

Internal Revenue Must Go.

Two Southern Senators have recently expressed the views of their constituencies in opposition to the internal revenue laws. Senator Brown, of Georgia, opened the debate in a speech that presented the subject in every light, historic, economic, patriotic and moral. A day or two later he was followed by Senator Vance, of North Carolina. The first speaker is a strong protectionist; the second is one of the most earnest and plausible advocates of free trade, but diametrically opposed as they are on that issue, they are cordially agreed as to the necessity and duty of repealing the internal revenue taxes. In this they represent not only their personal convictions and the wishes of their respective constituencies, but also the opinions and desires of the vast majority of the Southern people. Behind them is a moral power that has not yet brought into action the great forces at its command, but is preparing to do so. This is the Women's Christian Temperance Union, an organization with an able leadership that has large bodies of earnest supporters in every State and Territory. This union has arrayed its members in opposition to the whisky tax, and soon they will urge the abolition of the internal revenue system, and bring every influence they can command to bear upon Congress. When several hundred thousand intelligent, conscientious Christian women enter upon a work of this kind, supported by the moral convictions of the majority of American freemen, it will be up-hill business for the average Congressmen to resist their assault in force. In spite, therefore, of the money and political power of the whisky ring, we may hope to see this obnoxious system abolished before the close of the present session. Certainly it will be if the Women's Union will give Senator Brown's unanswerable speech a wide spread circulation, for the calm, dispassionate presentation he made of the evils attendant upon the enforcement of the law is certain to create such a disgust for it among all right thinking citizens, that public opinion will swell into a mighty wave that will overwhelm every member of Congress who attempts to oppose it. The outlook is bright, although the repeal is not yet assured. But earnest work will secure it, and every true friend of the South should at once engage in it.—Manufacturers Record.

Discovered His Fault in Time.

A handsomely dressed young woman entered a crowded street car. A long whiskered old fellow, wearing a dingy slouch hat and a suit of homespun clothes, got up and said: "Miss, take my seat. I don't look as well as these here gentlemen"—nodding at several men—"but I've discovered that I've got more politeness." The young woman sat down without thanking the old fellow, and, slyly winking at a woman whom she knew, whispered:

"How do you like my gallant country hoosier? Don't you think that he would cut quite a figure in a dime museum?"

"Miss," said the old fellow with a smile which clearly bespoke his unconsciousness of the unlady like ridicule. "I believe I left my pocket-book that on that seat. Will you please get up a minute?" The young woman got up. The old fellow sat down, and, stroking his whiskers remarked:

"Believe I'll jest keep on sittin' here miss. I stood up so much at the dime museum jest now that I'm sorter tired. I've got a little more politeness than these here gentlemen, but I have discovered that I ain't got nigh so much sense."—Arkansas Traveler.

Mr. Charles Vance, son of Senator Vance, has been appointed clerk in United States Marshal Service office.

Ice Gorge in the Mississippi.

The ice gorge which has formed on the Mississippi river in front of St. Louis began to move and drifted down the stream about 3000 yards, lifting two steamers out of the water, slightly injuring them, when the immense weight was checked and in the morning, when the thaw loosened the great mass, and it slowly crashed down upon nearly \$1,500,000 worth of property, which it is slowly grinding into ruins. The gorge has been forming for ten days and every means has been taken to dislodge it but in vain. Great cakes from 10 to 18 inches thick have piled upon each other, forming a solid mass from bank to bank, several hundred yards wide and from ten to twenty feet thick. The mild weather has rotted only the upper layer and beneath is a flinty mass of blue ice ready to grind the many steamboats and barges that are tied close in shore. Already several barges and steamers have been sunk.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her, for seven years she withstood its severest test, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C.—Get a free trial bottle at Roysters Drug Store.

The published reports that General Longstreet was in destitute circumstances and in great need of pecuniary assistance, turns out to be untrue. Mrs Longstreet has written a letter to the Atlanta Constitution correcting these reports and expressing the desire that no appeal shall be made or moneys forwarded for his relief. She says that although far from being rich, "he is able, with what he owns, to live in comfort and ease, and the remainder of his days."

A gentleman of very liberal views, and whose head is level on everything he takes time to think about, said to us while in conversation about our town in general, that the Temperance Association did what nothing else had done. He said "it made the most decent Christmas that Scotland Neck has seen in a long time." The gentleman who made the remark is not a member of the association, and we didn't fish it out of him either. He said it without any one mentioning the Temperance Association.

Brown's Little Joke.

"Why, Brown, how short your coat is," said Jones one day to his friend Brown, who wittily replied: "Yes, but it will be long enough before I get another." Some men spend so much for medicines that neither heal nor help them, that new clothes is with them like angels' visits—few and far between. Internal fevers, weakness of the lungs, shortness of breath and lingering coughs, soon yield to the magic influence of that royal remedy, Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery."

Talmage on Sport.

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What is this Disease that is Coming Upon Us?

