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A BEAUTIFUL STRADDLE.

Senator Pritchard has dwelt long and loud on the beauties of the free and unlimited coinage of silver. He has canvassed the State arm in arm, shoulder to shoulder with Marion Butler and trilled white metal lays from every stump. He has told the farmers of North Carolina, a large majority of whom he knows are favorable to this metal, that no man is or could be more partial to "money of the daddies" than he. Let's see what Mr. Pritchard did in the way of making a platform when he went to Raleigh. It is generally admitted that he was in absolute control over the proceedings of the convention. And it is just as generally admitted that the State platform was made to fit the Senator's present position and his future aspirations. No one doubted but that he would throw his whole influence towards the embodiment of a free silver plank in the platform. But on the contrary he aided and abetted in the formation of a notorious straddle on this question—one, in fact, equal to the Ohio straddle. To those who are doubtful as to whether or not he did straddle we call their attention to the following plank in the platform, which relates to the position of the Republican party of this State on the great financial question. Here is what Mr. Pritchard's platform says: "We favor the use of gold and silver as standard money and the restoration of silver to its functions and dignity as a money metal. We are opposed to the retiring of greenbacks, the money of the people, the money favored by Lincoln. We are opposed to the issue of interest bearing bonds in the time of peace, and we condemn the policy of President Cleveland and Secretary Carlisle in secretly making the sale of government bonds to a foreign syndicate on such terms as to enable it to realize the enormous profit of \$10,000,000 at the expense of the people."

Mr. Pritchard did not deal with such niceties of speech as the "restoration of silver to its functions," when he canvassed the State last year. It was free silver or bust. And as a ruling climax he has busted, so to speak. Wonder if Mr. Pritchard won't be asked on the stump this summer what has become of his free silver notions and be called upon to explain this beautiful straddle substituted for it.

Potatoes in New York State are so cheap that farmers are throwing them away. One man is burning them in his stove and says they make a very hot and steady fire. At some auctions of farm property held lately tubers sold at two and one half cents a bushel and in many instances no bids could be secured.

It is hardly risking too much to say that in spite of the little boom which has been created in his favor that Judge Clarke will not be the nominee of the Democratic party for Governor this year. It is necessary to give only one reason for our opinion and that is the Democrats of the State have other preferences.

This has been an unusually remarkable year for cyclones. During the past week the entire western part of the country has felt them to a greater or less extent. In many instances their destructiveness has been great and widespread chief among which was the one in Texas. North Carolina has been happily free from the wrath of the elements thus far.

It will be remembered that State Senator Mewborne, Populist by profession Republican in faith, has been one of the most rampant fusionists in the State. He uses as his favorite weapon to whip the boys in line his pet cry of "dishonest elections," "rascally Democrats" and the like. The Progressive Farmer gives him a point this week on the purity of Republicanism. It says:

Speaking of the "sanctity of the ballot" we just wish Senator Mewborne could have been here to see a Republican State convention "count out" its strongest candidate, Col. Dockery, using the most improved Democratic method known. If any one thinks he can have honest elections by fusing with goldbug Democrats or Republicans, he will surely get left. This is a punch not only for Senator Mewborne but for many others who have insisted on fusion for the sake of a "free ballot and fair count."

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Authorities on chess declare that the game was known to the Chinese in the year 174 B. C.

UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT.

Programme of Exercises—Address By Vice President Stevenson.

The exercises of commencement will begin with the Baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, May 31st, in Gerrard Hall, by Bishop Edward Rothaler, of the Moravian Church.

The annual meeting of the Dialectic and Philanthropic Literary Societies will be held Tuesday night, June 2d, at 8 o'clock, in their halls. On Wednesday June 3rd, the board of trustees will meet in Person hall at noon; the Senior class day exercises will be held at 5 o'clock p. m. in memorial hall; the annual contest in oratory between the representatives of the dialectic and philanthropic literary societies at 8 o'clock p. m. in memorial hall, and the faculty reception at 10 o'clock p. m., in the gymnasium.

Thursday, June 4th, is commencement day. The alumni association will meet in Gerrard hall at 10 o'clock. The commencement exercises will be held in memorial hall at 11 o'clock. The graduates will deliver their orations, present their theses and receive their diplomas.

Vice-President Adlai Stevenson will present the diplomas and make an address. A public reception will be given the Vice-President, so that everybody may greet him and shake his hand.

In the afternoon a game of baseball will be played in the athletic field.

The Glee Club will give its concert at 8 p. m., in Gerrard hall. Reduced rates will be given on the railroads, and special trains will be run on Thursday, June 4, commencement day. Everybody invited.

GEORGE T. WINSTON, President.

Mrs. Emmet Drew, known on the stage as Hattie Richardson, during a rehearsal in New York the other day yelled in the ear of a big St. Bernard dog. The dog resented this familiarity by fastening his teeth in Hattie's cheek and holding on till beaten off by her husband. Her face was terribly lacerated and disfigured.

Man (at a restaurant)—What sort of chicken do you call this, waiters? The Waiter—That, sir, I believe, is a Plymouth Rock.

Man—Ah! I'm glad it's got some historical interest. I thought it was just an ordinary cobblestone.—Pick Me Up.

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"Then you don't live in these parts, where boys throw stones at you if you lift your head out of the water for a breath of fresh air," answered Miss Froggie, with an injured look.

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