THREE MONTHS.....

AN ADMISSION THAT IS SIGNIFICANT. The Atlanta Constitution sent : special reporter to North Carolinduring the last campaign, and open ed wide its columns to assist Simmons and his machine in running ; negro scare-crow campsign. Hun dreds of thousands of copies of the Simmons machine is that it is fight-Constitution, with highly colored po litical articles supporting Simmon, and his machine, were broadcasted over the State. Since the last legis lature adjourned, the Atlanta Con stitution has been defending Sim- opinions. mons' thieving election law and his proposed Constitutional Amendmen to disfranchise voters. The Constitu-

scheme. this dishonest measure, such refusa The above facts make the follow ing editorial admission by the At- must proceed from a dishonorable lanta Constitution, with reference to motive. the Amendment very algnificant. We referred to this matter in last tion to the fact that there were some week's issue, but on account of the papers in North Carolina in the camcircumstances referred to above it paign of 1896 which called them deserves further notice in this week's selves Democratic, but which fought issue. In an editorial discussing the against the Chicago platform and tiary farms in Halifax county; and Louisiana scheme and the proposed did all they could to defeat Bryan. North Carolina scheme of disfran- Why were not these papers "read out done the reported outrages if they chising, that paper says:

tion has also advised the State ma-

chine in Georgia to adopt the same

"At any rate, if the Supreme Simmons in reply to this question Court of the United States, should would also be of consinerable interever, in any case from North Caro- est to the North Carolina public. lina, Louisiana, or Georgia, hold that the Amendment of this character (that is the grandson of the grandfather clause, known as the Fifth Section violates the 15th Amend ment of the Federal Constitution still the balance of the proposed amendment would be constitutional and the educational qualification would stand; and that would accomplish incalculable good."

It will be seen from the above edi torial extract that the Constitution admits that Section 5 of the proposed disfranchising scheme may be declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court of the United States, and that the Court might simply knock out that section and leave the remaining sections of the proposed amendment to stand. It not only admits that the Court could do this, but it admits that when the Court does this that the educational qualifleation would apply to disfranchise both illiterate whites and blacks alike. The Constitution not only makes this admission, but goes s step further and says it would be good thing if the Court so held.

Now, what does this mean? I means exactly what we have often stated, and what has often been denied by Simmons and his machine in this State, that is that their purpose in offering this amendment to make it all constitutional except section five and to make that section so em phatically unconstitutional and stand it off by itself so distinct and separate from the remainder of the amendment, that the Court not only could, but would declare section 5 unconstitutional and leave the remainder of the amendment to stand. This is exactly what we believe Simmons and his machine had in mind when they drew that amendment, and, further, that it is what they state for that paper. At least there expected the Supreme Court to do if the amendment should be adopted. If this was not their purpose, why did they not put section 4 and 5 in one paragraph as several members of the Democratic cancus insisted upon being done? If Mr. Simmons or any member of that secret Democratic caucus can answer this or throw any light upon this matter, we will be glad to open our columns to them.

THE POU AFFIDAVIT AGAIN.

We have had a great many calls for the last issue of the CAUCASIAN machine "was a fight for principle." law, which does not bear the least containing the Pou affidavit. This a part of the campaign literature possessed by the proverbial govern. pending before the legislature not of the last campaign, and was made ment mule. However such stateby Mr. James H. Pou, ex-Chairman ments as these are not a new depart- election law, but when they were of the Democratic state Executive ure in the columns of the News and assailed by the helpless minority of Committee. This affidavit of Mr. Observer. Pou's was to the effect that the Democratic party, if it got in powchising measure whatever whether last campaign made an urgent ap- that had passed they would give directed against whiles or blacks, peal to the leaders of the Democratic | the people a fair and honest election and that furthermore, if such a party in this State to join with all law admitting that the present elecproposition was offered to a Dem- the other silver forces in the grind out the constitutional amendceive a single Democratic vote. Mr. nancial reform. They knew that people voted for it or not. Pou further stated in this affidavit the State was carried for Bryan that those who made the charge and free silver in 1896 by a twenty against the Democratic leaders that thousand majority through such a direction of Simmons and his mathey intended to put through any union of forces as they were then chine henchmen selected for the has been a very successful trick in resident merchants. disfranchising measure whatever, urging, and they knew it could be purposes were guilty of wilful falsehood. As so carried again without any surrenstated above, we have had so many der to the gold and monopoly Demo- North state will ever endorse such calls for extra copies of the paper erats of the State. And it is need corrupt methods. have been unable to supply, we chine in this State knew this also

