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PUBLIC SPEAKING.

SETTLE AND VANCE. Judge Settle will speak at Plymouth, Wednesday, " 25. Poplar Run, Thursday, " 26. Elizabeth City, Saturday, Oct. 28. Edenton, Monday, " 30. Windsor, Tuesday, " 31. Colerain, Wednesday, Nov. 1. Murfreesboro, Thursday, " 2. Jackson, Friday, " 3. Enfield, Saturday, " 4.

The Hon. O. H. Dockery, Republican State Elector, and Dr. W. H. Wheeler, Republican candidate for State Treasurer, will address their fellow-citizens at the following times and places, viz: Clinton, Sampson county, Oct. 25. Fayetteville, Cumberland county, Oct. 26. Lesesne's Store, Bladen county, Oct. 27. Whiteville, Columbus county, Oct. 28. South Washington, Pender county, Oct. 30. Wilmington, New Hanover county, Tuesday, (at night) Oct. 31.

The issues involved are of vital importance to the freemen of North Carolina, and all, irrespective of party, are invited to attend. Speaking to begin at 11 o'clock. Wm. S. Hall, of Greensboro, will address the people at the following places and times: Chalk Level, Harnett Co., Tuesday, Oct. 24. Haywood, Chatham Co., Wednesday, Oct. 25. Pittsboro, Chatham Co., Thursday, Oct. 26. Silk Hope, Chatham Co., Friday, Oct. 27. Pattersons Store, Alamance Co., Saturday, Oct. 28. New Bethel, Rockingham co., Tuesday, Oct. 31. Madison, Rockingham county, Wednesday, Nov. 1. Stoneville, Rockingham county, Thursday, Nov. 2. Leaksville, Rockingham county, Friday, Nov. 3. Oregon Hill, Rockingham county, Saturday, Nov. 4.

Dr. W. H. Wheeler, Republican candidate for State Treasurer, will address the following citizens at the following times and places: Coal Spring, Montgomery county, Wednesday, Oct. 25. Finch's Store, Randolph county, Thursday, Oct. 26. Ashboro, Randolph county, Friday, Oct. 27. High Point, Guilford county, Saturday, Oct. 28. Dr. Worth, the Democratic candidate for the same position, is invited to be present and take part in the discussions. Let every citizen, irrespective of party, come out and hear the issues discussed.

HON. A. W. TOURGEE will speak at the following times and places: Columbia, Wednesday " 25. Poplar Run, Thursday " 26. Goldsboro, [night] Friday " 27. Womble's Store, [11 o'clock] Monday 30. Carthage, Tuesday " 31. Troy, Wednesday Nov. 1. Leach's Store, Thursday " 2. Friendship, Monday " 6. Vance's Store, Friday, November 3rd. New Market, Saturday, November 4th.

YOUNG AND DAVIS. GRANVILLE. Oxford, Tuesday, October 24. Dutchville, Wednesday, October 25. Tally Ho, Thursday, October 26. Walnut Grove, Friday, October 27. Royster's Store, Saturday, October 28. Williamsboro, Monday, October 30.

JAMES H. HARRIS. Marlboro, Pitt county, Wednesday, October 25th. White Oak, Pitt county, Thursday, October 26th. Williamston, Martin county, Friday, October 27th. Washington, Saturday, October 28th.

Hon. James E. O'Hara will speak at the following places and times: Trenton, Jones county, Wednesday, Oct. 25. Kingston, Lenoir county, Thursday, Oct. 26. Goldsboro, Wayne county, Friday, (at night) Oct. 27. Sanls X Roads, Wayne county, Saturday, Oct. 28. Speight's Bridge, Greene county, Monday, Oct. 30. Wilson, Wilson county, Tuesday, Oct. 31. Hilliardston, Nash county, Wednesday, Nov. 1. Louisburg, Franklin county, Thursday, Nov. 2. Warrenton, Warred county, Friday, Nov. 3.

Cut out the tickets in this paper, take them to the polls and see that they are voted.

HAIR ON THE HOLLOW!

ZEB. VANCE RUN DOWN! He Uses His Official Position for His Private Gain.

At heretofore stated, we have kept standing in the Constitution for a week or so past several questions propounded to Z. B. Vance, the nominee of the ultra portion of the Democratic party for Governor of North Carolina. We made no direct charges against Vance, but rumors of a serious nature were afloat, and we deemed it due to the people of the State that the matter should be explained. The Democratic papers of this city maintained for some time an entire silence in relation to the matter, and it was not until Thursday morning that they in any manner noticed it. On that morning the Sentinel and News both contained articles of an evasive character, to which we replied in the Constitution of Friday last, and announced our determination to keep the questions prominently before the people until answered. Vance was in the city on Wednesday, and doubtless suggested the evasive articles which appeared in the two Democratic papers alluded to on Thursday. Finding that it would be useless to longer dodge the question, the Sentinel of Saturday makes a clean breast of a part of Vance's connection with the blockade business, and acknowledges that Vance, in 1864, did engage in speculation while Governor of North Carolina, and that he did, in connection with a State's agent in England, engage in blockade-running on his private account. The Sentinel says: During the career of the Advance it was often suggested to Governor Vance, by friends familiar with the fact that the executive allowance in Confederate money was inadequate to the family wants of the governor to allow the Advance to take out some cotton on his own private account. Governor Vance from first to last persistently declined to make such use of the state's steamer to his own private advantage. Towards the close of the war, Mr. Alexander Collier, of England, through whom the Advance was purchased for the state, seeing that the governor would take no private advantage of the state steamer, invited him to avail himself of his ships, four of which were in Wilmington at one time. Finally Mr. Collier's agents took out on private account.