Like a thief at night it steals in upon us unawares. The patients have pains about the chest and sides, and sometime in the back. They feel dull and sleepy; the mouth has a bad taste, especially in the morning. A sort of sticky slime collects about the teeth. The appetite is poor. There is a feeling like a heavy load on the stomach; sometimes a faint, all gone sensation at the pit of the stomach which food does not satisfy. The eyes are sunken, the hands and feet become cold and clammy. After a while a cough sets in, at first dry, but after a few months it is attended with a greenish-colored expectoration. The patient feels tired all the while, and sleep does not seem to afford any rest. After a time he becomes nervous, irritable and gloomy, and has evil forebodings. There is a giddiness, a sort of whirling sensation in the head when rising up suddenly. The bowels become costive; the skin is dry and hot at times; the blood becomes thick and stagnant; the whites of the eyes become tinged with yellow; the urine is scanty and high colored, depositing a sediment after standing. There is frequently a spitting up of the food, sometimes with a sour taste and sometimes with a sweetish taste; this is frequently attended with palpitation of the heart; the vision becomes impaired, with spots before the eyes; there is a feeling of great prostration and weakness. All of these symptoms are in turn present. It is thought that nearly one-third of our population has this disease in some of its varied forms.

It has been found that physicians have mistaken the cause of this disease. Some have treated it for a liver complaint, others for kidney disease, etc., etc., but none of these kinds of treatment have been attended with success; for it is really constipation and dyspepsia. It is also found that Shaker Extract of Roots, or Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, when properly prepared will remove this disease in all its stages. Care must be taken, however, to secure the genuine article.

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TESTIMONY FROM TEXAS.

Mrs. S.E. Barton, of Varner, Ripley Co., Mo., writes that she had been long afflicted with dyspepsia and disease of the urinary organs and was cured by Shaker Extract of Roots. Rev. J. J. McGuire, merchant, of the same place, who sold Mrs. Barton the medicine, says he has sold it for four years and never knew it to fail.

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PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULE

Effective September 26th, 1887.

Eastern (75 meridian) time used when not otherwise specified.

WEST BOUND.

Leave New York	4:30 p.m.
" Philadelphia	6:37
" Baltimore	9:42
" Washington	11:00
" Richmond	2:30 a.m.
" Raleigh	1:00

Arrive Salisbury	11:22 a.m.
" Statesville	12:20 p.m.
" Hickory	1:26
" Connelly Springs	2:08
" Morganton	2:34
" Marion	3:19
" Asheville	5:08
" Hot Springs	7:35
" Morristown	8:45
" Knoxville	10:00

EAST BOUND.

Leave Knoxville	6:30 a.m.
" Morristown	7:45
" Hot Springs	10:25
" Asheville	12:45 p.m.
" Reata Knob	2:15
" Marion	3:18
" Morganton	4:15
" Hickory	5:05
" Statesville	6:23
" Salisbury	8:10

Arrive Raleigh	6:35 a.m.
" Richmond	8:15
" Washington	8:10
" Baltimore	10:04
" Philadelphia	12:55
" New York	9:20

Dinner Stations. (Central (26th Meridian) Day.)

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NORTHBOUND—DAILY.

Leave Charleston (via S. C. RR)	8:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Augusta	6:30	9:30 a.m.
Greenville	6:56	10:15
Trenton	7:28	10:48
Johanna	7:51	11:05
Columbia	10:30	1:40 p.m.
Windsor	12:53	4:19
Chester	1:07 a.m.	4:28
Rock Hill	2:55	6:11
Arr. Charlotte	4:35	8:15
Salisbury	6:44	8:32
Greensboro	8:28	9:40
Richmond	9:40 p.m.	6:12 a.m.
Washington	5:40	8:10
Baltimore	11:25	10:03
Philadelphia	3:00 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
New York	6:48	5:28

SOUTHBOUND—DAILY

Leave New York	8:00	8:00 a.m.
Philadelphia	4:30 p.m.	12:15 a.m.
Baltimore	6:57	7:08 a.m.
Washington	9:42	9:45
Richmond	11:00	11:54
Greensboro	2:30 a.m.	3:10 p.m.
Salisbury	9:45	10:44
Charlotte	11:22	12:37
Rock Hill	1:08 m.	2:30 a.m.
Chester	2:32	3:23
Columbia	2:45	4:03
Windsor	3:47	5:00
Rock Hill	2:43	6:38
Johanna	7:51	9:41
Trenton	8:08	9:14
Greenville	8:56	9:49
Augusta	9:15	10:50
Charleston (via S. C. RR)	10:55	10:55

PRICHT—DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Columbia	8:00	8:00 a.m.
Windsor	8:57	8:57
Rock Hill	12:30	12:30 p.m.
Arr. Charlotte	2:07 p.m.	4:25

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TIME TABLE.

To take effect 12 Noon, Sunday, June 5th, 1887.

PASSENGER TRAIN—GOING SOUTH.

Leave Lenoir	8:00 a.m.
Hudsonville	8:23 a.m.
Lovelady	8:37 a.m.
Hickory	9:03 a.m.
Newtown	9:24 a.m.
Lincolnton	10:20 a.m.
Gastonia	11:47 a.m.
Yorkville	1:00 a.m.
Arrive at Chester	2:15 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Leave Chester	4:30 p.m.
Yorkville	5:00
Gastonia	5:15
Lincolnton	5:17
Newtown	9:11
Hickory	9:44
Lovelady	10:11
Hudsonville	10:26
Arrive at Lenoir	10:5

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