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## seeing the situation

The following are among the many extracts from deliberate observations from a Northern standpoint that size up the situation bout right:
"The negroes of the South look to the Federal powers for a redress of their grievances. The Federal power emancipated them, and clothed them with the rights of equal citizenship; and the negro has since failed to comprehend any other form of allegiance except that which he owes to the Federal government. He doesn't nnderstand his State citizenshio and the duties that appertain to that condition.
"Had the negroes of the South divided on political issues, State and Tederal, as the whites were divided, according to their under standing of such issues, instead of blindly throwing their weight in fayor of the Republican party th re would have been none of . 1. race difficulties which disturb thu polities of that section of the country. But the negroes have never fathomed the nature of the duties of citizenship. As a matter of gratitude they have given their support, right or wrong, to the party to which they belive they owe their emancipation. The untuctonate result hes been that the olor line has been made the line of division between political parties. This result has been a continning misfortune for the people of both the North and the South. -Philadelphia Record.
"1t was a mistake of the reconstruction period tollowing the war to have put the ballot in the hands of the recently emancipated slaves, and with it the ruling power the former masters. An oducational qualification, as was then advocated by this paper, would have saved the South from the saturnalia of corrupt carpetag and ig negro domina all And the Southern States are now resorting to this intelligence qualification, and to its partial and fraudulent administration, as a means of depriving the negroes of their politiof rigats, it seems nevertheless to be the most hopeful remedy for the evils growing out of the inreterate fued of the races."-St Paul Pioneer Press (Rep.)
> ants no Advice From Butler
> The Caucasian, Senator Butler's paper, advocates calling a constitutional ennvention. We are opposed to it, and we might as well say to the imp Butler thet this Democratic Legislature wants no suggestion 0: advice from him and will not taze any, either. We won our victory without his id and will continue to act inde-
endent of him. Cleveland Star.

Washington, Nov. $22 .-\mathrm{Com}$ plete returns have been received of the casualties of the Santiago campaign. The Adjutant General's office has divided the cam paign into different detes and paign 1 diferen and Ls Gnisima June 24 , Kila La Guisia, June 24.-Killed omar 15 ? fficers and 44 men
San Juan, July 1st. to 3d.Killed, 17 officers and 134 men wounded, 69 officers and 938 me El Uaney, July 1st.-Killed, officers and 84 men ; wounded, 2 officers and 332 men.
Aguadores, July 1st. and 2nd. W ounded, 2 officers and 10 men . Around Santiago, July 10th and 12th.-Killed, 1 officer and 1 man wounded, 1 officer and 12 men. [Summary-Killed 257, wound©d, 1,438 .]
's Cotton Shipping. The Star of Tuesday says tha on Monday the 21st was made probably the largest shipment of cotton from Wilmington to forelga ports that ever occurred on day. The Star says
"Three of the large British teamers cleared last night about 9 o'clock. They were tie British steamship Gelivara, with 7,305 bales of cuttou for Lreuen, Germany; the British steamship Wilderspool, with 9,720 bales for Liverfool, England, and the Norwegian steamship Nordykn with 11,044 bales for Bremen. The steamers had a net tonnage of $2,246,1,618$ and 1,804 respectvely.
"The total number of bales comprising the three cargoes was 28,069 and the value was $\$ 731$ 252."

The Baldwin Hotel Burns.
The Baldwin Hotel in San Francisco was destroyed by fire Wednesday the 23rd. It enclosed theatre whose. outfit went to ashes. These included valuable paintings. The loss to the owner, Baldwin, was very heavy, estimated at $\$ 2,000,000$, with not more than $\$ 300,000$ insurance. Two men lost their lives, one trom falling from an upper story after he had saved three women. The other died from heart disease induced by a narrow escape. There were 300 guests in the hotel, but it is believed all escaped except as mentioned above.
Later accounts say a number charred bodies have been found It is feared that many perished.
ed By a woman.
Another great discovery has been made, and that too, by a lady in clutches upon her and for sere lutches upon her and for seven tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed immient. For three months she oughed incessently, and could no sleep: She finally discovered a way to recovery, by purchasing of us a for consumption, and was so relieved on taking ${ }^{\circ}$ the first relieved on taking the first dose, two bottles, has been absolutely two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Ter name is Mrs. Luther \& Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottle free at P. B. Fetzer's drng store Reglar size 50c. and $\$ 1.00$. Every ottle guaranteed.
On the cover of a prairie wagon wnich passed through Manhattan Kan., the other day was painted souri, Not busted. Not going to sour, Not busted. Not going to
wife's folss. Jast doing this to

## DOCK JACKSON DEAD.

Ir.: Shelur Aequitted or Crime-H
Dock Jacizson, the negro who ran from the train at Gaffney, S. C., and was shot by Mr. W S Shelor, has died of his wound A jury of inquest acquitted Mr Shelor of any crime. Believing that it was Phonse Rhyne whom he had gone to captare and the negroas, refusing to halt when or dered made the act justitiable even in the eyes of Jackson's mother who plead for the release of Mr. Shelor.
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