Some time after the close of the war, Mr. Collier notified Governor Vance that the net proceeds of his cotton about three thousand dollars in gold, was standing to his credit on the books of his firm in England, and that he (Gov. Vance) could obtain the amount on application to Collier's New York agents, Dennis Town & Co. This was in the latter part of the summer or early in the fall of 1865. This fund Gov. Vance drew against on the New York house from time to time as his necessities required, and it was the money on which Gov. Vance supported himself and family for that period succeeding the war during which he was, by the proscription of the United States government, prohibited from engaging in the practice of his profession or any other business for the support of his family. Now, fellow-citizens of North Carolina, note the plea set up as an excuse for Ex-Gov. Vance for this shameful abuse of power. The only reason given is that the salary of the Governor did not meet the wants of his family. This may have been so, we do not doubt it. But is that any excuse why the people's Governor should engage in blockade running in his private account? Was that any excuse why the Chief Magistrate of North Carolina should use the knowledge which his official position gave him to further his private interest? Did not every citizen who paid taxes have as much right as Vance to engage with the State's agent for personal aggrandizement? The flimsy plea that Vance at first refused to use the "Advance" falls to the ground when the Sentinel admits that he entered into an engagement with a state's agent and pocketed the proceeds of the speculation. The fact that the cotton was sent out by the ships of the agent and not by the Advance, was merely a dodge to whip the devil around the stump. Don't everybody know that this "Agent" would not have taken the cotton out for Vance unless he had been Governor of North Carolina? Would this agent have taken the cotton out for any private individual? No, of course not. Then Vance used his official position to further his own personal interest, and having done so, he is not entitled to the further confidence of the people of North Carolina. But, says the Sentinel, Vance's family necessities required him to commit this act. How so? If his salary as Governor was not sufficient for his proper support, why did he not appeal to the General Assembly? A large majority of the Legislature were Vance's political friends. Had he brought the matter to their attention they doubtless would have raised his salary, and in this way he could have legitimately relieved his pecuniary embarrassment. This matter, fellow-citizens, is a serious one. We bow our head in shame at the acknowledgment of the Sentinel. We regret that Ex-Gov. Vance should find himself in this dilemma. The people of North Carolina will bear in mind that during this canvass we have con-

freemen of North Carolina, beware of the seductive wiles of the so-called Democratic party. They desire to steal power from the people in the name of economy and reform. They want to take away from the people the power our present Constitution gives them to elect, at limited periods their own judges and justices of the peace, upon the ground that a party caucus in the Legislature, however corrupt and dishonest they may be, will make better appointments than the people can make for themselves. Are the honest people of North Carolina ready to quietly surrender the power they now hold in their own hands, solely to allow the Legislature to appoint men to office over the heads of the people, who could not be elected to the offices to which they may be appointed? Are the people of this State willing to acknowledge to the world that they are incapable of self government, and unfit to elect men to administer and execute their laws? In this age of improvement and progress, let it not be said in truth that the people are incompetent to choose their public officers. Our present township and county government systems are satisfactory to the great body of the people, and experience has not yet shown that they can be improved by taking the power out of the hands of the people. Let our people think of these things and vote against all the amendments.

ZEB. VANCE, S. D. POOL. BEHOLD THEM! BLOCKADE FUND vs. SCHOOL FUND. Vance was not satisfied with his salary in 1864. Would he be satisfied with it in 1876? Keep him in private life. He won't do. Wonder if Vance was afraid that Sherman would get after him about the cotton? Perhaps that is the reason he fled so fast when "Tecumseh" arrived. "B. R." stands for Blockade Runner. It also stands for Badly Robbed like the people were in 1864. "B. R." stands for Bad Running. Vance will appreciate it after the 7th of November. "B. R." stands for Brazen Rascality. That means holding the office of Governor and being a blockade runner at the same time. And now comes the news that California is safe for Hayes and Wheeler by at least six thousand majority, and that Tilden will not get an electoral vote on the Pacific coast. Now that a fair election is guaranteed to the people of South Carolina, the Democracy speak rather disparagingly of an united South. The Democrats are so badly scared that they have commended Vance to return immediately to the Western part of the State. They say that times look equally for them in that direction. Shouldn't wonder.

PEACE OR WAR—THE UNION MEN TO THE RESCUE.

