

COLUMBIUS IN WASHINGTON.
A descendant of the Discoverer of the
National Capital-Cleveland and the
Gold Reserve-Cool Proceedings of Re-
publican Officials.
Special Cor. of The Morganton Herald.

The most exciting state topic for the past few days has been the trouble between the negroes at James City, N. C., (on the Trent river opposite Newbern) and the sheriff of Craven county. The courts having decided that the land on which James City is built is the property of Gen. James A. Bryan, of Newbern, the negro inhabitants, numbering about 2,000 have stubbornly refused to get out or pay rent. The sheriff, armed with writs of ejectment, was defied, and Governor Carr ordered a regiment of the State guard to the scene of the trouble to enforce the mandates of the law. In the face of the military the negroes capitulated and agreed to pay Gen. Bryan a nominal rent for three years, with the privilege at any time during that period of removing their houses from the lands. The negroes were placed in possession of the Bryan farm by a federal officer during the war, and Gen. Bryan has been fighting in the courts for thirteen years to regain his property. It was nothing but justice that he should have regained his possession, and it is a cause for general rejoicing that the law has been enforced without bloodshed, but at the same time it looks like somebody had wronged the ignorant darkies, who after a quarter of a century are hustled out of homes they thought were their own. The suggestion has been made that an officer of the government, having placed the negroes in possession of the lands, the government ought to pay General Bryan for the property and let the darkies remain.

Mr. CLEVELAND has served notice on the country that he proposes to maintain the public credit, and that he will maintain the party between gold and silver coin as long as there is a gold dollar in the treasury. He has also notified the New York bankers directly but none the less pointedly that he does not need their advice about the management of the public finances. Europe is drawing heavily on the United States for gold now, and there has been an apparent effort to force gold to a premium or to force the government to sell bonds to maintain its gold reserve. The administration says in effect, we have \$100,000,000 of gold in the treasury, and there are \$700,000,000 in gold coin in the United States; when the holder of U. S. treasury notes demands gold we will pay out the gold as long as we have it, and when we get out of the margin is too close it will be time enough to talk about issuing bonds. Mr. Cleveland says in effect that the present condition of the treasury is due to pernicious Republican legislation and to the reckless waste of the public funds by an extravagant Republican Congress. And the people know that is the truth. In the mean time the Cleveland administration is showing the country that it will date every dollar issued by the government as good as any other dollar, and that the New York bankers will have very little to say as to the financial policy.

ASHEVILLE, the mountain capital of the west, is having "a monkey and a parrot time" over its municipal affairs. The regular Democratic organization has nominated a ticket headed by Mr. T. C. Starnes, for mayor, and the "citizens" have nominated Mr. T. W. Patton for the mayoralty, and the fight waxed warm. The reformers of course are the "citizens," just as in the last general election the Gideonites were "the people," and the Democrats, wild and woolly and wicked, are neither citizens nor people as a matter of course. Sixty miles away from the scene of the conflict, it looks like some of the members of the unperfected Buncombe Democracy are doing the Mary Ann Butler act. We don't know whether Asheville needs "reforming" or not, but if it does, the same enthusiasm and zeal displayed in carrying the Democratic primary as was shown in the "citizens" meeting ought to have done the business, without making it necessary to enter into an entangling alliance with the enemies of the party. We are of the opinion that the best "people" and the best "citizens" are inside the Democratic ranks, and that the best reformers are those who work out their measures inside the party lines.

