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"CAROLINA, CAROLINA, HEAVEN'S BLESSINGS ATTEND HER."

HENDERSON, N. C., THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1900.

Texas, and other tracts which have been secured from time to time, enlarged the Republic and the institution followed the flag into the new territory. It is now proposed to seize up distant territory already more densely populated than our own country and to force upon the people a government for which there is no warrant in our constitution or our laws.

A large standing army is not only a pecuniary burden to the people and, if accompanied by compulsory service, a constant source of irritation, but it is ever a menace. A Republican form of government, the army is the personification of force, and militarism will inevitably change the ideals of the people and turn the thoughts of our young men from the arts of peace to the science of war.

When I say that the contest of 1860 is a contest between Democracy on the one hand and slavery on the other, I do not mean to say that all our opponents have deliberately chosen to give to organized slavery a preponderant influence in the contest for the government, but I do assert that on the important issues of the day the Republican party is dominated by those influences which stand in opposition to the rights of man.

The maxim of Jefferson, "equal rights to all and special privileges to none," and the doctrine of Lincoln that this should be a government "of the people, by the people, and for the people," are being disregarded, and the instrumentalities of government are being used to advance the interests of those who are in opposition to the Democratic party.

Against us are arrayed a comparatively small, but a powerful, number who really profit by Republican policies, but with them are associated a large number who, because of their attachment to the party name, are giving their support to doctrines antagonistic to the true teachings of their own party.

Republicans who used to advocate bimetalism now try to convince themselves that the gold standard is good; Republicans who were formerly attached to the greenback are now seeking an excuse for giving national banks control of the nation's paper money.

Republicans who used to boast that the national debt are now looking for reasons to support a perpetual and increasing debt; Republicans who formerly used to boast that they were not in the Republican party who have now turned their backs on the party.

Republicans charged with Not Meeting the Great Issue squarely.
For a time Republican leaders were inclined to try to evade the right to the Philippine policy of the administration, but upon investigation they found that both Lincoln and Clay were positive in their opinion of the Philippine question, the Republican convention adopted a platform, the larger part of which was devoted to the question of the Philippines.

What is our title to the Philippines by force or conquest? Did we buy them or did we take them? Did we purchase them? If not, how did we secure them? Were they thrown in the net by some other power? Do we have any title to the Philippines by divine right? Do we have any title to the Philippines by the consent of the people? Do we have any title to the Philippines by the consent of the United States? Do we have any title to the Philippines by the consent of the Republic?

the session of the Philippine Islands to the United States, the menace of imperialism became so apparent that many preferred to reject the treaty and risk the loss of the millions of acres of territory than take the chance of correcting the errors of the treaty by the independent action of this country.

It is not the number of those who believe it better to ratify the treaty and end the war, release the ex-prisoners, and remove the excuse for war expenditures, and then give the Philippines the independence which might be forced from Spain by a new treaty.

Let us consider briefly the reasons which have led to the present situation. It is our duty to hold the Philippines, but it is our duty to hold the Philippines in the manner in which we should hold them, and it is our duty to hold the Philippines in the manner in which we should hold them, and it is our duty to hold the Philippines in the manner in which we should hold them.

Who are we to do with Him Who Has No Home Here?
The Philippine Islands will be retained under American sovereignty, and we have a right to demand that Republican leaders a discussion of the future status of the Philippines. Is he to be a citizen or a subject? Are we to bring into the body politic eight or ten million Asiatics, so different from our race and history that amalgamation is impossible? Are they to share with us in making the laws and shaping the destiny of this nation?

Must Expect Filipino Revolt.
Our Whole History Encouragement for Their Resistance.
If it is held in the United States to hold the Philippine Islands permanently and initiate European empires in the government of colonies the Republic party ought to state its position and defend it, but it must expect a Filipino revolt against such a policy and to resist to the extent of their ability. The Filipinos do not need any encouragement from us, but they need an encouragement from their own people.

Also the Contention that Obligations Govern Themselves.
If it is assumed that force has never yet created a right, if it was true, as declared in the resolutions of intervention, that the Cubans are not entitled to self-government, and if it is true, as declared in the Declaration of Independence, that the English are not entitled to self-government, then it is equally true that the Filipinos "are not entitled to self-government."

