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THE WAY IT GOES.

When the true interests of the people are to be sacrificed for shameless rush for the "pie counter" as is the case now with our fusion representatives at Raleigh it is very natural that there would be a grudging of the choice pieces. The Governor is about to lose the good will of the Populists on the judgeship. He wants Sutton while they want Walter Henry.

They propose to put their thumb on Mr. Russell and make him come to law or they will not help to pass the many radical measures he wants passed. Mr. Hileman and others are a committee to wait on the Governor today and if he does not agree to appoint Henry they propose to make it a feature of the bill that his fitness shall be the judge of the new district.

It has always been the case and it always will be that conspirators grow jealous of each other and they stray their own paths with thorns. It is even intimated that Governor Russell is pretty well amused with the situation and would be glad to see Judge Seymour, and it is intimated that the Populists would be glad to get rid of him and have Mr. Reynolds as one more congenial.

WHAT CHARGES NEXT.

The remarks made by Governor Russell in his inaugural reflecting on Governor Carr and the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Railroad had the appearance at the time of measuring the author more effectually than the subject. A tedious investigation shows that Governor Carr had less to do with the lease than almost any of the board and that there was absolutely nothing secret or sly about the whole affair. The testimony goes to show that a set of wise business men, actuated by the highest motives of good to all concerned, made the lease that they thought was a good bargain.

We suppose that when the investigation fails to find a crooked line in the whole transaction there will arise other opportunities to make charges just as groundless as those.

CLANTON'S PIE GAME.

There seems no limit to the ingenious pie hunters and no bounds beyond which they will not go to get the coveted goal.

Mecklenburg's man Clanton has introduced a bill to create a board

of commissioners to have charge of that county's splendid road system. To operate upon the feelings of the anti-Democrats he charged that Democrats would not buy rocks or hire teams from anybody but Democrats. Now it turns out that Clanton himself was paid last year \$1,049.54 for rock, which was more than any Democrat was paid. But an extreme pie hunter—what won't he do?

Who would have thought two years ago, when the fusion legislature sought to strip the Governor of every possible prerogative that it could now have the gall to bestow upon the present incumbent almost unlimited power. If not resisted some shameless misrepresentatives will bestow upon the Governor the appointment of half the municipal government of a number of our cities.

If there is a fusionist who can look at the course of our Governor and the dominant element of the General Assembly without nausea he must have something like a copper stomach.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.



It looks very much as if Senator Butler's power was gone. Sampson has been short of his locks. Delilah Skjuter and the Philistine bolters have done the work. The Populist majority is going all to pieces. The Populists, it seems, in the State are becoming demoralized, and will melt away, ere long, into one or the other of "the two old parties," or else fizzle out in frothy nothingness like a snail when you put a pinch of salt on it.—Charlotte Observer.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample mailed free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

There is some consolation in the fact that the House Tuesday defeated the infamous bill to place in the Governor's hands the appointment of half of the board of aldermen in the city of Wilmington. There is virtue left yet in our dominant crowd in Raleigh. This explains why the Governor was not given the appointment of the entire board.

Special Railroad Rates.

On account of the North Carolina Fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Fair to be held at Newbern, N. C. February 22-27, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets, which will be on sale February 20th to 25th inclusive, with final limit March 2; fare for round trip \$8.20, plus 50 cents for one admission to fair grounds.

The Southern Railway will sell tickets to Washington, D. C., on account of the Presidential Inauguration at rate of one first-class fare for the round trip for civilians, and one cent per mile travelled for military companies in uniform, and brass bands accompanying them, twenty-five or more on one ticket.

Reduced rates have been authorized for the following occasion: Presidential Inauguration ceremonies at Washington, D. C., March 4, 1897. Tickets on sale March 1, 2 and 3, final limit March 8th, 1897. Fare for round trip \$11.05. Continuous passage in each direction.

The Same... Old Sarsaparilla.

That's Ayer's. The same old sarsaparilla as it was made and sold by Dr. J. C. Ayer 50 years ago. In the laboratory it is different. There modern appliances lend speed to skill and experience. But the sarsaparilla is the same old sarsaparilla that made the record—50 years of cures. Why don't we better it? Well, we're much in the condition of the Bishop and the raspberry: "Doubtless," he said, "God might have made a better berry. But doubtless, also, He never did." Why don't we better the sarsaparilla? We can't. We are using the same old plant that cured the Indians and the Spaniards. It has not been bettered. And since we make sarsaparilla compound out of sarsaparilla plant, we see no way of improvement. Of course, if we were making some secret chemical compound we might... But we're not. We're making the same old sarsaparilla to cure the same old diseases. You can tell it's the same old sarsaparilla because it works the same old cures. It's the sovereign blood purifier, and—It's Ayer's.

SCHEDULE

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

IN EFFECT JAN. 18, 1897.

This condensed schedule is published as information, and is subject to change without notice to the public.

TRAINS LEAVE CONCORD, N. C.

9:27 P. M.—No. 85, daily for Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line division, and all points South and Southwest. Carries through Pullman drawing-room buffet sleepers between New York, Washington, Atlanta, Birmingham, Galveston, Savannah and Jacksonville. Also Pullman sleeper Charlotte to Augusta.

8:45 A. M.—No. 7, daily, Washington and Southwestern vestibuled limited for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile and New Orleans, and all points South and Southwest. Through Pullman sleeper New York to New Orleans and New York to Memphis. Dining car, vestibule coach, between Washington and Atlanta; Pullman tourist car for San Francisco, Sundays.

