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SOUTHERN WAR CLAIMS.

There are now pending in Congress quite a number of claims against the United States government, and the Republican newspapers say that the Southern Democrats intend to pass these measures as an offset to the pension appropriations. One of these claims is "to reimburse the State of Louisiana for loss in the destruction of the State Capital at Baton Rouge, while in possession of the military authorities in 1863." Others desire to be paid rent for land which the government took possession of, cut the wood and made crops, and others are for supplies and forage which the soldiers compelled the owners of the land to furnish. These claims are all now barred by the statute of limitations, and it is proposed to revise them so as the court of claims may pass upon them. There was quite a breezy debate in Congress upon one of these bills a few days ago in which Mr. Holman and Mr. Kilgore opposed all such appropriations. Mr. Dickerson, of Kentucky, asked Mr. Holman a question which the great objector dodged. It was:

"I wish to ask the gentlemen if he knows of any rule that will enforce the statute of limitations against widows and orphans for supplies forcibly taken to maintain the United States army, and is still willing to pension men who rendered services as long ago?"

This was a "sarcher" sure enough, and no wonder the gentleman dodged. Doubtless most of these claims ought not to be allowed.—Chronicle.

ONE MAN POWER NOT WANTED.

The Atlanta Constitution quotes copiously from the letter of a Tennesseean who is for Hill for President. The climax of the reasons that he gives for supporting the Senator is: "From my knowledge of Senator Hill, if he is nominated he will not only succeed himself, but dictate, as General Jackson did, his successor whom I feel certain will be a better and a stronger man than Van Buren."

Strange to say, this is the very reason we are not primarily for Mr. Hill. We do not want a President who will win by machine methods, neither do we want a man to name his successor. We prefer that the 5,400,000 Democrats in America shall name the President in 1896 as well as in 1892. We have no fondness for the one man power in politics. It is not Democratic even though the man who wields the power is as wise as Jefferson, as resolute as Jackson, and as well equipped as Calhoun.—State Chronicle.

A COMPLIMENTARY REPORT.

The following report shows that Harnett county has a competent and efficient Clerk:

North Carolina, Superior Court, Harnett County, Feb. Term, '91. The Honorable Spier Whitaker, Judge Presiding.

The undersigned Solicitor of the 4th Judicial District begs to report to your Honor that he has at this term of the Court examined into the condition of the office of Geo. E. Price, Clerk of the Court of Harnett county, that I find the said office well administered in all respects, that said Clerk is careful, painstaking, efficient and accommodating in the execution of the duties of his office; that his papers are properly filed and his books neatly kept, that he keeps in his office all the books required by law properly indexed for speedy and convenient reference.

Respectfully submitted, Approved, Spier Whitaker, Judge Presiding. Ed. W. Pou, Solicitor 4th District.

A Kansas lawyer is now trying to find out whether in that State a man who murders his wife can inherit her estate. A Kansas citizen, who is serving a life sentence in prison for wife murder, gave his lawyer a mortgage on his wife's estate, but the administrators refuse to pay the bill, and he wants to know whether cutting his wife's life short operates as cut off to the claim by the murderer.—Star.

It is said that there are 1,600 or 1,700 lawyers in the city of Boston while there is business for scarcely 200. But while the Boston bean holds out there is not much danger of the average Boston lawyer starving to death.

HARD TIMES.

This is a familiar expression with many a man, and often use the words without realizing the force of them. The merchants, the farmers, the working man, the mechanics, and every class are crying hard times, and we must admit that these words represent an almost situation of the South to-day. Still if a man is even with the world, owes nothing, there never was an easier age in which to live, everything in the way of provisions is cheap, goods are low and a little money will reach a long way. But how are we to bring about a change for better is the question? Well my idea is to reduce the acreage in cotton, reduce the use of commercial fertilizers among the farmers and increase the grain crops, diversify the crops, instead of planting just corn and cotton try some rice, some tobacco, and trucking in some sections of our county will pay, then if a failure comes with one crop you have something else that will strike right. But there is a still more important lesson for our people to learn yet, especially our farmers, that is working half the year and wasting the other half in various ways that adds no improvement to the farm. The average farmer does not work more than six months of the year and if he can live working that much if he would stick all the year why could he not make something ahead. The merchant who succeeds begins at the first of January, rises as the morning dawns and when midnights quiet hour comes he is often found at his desk or shaping his goods. Look at the professional men of the world, should they start out and work only two thirds of their time why, not one of every thousand would succeed or even make a living, but they give their whole attention to their line of business. If a M. D. to medicine; if a lawyer, to law; if a preacher, to preaching; if a school teacher, to teaching; if a politician, to politics, and so on. Just so must our farmers learn if they succeed in the business. Show me a farmer who buys no guano, raises his own compost, works ten months out of each year on his farm, and I will show you a man who is clear of debt, got a good farm, good stock, and living comparatively at his ease.

