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**THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**

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**EDITORIAL NOTES.**

The Third party is a dime museum of political freaks.

Repudiations of the Third party are in order. The thing is fizzling out.

President Butler, of the State Alliance, has now swallowed the whole Third party dose.

A colored man who says he is posted makes the assertion that the Third party will not get fifty colored votes in Granville county.

The Georgia Democracy send out word to the Democrats of the other Southern States not to feel any uneasiness on their account.

This is a political straw: Corporal Tanner, who was commissioner of pensions and got fired, offers to bet a cool \$10,000 that Harrison cannot carry Indiana.

Some of the negroes who were put down as delegates to the recent Third party county convention were not present, had no idea of going and say their names were used without authority:

It strikes a writer of the Atlanta Journal—as very funny this abuse of the Democratic party by some of the Thirdites, and he tells an anecdote of a woman who cried out to her little poodle who ran barking out of the gate when the army passed: "You Trip, come in here, sir! Don't you bite the army, Tiip!"

What will be the result if the Democratic State and legislative ticket is defeated? The rads will return to power, and fill the offices county commissioners. Then the public money will mysteriously disappear, debts will be piled up and corrupt courthouse rings fatten upon the hard-earnings of the people. Go slow, you who have any idea of voting the Third party ticket! Consider the fearful consequences.

**THE FARMERS FRIEND.**

Capt. Baldy Williams has many friends who will stand by him on the day of election. He is a man of the people, and will stand by their interests in the future as he has done in the past. He is an Alliance Democrat, and he has shown his devotion to Alliance principles by advocating and voting for them in Congress and introducing and doing everything in his power to secure the passage of Alliance measures. No true Allianceman can consistently cast a ballot against so faithful and zealous a representative. He is popular and will poll a large vote and will be elected. Our third party friends ought to vote for him as he has made a faithful representative. His record is a good one. He has done all he could and it would be wrong to go back on him.

**COUNTY GOVERNMENT.**

What a bright record the Democratic party has in the management of Granville county affairs? Formerly county orders were only worth about 40 cents on the dollar while now they are worth dollar for dollar. Every witness and every juror who is compelled to attend court when he attends gets full pay and no discount. When the Democrats came into power the county was deeply in debt. All of its indebtedness has been paid and our county affairs have been well managed. Credit for wiping out this debt is largely due to the venerable J. C. Cooper, who was chairman of the Board of County Commissioners the first few years of Democratic rule.

We have white men of high character in office and if the Democratic party is divided and the Republicans get into power we will all regret it after it is too late. People of Granville, stand by your State and county and your congressional and National ticket. It is right that you should stick to the Democratic party.

**AN IMPENDING CLOUD.**

There is an impending cloud upon the South. The Sunny South, the beautiful, smiling South, is threatened with disturbance, more to be feared than the cyclonic fury of Kansas winds or the mad rush of waters over unrestraining river banks. Its peaceful heavens, now bright with peace and beautiful with the promise of prosperity, may be blackened with the dark and gloomy clouds of Federal usurpation, says the Winston Sentinel. Our situation is more dangerous than it has ever been since the darkest days of the reconstruction period. By the force bill the United States armies will be authorized at polling places, Federal officials will be appointed to supervise and control the registration of voters. Federal judges will appoint election officers and returning boards.

Could local self-government prevail under these restrictions? Could we bear Federal coercion? Could we suffer the evils of ignorant and perverted government? These are questions which should be asked a thousand times before the next battling day of ballots, and here in the South as we love progress, we should make Democracy triumphant, as we hate despotism, we should follow no false hopes, as we love peace, we should avert danger. It is our power. The duty of the hour is to elect Grover Cleveland.

Chairman F. M. Simmons went to Buzzard Bay Saturday and called on Mr. Cleveland, to invite him to visit North Carolina and address our people during the campaign. Mr. Stevenson is coming, and will spend about two weeks with us. Mr. Cleveland said he could not give a decisive answer just then, as he has not perfected his plans for the future.

**IS IT RIGHT?**

It is admitted that our State and county government have been well conducted. Democrats, Alliancemen and many who are now strong third party friends admit that they are satisfied with the county and State affairs. Is it not strange then that there should be any objection to voting for Elias Carr and our county ticket? Why change when there is no reason to change? Is it not mere child's play to be disturbing the present State of affairs and getting up opposition to a party when the party has done all that it could? It was clearly understood that there would be no Third party formed against the State and county ticket until very lately.

There is no good ground for a change. In county and State matters the record of the Democratic party is A No. 1—all right. It is more the action of agitators that would foolishly interfere with our county and State government than it is of the people. We hope the people will turn their backs on this movement of the would-be leaders. Why should there be any change? There is no good reason for it. It is all inconsistent with good common sense. We believe the people are too wise and too faithful to themselves and to the demands of patriotism to vote for a change.

**SOME SOLID FACTS.**

When the democratic House passed the bill taking the tariff tax off of tin so that the poor could buy tin plates and such other ware cheap, the republican Senate refused to concur in its passage. This refusal costs the poor of this country \$10,000,000 in annual duties, says the Raleigh Chronicle.

Would it not have been just to our farmers to have saved to them the millions of dollars they annually pay on account of the republican tariff tax on bagging and ties? The democratic House asked the republican Senate to aid in saving this large sum to Southern farmers, but the Senate refused, and hence an unjust republican tax on bagging and ties takes million out of the pockets of our farmers every year.

The democratic house proposed to take the tariff tax off of wool. The republican Senate said no. The meaning of this no is that the people of this country must continue to pay an annual tariff tax of \$20,400,000 on imported woolens and \$120,000,000 on domestic woolens. Here is one single bill which the democrats favored, and which would have saved the people \$120,000,000 a year, but the republicans said make the people pay this heavy tax. This is republican protection.

**TALL TALES.**

One of the Georgia campaign orators is reported as saying that when the new party gets into power the railroads won't be in it. "The time is coming," said he, "when a poor man can stick a postage stamp on a mule and ship it from Georgia to Texas!" There is just as much sense in this, says the Durham Sun, as in some things the People's party do advocate.

This reminds us of a tall tale which it is reported one of the Third party candidates is telling the colored people in Granville county—that every negro who votes the Third party ticket will, within two years, get from the government sixty acres of land.

It will be observed that the silly radical post-bellum fake of "forty acres and a mule" has been divided and is being made to do service by the "true reformers" to deceive the ignorant blacks. There is nothing original about it but original sin.

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