Because the Asheville Gazette, as the rank and file of their followers an independent Democratic newspa- who were true silver men, they must our noble ancestors fought and died paper has preferred to oppose dis- needs trump up some misleading ishonest methods in elections and has sue. The negro was very handy mabitterly fought Simmons' election terial, and hence followed one of the law, every means open to the ma- most disgraceful campaigns this shine to read it out of the party has State has ever known. been reserted to.

The Gazette has been giving Mr. Tonight Simmons and his machine considera-

of the State would grow too full of

indignation for utterance every time

the Gazette was referred to as a

besides merely reading it out of the

party had to be' done, and Mr. Sim-

mons "done" it. It was a big job,-

one requiring considerable diligence

at research as well as an aptitude

for invention, but Mr. Simmons was

equal to the task. He has hunted

around and made the discovery that

ing for political liberty in North

Carolina, and desiring honest elec-

tions, it is Mr. Simmons' firm belief

In other words the test of machine

support of a dishonest election law.

mation of the machine) that because

the Grzette has refused to support

In this connection we call atten-

of the party?" An answer from Mr.

SQUIRMS BUT DOES NOT DENY.

THE CAUCASIAN, in its last issue,

contained an editorial headed: "Let

us Keep History Straight," in

which reference was made to Mr.

a great many of these same Demo-

crats who helped Cleveland to put

the country under the gold stand-

ard are still in Congress, most of

them posing because they have as

and file of their party is over-

whelmingly forsilver. In this con-

fact that the editor of the News

WHAT ARE THE FACTS?

The News and Observer has a

staff correspondent in Kentucky re-

porting the political fight in that

is appearing in that paper over the

signature of one Sapp special com-

an account of the fight in that State.

In one of these communications

What are the facts ?

belief.

If your liver is out of order, causing Biliousness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, or Constipation, take a dose of

Democratic paper. Something else Hood's Pills

On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been the experience of others; it will be yours. HOOD'S PILLS are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

This was the "campaiga for printhe opinions of the Gazette have iple," which, according to the News been bought, and he writes a long end Observer, was waged by the open letter which his press is giving Democratic machine in the last camwide circulation to, asserting this as a fact, because based upon his "firm Oa tue other hand the fight in The Gazette's Terime lagainst the

Kentucky is a fight for principle or the great principle of political iberty. Men of all parties who favor the freedom of the ballot, the right to vote and to have that vote counted. that it is dishonest enough to sell its are fighting Mr. Goebel and the Democratic machine of that state. for the reason that it is the undisguised purpose of that machine to Democracy in North Carolina is the teal the election for Goebel if pos-And it naturally follows (in the esti-

And so it will be in the next State ampaign of this State when Mr Simmons and his machine will try to steal the election through their infamous thieving election law.

The wrath of certain machine Democratic papers have been excited on account of the alleged maltreat ment of the convicts on the penitenwhile we in no sense, endorse or conwere committed there, yet it becomes necessary to stop the crocodile tears of the editors of the papers over the \$100,000 of which was in cash. Mor affair by calling their attention to rison married his deceased wife about the fact that during the election last seventeen years ago. At one time year they uttered not one word of condemnation of the men who killed a great number of innocent and itoffensive negroes by bringing on a muted He was born and reared in riot in Wilmington. If whipping McKinley's recent statement that convicts severely is cause for indigthe country was put under the gold nant protest now, will they properly subsequently moved with her pastandard by Cleveland through characterize the slaughter of the rents to Topeka, Kansas. the repeal of the purchasing clause Wilmington negroes? If unmerciof the Sherman Act. We called at- fully whipping convicts is characteristic of Russian and Liberian civiliwas supported in this policy by a zation, will they tell us on what nancial condition, and made an off-r majority of the Democrats in Con- high (?) plane of civilization we shall of marriage. He pretended that his gress, both houses of which was place the brutal killing of those ne-

