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A. T. Dawson,

W. P. Gilbert,

J. C. Davis.

THE PEOPLE PAY THE BILLS.

The latest outrage that the administration is guilty of is that seven hundred dollar piece of campaign literature sent out last Sunday from Washington. It is not wrong for the Republicans to issue seven hundred dollar documents if they can afford it. But it is wrong, absolutely, for them to issue such a document at the expense of the American people.

The case is this. At his Esopus home Judge Parker the other day made some cutting criticisms of the American regime in the Philippines. Secretary Taft cabled an inquiry to Governor Wright covering the case in dispute and Gov. Wright replied with a little over 1,100 words. This at a cost of 52 cents a word would net the little sum of something like \$700. Immediately the whole correspondence was given to the public as campaign matter.

Did this campaign reading matter come through the Republican national committee? Not much. The government paid for it, and the truth is that under the present Washington regime the federal government has become an annex to the Republican national committee.

But this is not the first time that the government has come up to the assistance of the Republican party. The department of commerce and labor has been issuing campaign documents ever since it has been organized.

And the people pay the bill. Here, by the way is the Washington Post's comment on the Wright cablegram:

Governor Luke Wright's somewhat expensive telegram from Manila to Washington will hardly be accepted by the thoughtful as more than an acknowledgment of the necessity for an explanation. It tells us nothing new. It is, in fact, a mere repetition—with denials changed or amplified to meet the immediate emergency of the assurances which in times past have reached us from a similar source.

We have come to believe that the army officers, who are in contact with the real conditions, know more about them than the civil officials who sit safely in the capital and get their convictions from hearsay—from interested sources, to put it in plain words. All this may be a mistake, though the records does not warrant that conclusion. If so, the government must thank its own system for the result. But, as things stand, the country, while it may give to Governor Luke Wright the utmost confidence in his personal integrity, will not jump to the conclusion that he knows the facts of the case, and that his inferences are final.

UNDER THE BAN.

In a letter received yesterday from one of our citizens regarding rowdy houses in Kinston, the author says:

The citizens of Kinston should not be considered as favoring the existence of such young hells of corruption as those houses.

I think I could prove that rowdy houses have been as great sources of the corruption of our young men as the bar-rooms were and should be treated in like manner.

These are forcible words; but they are not one whit more forcible than the circumstances of the case demand.

Kinston has no room for these houses within her limits. And our community cannot afford to be held up as harboring places within its bounds that are under the ban of the common law. Vice should not be allowed to flaunt itself in the face of respectability.

DOLLAR WHEAT.

We note that a number of Wilson county farmers are buying seed wheat with the intention of raising their own breadstuff next year.

This movement presents a serious question for the consideration of our farmers. Is it not better for them to raise a small amount of wheat than to depend on the western fields for the bread that they need? Dollar wheat doesn't make cheap flour to the man who has to buy it. A wheat crop does not take much labor, if it is managed properly. And it would save thousands of dollars to this country if it would produce its own breadstuffs.

Right now is the time for our farmers to take up this subject and make a decision.

The Russians at Vladivostok are paying ten dollars a ton for coal. The Japanese now hold the Manchurian coal mines formerly operated by the Russians, and this counts for much in the great struggle that is in progress.

THE DEATH OF BACON.

It Was Brought About Through Stuffing a Fowl With Snow.

It was after stuffing a fowl with snow that Francis Bacon died in the house of the Earl of Arundel at Highgate on April 9, 1626. It was given out that he was suddenly taken ill while prosecuting some discoveries in experimental philosophy in the neighborhood, but Aubrey in his "Lives" tells the exact truth with more of quaint realism than of regard for a great man gone. "The cause of his lordship's death," says Aubrey, "was trying an experiment as he was taking air in the coach of Dr. Whitherborne. Toward Highgate snow lay, and it came into my lord's thoughts why flesh might not be preserved in snow as in salt. "Presently they alighted and went into a poor woman's house and bought a hen and made her exenterate it and stuffed the bottle with snow, and my lord did do it himself. The snow so chilled him that he immediately fell so ill he could not return, but went to the Earl of Arundel's house, which gave him such a cold that in two or three days he died of suffocation."—Francis Bacon's.

Marriage Proposals.

It is a bad plan for a man to ask a girl to be his wife on a very slight acquaintance and a still worse plan for her to accept him under these circumstances. If they keep their heads it is surely not a very hard thing for them to conclude to wait until they know one another a trifle better before they decide that they are the two persons out of the whole world who are best fitted to live each with the other. When they have made this perfectly clear to their own minds, and not until then, should they become engaged and announce the fact to the world at large. And when they are engaged they should understand the responsibilities of their position and not seek to evade them. Success.

Nose Bleeding.

Nose bleeding is sometimes a sign of plethora—that is, too great a fullness in the blood vessels. Then it will be accompanied by florid skin. Reduce the meat to the lowest limit. Withhold pastry. Give fresh vegetables largely, and when the system has been accustomed to the change adopt very active exercise. It will be within one's discretion to resume the ordinary diet slowly. Plethoric persons need regulating, as they make blood too quickly.

Brave, but Safe.

"Father, are generals brave men?" asked Johnny of his parent. "Yes, my son, as a rule. I think they are," was the answer. "Then why do artists always make pictures of 'em standing on a bill miles away, looking at the battle through an opera glass?"

Her Way of Putting It.

Mrs. New Cohn (who has been absorbing some of the vocabulary of her newly made acquaintances)—I have spent such a tiresome day over the perusal of wall paper for the cook's boudoir!

The first independent school for wood workers was established in Germany about the year 1823.

