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THE BRIDGE WE DO NOT CROSS.

How oft we trouble borrow,
And suffer mental pain,
Conjuring clouds tomorrow,
While yet no signs of rain.
Future gloom foreboding
At night on pillows toss,
In fear of overloading
The bridge we do not cross.

From road there is no turning
That we can see just now,
Trouble ahead discerning,
To avoid we know not how,
And so we roll and tumble
At night, with sleep a loss,
And hear the distant rumble
On the bridge we do not cross.

We see no silver lining
On clouds our fancy paints,
No stars through rifts are
shining,
Blackness our path attains.

When daylight shows our folly
We then may count the cost,
Passing streams of melancholy,
The bridge we have not crossed.
—News Letter.

RETIRES IN HIS ZENITH.

It is now settled that the Honorable Thomas B. Reed will retire from public office. He has resigned his seat in Congress and the resignation has been accepted. There is but one step higher to which he may have aspired and it is admitted that the Speaker of the House has little in the way of power and influence of which to envy the President.

Whatever aspirations he had to the presidency, too, he subordinated to a degree of modesty and dignity that, like some of his other traits, wrung admiration from his rivals and political adversaries.

The time was when he was regarded the most arbitrary presiding officer the Congress of the United States ever had, and his name was a stench in Democratic nostrils, and yet, without any apparent revolution in his manner, he was found commanding universal respect for his official rulings.

He will retire to build up his private estate, it is said.

If this and a desire to quit public life in the meridian of a splendid career without the humiliation of defeat and decline, he has probably in this very thing justified the estimate of him as one of America's most upright and level headed men. Some men get rich in Congress and go out of office when besmirched by their own deeds and discarded by the people.

Something seems to be the matter with the Salisbury Sun. It has come to shining on our desk just 24 hours later than formerly. We would almost as well expect it to come ahead of time as our neighboring city seems to have all the hump on her that has become too common in other towns to be boasted of now-a-days.

NOTE THOSE WORDS.

We notice that in Mr. James Creelman's late interview with Mr. Bryan, in which the former's question implied the advisability of declaring for bimetalism without designating the ratio 16 to 1 in the next national Democratic platform, Mr. Bryan is very clear and strong in his individual opinion that there should be no letting down on the 16 to 1. But the part we started out to note in this interview is this well-said and very evident truth from Mr. Bryan: "Men support a platform as a whole, often dissenting from particular parts." He further says, "To a large majority of the party the platform will be entirely good; to some it will be better on the whole than the Republican platform. In a battle, those are on our side who are aiming at the enemy."

These are words by which we wish many of our enthusiastic 16 to 1-ers would stick a peg. In the campaign of '96 they practically threw away every plank of the Chicago platform but the silver plank, and if you could not stand flat-footed on that they wawled their disdainful orbs at you, and plainly indicated the charge that you were a traitor, and should get out and take your position with the Republicans, though there were less in common with your convictions there than where your own senses of right and judiciousness placed you.

But we hardly need to call attention to it, for bigoted cranks will be doing the same thing next year again. The comfort is that a sensible man can keep on his straight-forward course and need not be swerved by the would-be tyrants over individual conscience.

The third edition of "Sketches of Charlotte" by Mr. Wade Harris is before us and is a most handsome edition. It is truly a fitting expression of a proud people, justly proud of a most beautiful and progressive city. Its cuts are very handsome but the panoramic view, like that of any live town in this live period, is out of date already. The author presents it, however, and makes it the basis of a pen picture of what Charlotte is today and reasonably hopes to be for some time yet in the future. A diagram on the title page shows the rapidity with which the population has increased from 8,500 in 1880 to 29,000 now. Charlotte is progressive and Mr. Harris knows how to tell it. We want to smile, however, at the map on the second page which makes Charlotte a kind of Southern hub.

Gen. Bates has secured some kind of treaty with the Sultan of the Zulu Archipelago by which the United States flag is to float over that group of islands. The situation is just northeast of the Barneo. The United States will protect the islands from outside interference and in return will enjoy all the essential features of sovereignty, but local and private matters will be left as they are, for instance, the Sultan can keep all his wives. We don't want them.

Death From the Oil Can.

Mrs. John Hayes, who lived six miles from Durham, died Thursday night after suffering most horribly from burns received 48 hours before. She was kindling the fire by use of the oil can.

A MOTHER TELLS HOW SHE SAVED DAUGHTERS LIFE.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering. Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Burdick, Liberty, K. I. For Sale by M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggist.

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Duck, Plain White, solid colored and Printed.
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Light colored Outing 5½ & 7½c.
Bargains in Towels.

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Bone Dress Stays 3c, Safety Hooks and I's 10c box. Machine Thread 3c per spool, Safety Pins 2c per dozen, Brass Pins 4c per paper and 25c per pound, Iron Pins 1c, Rubber lined Dress Shields 10c, Mourning Pins 1 and 5c per box, Aluminium Hair Pins 5c dozen, Side Corabs 5 and 10c, Pompadour 10c, coarse and fine tooth Dressing Combs 4 to 25c.

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Jobs in Box Paper at less than cost to produce. 25c boxes for 15c and 10c ones for 5c. Nice Paper at 10c per pound. Pencil Erasers 1c, Typewriter do 5c. Carbon Paper for typewriter use 3 sheets for 5c, Typewriter paper at 3 ounces for 5c. Fancy Crepe Paper for Lamp Shades 6c up, Toilet Paper 2 rolls for 10c. Ink and Mucilage 3c, Shoe Blacking 1c up, Tan do. 5c, Black Dressing 5 to 15c, Wood Tooth Picks 4c per 1,000.

Gent's Furnishings.

Boston Garters 18c, Drawers Supporters 3c per pair, Silk Bosom Shirts 48c. Glass Ware 5c up. Crockery and Tinware up stairs.

D. J. Bostian.

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