed to her some compensation for the wrongs they inflicted upon her good name. No such conduct illuminates a single page of the present epoch in the South. You look in vain from Hampton Roads to the Bay of Galveston for a single monument erected to the public good by that party which has so sternly and so corruptly governed in all that wide-spread region. No colleges, seminaries or schools founded and endowed with the treasures that have been stolen; no lofty edifices or durable roads constructed; no massive bridges thrown across wide rivers, no parched plains irrigated and made productive; no rice swamps ditched and redeemed for cultivation; no canals cut in order to connect the natural channels of trade and commerce; no rivers improved or harbors made more spacious and secure; none of these works of utility and patriotism relieve the monotonous desolation which unholy avarice and unrestrained oppression has stamped upon the South. She has nothing to mitigate her degradation. She has been stripped and robbed and left by the way-side. Her effects, moneys, and credits have been transported to other climes, to return to her no more forever. Her well-favored and fat-fleshed kine, feeding in her meadows, have been devoured. The frogs, the darkness, the lice, and the locusts left more blessings behind them in Egypt than this portion of the Republic has received from its modern rulers.

Sir, I challenge the darkest annals of the human race for a parallel to the robberies which have been perpetrated on eleven American States. Ireland has been made to enrich many a lawless lord lieutenant sent over by England to govern that beautiful but unhappy land. The stories of her wrongs and pillage have been said and sung in every hamlet in the civilized world; yet her contributions to the cause of a wicked Government have been mere pittances compared to what the South has been compelled to make.

Seventy years before the birth of Christ Sicily was ravaged and despoiled by a consul of Rome. Though more than nineteen centuries have come and gone since then, yet the name of Verres retains all its freshness of immortal infamy. He was prosecuted by the authority of the Roman senate, and fled for an asylum to strange and foreign lands. He died miserably in exile, and his dishonored dust was not permitted to mingle with the soil of the Roman republic. We find, however, in Middleton's Life of Cicero, that all the peculations, extortions, bribes, and larcenies charged upon Verres during his entire administration of the affairs of Sicily did not exceed $2,000,000; equal to only one third of the amount for which the *Tribune*, of New York, says Governor Scott fraudulently issued the bonds of South Carolina in a single transaction. The basest Roman consul whose name is preserved on the pages of the historian becomes respectable by the side of a southern Governor under the present policy of this Government. The crimes of Warren Hastings, as the ruler of distant and conquered colonies, have long been the theme of swelling periods and lofty declamation. There was much in his situation to extenuate his offences. He was charged by his Government to hold its valuable possessions on the opposite side of the globe. He was in the midst of fierce, revengeful, and undying hostilities. He was surrounded by a race with which he had no bond or tie of blood or of language. It was perfidious and cruel, and mocked at the faith of treaties. But even admitting that his guilt was as great as it was painted by the flaming imagination of Burke or the impassioned rhetoric of Sheridan, yet all the burdens he imposed upon all the East Indies do not equal those which have been fastened upon the two States of Georgia and Louisiana alone, since the disastrous dawn of reconstruction.

Sir, on the fact which I have stated I invoke the judgement of the country. What right have you to expect peace and order in a land whose rulers are lawless felons? When did a bad Government ever fail to produce wickedness and crime? Do you expect the people to obey the laws when their officials do not? Do you expect them to love and reverence a Government whose policy has made them bankrupt and miserable? Do you wonder that they become restless, desperate, and disobedient as they daily behold the fruits of their toil stolen in the name of their Government? Are you amazed at scenes of violence, outrage, bloodshed, and cruel vengeance, when the Executive of the State sets aside the entire administration of justice? Rather should you be filled with astonishment at the forbearance and moderation you have witnessed. If the foremost agents in the work of southern ruin and destruction since the close of the war had been driven from that country by its plundered citizens, who now would rise up here and condemn the act? In the disorders which afflict the South the philosophic mind beholds the inevitable results of well known causes. Had you sown the seed of kindness and good will, they would long ere this have blossomed into prosperity and peace. Had you sown the seeds of honor, you would have reaped a golden harvest of contentment and obedience. Had you extended your charities and your justice to a distressed people, you would have awakened a grateful affection in return. But as you have planted in hate and nurtured in corruption, so have been the fruits which you have gathered.

A gentleman visited a graveyard in California, and found eleven graves. Nine months after, he visited it again and found fourteen hundred. Then he cleared having seen the elephant.

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COURT NOTICES.

CHOWAN COUNTY— SUPERIOR COURT.

W. A. Moore, adm'r of D. M. Wright, against A. M. Weddell and wife Penelope M., et als. } Petition to make real estate assets.

