

THE CAUCASIAN

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AND HAVE THE TRUTHFUL NOT EVEN ONE WRITER WHO IS TRUTHFUL.

Some weeks ago the Charlotte Observer had a Mr. H. E. Bryant, a representative of that paper, to travel through the Eastern section of North Carolina for the purpose of learning the conditions as they existed in that territory as regards the negro, and also to write his impressions of affairs as he found them.

In one of Mr. Bryant's letters, and published in the Observer, he uses the most vilifying and slanderous statements that has ever been published in that paper. So false was the statement that a number of the most prominent Democrats of Tarboro were aroused at the great injustice done Mr. Fountain and sent to the Observer for publication a card stating the truth of the slander and that the charge was without foundation.

But we have another case in point even more serious than the base slander of Mr. Fountain and that is the cruel and malicious attempt to rob a home of its purity. Elsewhere in this issue we publish a card from Dr. Mayo, of Edgecombe, denouncing in no uncertain language the defamatory article written by Mr. Bryant and also published in the Charlotte Observer and reprinted by the lowest of negro hounding sheets, the News and Observer.

There has probably not been a Democratic speech made in North Carolina in this campaign in which the speaker has not paid a tribute, often growing fulsome in his praise, to the Populists who had the patriotism to leave the Democratic party in 1892.

Such expressions fall strangely upon the ears of the Populist, coming as they do from the same men who then advised and were responsible for the social ostracism which the wives and daughters of Populists were made to suffer—the same who made an inhuman campaign of rotten eggs and abuse against Populists because they had the courage to do then the thing of which they are now unshamed in their praise.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 29.—Hon. C. H. J. Taylor, the colored man who held the District of Columbia under Mr. Cleveland, has announced his purpose of stamping the State of New York against the candidacy of Taddy Roosevelt for the Governorship.

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monopolies is another essential and necessary remedy for the eradication of trust and combines and the destruction of blighting influence of the gold standard? They will have to learn to advocate this reform and several others before the People's Party will have no excuse to live.

The Democratic party, aside from the question of learning these other reforms, is showing unmistakable signs of backsliding from the position in favor of free coinage of silver which they took or rather were forced to take in 1896.

But we do not have to go outside of North Carolina for such evidence; and this brings us back to the Democratic politicians in this State and their actions and their utterances in this campaign. In their State convention they rejected our proposition to co-operate in a fight for free silver and a legislative opposed to co-operation rule.

As we said above, we are glad they have learned Populists are right and patriotic. Perhaps, in the course of time, they will learn also that Populists are so strong in the consciousness of this, that they will remain in the Peoples Party.

THE CAUCASIAN'S PREDICTIONS TRUE.

More than a year ago THE CAUCASIAN predicted the sort of campaign the Democratic leaders would make this year, and in each issue of the paper for weeks warned the people against the influences which were mapping out such a plan of campaign.

We showed them that the only way by which the reform elements in all parties, the friends of W. J. Bryan and the principles he advocates, could be kept from winning a complete victory over gold and monopoly, was to keep them divided; and who was so interested in doing this as the gold standard and corporation crowd?

We showed further that the only hope they could possibly have of keeping these elements divided would be to howl "nigger" loud enough to sidetrack the issues upon which they were agreed.

The editorials above referred to are so pertinent to the present political situation that we have decided to reproduce them in THE CAUCASIAN. It is an attempt to do two things reproduced in this issue.

The following bit of news was last week sent out by the Associated Press, and published by all of the daily newspapers outside of North Carolina. In as much as it deals with a subject in which a certain class of the Democratic Press of the State is deeply concerned, we presume their failure to publish was due to oversight.

We publish the above, not to call attention to the fact that this negro Democratic Administration, for that it is well known; but there is a statement in it made by the ex-recorder that is new to us, and which only serves to emphasize the great love and high esteem in which he must have been held by the Democratic Administration.

It is this; that a Republican, Mr. Roosevelt, now Republican candidate for Governor of New York, extended his whole influence to have the negro ousted from his position over white ladies, but the Democratic Administration kept him there.

What a magnificent subject for a cartoon! The very thought of it should be enough to turn the 'Goddess of Democracy' mad.

THE DEMOCRAT OF NEW YORK has met in State convention and nominated Judge Augustus Van Wyck to head their State ticket.

The Executive Committee of the National Democratic party, the Gold Standard Democrats, met and decided that Justice Augustus C. Van Wyck was acceptable to them as a candidate for Governor.

