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POMFRET, N. J.

I have made through tests of Cottolene and have no hesitation in recommending it as preferable to lard. This superiority manifests itself especially in frying. Cottolene, when melted up, is as clear as water; it seldom burns, and will stand a higher degree of temperature without scorching than will any other frying medium I have ever used. The same portion of Cottolene may be employed twice and even three times. The articles fried in it under my care have covered a wide range, embracing croquettes, fish, fritters, both vegetables and fruits, egg plant, hominy, mush, fried bread, etc. In none of these could there be distinguished the unpleasant taste frequently noticed in food cooked in lard. Nor is the slight odor that comes from hot Cottolene as disagreeable or pervasive as that of boiling lard. I have also found Cottolene admirable for quick biscuits; they are devoid of the pork flavor that often permeates lard-shortened biscuits. Mixed with butter and used in bread dough, Cottolene is also good. Such a substitute for lard should supercede it in every kitchen where hygienic and appetizing effects are studied.

Cottolene has been used for the past two months in the kitchen of my mother, Mrs. Terhune, ("Marion Harland") with most satisfactory results. Her opinion of its merits coincides with mine.

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**An Inspector at Cherokee.**

CHEROKEE, N. C., March 31.—This evening there was a little excitement when the news was given out, like a fire alarm, that "There is an inspector come." It was Col. J. B. Duncan, United States Indian Inspector of Georgia. He had been all over the grounds and buildings, and so far as his inspection was concerned, had taken in the whole situation in an hour.

The school gave a social in honor to the Colonel tonight, after which Mr. Duncan made a brief but encouraging talk to the children.

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## ARRESTED BY MILITIAMEN

### CITIZENS OF FLORENCE, S. C. STARTLED.

**They Took Guns From The Army And Pursued The Constables—No Harsh Measures of Arrest—Quiet at Darlington.**

FLORENCE, S. C., April 4.—The citizens of Florence were greatly startled this morning by the announcement that the men who took guns from the army here Friday last, and participated in the pursuit of constables would be arrested by the militia. The disposition, at first, was to resist, but the mild methods adopted by the officers induced the men to acquiesce in the action taken.

The men who took the guns were summoned to the court house where Col. N. G. Evans, commanding in the absence of Gen. Farley, had established his headquarters. They assembled there about 10 a. m. and conferred with Col. Evans and Maj. Jos. Wardlaw. They were asked for their names and a roll was made. The roll was then read with the request that those who had entered the army and taken the guns would respond as their names were called. The following five men responded: E. E. Douglas, T. E. Wallace, J. W. Hammond, J. E. Pendergast and E. P. Hawley, all of whom are merchants.

Col. Evans made a short address. He said that martial law was in force, and that he was ordered to arrest these gentlemen under it. As it was not desired to interfere with their business he would place them on parole not to leave the city limits, and require them to report to Maj. Wardlaw every morning at 10 a. m.

The citizens held a consultation with a lawyer, and no steps have yet been taken to oppose the action of the officers. It is possible, however, that habeas corpus proceedings may be begun before Chief Justice Melver. This will largely depend, however, upon the action of the officers and the manner in which the arrested men are treated.

The Tenth militia has arrived, but there is as yet no disposition to pitch them. The indications are that the force may be withdrawn before the end of the week, and possibly sooner. Gen. Farley went over to Darlington early this morning. It is thought that his visit may have some connection with the action of the Bishopville rifles in not going to Darlington when ordered, and in turning straight around and going home.

DARLINGTON, S. C., April 4.—Everything at the seat of war is perfectly quiet. A detachment of troops has just reported to act under Mayor Dargen's orders. No one excepting those directly interested will be permitted to go near the railroad station where the inmates is to be held. The constables are expected to arrive here some time during the day, but the time and place of their arrival are not made public. It is thought that the constables will be permitted to testify without interference and then can go home. Citizens have pledged they shall not be molested.

Gen. Richburg gives out the news that the troops will probably leave here Saturday or Sunday. There are a number of visitors here for the moment.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 4.—Tillman has issued a proclamation which closes as follows:

"Now, therefore, I, Benjamin R. Tillman, governor of the State of South Carolina, do issue this my proclamation, giving full and official notice to the municipal authorities of every city and incorporated town in the State of South Carolina and to the police and marshals thereof, that . . . I do hereby assume control of the whole force of municipal police and marshals of the several cities and incorporated towns of this State. They are hereby ordered to enforce all laws on the statute books, together with all municipal ordinances and orders from municipal authorities not inconsistent with the purposes of this proclamation. As soon as the emergency which is now upon us shall no longer exist, I will relinquish control and restore the former status."

**THE CONVENTION**

**It Will Occur in The Court House Friday Evening.**

The city Democratic convention will occur in the court house Friday evening of this week, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor and three Aldermen and electing an executive committee to take charge of the campaign work.