then largely Democratic; and that groes. est as foreshadowing results in the pondence with Miss Whittlesey, urg- The unprecedented rainfall connext Presidential election. Both the Democratic and Republican silver men found out that the rank party in that state, however, have he could do so honorably, and by- Liner has been delayed four days. corporation candidates for Governor, and whichever party wins the nection we called attention to the result as it will effect trusts etc . will be practically the same. Major and Observer who was at that time Jones, of Toledo, is also in the race holding a fat job in Washington as an Independent candidate for under Cleveland, was supporting Governor. He is running on a Mr. Cleveland's policy and writing platform about the same as the letters to his paper advocating it, People's Party platform. Should and that he was fighting Vance, he be elected Governor the people who was then opposing Cleveland would have in him a friend. But it and Ransom. We stated this was is rather too soon we presume for now at the of Mr. Simmons, who is such a tribune of the people to be also true head of the Democratic elected in such a party-ridden state party inthis State. The editor of as Ohio. However, it is admitted. the News and Observer replied to even by the Associated Press which this editorial by saying that this is always opposed to such move-"proves the CAUCASIAN has joined ments, that Mr. Jones' vote will be hands with Senator Pritchard." A a considerable factor in the result. very conclusive answer to be sure. THE CAUCASIAN would like to see him elected Governor of Ohio.

THE SIMMONS ELECTION LAW.

Dr. Harris on the Thieving law. Dr. I. A. Harris writes a very sensible and timely communication to munications from Kentucky giving the Asheville Gazette, and independent Democratic paper which is opposed to the thieving election law, this correspondent said that the fight from which article we make the fol-

in Kentucky this year was fiereer lowing extract: and bitterer than the campaign in As to the real intent of the pro-North Carolina last year, but that it posed constitutional amendment and differed from it in that the campaign what its result would be if it should played the greater part, while the should be directed to the "amendcampaign in North Carolina last | ment" than to the provisions of the year upon the part of the Democratic unfair and disfranchising election resemblance to fairness upon its

It takes more cheek to make a face. affidavit it will be remembered was statement of this kind than was ever I am told while this measure was one of its promoters had the audacity the house and an appeal was made in behalf of the honest people of the Mr. Bryan and Chairman Jones, intended to pass it for the purpose state, their only reply was that they er, would not permit any disfran- both in their official capacity in the of carrying the amendment; after

and manipulated by democrats ap-

SIMMONS HAN MADE A DISCOVERY. to cover up their treachery toward the people, so as to sap out the very him. life blocd of that most sacred right and power of every citizen for which

of the state this infamous thieving election law than in passing the proposed Constitutional Amendment There is something in this view of be matter. THE CAUCASIAN ban op s-veral occassion called attention to the fact that as long as the people of the state would tolerate Simmon and his crowd of ballot-bex stuffers and permit them to keep on the statute books such an election las by which to steal votes by the whole sale, that it was not necessary to have any amendment to disfranchisany body. It is clear, as Dr. Harris points out, that Sammons and his band of ballot box stuffers de no want the election law to be the issue

A MINISTER HANGED. Convicted of Wife-Murder-Story of th

in the next campaign.

Crime. DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 27 .- Rev. G. E. Morrison was hanged at 12 o'cleck o-day at Vernon. Texas, for wife murder. He met his death resignedly. On the scaffold he said to the select party of twenty witnesses permitted at the execution:

"I am innocent. Circumstances ver which I had no control have placed me in this position. I have sken my trouble in private to my God. I admit that I have acted indiscreetly. I have done no worse. lowever, than hundreds of men who stand high in the religious, social, business, and official circles of your State. I have done nothing to confess. I am in the hands of my Ma ker. He knows I am innocent."

Morrison's neck was broken, and his death appeared to be painless. The crime for which Rev. G. E. Morrison paid the death penalty was the poisoning of his wife in October, 1897. The motive for the crime was to rid himself of a pretty, amiable, loving wife, in order that he might marry a lady possessed of means, they lived in California; then they lived in Oklahoma Territory, from which place they moved o the Pand 1. Texas, where the crime was com Ininois, and went to school at Carbondale. There he became acquain-