We hope the people will consult their own interests this season, plant less cotton, raise more home manure, do more work, make less mortgages and live on less, and the time will soon dawn on this country when the farmer can live on his own products and within his own dominions.

WHO WILL IT BE?

That is the question, Referring to Presidential possibilities, the fight now being waged in New York would seem to exclude both Hill and Cleveland. The Hill sappers sprung their mind prematurely when they called the now famous midwinter Convention, and as he has been in the past, and always will be, the dog in the manger to Cleveland, and as there is no gainsaying his power, and as it would be folly to nominate Cleveland in view of these facts, and as a Presidential possibility he too must be laid on the shelf. Flowers' silver record handicaps him in the race. Then if we are bound to have a New York man to reign, surely in so great a State, a good man, sound on currency and the tariff could be found that would unite the factions and harmonize the differences in the State and at the same time be acceptable to the country at large. How about Whitney? If a leader cannot be found in the great, so-called pivotal State, why, what's the matter with Russell of Massachusetts? Or better still, why not select a Western man. The plucky Iowan—twice elected Governor of his State—would lead the Democratic hosts to victory in the coming great struggle.

The Times nominates Boies of Iowa.

A Wilkes county crank named Crankfield, who died suddenly last week, is reported to have made a request some time ago to be buried in "a Republican grave yard," as he did not want to be buried among Democrats. He had been training in bad company so long that he wouldn't feel comfortable and at ease in good company even when dead.—Wilmington Star.

When the Senate and House committees get through giving a hearing to the pros and cons on the options question they will know more about the puts and calls and takes, and spots and futures, and bulls and bears, and horns and longs and shorts than they ever knew before, although Congressmen are not entire strangers to horns, longs and shorts.—Star.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed by John Holmes and wife, Amelia, and duly registered in Book B No. 2 Pages 459-61 records of Harnett County, I will on 12th day of March 1892 at the Court House door in the town of Lillington sell to the highest bidder for cash a certain tract of land in Averasboro Township Harnett County containing one hundred and three acres be the same or less.

This January 22nd 1892.
NATHAN McCLAMB, Adm'r
SETH HODGES Dec'd.
F. P. JONES, Att'y.
Jan-28th-4t.

MORTGAGE SALE OF LAND!

By virtue contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed by George W. Hunt and wife, to Rev. N. McKay on the 16th day of October 1888. On Monday the 4th day of April 1892, at the Court House Door in Lillington, N. C., I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, the lands conveyed in said Mortgage Deed, consisting of twenty-six acres in Upper Little River Township, Harnett County, N. C. For further description see said Deed recorded in Book "L," page 210 of the record of Harnett county. Feb. 5th 1892.

L. B. CHAPIN,
Att'y for Mortgagee.
Feb 11th-4t.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Rory McNeil, deceased, late of Harnett county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of January 1893, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This January 27th 1892.

SARAH M. ANDREWS,
Administrator,
Feb 4-6t.

NOTICE! SALE OF LAND!

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed, executed to the undersigned on the 29 day of October 1891 by J. F. Corbett and M. H. Corbett and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Harnett County, in Book D. No. 2, Pages 458-460, I will on the 29th day of February 1892 at the Court House Door in Lillington, N. C., at 12 o'clock, m., sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash a certain tract of land in the town of Dunn, being the house and lot where the said J. T. Corbett and M. H. Corbett now live. For a more definite description of said land see Book D, No. 2, Pages 458-460, Records of Harnett County. This February 3d 1892. L. J. BEST,
[Feb-4-4t] Mortgagee.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed made by Wm. A. Pearce and wife, Pattie S. Pearce, to J. G. Layton, and recorded in Book D, No. 2, Page 446, records of Harnett County, I will at 12 o'clock m., on the 4th day of April 1892, at the Court House in Lillington, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the property mentioned and described in said Mortgage Deed, as being one Store House and Lot in the Town of Dunn, and the same Store House lately occupied by the said W. A. Pearce.

F. P. JONES, J. G. LAYTON,
Att'y. Mortgagee.
Feb-18-4t

NOTICE! LAND SALE.

By virtue of a decree of sale rendered at the February Term 1892 of Harnett County Superior Court in a case in which Lee J. Best is Plaintiff and E. A. Jones Administrator, D. A. Jones, deceased, and others are defendants. I will on the 28th day of March 1892 at the Post Office in Dunn, N. C., at 12 o'clock m., sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash lots numbers one (1) and four (4) in block "AA" in the plan of the town of Dunn. For a more definite description of said land, see deed of D. P. Foley and wife to Lee J. Best, recorded in Book D, No. 2, Page 156 &c., Records of Harnett county. This February 22d 1892.

G. K. GRANTHAM,
Commissioner.
Feb-25-4t.

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