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A DEFINITION OF PARTISAN.

about the "partisan press," "partisan politicians" &c. Now what is the meaning of this? What is a partisan. Webster says it means "an adherent to a party."

It should be plain to every one who has any understanding of the English language that if partisan is the proper title (and it is the proper title) applied to one who belongs to either of the old political organizations it is equally as proper

for it to be applied to any who may join a new political organization. It, therefore, "partisan" is to be applied to a member of an old political party to brand him as iniquitous, it should also be applied to a member of a new political organization to brand him as iniquitous.

MORE ABOUT THE SUB-TREASURY.

Mr. Editor.—We have known for some years past that it would take a very large book to hold what we didn't know. We thought we had heard of the Government buying some silver bullion and "gold dust."

We are puzzled and our mind is very much clouded. We see that the gold in circulation does not increase. We will kindly ask you to enlighten us as to how much silver bullion the Government is now buying.

Also how much does the gold coinage exceed the "buying" you speak of brought into actual circulation since we will say, July first 1891.

Would be very glad to see some facts and figures along on this line. You may be able to convince us, also that the "Silver Kings" and "gold dust diggers" are the "people."

You could find other ways by which money gets out of the treasury, we think. But do not think yet there are but "three" ways for it to get into the hands of the people.

in sufficient volume to enable them to make an exchange of their products. "Silver" be when we learn the amount of silver bullion the Government is now buying, we'll think differently.

Are not whiskey and tobacco luxuries. And should not the greater tax be placed on something the poor man is not compelled to buy.

J. WILL MCINTOSH. Lowesville, 8, 25, '91.

ment buys a limited amount of silver was used as a general term. It is said that since the first of July the coinage of silver has stopped.

This, however, has nothing to do with the argument on the point at issue. Our correspondent knows that the government does occasionally coin a limited amount of silver.

Our correspondent argues as if we were endorsing the present government. Why does he ask us what the government is now doing or is not doing?

What would be thought of a confederate soldier who had invited and allowed a blue coat to enter the confederate lines at dead of night and place a magazine of powder under his comrades.

Decrease in gold coin, \$884,677; gold certificates \$7,442,310; U. S. notes, \$2,166,128; increase in standard silver dollars \$394,848; subsidiary silver \$791,204; silver certificates \$10,297,207; Treasury notes \$2,064,272; currency certificates \$1,190,000. National bank notes \$1,893,913.

In 1884 we received from \$14,500,000 of silver; 1885, \$16,500,000 of silver; 1886, \$17,850,000; 1887, \$17,250,000; 1888, \$15,400,000; 1889, \$18,700,000.

Now if our correspondent can get any consolation out of these figures he is certainly welcome to them. They are about as reliable as any you can get.

We all know there is something wrong with the circulation of money. The fault is either with the government or the people or both. The difference between us is how to get this ugly condition of things made better.

The State University has been opened with 225 students, there being over 100 fresh. This is the largest number since 1860.

Jerry Simpson and the Third Party.

There has been a good deal of talk lately about the Alliance going into a third party. Most of the Alliance leaders deny that they intend to start a new party in the South.

We take no stock in such talk. If a third party is formed it will be because the people have repudiated the principles of their fathers and gone after strange gods.

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Are the men who invite Jerry Simpson to preach third partyism in the South and follow him about, are they friends of the Democratic party? Are they friends of the Southern? Are they?

We have no quarrel with those who desire to desert their Southern friends and neighbors and join with Jerry Simpson in the third party. We respect Jerry Simpson, who though misguided, is sincere and honest and tells where he stands like a man.

Since Simpson's speech we have heard a number of farmers say that they were going into a third party. What can be expected but a third party when third party apostles are brought here to preach.

There are great political evils to be corrected. The farmers are the great sufferers. We have sought to bring about reform. Some success has followed. The farmers of the South through the Democratic party have more representation in Congress than at any time since the war.

We have no fear that any considerable number of farmers will go into a third party. The best Democrats we have are farmers. But we fear enough of them will be led by Jerry Simpson & Co., to cause the carpet bag party to resume the throne in North Carolina.

The University. The State University has been opened with 225 students, there being over 100 fresh. This is the largest number since 1860.

Sallow and leaden-hued complexion soon give place to the loveliest pink-and-white, when the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is persisted in, and cosmetics entirely abandoned.

North Brook.

ED. COURIER.—The meeting held at Beve's Chapel has been a success. Mr. Jacob Carpenter and family, from Landrum, S. C., are visiting their many friends and relatives at this place and will return home in a few days.

I guess the old farmers are in a sweat and some of them have the blues, for it is rainy and their fodder is rotting. If the frost don't visit before the middle of October, the farmers will knock the rust off of those old guano bills.

May the farmers sell the wheat, May the merchants take a heap, May the mechanics sell a rise, May the sinner open his eyes, May the sons of men be wise.

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Notice is hereby given that Letters of Incorporation for the term of thirty years were issued by me on the 14th day of August 1891.

The stock holders are not individually liable for the debts of the corporation. The general purpose of said corporation is that of building, keeping or having kept and conducting a hotel or hotels.

Witness my hand and seal this 14th day of August, 1891. O. E. CHILDS, Clerk Superior Court.

The Statesville N. C. Landmark says that in a certain North Carolina town when a sharp business-like Evangelist went not long ago and the people gave him about \$650, but when a number of the Oxford Orphans were there the other day and had entertainment and the people of that same town gave the pitiful sum of \$10.

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