In August previous to the poisoning of his Wife in October, 1897, Morrison met Miss Wnittlesey, his school Reichstag. day aweetheart, ascertained her fi ooked to with considerable inter- return to Texas he began a corres- ers badly damaged ing his proposition of marriage, sta- tinues. Telegraph wires are down ting that he had for a number of and it is impossible for v-ss-ls to enlieved he could now see the time. The United States transport Burg-This statement was made one month side has been kept cruising outside

ing his chickens. On the day previ. The glass is s ill failing. ous he had procured a box of quiuentertainment, leaving Morrison at home, he having said he had to prepare his Sunday sermon. The next to the druggist, telling him that he was afraid to use it for fear he would poison his neighbor's chickens. The

Sunday night he preached, and alluded in a pathetic manner to the About ten o'clock that night he called upon his neighbors for assistance, announcing the serious illness of his wife. She was found in paroxysms and spasms. He delayed sending for a doctor, who arrived af-

ter th wife's death. In the mean time, he had kept up his correspondence with Miss Whittlesey, writing her a letter two days before the death of his wife and the day after her burial, asserting his love in the most lavish terms.

In the latter letter he announced the death of his brother's wife, and eral Buller, and permission has alnotified her of his early visit to Topeks.

On his return from Topeka he was arrested, held a few days, was released on bond, and fl d. About 3 months thereafter he was arrested in in Kentucky was more a personal be passed, suspicious as it is, the San Francisco, returned to Texas. democratic leaders must prefer, I tried with Miss Whittlesey as the fight in which personal prejudices think, that the minds of the people main prosecuting witness, and given the death penalty.

JUDGE MAY BE REMOVED.

Sequal of His Failure to Attend Court in

LONDON DEPOT. Ky., Oct. 29th. Circuit Judge Eversole will not go with the State militia to the Clay County Court to-morrow, for to-day he received an intimation that he is about to lose his office, because fear- blasts of a passing locomotive. The ing assassination, he did not go to people soon rush d out to discover Manchester, as it was his duty to do. He has gone to Frankfort to learn if

This election machine is controlled instead by friends of the French fac- bales were burned, nineteen of 'His Reyal Highness reciprocates pointed by the legislature under the stray bullets, or the blame be laid son & Co., of Raleigh, and the bal sentiments so elequently expressed feudal warfare.

No Oath of Fidelity For Lacret.

HAVANA, Oct. 28.—General Lacret. the former Cuban commander, has of Machias, Me., when the doctors said The loss of health is more." Health is help me God." containing this affidavit, which we less to add that the Democratic ma- The people of North Carolina are been offered the post of inspector of she could not live till morning" writes lost b, neglecting to keep the blood conservative. Even in her darkest prisons and police by Senor Capote, Mrs. S H. Lincoln, who attended her pure, but it is regained by purifying, have been unable to supply, we chine in this State knew this also history the state was slow to move, head of the Department of Government of next issue. The affidavit will reappear in our columns next week,
and should you desire any extra
and should you desire any extra
copies please send in your request

The affidavit will reand J consider that the people have
not had a more scrious question before them than this present one
since 1861. Will the free, liberty
loving people of North Carolina reloving people of North C copies please send in your request followers of Cleveland and Rarsom, main quiet and let the Simmons ring spite of the fact that he badly ther use completely cured her." This they preferred to surrender to that rule schemes develop slowly needed the money which the accept marvelous medicine is guaranteed to slass, and so they did. But in order until entwined and fastened upon ance of the place would bring to cure all Throa'. Chest and Lung ance of the place would bring to cure all Throa', Chest and Lung him. Diseases. Only 50c and \$100. Trial

A FRIGHTFUE BLUNDER

Will often cause a horrible Burn,

This fearful disease often first appears Results Fatally in Nine as a mere scratch, a pimple, or lump in the breast, too small to attract any notice, until, in many cases, the deadly disease is fully developed. Cure Found at Last. Cancer can not be cured by a surgical

operation, because the disease is a virulent poison in the blood, circulating throughout the system, and although the sore or ulcer-known as the Cancer-may be cut away, the poison remains in the blood, and promptly breaks out afresh, with renewed violence.

