

THE hypocrisy of the Republican party in this State is only equalled by its "cheek." Its performances are in such striking contrast to its promises, and its boasts are in such striking contrast to its acts.

For instance one plank or paragraph in that platform is the following:

"We advocate doubling the pittance now received by the Confederate veterans, and if we secure a legislative majority shall vote as we promise."

Now, that is very fair and nice, isn't it? And of course every veteran ought to be caught by such a promise and vote the Republican ticket!

But why did not the Republican party double this pittance when they had the power? That party had control of two legislatures, the Legislature of 1895 and of 1897, and not even any attempt was made to double or in any way increase the pensions of the Confederate veterans.

Let us see what are the facts and figures about pensioning Confederate veterans in this State and see what is the official record of the two parties on this subject. After the Republicans had control of the Legislative department for four years and could have passed any law they wished, they paid for the veterans (in 1898) \$113,300.50.

In other words, and to make it as clear and plain as can be, the Republicans paid the veterans when they were in power (in 1898), only \$113,300.50, and the Democrats are now paying them over three hundred thousand dollars!

And yet the Republican platform declares that "the Republicans by their votes in the General Assembly have ever shown their friendship for this most honored class of our countrymen!"

The only Confederate soldiers to whom the Republican party has been liberal in pensions are those who deserted from the Confederate army and then fought against their former comrades. These deserters have been richly rewarded with large pensions by the Republicans, but they are the only Confederates to whom the Republicans have exhibited any friendship!

This is only one of many illustrations or proofs of our assertion that the hypocrisy of the Republican party in this State is only equalled by its cheek.

MAXON Butler, the political Judas Iscariot, is making Republican speeches at many places in this State, and, as is characteristic of him, is guilty of making many charges against the Democrats which are untrue. Among these charges is one of extravagance and waste in the present management of our public school funds.

In answer to this charge Hon. James Y. Joyner, the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has published a statement giving facts and figures which entirely disproves Butler's charge.

schools only were reported to the Superintendent, but since 1901 the city school statistics also have been reported. Of course these statistics greatly increase the amount reported by the State Superintendent, but it was not near so large as that asserted by Butler.

This increased expenditure was properly and economically made. With it the length of the white public school term has been increased 17 days; there has been an increased average attendance of 32,763 scholars; the number of teachers has been increased 673; the number of school houses built was more than doubled; the average cost of the new school houses was increased \$187.17 apiece, and the average annual salary paid each teacher was increased \$22.50.

Not one dollar expended for the above named purposes was wasted. No fair minded man will say that our public school houses are any better or finer than they ought to be, or that the public school teachers are paid too much.

Two important political conventions were held this week, both being in the State of New York. One of them was the Democratic convention, held at Buffalo, and the other was the Republican convention, held at Saratoga.

The campaign in the state of New York will be watched with much interest by both political parties throughout the United States, as it is thought that the election there this year may have much weight in deciding the next Presidential election.

The mobbing of so many negroes in Atlanta on last Saturday was disgraceful to the civilization of that city, and is too much like similar scenes that have frequently occurred in Northern cities. While the assaults by negroes upon so many white women were calculated to enrage the citizens of Atlanta and the perpetrators deserved summary death, yet those outrages did not justify an indiscriminate onslaught on innocent and inoffensive negroes.

MURDERED HIS WIFE. Chatham, Va., Sept. 20.—William Nance, a prominent farmer of Pittsylvania county, has been arrested and is in jail charged with the murder of his wife.

This occurred last night, but it was not known until this morning about eleven o'clock, when the woman was found in a dying condition at her home. She lived but a few minutes after being found.

There are now 21 negro banks in the United States, with a combined capital of \$350,000. Their deposits amount to \$1,192,000. Twelve are in Mississippi, four in Georgia, six in Virginia, two in Tennessee, two in Arkansas and one each in North Carolina, Alabama and Florida.

An effort is being made to raise \$15,000 by public subscription with which to place a bronze statue of Dr. Charles D. McIver at the State Normal and Industrial College.

Washington Letter.

Washington, Sept. 20, 1906.

None of the meager advices received at the State Department indicate that the situation in Cuba has been at all improved by the arrival of Secretaries Taft and Bacon, as the representatives of this government. These estimable officials have been received with profound respect by Charge de Affairs Sleeper, and the Cuban officials, but the insurgents, who are now camping outside the suburbs of Havana, read in the presence of the Americans fresh hopes for the success of their onslaught on the established Cuban government.

We are indebted to the North Carolina Baptist for the following statistics in this connection. We quote as follows: "Ten years ago Cumberland county did away with its saloons. Ten years ago Cumberland had but one bank and about \$200,000 on deposit. Today there are four banks and above one million dollars on deposit."

Real estate, building and loan and life insurance companies have sprung up in the past year or so and are prospering wonderfully. With these things before the people every day they are in no mood for high license, low license, or any other kind of license.

Water for Norseman's Horse. New Orleans Times Democrat. "You never see a broken winded horse in Norway," said a horse doctor. "That is because the horses are allowed to drink while they eat, the same as mankind."

Five Days Floating On Ocean. Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 21.—The Wilmington tug Blanche towed into Southport tonight the schooner Georgetta Lawrence, Captain Rollent, from New York to Charleston. The vessel had been anchored off the bar since Tuesday following the fearful storm off this coast Monday.