There can be no real peace for the entire country as long as the Democratic party exists. Its organization is a standing threat and menace to the peace of the whole country. It is in every respect a sectional party. It does not expect to control more than three northern States; and without a solid South, has no hopes of success. The present condition of South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana, is conclusive evidence that the tendency of the Democratic party is to "rule or ruin;" and in order to rule, every Southern State is to be carried for Tilden at the point of the bayonet. South Carolina has a majority of 35,000 colored voters; Mississippi has a majority of 40,000 colored voters; Louisiana has a majority of 20,000 colored voters; yet the Democrats are confident of carrying all of these States. The fact that Mississippi gave 40,000 majority last year for the Democratic State ticket, is proof mountain high that intimidation, outrage, and murder, prevented the Republicans from going to the polls. The present State government of Mississippi is a gigantic fraud, perpetrated upon the people of the State. The same is true of Alabama. It is undeniably true that South Carolina is now an "armed camp," and that the "Mississippi plan" has been invoked to carry the State for Tilden and Hampton. If it be true, and we think it cannot be successfully denied, that Hayes would be elected without doubt if the people of South Carolina, Mississippi, and Louisiana, were allowed to vote and that freely. What remedy is there for the loyal millions of the North who spent their money without stint and who shed their blood like water, to save the Nation, should Tilden be elected by virtue of a solid South, when in reality one-half the South is for Hayes? If outrage, intimidation and murder, have reached that pitch that a man can be elected President by such means, and foisted into the Presidential chair in direct opposition and over the heads of a fair and undoubted majority of the American people, then this government is no better than Mexico or any of the South American Republics, where might makes right and the sword is both law and gospel. It is possible a revolution may be forced upon the country by the Democratic party. One party will be arrayed under the banner of liberty and freedom, and the other will pretend that they have the forms of law on their side, and at the same time their treachery to the government, their outrages upon liberty, and their assaults upon freedom, will not be less plain and distinct than when the Democratic party flaunted the banner of secession and human slavery! The Union men of North Carolina are vitally interested in this great and alarming crisis. By their votes they can prevent North Carolina from making one of a solid South. Let them rally against Tilden and Vance as they did against secession in 1861. Let them remember that these same leaders who are now calling upon the Southern people to make their section a unit against the North, are the men who led in the wild and bloody dance of secession; and that if their leadership is followed again, a more direful and bloody struggle may result therefrom! A vote against Tilden and Vance is a vote for peace.

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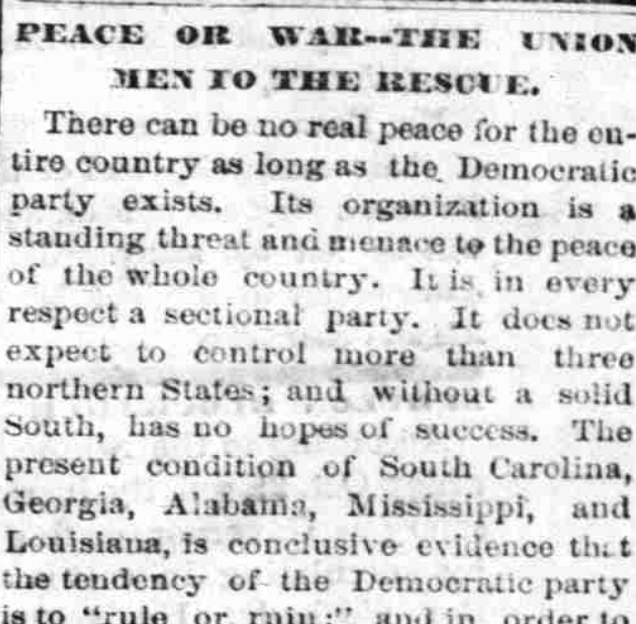
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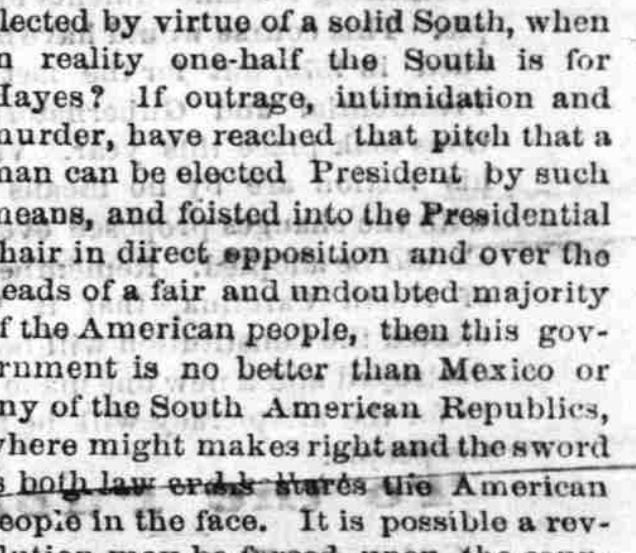
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