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WE COPY WITH PLEASURE.

The News and Observer, in a recent issue, published two clippings from Republican papers in Philadelphia...

The next clipping is from the Philadelphia Ledger, and is as follows: 'The date of the election for state legislatures, according to the provisions of the constitution...

'The date of the election for state legislatures, according to the provisions of the constitution, is set for the first day of July, 1902...'

The News and Observer publishes the above clippings with a great flourish of trumpets, and seems to be studying call attention to the fact that there are other parties stealing votes...

'I have never seen anything that has appeared in the columns of the News and Observer that it gives us more pleasure to copy than the above extracts quoted by the News and Observer, not because we are delighted to know that anybody steals votes...

'There is almost a certainty that the year will go out and there is a substantial probability that the century will expire before we have unraveled the mystery of the Philadelphia election frauds...'

The railroads of the country have applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a further extension of time within which to equip their cars and locomotives with automatic couplers and power brakes...'

GEORGIA REPUDIATES THE MEMORANDUM DISFRANCHISEMENT SCHEME.

A Georgia member of the Legislature (which is now in session), named Hardwick, thought he would make himself famous in Georgia. This member of the legislature looked over into North Carolina and saw how Jim Simmons had ploughed the people if he had his machine set out into power...

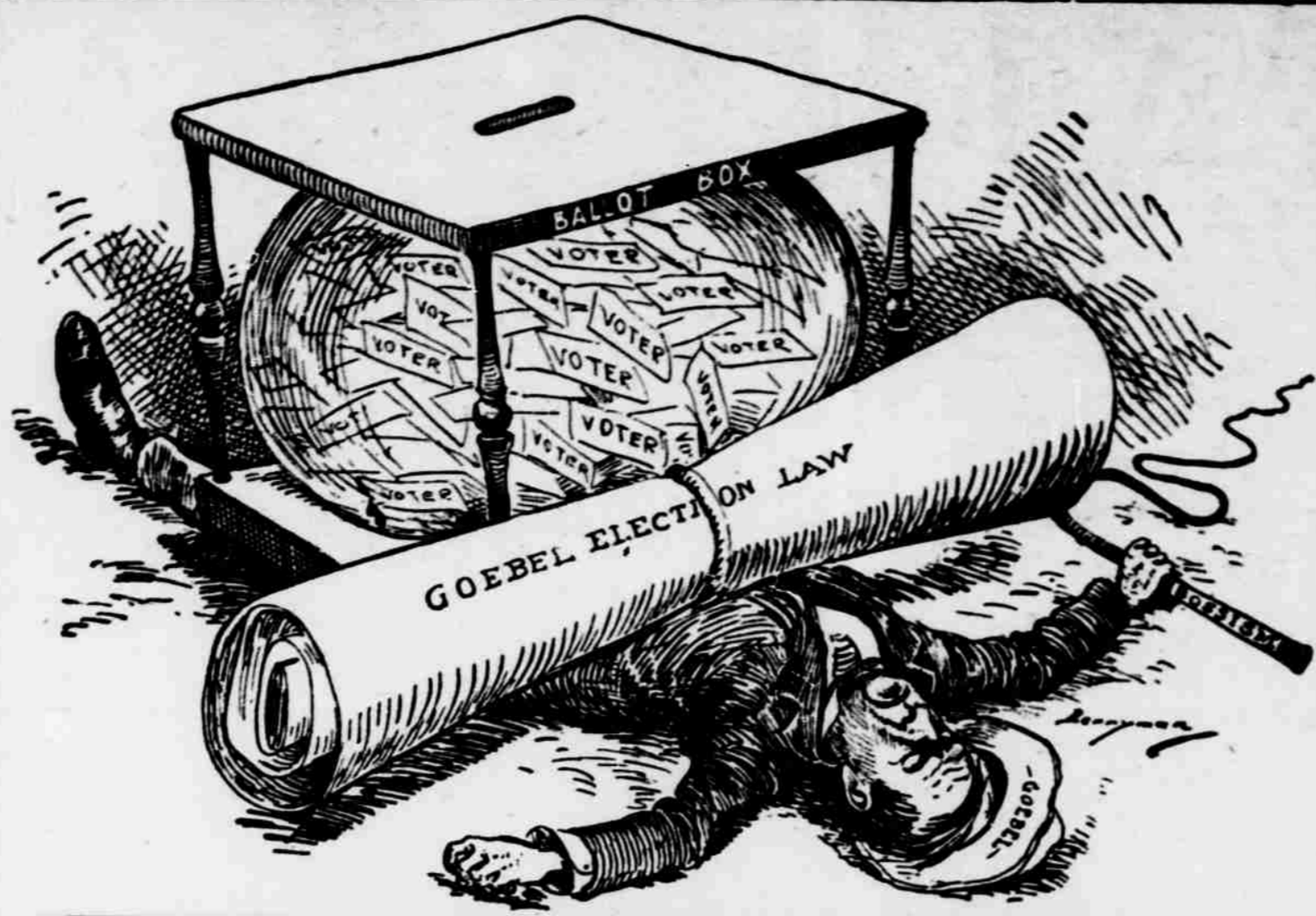
The 56th Congress convened last Monday. There is every prospect of a very long and rather stormy session of Congress. In addition to the regular legislation, there will be the many new and complicated questions arising out of the Philippine situation...

'The Winston Republican, the Caucasian and other organs of negro supremacy in North Carolina are requested to copy.'

We feel the importance of getting the truth to the people this year so strongly that we have decided to offer the paper at one price as many as ten persons will join in a club to send in their subscription at the same time...

What does the Jones vote in Ohio mean, is the question that has been asked many times since the election on the 7th. Mr. Jones, who ran on the independent ticket for governor of Ohio, polled a vote aggregating more than one hundred thousand, an unprecedented vote for an independent ticket...

