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**NOTICE.**  
Application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina during the 1907 July session for certain changes in and amendments to the Charter of Fayetteville, N. C.  
Dec. 10, 1906.

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### THE PRESIDENT'S WANING INFLUENCE.

We had occasion the other day to speak of the President as a crazy jingoist and monarchist. That is not very polite, but it expresses the truth in dealing with the recent acts of one in such a exalted position as his--acts of a character so astounding as to take the breath away: the wretched Belamy-Storer episode; the threat to use the army and navy in coercing the State of California; the declaration of the purpose to obliterate State lines and centralize the government; and so on.

The President has so many lovely qualities that people have overlooked his defects of temper and his want of training in the science of government. But he has lately permitted his impulses to run riot even in dealing with the most serious and momentous questions of State.

In a long editorial of great ability, the Baltimore Sun reviews the President's recent course, suggests that its effect must be the certain decline of his influence with the people, and presents the following well-considered view of the manner of man who should fill the office of head of this great government:

The popular conception of a statesman of the first rank is that he is a man who is wise in all that pertains to government; that he is discreet, self-contained and well-balanced; that he never allows his prejudice to run away with his judgment; that he is dignified in manner and practices always that sobriety of speech which is most becoming in men of exalted position. This was the American ideal for many years. Perhaps it is the ideal even now of the majority of the citizens of this republic, albeit times have changed and statesmen seem to have changed with them.

If, perchance, a statesman, who is also President of the United States, in the hurly-burly of political warfare or personal controversy, as President Roosevelt has done in the last year, give expression to extravagant and what by many are considered dangerous opinions, may there not be ground for the fear that he will lose a part of the influence which he is supposed to exercise over the people? The office which Mr. Roosevelt holds is the most exalted in the gift of the American people. The man who receives a commission from the people to be the head of this republic for four years is its Chief Magistrate--is more highly honored than the king who occupies a throne by the law of succession and not as the deliberate and voluntary choice of his subjects.

The American statesman who is elevated to the Presidency of the United States ought, by reason of the tremendous responsibilities imposed upon him and the majesty of his office, to cultivate reserve, moderation, dignity of speech and a proper restraint in his official and personal intercourse with others. He should be a man of light and leading in all that pertains to the affairs of the nation. In the discussion of public questions he may be forceful and direct if he choose, but always within the bounds of decorum and reason--such decorum as is naturally associated with the office of a Chief Magistrate. The President who stands in this relation to the people, who is always identified in their minds with seriousness of purpose, a judicial temper, gravity of thought and speech and an unflinching regard for the dignity of his office, will always wield influence with the people.

### SOUTH CAROLINA WITHIN HER RIGHTS IN IMPORTING LABORERS.

A Washington dispatch gives the following interesting and important information concerning the recent importation of laborers by the State of South Carolina:

An important decision that undoubtedly will attract widespread attention, especially in labor union circles, to the effect that the prohibitions of the contract labor laws have no direct application either to a State, or to an officer of a State acting in its behalf and pursuant to its authority, was to-day made public by Oscar S. Straus, the new secretary of commerce and labor.

The opinion was handed down by the solicitor of the department, and has the approval of Secretary Straus. There is thus settled, until further action either by the Department of Justice or the federal courts, a question that has been a matter of controversy between the government authorities and labor leaders and others opposed to unrestricted immigration. The decision will be of special interest in the South, many States in that section having passed laws with a view to attracting desirable immigration.

The decision of to-day was based upon the action of the authorities of South Carolina in bringing from abroad 500 or more immigrants for employment in various industries. It appears from the records, that for some time the agricultural and manufacturing industries of South Carolina have been retarded and were in danger of material injury because of the lack of labor. The South Carolina mills, it was shown, tried, in the State itself, in adjoining States, and in various parts of the country, to secure the necessary labor, but without success.

To relieve this condition, the South Carolina Legislature passed a law creating a department of agriculture, commerce and immigration, and appointing a commissioner at its head who was charged generally with the

Danger in Asking Advice.

When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it, as there is danger in taking such an unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. --McDuffie Drug Store, O. O. Souders, Proprietor.

### THE ROCK HILL PLAN.

New England Town Government.

It has already been mentioned in The Times-Dispatch that Newport has returned to the old New England town government system, and the first election under the new charter was held last week. According to one of our New England contemporaries, two principles are emphasized in the proposed plan, namely, the plan is concentrated. Administrative power is concentrated in the Mayor and five Aldermen, much in the manner of the Galveston system; but there is also created a very large Council, composed of 100 members, or thirty-nine from each of the wards.

The charter provides that any voter may attend a Council session and participate in its discussions, as in a town meeting, although the voting power is confined to the 195 Council members. It is also provided that every vote of the Council involving an appropriation of \$10,000 or more shall be tested by a popular referendum, if seven days after the Council session and a referendum is requested by 100 voters at large and ten voters from each ward.

The Mayor and Aldermen are directly responsible to the Council, all Council members are elected by the people. All other city officers, except the school committee, are chosen by the Council.

The charter further provides that no party or emblem shall appear on the official ballots in the city elections, the theory being that ordinary politics has nothing to do with municipal housekeeping, and the candidates are elected by the people. All other city officers, except the school committee, are chosen by the Council.

### SPOUT SPRINGS DOTS.

Mr. N. A. Smith has built a new store on the Buffalo. We wish him much success in his mercantile business.