Killed by Train at Hamlet. Hamlet, Sept. 20.—A negro, Leny Thompson, whose home was in Rowland, was killed in the yards here this morning by passenger train No. 38. He mounted the steps as the train was leaving the station. When near the round house, he was seen to jump off and again attempt to get on, but by this time the train was running at a high rate of speed, and he missed his footing, was thrown beneath the wheels and badly crushed.

Republican Bribery in Maine. Rockland, Maine, Sept. 22.—Attempted bribery in connection with the recent State election, is charged against former Alderman Orel B. Davies, and John H. Breen, of this city, indictments by the September grand jury, which were made today. It is alleged that Davies attempted to bribe a man to vote the Republican ticket. A similar charge is made against Breen and one also that he offered inducements for voters to remain away from the polls.

Prohibition in Fayetteville.

From the Charlotte News.

Ten years ago the people of Cumberland county voted out saloons. Four years ago the people of that county were called on to vote on the issue of prohibition or saloons and again they knocked the saloon in the head. And now for a third time they have demonstrated their preference for prohibition. At the Democratic county convention a few days ago the good people of that county tabled a resolution favoring the opening of the question again by a vote of 166 to 63.

Great precautions were taken to safe-guard the gold on its trip across. The gold was carried in the special room on the main deck and guarded all the time. Three men with revolvers relieved each other every six hours on the watch. No one was permitted to cross the threshold except the guards.

Burglars at Jonesboro. Jonesboro, Sept. 22.—Robbers visited Jonesboro last night, entering three stores. The store of J. P. Arent was entered by breaking the glass out of the front door. It is not known how they gained entrance to the safe but it was found standing open with the inside out and the money gone.

Terrible Dynamite Explosion. Jellico, Tenn., Sept. 21.—Twelve persons were killed and scores of others hurt and property damage estimated at \$500,000 was done here this morning at eight o'clock, when a car load of dynamite standing on a truck near the Southern Railway depot, exploded with a report that was heard twenty miles, shattering buildings in the business section of the town and breaking every piece of glass within a radius of one mile of the scene.

Farmer Drops Dead. Wadesboro, Sept. 21.—Mr. J. D. Porter died suddenly while at work on his farm last Monday. Mr. Porter, at the time of his death, was mowing hay in his potato patch, near his home, and his children were picking cotton in a field. The children missed their father and, on looking for him, found him lying dead in the potato patch. His death was caused by heart disease, with which he had been afflicted for some time, though his health for several months had been unusually good.

Fayetteville Observer: Mr. Hardy West, of Saverty-First, who was in the city yesterday, made such a remarkable statement that it is well worth publishing. He said that though he was 78 years old and had ten children, he had never had occasion to send for a physician in all that time, either for himself or family, until a few days ago, and that then he took the first dose of medicine that ever passed his lips—four calomel tablets. This is certainly a most remarkable record.

Big Shipment of Gold.

From the New York World, 21st.

The Cunarder Carmania yesterday brought to New York \$10,328,500 in gold coin and bars, the largest amount of the precious metal ever carried across the Atlantic by a single vessel.

The gold was in 275 boxes, each box containing from 250 to 350 pounds. They were carried from the deck on half a dozen trucks and express wagons guarded by half a score of men armed with Winchester to the Assay office.

There was great difficulty in London in placing insurance on such a large sum on a single vessel, but terms were finally arranged. Several years ago the marine underwriters in London refused to allow a French liner to carry more than \$7,700,000.

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MORTGAGE SALE.—By virtue of a certain mortgage executed to me by L. B. Bynum and C. W. Bynum, dated June 27th, 1903, and registered on pages 522 to 524 in Book "D 1" in the office of the register of deeds of Chatham county, I will sell for cash at public auction at 12 o'clock, on SATURDAY, the 13th day of October, 1906, the property described in said mortgage as the home place of L. B. Bynum, situated in the village of Bynum, containing about two acres, adjoining the lands of the J. M. Odell Mfg. Company on the south and west, on the north adjoining the Chapel Hill road and on the east the land of L. B. Bynum. This property has been allotted as homestead subject to this mortgage. This Sept. 12th, 1906. E. L. HAUGHTON, Mortgagee.

LAND SALE.—By virtue of an order of the Superior Court rendered in the cause therein pending, entitled "J. J. Peoples, Guardian for June and Allie Peoples, ex parte," I will on the 6th day of October, 1906, at 12 o'clock, at the court-house door in Pittsboro, N. C., expose to public sale a piece of land in the said county of Chatham, near Siler City, containing a stake, thence with the Lambert line north 45 east 85 poles to a red oak stump and thence north 52 east 2 south 63 poles, thence north 52 west 114 poles to a cedar in John Dark's line, south 9 west to the beginning, containing 47 acres, more or less, being a part of the division of the page lands, registered in Book D P at page 310. Terms of sale, one-half cash, balance in 6 months, deferred payment to bear interest and the reserved till all purchase money is paid. This August 24th, 1906. FRED. W. BYNUM, Commissioner. Womack, Hayes and Bynum, Attorneys.

Destructive Chinese Typhoon.

Hong Kong, Sept. 20.—The full extent of the catastrophe is not yet known, but conservative estimates place the number of Chinese who lost their lives at 5,000 and the total material damage to the colony \$20,000,000.

Another storm, less violent, however, than the typhoon, broke out here at midnight and blew for six hours. The damage is apparently not great.

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