

### Col. Dockery and the Farmer's Alliance.

From the Fayetteville Observer.

Col. Dockery is reported as having said in his speech at Nashville, that if Capt. S. B. Alexander had been nominated for Governor, on the Democratic ticket, that he would not have accepted the Republican nomination, and the Rockingham Rocket says that he made a similar statement before the Pee Dee Alliance. The statement only shows that Col. Dockery is trying to use the Farmers' Alliance as he does the negroes, for Col. Dockery as a supporter of the Republican Party must be a Protectionist, which is in direct opposition to the principles of the Farmer's Alliance. The National Farmers' Alliance which met at Shreveport, Louisiana, early in the year, passed unanimously the following resolutions:

"That in view of the fact that the delegates to this body represent a majority of the cotton producers of the cotton belt of America, which belt produces over two-thirds of the cotton of the whole world, and in view of the further fact that two-thirds of the cotton in the cotton belt is demanded and used for export to a foreign power, which fixes the price on every pound of our cotton and in view of the fact that the said power is debared from returning to this country a single yard of manufactured cotton, thereby making said power interested in crowding down to the lowest figure the price of cotton; we hereby demand that the U. S. Government adopt a speedy system of reduction on the import duty on manufactured cottons, in such a way as to do justice to this, the greatest of all classes of producers.

We demand such a revision of the tariff as will lay the heaviest burdens on the luxuries and the lightest on the necessities of life; and as will reduce the incomes from imports to a strictly revenue basis.

And at the Inter-State Convention of farmers which met in Atlanta, Ga., August 16, 1887, the following resolution passed that body and it is sound doctrine.

Resolved, That we demand of the Government of the United States a financial policy that will cease hoarding unbounded wealth in our National Treasury, thereby holding the rate of taxation above the needs of Government and the ability of the people, and depriving us of a just amount of circulating medium."

Are these resolves of no moment—do they mean nothing? Surely no Democratic farmer can vote for him, no, not even a Republican who belongs to the Alliance and is true to his principles. Besides this, the farmers know full well that it means to place a Republican in office. They have tasted the bitter fruit, and surely want no more of it. Farmers must keep in mind from whom Col. Dockery received his nomination—a few white men and a large number of negroes. He is the candidate of the colored race. As the State Chronicle says:

"The Alliance is composed of white men—Dockery's party are mainly all black. The Alliance is organized for the benefit of farmers—Dockery's party is organized to tax farmers for the benefit of our 'infant' manufacturing interests, corporations and monopolies. The Alliance is opposed to the National Banking System—Dockery's party inaugurated it. Nothing but the most adulterous union could ever be effected between the Farmers' Alliance and Dockery's party. If Dockery could effect this union, it ought to be secret—it would be too scandalous to bear the light.

Mr. J. T. Roberts has found gold in large quantities on his farm near Osbornville, Wilkes county. Specimens of the washings were exhibited here, it may be remembered, some months ago, and since then the indications have grown more and more favorable. Specimens of the gold have been forwarded to New York city, and Mr. Roberts has received from capitalists there an offer of \$10,000 for his property. This is an exceedingly hopeful sign, for the fact that capitalists, acting, of course, under the advice of experts, offer \$10,000 for the property without having seen it, may be taken as a safe indication that they consider it worth a great deal more.—Statesville Landmark.

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The first impression obtained when Mr. Blaine first got home was that Gen. Harrison was in for a pickapack ride on that gentleman's shoulders. It now appears that General Harrison is to play horse for Mr. Blaine.—Wilmington Messenger.

### Dockery a Protectionist?

From the Wilmington Messenger.

Not long since an old Democrat announced his intention of voting for Dockery because the Colonel was a Protectionist. If this be a fact how the Colonel must have changed since 1851. Is it not a fact that Col. Dockery wrote a letter to the then only morning paper in this city antagonizing prohibition; and did he not in the same year canvass portions of the State against it? Is it not also a fact that he quoted, or attempted to quote, passages of Scripture in support of his position? And is Col. Dockery now a Protectionist in practice, as well as in theory?

We do not question for a moment that Col. Dockery now favors the Protectionists, and for the very excellent reason that the Protectionists are favoring him. But that the Colonel has himself become a Protectionist we are reluctant to accept with the smallest degree of credence.

In the first place is not Col. Dockery the candidate of a party that has proclaimed for free whiskey? And the Colonel is the last man in North Carolina to go back on a proclamation of that kind. Besides the Colonel's party favors the abolition of the tobacco tax, and would he be so ruthless as to ignore a personal favor of that kind? No, the Colonel is not a Protectionist but just now he likes them mighty well. He might even be induced to forego his morning cocktail and before-dinner dram to please them, but to make a total surrender of the habits of a life time is monstrous and beyond belief.

The sun may cease to shine, the moon may set in the East, but Col. Dockery a Protectionist, NEVER!

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TRAINS MOVING NORTH.		
Passenger and Mail	Freight and Passenger	
Le Bennettsville, 6:00 a m	1:15 p m	
Ar Maxton, 7:05 a m	3:10 p m	
Le Maxton, 7:15 a m	4:40 p m	
Ar Fayetteville, 9:00 a m	10:10 a m	
Le Fayetteville, 9:15 a m	1:40 p m	
Ar Sandford, 11:15 a m	2:30 p m	
Le Sandford, 11:27 a m	1:33 p m	
Ar Greensboro, 2:30 p m	7:25 p m	
Le Greensboro, 3:00 p m	10:15 a m	
Ar Mount Airy, 7:15 p m	5:15 p m	
No. 1—dinner at Greensboro.		

### TRAINS MOVING SOUTH.

Le Mount Airy, 5:00 a m	10:15 p m
Ar Greensboro, 9:25 a m	4:40 p m
Le Greensboro, 10:05 a m	7:45 a m
Ar Sandford, 1:35 p m	2:30 p m
Le Sandford, 1:55 p m	5:30 p m
Ar Fayetteville, 4:00 p m	5:50 p m
Le Fayetteville, 4:15 p m	6:25 a m
Ar Maxton, 6:15 p m	9:50 a m
Le Maxton, 6:25 p m	10:15 a m
Ar Bennettsville, 7:30 p m	12:15 p m
No. 2—breakfast at Germantown.	
No. 2—dinner at Sandford.	

### FACTORY BRANCH.

Leave Millboro, 7:03 a m  
Arrive at Greensboro, 9:00 a m  
Leave Greensboro, 9:30 a m  
Leave Factory Junction, 4:30 p m  
Arrive at Millboro, 5:15 p m  
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