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BE SURE YOU ARE RIGHT; THEN GO AHEAD.—D Crockett

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Ferocious Activity

It looks a little queer even under a Republican administration, from which a good many queer things can be expected, to see a cabinet officer using campaign addresses from a desk in his department. It was said when Secretary Bonaparte took the portfolio of the Navy, that he was not at all in sympathy with campaigns carried on along party lines. But according to his letter issued from the department in connection with the Maryland state election, it looks as though he not only was a pretty good party man but that he knew the value of his position in a machine fight. Of course a letter issued by the Secretary of the Navy is going to attract a lot of attention not only in Maryland but throughout the rest of the country as well. Secretary Bonaparte knows that he will probably be killed by the press and he probably thinks that he will kill several birds with one letter, making his position on the negro question an issue in all of the border line states. He will probably succeed though it may not be in just the way he would wish. He says that the people of Maryland are being appealed to by the Democratic party on the score of race prejudice. He cites the fact that there have been no large number of negro appointments made by the Republican mayor of Baltimore as a proof that there would be none made if the Republican party were victorious throughout the state. This is sophistry. Secretary Bonaparte knows it as well as do all residents of Maryland and other states that have a large negro population and where the Republican party covets political power. It is probably quite true that there would be no attempt to force negro teachers on white schools if the Republican party won the states. There are probably not many negro teachers who would want to try drawing a salary on that sort of a job in Maryland. At the same time people in Maryland and in the other border states are heartily in favor of the disfranchisement of "niggers." If this means that there will be no more negroes than whites disfranchised, then it is only proof that the bulk of the undesirable voting element is in the ranks of the Republican party. The Republicans would never stand a chance to win the state without the aid of the negro vote, and as Maryland is by tradition a white man's state it is only natural that the clean citizens want to keep it so. Secretary Bonaparte's letter will do good work in calling attention to the fight that is going on and perhaps it is just as well that he had a chance to issue it from the cabinet room.

Great Lake Steamships

Few of us realize the importance of the commerce of our Great Lake system; yet upon the traffic of this long chain of inland waterways measurably depends the prosperity of our North Central States. The Pittsburg Steamship Company, which is described as the lake representative of the trust, has ordered two steamers which will be finished next year. They will be finished in length and capacity by not more than twenty ships anywhere in the world; yet the announcement of their construction will hardly reach the ears of the dwellers along the Atlantic coast. They are to be 600 feet long and have a capacity of over 13,000 tons, thus exceeding in length and tonnage the very great majority of ocean-going vessels. They doubtless overshadow the construction of larger inland ships in the near future, for the tendency toward bigger vessels has been constant on the ocean lines, and there is water enough in the lakes to float greater craft than these.—Providence Journal.

New Cure for Cancer

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at Staton & Zoeller's drug store.

Sweden and Norway

The delegates from Sweden and Norway, who were in conference for several weeks at Karlstad, arranging terms for the dissolution of the union between the two kingdoms, reached an agreement September 23rd upon a treaty which will become effective when ratified by the two parliaments. The chief obstacle to an agreement, the Swedish demand for the demolition of the Norwegian fortresses on the frontier, was removed by a compromise, under which certain fortresses will remain, but will not be used for fortification. The two countries agree to submit any differences which may arise between them, which do not involve the integrity, independence or vital interests of either, to arbitration through the tribunal of the Hague. They agree also to submit to arbitration the question whether any given dispute is a proper subject for arbitration. The conditions of interstate traffic and the common use of waterways are defined, and it is provided that after the ratification of the treaty Sweden shall recognize Norway as an independent country, and thereafter each country shall be relieved of responsibility for the acts of the other.