This cause coming on to be heard, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendants, A. M. Weddell and wife Penelope M. Henry Talbot and wife Elizabeth, Joshua C. Wright, Wm. A. Wright and Viola J. Wright are non-residents of this State; it is ordered that publication be made for six weeks in the ECONOMIST, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, notifying them to appear at my office in Edenton on Monday 11th day of April next, and show cause why the prayer of the petition shall not be granted.

Given under my hand and official seal at office in Edenton this 24th February, 1872.

WM. R. SKINNER, *Clerk.*
Chowan Superior Court.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, WAKE COUNTY—IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

E. G. Macy, Public Administrator, as administrator of Job Carver, decd. Plaintiff.
against
Elias A. Carver and wife, Corinna; Miles E. Carver and Octavia, his wife; John M. Carver; Alpheus C. Dunn and Mary J. Dunn, his wife, and Elizabeth P. Carver, Defendants.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Wake County, made in the above entitled special proceeding, it being a petition to make the real estate of the said decedent assets to pay debts, the undersigned will expose to public sale, at the Court House door, in Elizabeth City, on Tuesday, the 14th of May next, the following Tracts of Land, situated in Pasquotank County, to-wit:

I. A Tract containing about one hundred and seventy-five (175) acres, bounded by the lands of D. A. Sawyer, John Robertson, the heirs of James Taylor, deceased, and lying on the Southwest side of Pasquotank River.

II. A Tract of Swamp Land, containing about seventy-five (75) acres, lying between the tract first above described and the Pasquotank River. If desired these two tracts will be sold together.

III. A Tract know as the James Carver farm, containing about sixty (60) acres, and bounded by the lands of Samuel Williams, Joe Whitney and others.

TERMS—One-third cash; the residue in two equal instalments, to be paid in one and two years respectively, with interest from day of sale. Title withheld until payment of purchase money.

Persons desiring more particular information will apply to John Gatling, Esq., attorney-at law, Raleigh, N. C.; to Miles E. Carver, Esq., Forestville, N. C., to the undersigned at Raleigh.

E. O. MACY, Administrator
ap2–tds Of Job Carver, dec'd.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, BERTIE COUNTY—SUPERIOR COURT—FALL TERM 1872.

Wm. A. Mebane and wife, M. M. Mebane, vs. Lewis T. Bond and Williamson Bond. } Attachment Levied on Land.

It appearing to the Court that one of the defendants, Lewis T. Bond, has died since the levy of the attachment, it is ordered that due publication be made in the ECONOMIST, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, for George C. Porter and wife, Mollie Porter, and Frank P. Bond, heirs-at-law of Lewis T. Bond, and residents of the State of Tennessee, for them to attend at the next term of this Court, to be held at the Court House in Windsor, on the first Monday of October, 1872, and plead, answer or demur to the plaintiffs' complaint.

WM. P. GURLEY, Clerk
ap2–tf Superior Court.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, PASQUOTANK COUNTY—IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

JOHN ROSSITER, Plaintiff,
against
ELIAS A. COWER, CLAY LIGON, Def'ts.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this Court that Clay Ligon, one of the defendants above named is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that publication be made in the ECONOMIST, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, N. C., notifying said Ligon to make his personal appearance at the next term of said Court, to be held for said county on the 10th Monday after the 1st Monday in March, then and there to plead, answer or demur, or judgment pro confesso will be taken against in favor of the plaintiff.

WM. E. VAUGHAN,
TEST: Clerk Superior Court,
Pasquotank County.
D. D. FEREBEE, Plaintiff's Att'y. } ap2–tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, PASQUOTANK COUNTY—IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

MARGARET T. HARDY, Pl'tiff,
against
WM. H. HARDY, Def't. } Divorce.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant, Wm. H. Hardy is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks in THE ECONOMIST, a newspaper published in the town of Elizabeth City, N. C., notifying said Wm. H. Hardy, the defendant in this cause, to make his personal appearance before said Court on the 10th Monday after 1st Monday in March, 1872, and plead, answer, or demur to the complaint filed in the cause, or judgment exparte will be taken as to him and in favor of the Plaintiff.

WM. E. VAUGHAN,
TEST: Clerk Superior Court,
Pasquotank County.
W. F. MARTIN, Plaintiff's Att'y. } ma26–tf

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Country produce of every kind taken in exchange for goods.
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AT THE OLD STAND OF C. C. ALLEN,
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May be found always on hand a large stock of staple
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His experience in the mercantile business for several years assures the public of his ability in purchasing merchandise to suit the wants of the people of this community.

Goods received instantly, and of the very best that can be purchased in the Northern cities.

Barter of every kind taken in exchange for goods.

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CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES!
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Returning my sincere thanks to my friends and the public generally for their kind and very liberal patronage since I opened my store, and hoping for a continuance of the same, I subscribe myself, very truly, yours, &c.,

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