Candidates mentioned are as scarce as the proverbial hen's teeth. Ex-Mayor Blanton and Hon. John W. Starnes were spoken of but Mr. Starnes' announcement in THE CITIZEN that he was not a candidate puts him out of the race, and it seems now that Mr. Blanton will be the Mayorally nominee by the Straight-outs.

As regards the candidates for the office of Alderman the same uncertainty is noticed. The only name THE CITIZEN has heard mentioned frequently is that of Dr. H. B. Weaver of the Second ward. So that, at this time, a forecast of the action of the convention is impossible. Friday evening must tell the tale.

There is a belief among some of the Republicans that, in view of the fact that there is little probability of a uniting of the part of the two Democrat factions, they, the Republicans, can put out a ticket composed entirely of Republicans or a majority of that faith and win on it. Maj. H. C. Hunt, one of the old Advisory committee, inclines to this opinion. In a talk with THE CITIZEN this morning he said the Republicans could not unite on Mayor Patton, should he run again. Maj. Hunt could not see how the truly loyal could do this. Of course, he said, those Republicans who had received jobs from Mayor Patton and those who had had their streets paved by the present administration would naturally support him.

Maj. Hunt says he is in favor of putting up a straight Republican ticket, or one that has a Republican at the head and with a majority of the Aldermen Republicans, and thus going into the fight. Nothing definite, however, is to be done until after the Democratic convention.

Thus it is that Asheville may yet witness a triangular municipal contest.

### FOR PUBLIC PRINTER.

### Cleveland Goes Back To His Old One.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The President has sent to the Senate the following nominations: John B. Brawley, Pennsylvania, assistant register of the treasury; George A. Howard, Tennessee, auditor treasury for the postoffice department; Thomas E. Benedict of New York, to be public printer; James D. Yeoman of Iowa, to be interstate commerce commissioner. To be United States consul: Walter B. Henry of North Carolina, at Curacao; Charles H. Taylor of Kansas, recorder of deeds in the District of Columbia, (Taylor is colored). Collectors of customs: Charles R. Bisbee, district of St. Johns, Florida; John D. Davis, district of Beaufort, North Carolina. Postmasters: C. C. Carlin, Alexandria, Va.; J. W. F. Lowery, Dawson, Ga.; Geo. S. Haines, Savannah, Ga.

### CHARLESTON WHEELING.

### The April Bicycle Meet There Well Attended.

CHARLESTON, April 4.—[Special.]—The bicycle meet is well attended. George Fitzsimmons, champion of North Carolina; Isaac Baird, champion of South Carolina, and R. V. Connerat, champion of Georgia, are here. They all ride the Stearns wheel. The Stearns gets four first prizes, four seconds and two thirds. Fitzsimmons won the road wheel race on an Electric.

Baird and Fitzsimmons, two of the fastest men in the South, will compete today. North Carolina stands a good chance to win.

### Indians And White Men Fight.

EL RENO, O. T., April 4.—A battle with Winchesterers occurred Sunday between Indians and white men who went on the open reservation. At least 10 or 12 men had been killed. Five companies of troops from Fort Reno, and troops from Fort Sill and Fort Supply have started for the scene of the fight.

### Debt Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The debt statement issued today shows a net increase in the public debt, less cash in treasury during March, of \$13,754,472. The interest-bearing debt was increased \$9,068,320; the non-interest-bearing debt was decreased \$26,847. The cash in the treasury decreased \$4,712,339.

### Catholics and A. P. A.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 4.—In a riot between Catholics and the American Protective association late yesterday afternoon, Mike Callahan, a well known Catholic and supporter of Johnson for Mayor, was killed and Jerry Pate fatally, and six others seriously injured.

### College President Kills Himself.

DOUGLASVILLE, Ga., April 4.—President J. M. Calloway of the Douglasville college, one of the best known educators of Georgia, committed suicide Monday, shooting himself through the heart. No cause for suicide is known.

### To Tax United States Notes.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The House committee on banking and currency, by a vote of 9 to 4, today agreed to report favorably the Cooper bill subjecting State taxation National Bank and United States treasury notes.

### To Police Behring Sea.

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The Behring Sea bill passed the Senate yesterday. Senator Morgan said that at the same hour, perhaps, a similar measure was being passed the British Parliament.

### Going, Going, Gone!

NORFOLK, Va., April 4.—The Atlantic and Danville railroad was sold here yesterday under order of the United States court for \$1,105,000 to B. Newgass and associates.

### A Great Fire In China.

SHANGHAI, April 4.—A great conflagration is raging here. Already a thousand buildings, large and small, have been destroyed, and the fire is still burning.

### The Shame Of It!

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The House was without a quorum today and unable to do business.