What More Could He Want? "What is your father's objection to me, Millie?" asked the young man. "He says you have no application, Gerald." "No application!" he echoed bitterly. "I wonder if he knows I've been coming to see you twice a week for nearly six years!"—Chicago Tribune.

NAGGING PAINS

Newport News, Va., July 22, 1903.

Last summer while recovering from illness of fever, I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism in the knees, from which I was unable to leave my room for several months. I was treated by two doctors and also tried different kinds of liniments and medicines which seemed to relieve me from pain for awhile, but at the same time I was not any nearer getting well. One day while reading a paper I saw an advertisement of S. S. S. for Rheumatism. I decided to give it a trial, which I did at once. After I had taken three bottles I felt a great deal better, and I still continued to take it regularly until I was entirely cured. I now feel better than for years, and I cheerfully recommend S. S. S. to any one suffering from Rheumatism. 613 32d St. CHAS. E. GILDESLERVE.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid or some other acid poison in the blood, which when deposited in the muscles and joints, produce the sharp, cutting pains and the stiffness and soreness peculiar to this disease. S. S. S. goes directly into the circulation, all irritating substances are neutralized and filtered out of the system, the blood is made pure and the general health is built up under the purifying and tonic effects of the vegetable remedy. Write for our special book on Rheumatism which is sent free. Our physicians will advise without charge all who will write us about their case.

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Saturday, October 29th, 1904
Sale Begins at 8:30 a. m.

WHO WE ARE:
Benj. Robinson & Co., of New York city, are administrators of estates and conductors of sales. Its the largest institution of its kind in the world, operating 35 stores and warehouses in the United States.

A Few Slaughtering Bargains We Offer:

Clothing.	Wanted	Hats and Caps.
147 Men's Black Clay Worsted Suits, \$5 and \$5.50 kind, slaughtering sale price \$1.98	8 Experienced Salesmen Apply at Naiman & Marks Thursday, between 3 and 4 p. m. Next to Einstein's.	75 doz. Men's 50c Caps must sell for 17c
87 Men's Suits, fancy colors, latest styles, worth from \$8.50 to \$9.50, slaughtering sale price \$3.37	Shoes.	18 doz. Men's 75c Black Hats must sell for 37c
250 Cassimer Worsteds Men's Suits, plain and fancy colors, latest styles, nobby patterns, \$10 to \$12 suits, Slaughtering price \$5.68	119 pairs Ladies' Shoes, in button and lace, \$1.50 kind, must be sold at 89c	One lot of \$1.25 and \$1.75 Alpine black and brown Men's Hats, latest styles, to sell for 79c
183 Men's Suits, well-known makes, best fitting clothes in the city, kind you pay \$15 and \$20, slaughtering sale price \$8.97	One lot of \$2 kind \$1.19	475 Men's Hats, latest styles, this season's goods, all colors and sizes, standard brand, \$3 and \$3.50 value, sale price \$1.39
857 Boys' Suits, ranging from 98c up to \$4.50, will be sold at less than 39 cents on the dollar, not more than one suit of a size to a customer	87 pair of \$2.50 and \$3 Ladies' Shoes, standard makes, guaranteed by manufacturer, this sale \$1.47	115 doz. Caps, 25c kind, will sell for 7c
79 Youth's Suits, ranging from \$3.50 to \$8, will be sold at less than 39c on the dollar.	99 pairs Men's Shoes, \$1.50 and \$2 goods, all sizes, must go at \$1.09	Underwear.
188 pairs Men's pants, \$2 value, must sell at 89c	174 pairs Men's patent leather \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes, must sell at \$1.98	119 doz. Heavy Shirts and Drawers. 50c. kind, must be sold at 18 1-2c
229 pairs Men's Pants, ranging from \$3.25 to \$4, must sell for \$1.98	189 pairs patent Calf and patent Vici, guaranteed by makers, best known \$5 Shoes, must sell at \$2.98	138 doz. silk fleeced-lined shirts and drawers, 75c and \$1 kind, must go at this sale for 39c
Overcoats.	Men's Shirts.	Hosiery.
450 Men's Overcoats, all colors and styles, ranging from \$4.50 to \$18, must be sold at less than 39 cents on the dollar.	57 doz. Percal and Madras Shirts, 40c and 65c kind, must sell quickly at 19c	200 doz. socks, 10c value, must go for 4c
Neckties.	47 doz. Shirts, well-known makes, \$1 and \$1.25 kind, slaughtering sale 39c	One lot Half Hose, 15c kind, to be sold at 7c
750 Men's 25c Neckties, must sell for 6c	500 Men's durable working Shirts, 50c and 75c kind, will sell for 28c	Handkerchiefs.
43 doz. four-in-hand Neckties, nobby patterns, 50c kind, must be sold at 19c	Suspenders	350 doz. Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c value, must be sold at 3c
	79 doz. Suspenders, 20c kind, must sell for 8c	One lot of Handkerchiefs, 15c kind, must go at 4 1-2c
	23 doz. 35c Suspenders, sale price, 14c	Collars.
		247 doz. Linen Collars, well-known brands, 15c kind, must sell quickly at 3c

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN

Don't miss the great opportunity which is so appealing to you. The store is now closed to re-mark and re-arrange this immense stock. Let nothing keep you away. The hour is set; the date you know. Sale positively begins Saturday rain or shine, October 29th, 1904, when we will re-open at NAIMAN & MARKS, 104 Queen street, next door to Einstein's. Don't miss the place. Look for the big YELLOW SIGN.

\$250 Reward is offered by Benj. Robinson & Co., of New York city, to any person who will prove goods are not sold as advertised.

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