We are sorry to state our friend, Mr. J. D. Cameron, had the misfortune of losing his house by fire yesterday evening. It is supposed that the fire was caused by rats carrying matches off.

Mr. J. D. McKethan, from Siler City, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. W. H. Smith, this week.

Miss Pearl McKay visited her brother at Sanford last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Henry Culbreth was at Mr. C. H. Cameron's to-day.

Miss Kate Bell and Florence Cameron spent last Saturday night at Mr. A. Darroch's.

Mrs. W. A. Johnson spent last week with her father-in-law, Mr. A. D. Cameron.

With best wishes and a merry Christmas, **HIMSCUS.**  
Dec. 19, 1906.

Reprint, News-Herald: "There is at least one effective, safe, and reliable Cure--Dr. Shoop's--that we regard as suitable, even for the youngest child. For years, Dr. Shoop's boricop has been the use of opium or narcotics in medicine, offering \$10 per drop to anyone finding Opium, Chloroform, or any other poisonous or narcotic ingredient in Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And the challenge is as yet unanswered. Here is one manufacturing physician, who welcomes with much satisfaction the new Government Pure Food and Drug Law. The public can now protect itself at all times, by insisting on having Dr. Shoop's, when a cough remedy is needed." Sold by B. E. Sedberry's Son.

A Miraculous Cure.

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Two days treatment free. Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets for impaired digestion, improve breath, perfect assimilation of food, increased appetite. Do not fail to avail yourself of the above offer. Sold by McKethan & Co.

### MISSISSIPPI TAR HEEL.

Food Commissioner's Report.

The Minnesota Dairy and Food Commissioner's analysis shows that Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar contains no opiate, and croton oil is a violent poisonous purgative. Refuse to accept any but Foley's Honey and Tar in yellow package. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates or dangerous drugs and is the best cough and cold cure. --McDuffie Drug Store, O. O. Souders, Proprietor.

If you like Coffee but dare not drink it, try Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. It is true that real coffee does disturb the stomach, heart and kidneys. But Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee has not a grain of real coffee in it. Being made from parched grains, malt, etc, it forms a wholesome, food-like drink, yet having the true flavor of Old Java and Mocha Coffee. "Made in a minute." Call at our store for a free sample. Sold by A. S. Hanks.

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### SALMAGUNDI'S COMMENTS.

CAMERON, N. C., Dec. 11th, 1906.

MR. EDITOR:

Thanksgiving day has passed in review and Christmas day is drawing near. The first mentioned is presumably a day set apart annually for returning special homage to the Creator of all things for the manifold blessing that are flowing from His inexhaustible stores for their comfort, peace and happiness in this life and the hope inspired in that which is to come. Now it occurs to us to ask, is there an earnest resolve in this also, to see the advertisements of the shrewd speculators in flaming colors in the columns of the religious and secular papers. Extraordinary efforts are put forth to further strip the already very poor and add to the stocks of those already in affluence. Give the glory to the great God by upholding our protective system against the paupers of the outside world, and on these annual occasions we will allow you a free lunch at the soup houses.

Is that what the Great God meant when he instituted the golden rule? To me he said, "I've no profitable servants; I am an independent God, but I created free and equal, enjoin you to obedience, to help one another, and not to prey upon one another; you can deceive one another, but I will know you; nothing will be plucked out of My hand, and My judgment will be just."

Christmas will be celebrated along the same lines as Thanksgiving Day. As a rule the great masses, who are stealing the common given to their creatures by the great author of time and space from under the foot of the silly goose, are the most conspicuous on these occasions. The great barbers, football, pugilistic encounters, fire works of every sort, will be manifest on every hand, and crowded with intemperate pleasure seekers, will be racing along the same streets where poor lame, maimed, partially deaf and blind, will be striving to cross, and a thousand other things will occur through carelessness of the most criminal nature. All this will be given to the reading public by the reporters as accidents of the occasion, and the manufacturing of the implements of destruction will go on until the next occasion for using them. See the Rockefeller's, Carnegies, J. P. Morgans and Armours, as captains of industries, all charged with violations of common laws--some of them convicted and fined a paltry sum, but going on with the same business at the old stand.

It is not the mere packers are still allowed to can garbage; Rockefeller's hammering down stocks to force the little ones to the wall or competition to jump into the band wagon. And, now, we want to ask some one who is able and willing to answer: Did these corporations get a charter from the national or State governments to do whatever they are doing under specified rules, and if they have forfeited their right to proceed by violation of the contract? Is the State or nation powerless to annul that contract? IS THAT SO?

Some crank stumbles the world once in a while by asking, is life worth living, or is marriage a failure? Now, the answer to these questions depends on the honor of the contracting parties. So with the privileges granted by the one and accepted and lived up to by the other--nation or State or the one hand and the corporation or individual on the other. But so potent a factor has money become that many of the advertisements inserted in the public prints are headed thus:

Ginseng. \$5  
Swamp Root. Kodai.  
Duffy's Pure Malt Whisky, and certain representing old men, barefooted and barelegged, in knee breeches, footstrapping, and owing it all to the healthifying elixir, pure copper distilled.

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Of Gunther's Candy it has been stated by an eminent specialist that "the most searching chemical tests fail to show the slightest trace of adulteration or sophistication; or, indeed, the presence of any foreign matter or any ingredient other than is healthful."

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**SEDBERRY'S SON,**  
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