Teeth and Civilization

Some notable thoughts concerning teeth and their relation to civilization were recently published by Dr. Eugene L. Talbot, of the scandal and great indignation of many excellent dentists. The general sense of Dr. Talbot's remarks, as summarized in the Scientific American, was that the current methods of tinkering teeth are in the highest degree injurious; that ill-fitting crowns and carelessly inserted bridges are responsible for a great deal of disease, and that modern dentistry is doing more to injure teeth and the alimentary canal than any other thing. But that was not all. Having thus made light of the dentist, he went on to consider the general question of teeth and their purpose, and, far from suggesting any improvements in the practice of dentistry, he tied that it might conveniently be abolished altogether. "My hands of preparation," he said, "do not require mastication, and the jaws show in the evolution of man a shortening up, decay and loss of the teeth due to disease, and as a condition advanced it will be seen that man can get along without teeth. Loss of the teeth due to interstitial gingivitis is a marked illustration of the fact that the teeth are passing." In the evidence of the usefulness of teeth he quoted the cases of various persons who had lived with saw gums for the space of fifty or sixty years.

We commend his remarks to the kind consideration of Dr. Alice Johnston, the medical officer of certain British schools in London, who, we are told, on a recent outbreak of tonsillitis, had the tonsils removed from all the girls under her charge to prevent the possibility of infection. Some surgeons have stoutly maintained that everyone should have the appendix vermiformis excised to prevent appendicitis. The diete between them, have proved conclusively that no food is fit to eat. And so with the abolition of teeth, tonsils, a portion of the intestines and all food, the problem of living has been enormously simplified. It remains for some physician to eliminate hunger. And then for the millennium!—New York Evening Sun.

The bankers here are dealing in watered stock to such a degree that they want the government to grant ship subsidies to facilitate their sailing.

A. C. L. a Foreign Corporation

The following special from New Bern to the Raleigh Times will be read with interest here: In order to avoid suits in State courts the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company has declared itself to be a foreign corporation and, therefore, amenable to Federal courts only. The company had not found this necessary, until the great number of law suits arising from the Bruce Creek disaster of August 27 practically compelled them to do so. Their object in doing this, it is believed, is to put the case in the jurisdiction of United States courts and wear the plaintiff out by continuances and other technicalities. In view of this step Editor C. L. Stevens, who, a few days ago began suit against the road for \$10,000 damages for detention while en route from Norfolk to Goldsboro, has entered a plea of non suit and will again bring an action against the road for \$2,000, the latter sum being the limit for which they can be sued in the State court. The suit will be interesting and the plaintiff's lawyer will make a hard fight for him. On account of these proceedings the case will not be heard until the November term of court.

A Free Silver Banker

Mr. E. B. Page, president of the First National Bank of North Dakota, who is at the Arlington, is doubtless one of the few national bankers, who supported William J. Bryan in both of his Presidential campaigns and who would probably do so again were Mr. Bryan a candidate. "We are getting on grandly in this country," said Mr. Page, "and the financial theories of Mr. Bryan have apparently been disproved. This, however, is more apparent than real, for the bimetallic policy as sound today as it ever was. "There was no fallacy in the 16 to 1 doctrine, and it was only the accident of the discovery of great bodies of gold ore in Alaska and other regions and the improvement in the methods of mining it that rendered the application of Mr. Bryan's ideas unnecessary. It is highly probable that this country will yet come to realize that what Mr. Bryan taught in 1896 and 1900 was eminently correct."—Washington Post.

County Alliance Meeting

Thursday the County Alliance met at Old Sparta as the guests of the Alliance of that place, and there was a large and representative attendance of delegates from the various sub-alliances. Much interest was manifested in the proceedings. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted: Resolved, That it is the sense of Edgecombe County Alliance that all farmers should refuse to sell their cotton for less than 11 cents per pound, and that we urge the cooperation not only of the farmers, but likewise, of all business men who own or control cotton. Resolved further, That this Alliance request the different sub-alliances to contribute the sum of three cents for every bale of cotton made by each of its members to be paid over to the Secretary of the State Alliance, with the request that said amount be sent to the secretary of the Southern Cotton Growers' Association, to aid in the support of the organization. Resolved, That this Alliance has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Bro. S. T. Cherry, of Coconia Alliance, who was a most earnest, worthy and devoted member of our order, and a patriotic, loyal and highly esteemed citizen, whose noble life is worthy of emulation. We extend to the family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy, and order these resolutions be spread upon our minutes, and a copy of same be sent to the Southerner with the request for publication. After the business was transacted the Alliancemen were invited to partake of an elegant dinner, which was thoroughly enjoyed. A vote of thanks was tendered to Old Sparta Alliance for the excellent manner in which the guests were entertained. The next meeting will be held on the second Thursday in January with Coconia Alliance.