The wonderful success of S. S. S. in curing obstinate, deep-scated blood diseases which were considered incurable, induced a few despairing sufferers to try it for Cancer, after exhausting the skill of the physicians without a cure. Much to their delight S. S. S. proved equal to the disease and promptly effected a cure. The glad news spread rapidly, and it was soon demonstrated

beyond doubt that a cure had at last been found for deadly Cancer. Evidence has accumulated which is incontrovertible, of which the following is a specimen:

"Cancer is hereditary in our family, my father, a sister and an aunt having died from this dreadful disease. My feelings may be imagined when the horrible disease made its appearance on my side. It was a malignant Cancer, eating inwardly in such a way as to cause great alarm. The disease seemed beyond the skill of the doctors, for their treatment did no good whatever, the Cancer growing worse all the while Numerous remedies were used for it but the Cancer grew steadily worse, until it seemed that I was doomed to follow the others of the family, for I know how deadly Cancer is, especially

when inherited. I was advised to try Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), which, from the first day, forced out the poison. I continued its use until I had taken eighteen bottles, when I was cured sound and well, and have had no symptoms of the dreadful affliction, though many years have elapsed. S. S. S. is the only cure for Cancer .- MRS. S M. IDOL, Winston, N. C. Our book on Cancer, containing other testimonials and valuable

information, will be sent free to any address by the Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

GERMAN NAVAL PROGRAM.

orty-eight Big Ships to Be Built in the Next Fight-en Years.

BERLIN, Oct. 28. - The Norddentsche Allgemeine Zeitung tonight publishes the new naval program. The Emperor proposes to double the navy by forming two new squadrons, each of which will consist of ten sbips of the line, with cruisers and torpedo boats. According to the plan, forty-eight

big ships will be launched between 1901 and 1917.

The Norddentsche Allgemeine Zeitung declares that the program can be carried out without any new taxation. A loan will be floated to cover the outlay.

The paval program will shortly be submitted to the Bundesrath and

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Oct. 29.- Af-

that he had quit preaching, had been storms a terrific burricane from the successfully engaged in the cattle Southeast swept over Santiago to business for eight years, and owned day, causing much destruction The campaign in Ohio is being a ranch near Higgins, Tex. On his twelve houses were wrecked and oth-

years intended to come to her when ter or leave the harbor. A Ward the harber, and fears are entertained He procured strychnine for the os- for the safety of the fleet of schoontensible purpose of poisoning ani- ers from Hairi and Jamaica that mals, which, he said, were destroy. usually arrive on Monday morning.

Kingston, Jamaica, Oct 29 -R. ine, with empty capsules. On Fri- ports of the severe rainstorm that day night before her death Mrs wor- has swept the country arrive from rison went to the Swiss Belt-Ringers' various points and confirm the fear that extensive damage had been done L'eut. Les Ordered to the Philippin The Rio Cobre inundated Spanish town, doing considerable harm, parmorning he took the strychnine back ticularly to the power plant of the electric railway. All the railway lines are interrupted and most of the highways impassable in consequence

> of the floods and landsides. Advices from the town of Black River, report great damage to shipserious injury to crops.

England Will Permit On y One Officer to

operations in the Transvaal, and the per bottle. r quest may be with drawn. England ficer, Captain Slocumb, military attache at Berlin, to accompany Genofficers to accompany Buller does not excite surprise among offieign military attaches are not welcome in the field in time of war. four Americans to accompany Buller she cannot limit the attaches

Fire at Learinburg. LAURINBURG, N. C. Oct. 30 .- Sunday night about 1 o'clock our town ring court, that he would be assass conflagration. About twenty-five

A NIGHT OF TERROR.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the "THE LOSS OF GOLD IS GREAT; widow of the brave General Burnham bottles free at all drug store.



HEADACHE is only a symptom-not a

disease. So are Backache, Nervousness, Dizziness and the Blues. They all come from an unhealthy state of the menstrual organs. If you suffer from any of these symptomsif you feel tired and languid in the morning and wish you could lie in bed another hour or two -if there is a bad taste in the mouth, and no appetite-if there is pain in the side, back or abdomen-BRADFIELD'S FEMALE REGULATOR will bring about a sure cure. The doctor may call your trouble some high-sounding Latin name, but never mind the name. The trouble is in the menstrual organs, and Bradfield's Female Regulator will restore you to health and regulate the menses like clockwork.

Sold by druggists for \$1 a bottle. A free Illustra THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO. ATLANTA. GA.

