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LET it be remembered that our present election law, passed by the last Legislature, is the fairest that our State has had in many years. It is certainly much fairer than the boasted election laws enacted by the Fusion Legislatures of 1895 and 1897. And let it also be remembered that our present election law contains every one of the changes or amendments which were asked for in the numerous petitions presented to the last Legislature by the Republicans and Populists.

Although our present [illegible] law is much fairer than [illegible] Fusion election law and although it contains all changes in the old law which the Republicans and Populists petitioned for, yet every Republican and Populist [illegible] of the last Legislature [illegible] against it. By reference to [illegible] Senate journal, page [illegible] will be seen that on motion of [illegible] London, of Chatham, the ayes and noes were had on the passage of the election bill, in order to [illegible] the Republicans and Populists [illegible] ed, and that every one of them [illegible] ed against the bill and all the Democrats for it. In the House it was the same way.

But worse than that [illegible] publicans voting against [illegible] to provide for the permanent [illegible] istration of white illiterate [illegible] No doubt they wish now they had not so voted. When [illegible] came up on its final passage [illegible] Senate (see Senate [illegible] page 836) the ayes and noes were [illegible] for by Senator London [illegible] to put the Republicans on [illegible] and several of the [illegible] senators voted against [illegible] all the Democrats voted [illegible] This vote proved that the Republicans were not in favor of [illegible] ing a permanent registration [illegible] the illiterate white men. [illegible] forget this.

THE so-called "Independent" movement seems to be [illegible] in many counties and [illegible] to amount to anything. We are pleased to note that Mr. [illegible] McKethan, of Fayetteville, who had been an independent candidate for Congress, has withdrawn and will heartily support the entire Democratic ticket.

We commend his patriotic example to all others who [illegible] thought of aiding the Republicans to get back into power [illegible] Carolina. Of course [illegible] gent person knows [illegible] called "independent" [illegible] entirely in the interest of the Republican party, and [illegible] and fostered by the Republicans who are simply using [illegible] Democrats as cats paws. [illegible] to make any fight at all [illegible] publicans must get [illegible] and Democrats to take the place of their disfranchised [illegible] voters, but they surely cannot succeed in this desperate effort.

OF course Senator Pritchard has no idea of being [illegible] for no well informed man has any doubt about the Democrats' [illegible] a large majority in the next Legislature.

Why then, it may be asked, is he making so vigorous a campaign? Simply in order to keep his party together and [illegible] weaken the Democratic party. For this he will be well rewarded with a lucrative federal office [illegible] th[illegible] labors will not be in vain.

And in like manner there is no chance of the election of any of the so-called "Independents" who are candidates in the several counties. But they are promised and expect a federal office as a reward for their labors. They hope that, as Pritchard got pensions for Confederate deserters, he will also get an office as a reward for Democratic deserters!

But sad will be their disappointment!

THE name of Benedict Arnold is synonymous with treachery and is associated with greater infamy than that of any other man in American history. And it is justly so, because he deserted from the continental army and joined the British in fighting his former comrades.

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