

contemns "especially" this tariff law that has effected all these changes in the interest of the masses.

#### IT IS REFORM CERTAIN.

"Resolved that all revenues of the government ought to be raised on real estate."

On July 9, 1894, Senator Peffer, of Kansas, and the leading light of Populism save Marion Butler, of North Carolina, introduced this in the Senate of the United States.

This is only one of the many things that have come to light in Congress that show any plain mind that the tendency of the leaders of the Populists is towards ruin, terrible ruin.

The greater part of the Populists in North Carolina are farmers, earnest, sincere men, who have been deceived and lead away from the truth into wild vagaries, by a systematic, ely scheming by leaders.

That the above resolution emanated from Peffer, the acknowledged leader of the Populists, is beyond doubt as the Congressional Record shows that

the farmers of North Carolina want all the taxes put on land? They own the land.

Would any such procedure be just, honest? Would it be right to tax the farmer and let go untaxed the bondholders and the great corporations? And yet this is what the Populist leaders propose to do.

We are mistaken in the manhood of North Carolina if such measures receive much support.

#### EDITORIAL OPINIONS.

Taxation is one of the repressive agencies in government, and perhaps the police thought that by taxing crime they could stop it.—New York Journal.

Maynard, if he has any sense of gratitude, will promptly take the stamp for Hill. The latter cheerfully took a speaking part in Maynard's political obsequies last fall.—New York Press.

Maynard's blot is on the Democratic ticket. It cannot be wiped out. It cannot be concealed.—New York Tribune.

China should give up imitating British military and naval tactics and get a Baltimore trolley car with which to fight the Japanese.—Baltimore Herald.

Wool is too mean for anything. It keeps going up in price without seeming to care a rap for the G. O. P.—New York Mercury.

The Mikado is drawing well this morning.—New York World.

quarry. "Mamma, what is die?" Her mother answered carelessly, "Oh, to break all to pieces." That night Kathryn was saying her prayer. When she reached the line, "If I should die before I wake," in "Now I lay me," she added quickly, Please God pick up the pieces."—New York Press.

#### IRRESISTIBLE.

Book-cannassers should take courage from a story told by an English lecturer on "The Art of Bookbinding."

A man of their profession had called at a house whose occupant met him with a growl.

"It's no use to me. I never read." "But there's your family," said the cannasser.

Haven't any family—nothing but a cat."

"Well, you may want something to throw at the cat."

The book was purchased.

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Slowly! Calmly! Curb your faculty! I would not startle you. I merely wish to say—now be prepared—that again the record of the world has been broken. Miss Alice Shuping has become

Mrs. Jas. Castor, and Miss Lou Phillips is now known as Mrs. Sam Wiley. Strange, strange indeed. Though for six thousand years this sacred rite has been celebrated, neither time no usage has dismantled it of its charms and fascinations. To each couple, as they take upon themselves the holy vows, it seems that they are setting a precedent for the world, and they seek to impress the fact upon mankind with all and even more display, than their purses will warrant. A dashing horse, a shining buggy and glossy harness, a stylish hat and a "two-for" cigar—that is the picture. "O, consistency, thou art a jewel! O, bosh, thou art somewhat stuff."

[The above is the way a correspondent of the Salisbury Herald sees it. There is one time in a man's life when he feels like getting out of ordinary ways, and they have done just what they have done.]

stirs. The leaves hang listless on the trees, and the flowers hold up their heads to Heaven to welcome the coming rain.

A squad of workmen are trudging along the road in silence. Suddenly one of them stumbles and to save himself, he lets go his bag of tools which falls with a clatter on the dusty road.

"Who did that?" he demanded savagely.

A minute later he offers to fight any one—the whole lot. Words fly after words, and the man loses his temper altogether.

They are standing opposite a gentleman's house, and, when the dispute is at its worst, the gate opens, and a little golden-haired girl, scarcely more than a baby, is in their midst before they realize it.

I have never seen a more striking scene—the man struck dumb, the child utterly unconscious of her strange surroundings. The burly man, who imagined himself tripped up, relaxes his clenched fist; the anger dies out of his face. I can hear it now—the first ripple of laughter that went round the group of men when the little one said:

"What's he been doin'? Why don't he kiss and be friends?"

In the baby face they saw what they had missed; and as the tiny hands helped to gather up the tools, a love that perhaps has never grown quite cold, held sway in their hearts.

Love what is lovable in others, for in every fallen man there is the germ that may prove the promise of a better, happier, holier life. Do not tears well up in your eyes when you think of the men and women you have passed by? What would you say if you saw tomorrow their epitaphs—

Poorly lived and poorly died, Poorly buried and nobody cried?

It is Immense.