Lee, son of Brigadier General Fi'z hugh Lee, has been appointed First and, before he shall be entitled to enemy numbered 1,500 men, and Lieutepant in the Thirty-ninth volunteer infantry and ordered to ac- before the first day of March of company the Forty-seventh infantry from New York to the Philippines. where he will join his regiment. Les to vote, his poll tax, as prewas at one time a cadet at the Mili- scribed by law, for the previous year. parting with loved ones at death. ping and wharves there, as well as tary Academy, but failed to gradu-

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.

tried remedy, MRs. WIN-LOW'S SOOTH- erty. ernment has ascertained that Eng- ING SYRUP for children teething. It land is not disposed to grant its re- southes the child, softens the gums, quest that four American army fil- allays all pain, cures wied colic and cers be permitted to observe British 'is the best remedy for diarrhoea. 25 cts

has no objection to allowing one of- Admiral schley May Go to South Africa WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 .- Secretary no lineal descendant of any such per Long to day, discussing the probability of Admiral Schley taking the ready been granted him. The hesi- South Atlantic squadron to Delatation of England to allow four goa Bay, declared that there was no objection to his going there, and said that as South African territory prescribed in section 4 of this Article; was in the confines of the Sou h Provided, He shall bave registered Atlantic station, it was probable, in his opinion, that Schley would They are to observe for the benefit visit there. Government officials, of their own government, and they h wever, are exercising the greatsee things which the country at war est care to avoid saying anything vide for a permanent record of all does not want known. England ev- that could be construed by contiidently realizes that if she permits nental powers to mean that the United States intended to make a tion on or before November 1, 1908, naval demonstration in South Af- and all such persons shall be entitled rica as an incication that a conti- to register and vote at all elections United States.

Was aroused by the sharp, shrill The Prince of Wales Cannot attend the

that the cotton platform was on fire. Master of Masons of Virginia, R. T. There were about four hundred bales W. Duke, has received a letter from on the platform. The fire originated the Prince of Wales, grand master by the General Assembly shall be Twenty years ago he and his bro- at the corner of the platform near of the United Grand Lodge of Mather were leaders of the Eversole the railroad, and it is supposed to sons of England, in response to an faction of the French Eversole fend have caught from a passing engine. invitation to attend the centennial in Perry county, and as Perry is on- A portion of the platform and several of the death of most worshipful. ly sixty miles from Clay, back in the bales were ablaze when the crowd mountains, he fears that if a battle arrived; but much prompt and iff c served with the impressive Masonic before contains and several of the death of most worshipfut. Onna, except as in this Art. disqualified, shall be eligible to office, but the open of the death of most worshipfut. mountains, he fears that if a battle served; but much prompt and off c served with the impressive Masonic should take place in Manchester duties of the work prevented a des ructive ceremonic December 14 h. at Mount in the impressive Masonic before entering upon the duties of the work prevented a des ructive ceremonic December 14 h. at Mount in the impressive Masonic before entering upon the duties of the work prevented a des ructive ceremonic described by the contract of th ocratic Legislature it would not reState to carry the State for fiment, whether a majority of the ring court, that he would be assess:

ure of accepting the invitation."

Hoop's Pills are gentle, yet always effective.

"Maud, didn't you pay more for Small Willie, after eating two your new cloak than you said you

" A BONSTROUS ABSURDITY."

March 4th, says:

The correspondent of the Char lotte Observer, writing to that paper from Fayetteville, under date of

The Observer correctly guages publie sentiment in throwing out a word of warning against taking for granted the carrying at the ballot box of the suffrage constitutional amend ment. It will require bard work from he rank and file and leaders of the party. There is certainly no cloud on the title of the Cape Fear Dom ocracy to orthodoxy, dut the writer surprised at the number of leadng Democrats whom he meets or posed to the amendment. The elause bout the "grand son of his grand father" is especially decried as monstrous absurdity.

The suffrage amendment referred o above, which was adopted by the ast Legislature, is as follows: THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT.

Section 1. That Arnere VI of the the result announced, under the same Constitution of North Carolina be. and the same is hereby abrogated and in lieu thereof shall be substituted the following Article of Said Con ARTICLE VI.

offrage and Eligibility to Office Qualifications of an Elector.

Section 1. | Every male person born in the United States, and every malperson who has been naturalized, 21 years of age and possessing the quarfications set out in this Article .ball be entitled to vote at any election by the people in the State, except as herein otherwise provided.