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Christopher Columbus is in Washington. Not the discoverer of America, but the descendant, the Duke of Veragua, who is in America as the especially invited and honored guest of the United States, for the purpose of attending the opening of the Columbian Exposition held in honor of his illustrious ancestor. The Duke and his party, in charge of Commodore Duckens, who has been detailed for the purpose of looking after the comfort of the party, arrived here late Saturday evening, and went at once to the hotel at which a magnificent suite of thirteen rooms had been engaged for them, and over which the Spanish flag will fly during their stay in this city. Yesterday they attended divine service at St. Matthews church, and this afternoon a special reception was held in their honor by President and Mrs. Cleveland, and to night a musical entertainment at the residence of Senator Brice. Tomorrow will be devoted to the sights of the National Capital, including historic Mount Vernon, and Wednesday the Ducal party will go to New York with President Cleveland and the cabinet, where they will see the great naval review from the deck of the U. S. S. Dolphin. The Duke and his wife and daughter expressed their interest in the visit to America with the more than cordial reception which has been given them in New York and Washington, the only two cities they have yet visited.

Prompt and decisive action on the part of President Cleveland and his cabinet carried the country safe through what at the end of last week looked very much like a dangerous financial crisis. The free gold was exhausted and the continued demand for gold for export brought the administration face to face with the question of whether bonds should be sold or a portion of the \$100,000,000 gold reserve fund should be used to redeem notes presented to the Treasury. Under the law gold might have been refused for Treasury notes, but as it had been the practice of the department to redeem these notes with gold it was thought that it might have a bad effect to discontinue the practice just now, so it was decided to use a portion of the reserve fund, and \$3,000,000 of it was used; but it was only for a single day. Now, the Treasury has replaced what it used from the fund and has, besides, enough gold to meet all demands, for the present at least. Public opinion, as reported in Washington, is with President Cleveland in the belief that so long as there is known to be more than \$700,000,000 in gold in the United States, there is no necessity for the government to sell bonds to procure gold, and as for using a part of the gold reserve fund to redeem notes, that is precisely what that fund was accumulated for, and many prominent democrats do not hesitate to say that it should be used, if necessary, until it becomes apparent that it will be exhausted, before bonds should be issued. The present indications are that the Treasury will soon have plenty of gold, as bankers, particularly in the West and South, are placing their gold at its disposal, and visitors to the World's Fair will soon turn a stream of European gold our way. Ex-Congressman Vance, of Connecticut, while on a flying visit to Washington, dropped some pleasant democratic news concerning his state, which, although regularly casting its electoral vote for a democrat, has been unable for a long period to send a democrat to the U. S. Senate. Mr. Vance says the legislature to be elected this year will be democratic and that Senator Platt will be succeeded by a democrat, and his friends add, "his name will be Bob Vance."

The weather has been unusually cool this spring, but there is no comparison between the weather and the action of republicans now holding federal offices in various states, in writing letters to the heads of the departments under which they are, asking that they be allowed to remain in office. Even such a prominent partisan politician as the notorious Webster Flanagan, now collector of customs at El Paso, Tex., has written asking that he be kept in office. Evidently Flanagan is of the same mind now concerning the holding of federal office that he was almost a score of years ago when he started the National Republican Convention, to which he was a delegate, when the same subject was up, by asking, "What are we here for?" It is probable that he will soon learn what the democratic administration is here for, and the knowledge will hardly please him over much.

Hon. T. F. Bayard, U. S. ambassador to Great Britain, will start for London on May 20th. He has been, while in Washington, the recipient of unusual courtesies and attentions from Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador.