The largest pumpkin we have seen was at the Fair this year and is now at the store of Mr. John A. Kimmons. This pumpkin was raised by Mr. M. M. Gillon, about two miles from town, and weighs 108 pounds. It measures six feet around and two feet in diameter. It's almost a whale.

Before winter sets in, the street working force ought to look after

planting seeds, or are nervous sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Large bottles only fifty cents at Fetzer's Drug store.

If you Want to be Loved.

Don't find fault. Don't contradict people even if you are right.

Don't be inquisitive about the affairs of even your most intimate friends.

Don't underrate anything because if you don't possess it.

Don't believe that everybody else in the world is happier than you.

Don't conclude that you have never had any opportunities in life.

Don't believe all the evil you hear.

Don't repeat gossip, even if it does interest a crowd.

Don't go untidy on the plea that everybody knows you.

Don't be rude to inferiors in social position.

#### A Household Treasure.

D W Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G A Dykerman Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottle free at Fetzer's Drug store. Regular size 50 c. and \$1.00.

When a Populist tells you the Democrat tariff bill was framed in the interest of the Sugar Trust and other special interests, ask him how it was, then, that two Populist Senators voted for it as it finally passed the Senate, and that seven Populist Representatives voted for it and none against it when it got back to the House?

The Standard man while on his rounds found several ministers of our city hard at work. They were at different parts of the city and were evidently striving to get a morsel prepared for their mastication; one was splitting kindling wood and the other was hunting a cook—a prevailing scarcity in our city. This was suggestive.

Mr Benedict, public printer, has discharged a large number of employees since Congress adjourned. From four to ten are being discharged now every week. Mr. Benedict says that he will continue these discharges until most of the Republicans are turned out and when a demand for force is made by the convening of Congress, he will fill these places with Democrats.

If there is a duty on paint it is funny how some of these actresses are allowed to land.

and others; and a second tract of land containing fifteen and a half acres, in said township, known as lots No. 1. and No. 2. in division of lands of Zuni Pharr and adjoining lands of Lee Dulin and T H Farrow. Terms of sale, one third (1/3) cash, and balance to be paid on the 1st day of November, 1895, secured by note of purchaser with two good sureties. R. M. KIMMONS, Guardian. Sept. 19, 1894. Commissioner.

#### NOTICE.

Having administered on the estate of J. Frank Pethel, deceased, all persons who are indebted to the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to come forward and settle, and all persons who hold claims against the estate of the said deceased must present the same to me for payment within twelve months of the date of this notice, or it will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. May 19, 1894. J. V. PETHEL, Adm'r of J. Frank Pethel.

#### SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me, W H Kerr, by J F Irwin, on the 23rd day of March, 1891, and recorded in the office of Registrar of Deeds in and for Cabarrus County, in Record of Mortgages No 5, pages 282 and 283, I will sell for cash at the Court House door in Concord, at 1 o'clock, p. m., on Monday the 5th day of November next, that tract of land situate in number one township, said county, adjoining what are known as the C H Irwin lands, the C A Alexander lands and the Nicholson lands, and containing two hundred and thirty seven acres, more or less, for the metes and boundaries of which reference is made to said recorded deed of trust. This 20th of Sept. 1894. W H Kerr, Trustee. By W G Means, Attorney.

#### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of James A Porter, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make immediate payment or suit will be brought; and all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned duly authenticated on or before the 18th day of September, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. A. N. Harris, Administrator. Sent. 18, 1894.

#### SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY.

By virtue of authority vested in us by an assignment made by J S Fisher and wife, on the 29th day of January, 1887, and which is duly recorded in the Register's office for Cabarrus county, in book 1, and page 359, we will sell at the court house door in Concord, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday, November the 5th, 1894, the following property: First, the Southern half of the house and lot known as the J S Fisher house and lot, adjoining James O Gibson and others, it being the remainder of the lot after the homestead is deducted from it second, the reversion or remainder is the part of the lot which has heretofore been laid off to said Fisher as a homestead, October 2, 1894.

W. J. HILL, Assignees. P. B. FETZER.

#### TRUSTEE'S NOTICE.

Under a mortgage executed by John W. Jones and wife, E. P. Jones, on the 5th day of February, 1894, registered in book No. 7, page 282, in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for Cabarrus county, I, as trustee in said mortgage, will sell on Monday, the 5th day of November, 1894, at the Court House in Concord, the tract of land adjoining the School House lot, John Johnston, and others, being the lower lot of said E. P. Jones, in No. 3 township in said county of Cabarrus, containing thirty (30) acres more or less. J. A. RANKIN, Trustee. Oct. 5, 1894.

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Having qualified as the administrator, with the will annexed, of J A Sides, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make immediate payment or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 1st day of September, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

A. W. MOORE, Adm'r. By W. M. SMITH, Attorney. This, 29th day of August, 1894

taken into consideration.

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