Plans to Get Rich

are often frustrated by sudden breakdown, due to dyspepsia or constipation. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the poisons which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start. Cure headache and dizziness too! At Staton & Zoeller's drug store; 25c, guaranteed.

Help to Build Homes

Three weeks from today the 17th series in the Edgecombe Home Stead and Loan Association will open, and by the time Mr. Curtis, the courteous secretary closes his books for that evening, we shall have some idea whether the people of this vicinity have lost their interest in an institution that has been of more benefit than any other in the history of the town. As has already been stated, it is believed, that a number of persons will seek through the association to build homes. They must have help. For an association to be successful there should be an equal number of lenders and borrowers. If one needs money, the association should be in a position to lend it, and to this end it offers to lend a safe and adequate return for their money. A single 25 cent piece deposited weekly for a little more than six years, means \$100 to the depositor. In the same way, \$100 borrowed to help build a home, can be paid back in the same time, by paying the small weekly interest.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Machinery Act, Sec. 80, the undersigned, in person or by deputy, will be at the following places, in the several townships of the county, on the dates named, for the purpose of receiving taxes: Township No. 2, Conee, Saturday, Oct. 7. No. 3, Coakley, Monday, Oct. 9. No. 3, Speed, Tuesday, Oct. 10. No. 4, Lawrence, Thursday, Oct. 12. No. 5, Leggett, Saturday, Oct. 14. No. 6, O. L. Pittman's store, Friday, Oct. 6. No. 6, Whitakers, Saturday, Oct. 7. No. 7, Frank Lawrence's store, Friday, Oct. 29. No. 7, Battleground, Saturday, Oct. 21. No. 8, Old Sparta, Tuesday, Oct. 17. No. 9, Crisp, Friday, Oct. 13. No. 9, Macefield, Saturday, Oct. 14. No. 10, St. Lewis, Friday, Oct. 20. No. 10, Pinetops, Saturday, Oct. 21. No. 11, Hartcaste, Wednesday, Oct. 13. No. 12, Rocky Mt. Nat., Saturday, Oct. 7. No. 12, Kingboro, Thursday, Oct. 12. No. 13, W. J. Lancaster's store, Saturday, Oct. 28. No. 13, Woble's store, Friday, Oct. 27. No. 14, Sharpsburg, Friday, Oct. 20. B. F. DAWSON, Sheriff. Sept. 21, 1905.

Fall of Tragic Menace

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think you might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which I writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me. Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At Staton & Zoeller's the druggists; guaranteed; 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Our Colonial Failure

There is an argument against political expansion in the comparative history of the tropical countries annexed to the United States and those brought under its commercial and industrial dominion, while left to govern themselves. There is no more striking contrast than that between the prosperity of Cuba and the distress of Porto Rico, between the flourishing industries and commerce of Mexico and the stagnation and famine of the Philippines. We have given the Philippines a mild and stable government instead of revolutionary anarchy like that with which Mexico struggled for half a century. But few hope that our government will ever be able to give the Philippines such prosperity as independent American capital and enterprise has given to Mexico under the stable government finally worked out by the efforts of her own people. A far larger proportion of American capital is invested in Mexico than in any tropical American possession. Nearly 60 per cent of Mexico's trade is ours and the proportion has more than doubled in ten years. Under the stimulus of the gold standard policy, and nearly all the increment comes to us. American capital prefers Mexico to the Philippines because it is free there from restrictions imposed by ill advised American laws. Had the Philippines been left to establish a republic, it is probable that it would have been more hospitable to American investments than the government we gave them has been.