The fact remains that this vote went neither to the Democrats nor to the Republicans, and it must seem clear, therefore that it has a significance apart from that which both Democrats and Republicans try to place upon it...



AMENDMENT REPUDIATED IN GEORGIA.

House Votes Almost Unanimously Against Hardwick Bill. THE LOUISIANA SCHEME DENOUNCED IN SPEECHES. BAD NEWS FOR SIMMONS. UNCONSTITUTIONAL GRANDFATHER CLAUSE GOT AN AIRING.

ATLANTA, Nov. 28.—The Hardwick bill providing for the submission of a constitutional amendment limiting suffrage based on the Louisiana and North Carolina amendments was defeated by an overwhelming majority in the House today.

'It is an ill wind that blows nobody good.' That small ache or pain or weakness is the 'ill wind' that directs your attention to the necessity of purifying your blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Advertisement for Hood's Sarsaparilla. A SMALL SPOT MAY BE CANCER. MOST VIOLENT CASES HAVE APPEARED AT FIRST AS MERE PIMPLES.

POU'S CAMPAIGN AFFIDAVIT.

ONE OF HIS METHODS OF FOOLING VOTERS IN THE LAST CAMPAIGN.

HE MAKES AFFIDAVIT THAT A PROPAGANDA TO DISFRANCHISE NEGROES AND ILLITERATE WHITES WOULD NOT RECEIVE A SINGLE DEMOCRATIC VOTE IN THE LEGISLATURE AND DENOUNCES THOSE WHO MAKE THE CHARGE AS SPEAKING FAKELY AND TRYING TO FOOL THE PEOPLE.

From Caucasian Oct. 19.—The following affidavit made by James H. Pou, ex-Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, during the last campaign...

Mr. James H. Pou, the ex-Chairman of the State Democratic Committee, in his speeches made the same declaration. But it seems that in one of his speeches in Missouri...

It was also urged that the proposed disfranchisement might limit the State's representation in Congress. The vote by which the bill was defeated this afternoon was 137 to 3.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this October 1st 1898. GEO. W. THOMPSON, Notary Public.

SENATOR HARRIS ON THE POLITICAL SITUATION. He says the Democratic Party must be more than a party of negroes if it hopes to secure the co-operation of the people.

'A MONSTROUS ABSURDITY.'

Many Good Democrats Opposed to the 'Grandson of His Grandfather' Constitutional Amendment Clause.

The correspondent of the Charlotte Observer, writing to that paper from Fayetteville, under date of March 4th, says: The Observer correctly gauges public sentiment in throwing out a word of warning against taking for granted the carrying of the ballot box of the suffrage constitutional amendment...

The suffrage amendment referred to above, which was adopted by the last Legislature, is as follows: THE SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT. SECTION 1. That Article VI of the Constitution of North Carolina be, and the same is hereby abrogated and in lieu thereof shall be substituted the following Article of Said Constitution: ARTICLE VI.

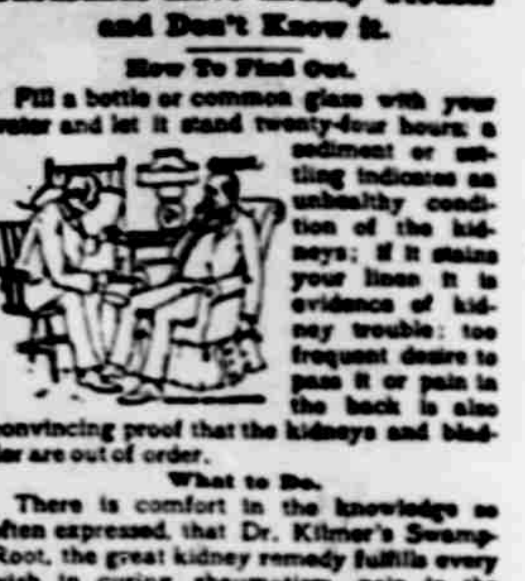
SECTION 1. That Article VI of the Constitution of North Carolina be, and the same is hereby abrogated and in lieu thereof shall be substituted the following Article of Said Constitution: ARTICLE VI. Suffrage and Eligibility to Office.—Qualifications of an Elector.

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

SECTION 2. That all of the provisions of the Constitution relating to suffrage, registration and election, as contained in this act, amending the Constitution, shall go into effect on the first day of July, 1902, if a majority of the qualified voters of the State so declare at the next general election.

SECTION 3. This amendment shall be submitted at the next general election to the qualified voters of the State in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as is provided in the law regulating general elections in this State, and in force May 1st, 1898 and at said election those persons desiring to vote for such amendment shall cast a written or printed ballot with the words "For Suffrage Amendment" thereon...

The Urinals Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It.



There is comfort in the knowledge as often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fills every vein in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidney, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage...

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SECTION 4. The said election shall be held, and the votes returned, compared, counted and canvassed, and the result announced, under the same rules and regulations as are in force for returning, comparing, counting and canvassing the votes for members of the General Assembly, May 1st, 1898, and in a majority of the votes cast are in favor of the said amendment, it shall be the duty of the Governor of the State to certify said amendment, under the seal of the State, to the Secretary of State, who shall enroll the said amendment so certified among the permanent records of his office.

SECTION 5. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification. Ratified 21st day of February A. D. 1898.

STORY OF A SLAVE. To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is a worse form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Winchester, N. C., tells how such a case was cured. His wife, Mrs. Williams, had been afflicted for years with a severe case of rheumatism...

Advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 2.—The body of Dr. T. F. Nixon, resident physician at the State farm Castle Hayne, also built at Wilmington, was found to be in the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad track, two miles from his home...