And yet, the North Carolina Democratic convention was controlled by men holding the same views held by these self-styled national Democrats.

The following is taken from an editorial in the Washington Post of October 1st and THE CAUCASIAN reproduces it for the especial benefit of those Democratic free silver shrews in the campaign of 1896.

How can any honest newspaper advise or approve the "putting aside of the question of Federal policy—a question of such overwhelming importance as the 16 to 1 issue—in a campaign that is to elect all the members of the House and one-third of the members of the other house of Congress?

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A LITTLE SUFFERER

Face, Hands and Arms Covered With Scrofulous Humors—How a Cure Was Effected.

When three years old my little boy had scrofula on his face, hands and arms. It was worst on his chin, although the sores on his cheeks and hands were very bad. It appeared in the form of red pimples which would fester, break open and run and then scab over.

HOOD'S PILLS cured Liver, Stomach, Blood and Skin. It is a safe, reliable, and effective medicine.

THE CAUCASIAN prints elsewhere in this issue a card from Ex-Judge Allen explaining his connection with the Freeman Davis case.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO HON. W. R. ALLEN AND OTHERS.

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Woman's Mysterious Ills.

Explanation of their nature by Dr. Hartman, who tells how to cure them.



Women are constantly puzzled about their health. Indeed female troubles puzzle all women. Older women have experience, but few possess the knowledge which should be sufficient to convict the said Freeman Davis.

DEAR SIR:—I began to take Per-na when I lived in Columbus, O. in 1887, and have used it ever since whenever I needed medicine.

There is nothing mysterious about the action of Per-na. It is not a "cure-all," but it cures catarrh wherever located, and there may be catarrh in any organ of the body, as all are lined with mucous membrane.

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KEANSVILLE, N. C., Aug. 12, 1896.

Dear Sir:—I had promised Freeman Davis to see you when I carried him up to the mountain, but I was very sick baby and had to see a Deputy.

The Constable who served the warrant said that the defendant insisted upon a trial, but it was not tried and prosecution proposed a compromise.

I have before me an affidavit filed in the case, which states that Freeman Davis, being duly sworn, says that she cannot obtain evidence sufficient to convict the said Freeman Davis.

I also have before me receipts showing the Freeman Davis paid prosecution fees \$27.50 and their attorney signed by L. V. Grady, Attorney.

These receipts from the woman state that it is an full settlement of all claims the bars or is about to have against him.

A short while after this settlement he brought another action for the same offense, but that was dismissed. This warrant was placed in my hands, and the girl's father came to me and asked me not to serve it, stating that he had been paid for trial, and that he had been paid for trial.

I refused to hold the warrant as a menace, and served it. Mr. Allen appeared, and L. V. Grady, the attorney for the woman, appeared and sentenced to two years, Allen tried to persuade the court to change the sentence and require defendant to pay the cost of the trial, but the court refused.

Since the trial I heard L. V. Grady say that he thought it was very doubtful, or did not believe, that it was worth the cost of the trial.

During court here last week Mr. Allen came to that Davis Jones and myself and told us that Davis came very near being pardoned, but that he was not pardoned, and that he had just consulted the prosecution, and they were willing to do as he directed; then proposed that he should be pardoned, and that he would have the prosecution join in the petition for pardon.

As we have asked you to pardon the man I feel that these facts should be made known to you, and that you should not be prohibited by allowing prosecutions (or execution) in the name of the State to prevent your early action granting our petition will be greatly appreciated.

I enclose transcript of the record of the trial, and the receipt for the woman, I assure you it will be done. Yours, etc.

W. R. MILLARD, County Supervisor. THAD JONES, Jr., Register of Deeds, Duplin county. D. MOORE, Sheriff Duplin county.

KEANSVILLE, N. C., July 10, 1896. To His Excellency, DANIEL L. RUSSELL, Governor of North Carolina, Raleigh, N. C.

My Dear Old Friend: It is many years since we have met; as my address is now in Raleigh, I am far from home, and I do not remember to have seen you since you were on the bench in this county. However, I knew you were in Raleigh, and I was glad to see you.

I would be delighted to receive an autograph from you, and I would be glad to see you, but I am sure you are too busy to do so. I am sure you are too busy to do so.

W. J. SUTTON. BISHOP'S IRON HERVE. Was the result of his splendid health. He was a man of great energy and was not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities, get Bishop's Iron Herve. It is the best medicine for the purpose of making you know throughout the State, I have had ten thousand copies struck off and mean to give you the full benefit of them.