The case is even plainer in Cuba and Porto Rico. The marvelous prosperity of Cuban industry and trade is due directly to American capital and enterprise, invited and encouraged by the government of the republic. The distress and depression of Porto Rico are just as plainly due to acts of American legislation that have repelled American capital and enterprise and left the unfortunate island without railroads or manufacturing, energetic agriculture, or employment for her people. Clearly the American government does not know much about administering colonial dependencies. For our credit and their comfort it is well that we have no more of them.—Minneapolis Tribune.

Disinfecting the Tongue

When one considers the situation and the functions of the tongue,—how exposed it is to injuries by the teeth and to the action of all degrees of temperature, from that of ice to that of almost boiling tea and coffee,—the wonder is that it suffers so seldom from disease. It is often the seat of little ulcers or excoriations of the mucous membrane, located on the edge or under surface. These may result from the irritation of a roughened tooth or from a bite of the tongue; but more frequently, like the similar "caulker sores" at the junction of the gums and lips, they come without any apparent cause, being probably the result of some change in the secretions of the mouth. Very commonly the sufferer will find, on making a review of his dietary aims, that he has been indulging in too many sweets.

Don't Borrow Trouble

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn out by the pains and poisons of dyspepsia, biliousness, Bright's disease, and similar internal disorders, don't sit down and be told over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent relief from all your troubles, and your liver will not be burdened by a load of debt disease. At Staton & Zoeller's drug store. Price 50c.—Guaranteed.

Formal Peace

The last formal act in the ratification of peace between Russia and Japan took place today. Takahira, Japanese Minister, notified the State Department that his Emperor had signed the treaty. The State Department then notified the Russian government. That government notified the French Foreign Office through its Ambassador in Paris that the Russian Emperor had signed his copy of the treaty. The French Foreign Office then notified its minister in Tokyo and he informed the Japanese Foreign Office, and this is regarded as a formal exchange of the ratifications.

Smoker's Patch

is a name given to a patch of whitish or grayish color and of hard, dry surface, which may occupy a considerable extent of the tongue. It is not always, if indeed often, caused by the contact of hot smoke from a pipe, but may be excited by any repeated irritation, such as pungent condiments, hot tea or coffee, and the like. This condition calls for prompt and careful treatment, for it is believed by many physicians that if allowed to go uncared for the patch may be replaced by a cancerous growth.

Geographical Tongue

Character of the "tongue" is for "mately a rare condition, and seems to be the result of some very long continued irritation. The curious condition called "geographical tongue" consists in the appearance of reddish patches of irregular and varying outline, which look something like the figures on a map. This occurs chiefly in children, and is of no serious moment.—Youth's Companion.

The Noxious Diet

A correspondent wants to know if Noah and his family while enjoying their memorable voyage were vegetarians. There seems to be nothing to be said there can be no doubt that they either were or were not. It is true that there was plenty of animal food at hand, but for obvious reasons it was not available for gastronomic experiments. On the other hand, the preservation of fresh vegetables during the forty days of the outing would have been impossible.

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A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE

On Monday, November 6th, 1905, between one and two o'clock, p. m., we will offer for sale at the court house door in Tarboro the tract of land adjoining the lands of the heirs of Hiram Webb at Pitt-Cross Road, and known as the Byrum tract, containing 463 acres, more or less, and being the tract purchased by W. H. Sharpe from Hon. George Howard, and thereafter conveyed by H. G. Connor, Commissioner, to Donnell Gilliam, Trustee, by deed dated 11th day of May, 1897, and recorded in Book 89 page 110. This land is leased for the present year and for the year 1906 to R. L. Walton, of St. Lewis, for an annual rental of 4800 pounds of good middling lint cotton, to be delivered on the first days of November of each year. The purchaser to take possession of the land on January 1st, 1907, and to have the rent from said land for the year 1906. No bid will be entertained or credit under \$6,000.00, and the farm to be sold to the highest bidder at or above said amount of \$6,000.00, for one-third 1/3 cash, the balance in one, two, three, and four years, secured by purchase money mortgage. GILLIAM & GILLIAM, Attorneys. October 19th, 1905.

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