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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1898.

NORTHERN FEELING - A CHANGE.

Soon after the late revolution in this city we scrutinized the northern press closely and were extremely regretful to see so many of the "great papers," secular and political, taking such an erroneous view of the causes and results here of a conflict between a part of the negroes and the whites.

But our purpose is not to dwell upon the unkind and false things said of Wilmington by ignorance and fanaticism. We desire to note, which is far pleasanter, a steady change of public opinion in the north, much more favorable to the south, and not without discernment of the critical conditions and necessities that are so pressing in character.

We have heard recently of observations made in the West and north since the revolution. A gentleman who has been in the north found but little disapproval among those he met of what was done here. A lady talked with many in the north and met no one who failed to be just and intelligent in what was said.

The average white man, so far as I could observe, is not alarmed or irritated about the condition of the negro in the south. His feeling towards the south and the southern white people is cordial. The Philadelphia is not less sincere in his regard for a southern man than he is for any other American.

The reporter (W. W. B.) says that such vituperative and ultra sentiment coming from clerics who preach the gospel of hate (our way of putting it) are not indorsed. His words are "find absolutely no echo in the popular mind of Philadelphia, and they are to be set down to the ignorance of political and social affairs too often incidental to a life more or less scholastic."

A MOVEMENT AGAINST THE TOBACCO TRUST IN KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE.

News comes from Lexington, Kentucky, that a new Tobacco League has been formed to fight the great grasping, insatiable Continental Tobacco Trust. The movement is called the Tobacco Growers' League and was formally organized at Lexington on 9th inst.

Charlotte News: Mr. Nat. ... who had his leg broken a few days ago by being thrown from his horse, is getting along as well as could be expected.

HONE POLKS

The Hickory Press, a republican organ, is out flouted against negroes holding office again in North Carolina. The negroes were the instruments, the power behind the throne in fusion plans, and put the whites of that kidney in fat places.

Lenoir county is suffering financially by reason of bad management under the fusion regime. The combination wrought much ruin in the four years it had away in North Carolina.

In North Carolina there is an anti-cigar law but it is not enforced we suppose. The legislature to meet soon might honorably and justly attend to this unfortunate matter.

How long will the people continue to suffer these enemies to flourish unshorn of power and wickedness? While they are silent and inactive the monsters of iniquity and oppression are getting in their devilish work by day and by night.

The Spaniards have discovered that Americans are well supplied with "cheek." Well, the Spaniards have an abundance of "brac."

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But lawlessness and anarchy are not confined to the south or to the negro race. In Chicago there is a war imminent and hangings by Judge Lynch may await certain aldermen who have sold out railroad franchises to a plundering corporation.

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WINE OF CARDUI

Acts Like A Charm. Moss Point, Miss., July 14. I have been using Wine of Cardui and Black-Draught for delayed or suppressed menstruation. It acts like a charm and has brought me complete relief.

There is no charm about McElree's Wine of Cardui, although there seems to be. When it is taken by women suffering with "female troubles," it cures them naturally.

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Lieutenant Victor Blue is a native of North Carolina, but the South Carolina papers are disposed to claim him as of their state. He lives there.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

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THE PAST AND THE FUTURE. The way to keep the future is by the past. It's one of the safest rules in existence.

HOLIDAY :: TRADE! With the near approach of the HOLIDAYS we have endeavored to secure for our patrons numerous USEFUL articles for presents.

CARPET DEPARTMENT. We have been very busy in this department the past week, and from now until after Xmas, will be rushing things.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Schedule in Effect November 20th, 1898. Departures from Wilmington.

DAILY NO. 43-Passenger-Due Maryland 11:30 a. m. Baltimore 11:55 a. m. Philadelphia 12:30 p. m. New York 1:00 p. m.

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