Expansion is Not Imperialism.
Jefferson Opposed to Show that Conquest is not the Basis of American Title.
Our opponents, conscious of the weakness of their cause, seek to confuse imperialism with expansion, and have even dared to claim Jefferson as a supporter of their policy.

Our Title to the Islands.
Were the People Thrown in with the Original Deal Estate?
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and give them no voice in determining the question, they must say, we dare not educate them, lest they learn to read the Declaration of Independence and the constitution of the United States and mock us for our inconsistency.

FOUR REPUBLICAN CONTENTIONS.
Comment on the Principal Arguments of the Party in Power.
The principal arguments, however, advanced by those who enter upon a defense of imperialism are:

First: That we must improve the present opportunity to become a world power and enter into international politics.
Second: That our commercial interests in the Philippine Islands and in the Orient make it necessary for us to hold the Islands permanently.

Fourth: That there is no honorable retreat from the position which the nation has assumed. Some say that it is our duty to hold the Philippine Islands, but it is our duty to hold the Philippine Islands in the manner in which we should hold them, and it is our duty to hold the Philippine Islands in the manner in which we should hold them.

I place the philosophy of Franklin against the sordid doctrine of those who would put a price upon the life of an American soldier and justify a war of conquest upon the ground that it will pay. The Democratic party is in favor of the expansion of trade, it is not in favor of the expansion of territory.

Imperialism will be profitable to the army contractors; it will be profitable to the military contractors; it will be profitable to the officials whose salaries will be fixed here and paid over there; but to the farmer, to the laborer, to the man who produces the goods, it will be a burden.

It is of age, and it can do what it pleases. It is of age, and it can do what it pleases. It is of age, and it can do what it pleases. It is of age, and it can do what it pleases.

There is an early, honest, honorable solution of the Philippine question. It is set forth in the Democratic platform and it is submitted with confidence to the people.

the American people. This plan I unreservedly endorse. If elected, I shall convene congress in extraordinary session as soon as I am inaugurated, and recommend an immediate declaration of the nation's purpose—first, to establish a stable form of government in the Philippine Islands, just as we are now establishing a stable form of government in the island of Cuba; second, to give independence to the Filipinos, just as we have promised to give independence to the Cubans; third, to protect the Philippines from outside interference while they work out their destiny, just as we have protected the Republic of Central and South America, and are, by the Monroe doctrine, pledged to protect Cuba.

When our opponents are unable to defend their position by argument they fall back upon the assertion that the Republic of Central and South America is not a matter how much it violates moral precepts and principles of government. This is a commonplace philosophy. It overlooks the distinction between right and wrong.

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THE TURF REVIEW.
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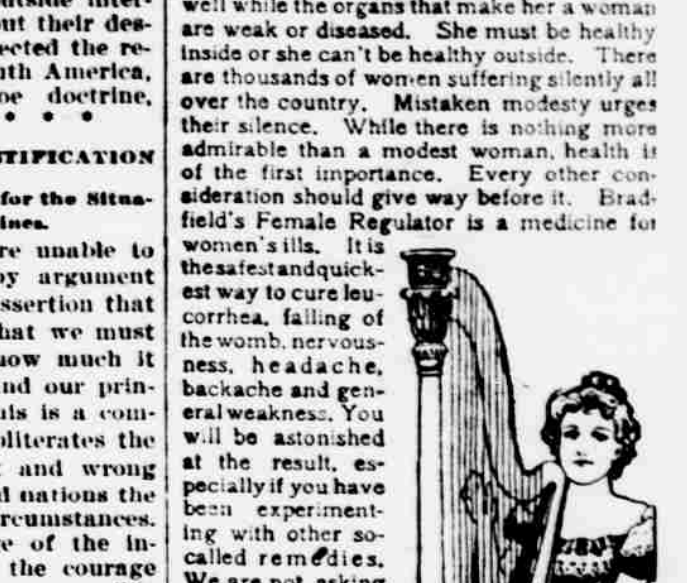
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