[Sec. 2.] He shall have resided in the State of North Carolina for two years, in the county six months and in the precinct, ward or other election district, in which he offers to vote four months next preceding the not around by Hatt's Catarrh Corelection: Provided, That removal from one precinct, ward or other election district to another in the same county, shall not operate to deprive any person of the right to vote in a precinct, ward or other election district from which he has removed WALDING KINNAN & MARVIN, Whole until four months after such removal sale Druggists, Toledo, O. or who has confessed his guilt nally, act ng directly upon the blad inopen court upon indictment, of Testimonials sent free. Price the per any crime, the punishment of which now is, or may thereafter be, imprisonment in the State prison, shall be permitted to vote unless the said person shall be first restored to citizenship in the manner prescribed by law.

vote shall be at the time a legalit registered voter as herein prescribed July in a fierce battle at Sanand in the manner hereinafter provided by law, and the General Assembly of North Carolina shall enact general registration laws to carry into effect the provisions of this Ar-

[Sec.] 4. Every person presenting consisting of cannibals, who he rihimself for registration shall be able to read and write any section of the great execution with a Winchester Constitution in the English language; repeater. It is estimated that the vote, he shall have paid, on or lost 300 killed and 600 wounded. the year in which he proposes to Tanganyika. Poli taxez shall be a lien only on assessed property, and no process shall Attention! issue to enforce the collection of the Be sure and use that old and well same except against assessed prop-

[Sec. 5.] No male person, who was on January 1, 1867, or at any time prior thereto, entitled to vote under the laws of any State in the United States wherein he then resided, and son; shall be denied the right to register and vote at any election in this State by reason of his failure to posess the educational qualifications in accordiance with the terms of this section prior to Dec. 1, 1908.

The General Assembly shall propersons who register under this see nental coalition against England by the people in this State, unless disqualified under section 2 of this THEY | Are curable Article: Provided such persous shall have paid their poll tax as required [Sec. 6.] All elections by the people

shall be by ballot, and all elections [Sec. 7.] Every voter in North Car-

olina, except as in this Art. disqualithe following oath: "I, do tion, and his death be a tributed to which belonged to Charles E. John- to the fullest extent the fraternal solemnly swear or affirm, that I will upon one of the Clay factions, which ance to the railroad company and in your letter, and much regrets that tion and laws of the U. S. and the do not admit of his having the pleas- constitution and laws of North Carolina, not inconsistent therewith, and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my office as So

[Sec. 8.] The following classes of or confessed their guilt on irdiet ment pending, and whether senteneed or not; or under judgment suspended, of any treason or felony, or any ther crime for which the panour noble ancestors fought and died

—political liberty.

I. A. Harris.

Jupiter, N. C.

Dr. Harris takes a position that the Simmons machine are more interested in fastening upon the people terested in fastening upon the people of the cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Buckler's hundred and the punishment of the punishment may be imprisonment in the pieces of pie at dinner, asked for a third. "Why Willie," said his father, "you must not eat so much or people will call you a pig. You know what a pig is don't you?" "Yes, sir," replied the proceedous youngster. "A pig is a hog's little boy."

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Section 2. That all of the provis ions of the Constitution relating t suffrage, registration and electrons as contained in this act, amending the Constitution, shall go into . f. on the first day of July, 1902 if . majority of the qualified voters of the State so declare at the next good

cral election. Sec. 3 This amendment shall be submitted at the next general sice. unn to the qual fiel voters .. the State in the same manner and under the same rules and regals tions as is provided in the law rega lating general elections in this way and in force May 1st, 1859, and as said election those persons describe to vote for such amendment stall east a written or printed ballot as a he words "For Suffrage Annal. ment" thereon; and those with a curtrary opinion shall east a written ... printed ballot with the work Against Suffrage Amendment

Sec. 4 The said electron shall be seld, and the votes returned, compared, count d and canvassed, and rules and regulations as are in force for returning, comparing, counting and expressing the votes for men bers of the General Assembly, May 1st, 1899, and if a majority of the cotes east are in favor of the said amendment, it shall be the duty of the Governor of the State to certify said smendment, under the seal of State, to the Secretary of State who shall enroll the said amendment so cer' fi-d smorg the permanent records of his . ffice.

Sec. 5. This act shall be in force rom and after its ratification.

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