9:02 P. M.—No. 9, daily, from Richmond, Washington, Goldsboro, Norfolk, Selma, Raleigh, Greensboro, Knoxville and Asheville to Charlotte, N. C.

10:30 A. M.—No. 1, daily, for Atlanta and all points South. Solid train, Richmond to Atlanta; Pullman sleeping car, Richmond to Greensboro.

10:07 A. M.—No. 86, daily, for Washington, Richmond, Raleigh and all points North. Carries Pullman drawing-room buffet sleeper, Galveston to New York; Jacksonville to New York; Birmingham to New York. Pullman tourist cars from San Francisco Thursdays.

9:02 P. M.—No. 38, daily, Washington and Southwestern vestibuled, limited, for Washington and all points North. Through Pullman car, Memphis to New York; New Orleans to New York; Tampa to New York. Also carries vestibule coach and dining car.

7:22 P. M.—No. 12, daily, for Richmond, Asheville, Chattanooga, Raleigh, Goldsboro and all points North. Carries Pullman sleeping car from Greensboro to Richmond. Connects at Greensboro with train carrying Pullman car for Raleigh.

6:17 A. M.—No. 10, daily, for Richmond; connects at Greensboro for Raleigh and Norfolk; at Danville for Washington and points North; at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and points West.

All freight trains carry passengers. JOHN M. CULP, W. A. TURK, Traffic M'gr. Gen. Pass. Ag't, W. H. GREEN, Washington, D. C. Gen'l Superintendent, Washington, D. C.

S. H. HARDWICK, Ass't Gen'l P. Ag't, Atlanta, Ga.

W. H. TAYLOR, Ass't Gen'l P. Ag't, Louisville, Ky.

GOWAN DUSENBERY, Local Ag't, Concord, N. C.

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THE RACKET.

Tin Ware Dept.

Plain coffee pots 5c up.
Extra heavy copper bottom at 20c
Covered buckets 5c to 12c
Open buckets 9 to 12c
Zinc buckets 20c
Wash pans at 3c to 10c
Granite wash pans 25c
Dish pans 10 to 25c
Extra heavy dish pans 35c
Waiters 5c to 60c
Milk or baking pans 3c to 10c
Gray granite baking pans 13 to 25c
Blue and white baking pans 13 to 35c
Tubed cake pans 5 to 20c
2 quart tin stew pots 10c
2 quart gray granite stew pots 25c
Gray granite rice boilers 75c to \$1.15
Blue and white rice boilers 95c
Sauce pans 15 to 20c
Milk strainers 10c
Soup strainers 10c
Gravy strainers 5c
Tea strainers 3 and 4c
Bowl 5c
Bread boxes 33 to 68c
Cake boxes 33 to 60c
Spice boxes in case 48c case
Cash boxes with lock 60c
Zinc coal hoods 25c
Zinc slop buckets with lid 38c
Painted tin slop buckets 25c
Foot tubs 38c
Toilet sets \$1.25
Never-leak oil cans 25c
Iron bread pans 10c and 15c
Tin muffin cards 10 to 18c
Tin graduated quart measures 5c
Painted toy cups 2c
1 pt cups 20c doz.
1-2 gal milking cups 5c
Black handle dippers 5c
Black handle granite dippers 15c
Vegetable graters 10c
Nutmeg graters 4c
Pie pans 2 for 5c
Granite pie pans 10c
Jelly pans 3c
Granite jelly pans 10c
Child's trays 25c
Stove lid lifters 3c, can openers 4c, vegetable ladles 5c
Cake turners 4c, sad iron stand 4c, coffee pot stand 4c, soap stand 5c, and lots of other tinware.

Remnants Silhouette 7 1/2 yd.

Remnants of percale worth 10c at 7 1/2c.
366 yds of the finest black satens made at 15c; regular price 25c yd.
Shirts waist silks 25c to 75c yd.
White goods 5 to 22 1/2c yd.
We have in stock and on the road about 50 bolts of nainsook, lawns, dimities, Marseilles long cloth etc, ranging from 5c to 25c yd.
Good gingham at 5 to 8 1/2c.
Bargains in red or white flannel.
Embroidered flannel skirt patterns of 2 yds at \$1.48 per pattern.
Cotton flannel at 6 1/2 to 10c yd.
Counterpanes 48c to \$2.25.
Nice line of Marseilles crib counterpanes at 48c.
Cotton blankets 48c.
9-4 bleached sheeting at 20c.
Red or light blue cotton plush at 7 1/2c.
Chenille table covers at 40c, do per tiers \$2.50.
Goat rugs \$2.50.
Lace curtains 68c to \$2 pair.
Oil window shades 25 and 30c.
Brass trimmed curtain poles 22 1/2c.
Oil table cloth 18c yd.
Floor oil cloth 25c yd.
1 piece straw matting at 25c yd.
Baskets from 2c to \$1.24.

Stationery Dept.

Pencil tablets with 125 leaves at 2c; larger ones at 4 and 5c.
Ink tablets worth 5c at 3c; 10c ones at 5c and 15c ones at 10c.
Jobs in box paper at 10c box.
Fine note paper at 18c per lb.
10-inch envelopes at 5c per pack.
Lead pencils 3c doz to 36c.
Ink and mucilage 3c.
Steel pens 4c to 10c doz.
Paper back novels at 5 and 10c.
Cloth bound novels 15c.

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