## BRECKINRIDGE EXAMINED

### MARRIAGE WITH THE PLAINTIFF IMPOSSIBLE

**He Accused Her Of Being Over-Intimate With Rhodes, And Said That Therefore He Could Not Take Her Up—The Marriage.**

WASHINGTON, April 4.—Judge Wilson began the cross-examination of Breckinridge this morning with reference to the village of Goldsborough, Ky., and asked him if he delivered a speech there in 1885. The defendant thought not. Then Judge Wilson asked if he remembered saying to a servant woman at Mrs. Thomas' the day after he had taken lunch there with Miss Pollard: "Mary, that was a very nice lunch, and when Madeline and I go to housekeeping I want you to come with us."

"Oh! that's not true, that's merely a fancy sketch," said Breckinridge with a laugh. "There's not a word of truth in it."

Wilson was particularly desirous of knowing whether Breckinridge had ever made expressions of love and affection to the plaintiff, and the defendant said he had never used such expressions to Miss Pollard. "I did, however," he said, "use expressions of kindness. I was particularly careful to be good and kind to her when she was in a delicate condition. I tried to make her take up some occupation and to keep her mind busy."

In answer to Judge Wilson, the defendant said he had told the plaintiff many times that marriage between them was impossible. "I told her," he said, "that she could not expect me to marry her after her illicit relations with Rhodes, and that after she had had him for three years, and then thrown him away like a sucked orange I could not contemplate marriage with her or look upon her as a wife whom I could trust, or whom I could take into my family."

After questioning the witness about his trip to New York in April, 1893, when he was married, and his meeting with the plaintiff at the Hoffman house, Judge Wilson handed Breckinridge a paper and asked him if that was a facsimile of his marriage certificate. Breckinridge said it looked like the original, but he saw it was not.

"When you put down on this certificate that you had been married once, was that true?"

"I started to write, in answer to the question as to how many times I had been married, and I asked Dr. Paxton if it was necessary to state that this was my third marriage, and he said it was not necessary. So I thoughtlessly put it at once instead of twice."

Breckinridge said he filled in the certificate because Dr. Paxton was suffering from nervous headache. He told Paxton to keep it secret. In answer to a question he said he had wife on the night of their marriage went to Hotel L. Greene, 10th and Broadway, and registered under the name of Wm. J. Campbell and wife.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Pollard took the stand and testified that Col. Breckinridge frequently sent her letters while she was in Lexington and he in Washington. They were all typewritten, she said, and in them she was addressed various titles, such as "My dear Spitzfire," and "My dear Louise."

Col. Breckinridge denied that Mrs. Lowell had ever copied for him any such letter as that she described, or that she addressed envelopes for him with the name of Miss Pollard, although he acknowledged that Mrs. Lowell had written letters for him. Most of the day was taken up in this testimony, and in argument. There was nothing sensational.

### He Was Not a Star

From the Bryson City Times.

Hon. Kope Elias came over from Franklin Wednesday. His naturally clear nature sees a bright star, which gives additional buoyancy to his spirit.

### JUST IN NORTH CAROLINA.

—Senator Vance did not make his appearance at the Capitol Monday. The weather was cool in Washington, and the Senator, while feeling so much improved by his visit to Florida, did not consider it prudent to venture out until the air was more balmy. Those who have seen him say he is in good spirits, and he expects to resume his seat in the Senate this week.

—Salsbury Herald: A cotton factory is to be built at Patterson's grist mill and gin, in Cabarrus county. Mr. George W. Patterson of Concord, and Mr. W. R. Kindley of Mt. Pleasant, are the principal movers in the enterprise. The water power there is said to be one of the best in the whole country.

—Unaka cor. Cherokee Scout: The condition of our people at present is very flattering indeed, though some of us will still raise the lamentable wail "hard times." We have more grain, poultry and produce of all descriptions, more hogs, cattle and sheep than ever before at this season of the year.

—North Carolinians are watching Public Printer Benedict, and as soon as he takes his seat at the head of the pie counter, they will hand up their plates. Jas. M. Leach and J. A. Turner are after \$1,800 places.

—L. W. Ashby & Son's tobacco factory at Mt. Airy, was burned Saturday morning. The loss is about \$50,000; insurance, \$25,000. Two hundred people are thrown out of employment.

—Harry Skinner says that if the Populists carry anything in North Carolina they will carry more than three congressional districts. He is, however, chary of making claims.

—Walter R. Henry's Curacao (Dutch West Indies) consulate to which he has been nominated pays \$2,500 fees annually "with liberty to engage in business."

—Representative Bower will request the aid of North Carolina Senators to take mica off the free list and place on it a duty of 25 per cent.

—Rutherford Herald: The fruit is all killed by the cold snap. Cabbage and other plants that were up fared the same fate as the fruit.

—G. E. Webb has secured entire control of the old weekly Durham Recorder and also an interest in the National Tobaccoist and Grocer.

—Charlotte Observer: R. D. Heath of Charlotte bought the Newton Cotton Mills Monday for \$31,000.

## AN OPEN LETTER!

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