Notice to Newsletters.
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Southern Industrial Progress.
The list of companies given below presents the new concerns organized during the week ending April 21, as shown by the Baltimore Manufacturers' Record in its issue of that date. The aggregate capital stock of these new enterprises is over \$2,750,000.
La Estancia Co., of New Orleans, La.; to cultivate sugar cane, etc.; capital stock \$12,000.
The Southern Leather Manufacturing Co., of New Orleans; capital stock \$250,000.
The Gibson Glazed Brick & Terra Cotta Co., of Baltimore, Md.; capital stock \$25,000.
The New Era Manufacturing Co., of Natchez, Miss.; capital stock \$25,000.
The North Carolina Corundum Wheel Co. put in \$150,000 mining plant at Iron Mountain, N. C.
The Iron Mountain Lumber Co., of Prescott, Ark., to operate mills; capital stock \$50,000.
The Luraville, (Fla.) Phosphate Co. to open mines and erect plant; capital stock \$50,000.
The Armina Cigar Co., of Tampa Fla., to manufacture; capital stock \$25,000.
The Central Georgia Land Development Co., of Atlanta, capital stock \$60,000.
A \$200,000 canning company at Augusta, Ga.
The Hogsenville (Ga.) Water Works & Electric Light Co., to build plant; capital stock \$25,000.
The Telfair & Montgomery Canning Co., to erect factory at Towns, Ga.
New electric plant at Newport, Ky.; by the Thomson-Houston Company.
The Teche Railroad & Sugar Co., of Lake Charles, La.; capital stock \$1,000,000.
The Hydraulic Brick Co., limited, to operate works; capital stock \$100,000.
The Landoumery & Boudouque Printing Co., limited; capital stock \$200,000.
The Crescent Brush Manufacturing Co., of New Orleans, La.; capital stock \$200,000.
The Lowe Mineral Wells Co., of New Orleans; capital stock \$25,000.
The George H. Murrell Planting and Manufacturing Co., of Plantation, La.; to erect sugar mill; capital stock \$200,000.
The Innis Cotton Oil Co., of Smithland, La., to erect mill; capital stock \$15,000.
A \$100,000 cotton-seed oil mill at Vidalia, La., to be built by the Standard Oil Company.

Little Things.
A good boy is in a little thing.
But you must not be too sure of it.
But it takes the same out of the string
of a thoughtless boy's first thing.
That you must have a long ago.
A line of getting is sweet and true,
Till the truth of the day.
But it comes the darkness out of the sun
And the light of the world you once owned
In the years that have flown away.
"A little thing to say" "You are kind;
I love you, my dear," each night
But it comes a thrill through the heart,
For love is tender, as how is kind,
As we cannot live's longest night.
We stare each other for love's intent,
We take, but do not give.
It comes a thrill through the heart,
But we do love gratefully, love and love,
Till 'tis better and kind to love.
—John G. Whittier.

Wanted—Good Milk Cow.
S. T. PEARSON.

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FOR RHEUMATISM
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Planing-Machine
AND
CORN MILL.
Having bought R. A. Berry's
entire lot of lumber (over 100,000
feet of flooring and such plank,
which has been cut from 2 to 3
years, also a lot of framing lumber
of all kinds) I am now prepared
to fill all orders for lumber, directed
to me in the rough. Will keep all
kinds of moulding and do all
kinds of dressing. Prices to suit
the hard times. I will also con-
tract for and build houses. All I
ask of you is to call and get prices
before buying elsewhere. Will also
keep on hand shingles and lath.
I am running, in connection
with my planing mill, the best corn
mill in the State. Grinding done
on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sat-
urdays. Meal exchanged for corn
or sold for cash at all times. The
best of mill feed for stock for sale.
Cash paid for peas, rye and corn
delivered at the mill. All work in
trial. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Steering street, one block west of
depot.
J. W. GARRISON.

SALE OF LAND
FOR STOCK LAW TAXES
O'Malley, the late day of May, 1893,
having the honor to announce that he
will sell by public auction, at the
Court House in Morganton, the small
tract of land known as the "Old
Farm" lying in Lower Creek township,
Iredell County, North Carolina,
James Rankin, 30 acres, tax \$0.00, cost
\$1.00.
M. B. Cooper, 100 acres, tax \$0.00, cost
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Sheriff's Sale of Land
For Taxes.

By virtue of levies made by me for
default in payment of taxes due
up to and including day, I will
expose to public sale, for cash, at
the Court House door in Morganton,
N. C., on
MONDAY, MAY 1, 1893,
the various lots and parcels of
land herein named.

The whole of each tract or con-
tinguous body of land belonging to
the delinquent will be set up for
sale at the same time and the bid-
der will strike off to him who will
pay the amount of taxes with
all expenses for the smallest
part of said land. The purchaser
must pay the amount due on the
spot or the land will be immedi-
ately resold.

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