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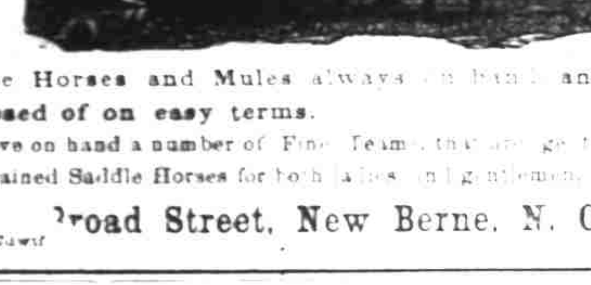

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

DR. PRITCHARD of Wilmington, has gone North to have his "eyes treated." His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

HON. WILLIAM H. BARNUM, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, died last Tuesday at his home in Connecticut.

THE Weekly Review of Trade issued by R. G. Dunn & Co., says "there is more ground than usual to look for a year of good trade."

MR. CHAMBERLAIN and his wife are guests of Queen Victoria at Winsor Castle. Mrs. Chamberlain is a daughter of ex-Secretary of War Endicott.

MISS ROSE ELIZABETH CLEVELAND is going abroad in June, and it is rumored that she accepted a position in young woman's boarding school in London.

JOHN WANAMAKER, the Postmaster General and the "big merchant" of the State of Pennsylvania will be the next President of United States.—Jersey Shoe Vidette.

MRS. CLEVELAND has gained exactly nine pounds in flesh since she quit shaking hands as a business, and Mrs. Harrison has lost three pounds since she commenced the business.

ALL the features of the great centennial programme in New York were successfully carried into effect, including the parade of 50,000 troops under review of President Harrison.

DR. JAMES MCKEE has gone to Morehead City to make a sanitary inspection of the Atlantic Hotel, and have effected everything necessary to thorough ventilation, cleanliness, etc.—Raleigh Daily Call.

THE Woman Suffrage League of New York State, passed a resolution protesting against the "glaring injustice of excluding women from any share in the public proceedings of the centennial celebration."

SIR CHARLES RUSSELL'S allusion to America as "that greater Ireland across the seas," is a reminder that there are more Irishmen in America than there are in Ireland. And he might have added that England is to blame for it.—Boston Herald.

A BERLIN dispatch, April 30th, says: "Mr. George H. Bates, the American member of the Samoan Commission and Lieutenant Parker were refused admission to the exhibition opened by the Emperor today, because they wore frock coats instead of dress coats."

MR. THOMAS A. MOORE, for fifty-six years clerk of the county court of Jefferson county, West Virginia, died on Tuesday, April 30th, in the 87th year of his age. We know of no other instance of a man's having held office in this country for so long a period.

THE centennial of Washington's inauguration was celebrated at Birmingham, Ala., by a speech from Senator Morgan on the Constitution of the United States. He closed by showing how that instrument was sufficiently elastic to enable the people to rid themselves of discord—negro suffrage—saying this was the ultimate solution of the race question.—Baltimore Sun.

VANDERBILT University, at Nashville recently issued a circular offering to instruct free of charge one highway official from each county in Tennessee in road engineering. Tennessee is aroused on the road question and Vanderbilt University proposes to give valuable aid to the work of improving the highways of the State." Can't the University of North Carolina do likewise? What says President Battle?

UNDER this administration a Republican candidate for Congress last fall who was defeated appears to be about as large an Isaac as one who was elected. Lockey in the sixth district in this State and Ward in the eighth district didn't get a blue bucket full of votes between them, but they are distributing patronage from Washington on the same footing with Cheatham, Brower and Ewart.—Statesville Landmark.

GEN. WASHINGTON, however competent to lead in war, rule in council, and determine wisely in the performance of executive duties, was vulnerable in the court of Cupid. He felt tenderly toward a Miss Cary, and to her he wrote his only poem, the MS. of which now reposes in the State Department at Washington. The following is an exact copy of this poem, punctuation, capitals and all:

Oh ye Gods why should my Poor Restless Heart
Stand to oppose thy Might and Power,
At last surrender to Cupid's feather'd Dart
And now lays Bleeding every Hour
For her that Pityless of my grief and Woes
And will not on me Pity take
He sleep amongst my most inveterate Foes
And with gladness never wish to wake
In deluding sleepings let my Eyelids close
That in an enraptured Dream I may
In a soft lulling sleep and gentle repose
Possess those joys denied by Day.
—Norfolk Virginian.

HARRISON AND DUDLEY.

When the Democratic press of the country were [illegible] anathemas upon William W. Dudley of Indiana, and [illegible] all manner of [illegible], [illegible] was warmly defended by the Republican newspapers [illegible]. So ardent were they in their defence [illegible] accusers [illegible] he was the [illegible] campaign in [illegible] to his own [illegible] were impatient [illegible] to do him a service [illegible].

Why this change? [illegible] have been [illegible] five. [illegible] "O, hence [illegible] gone." Harrison [illegible] straining [illegible] point [illegible] whether [illegible] President of the United States. As the [illegible] of a christian people, we must assume a virtue [illegible].

This is one view. But, feeling a just pride of country, and unwilling to believe anything that can militate against its good name, we prefer to believe that Mr. Harrison, in repudiating Mr. Dudley, was actuated by high considerations of personal honor, and the obligations imposed by his official station. Let the motives of the President have been what they may, his conduct towards Dudley settles the guilt of that individual beyond controversy.

But has the President really repudiated the great [illegible] of the West? Let him speak for himself. In a letter to a friend in Indiana, Mr. Dudley uses this language: "Perhaps there is no one in the country who has done so much for General Harrison during the last twenty years as I have, for because our Democratic friends down in Indianapolis have started the hue and cry on me Brother Ben does not seem to feel that he can afford to recognize me as an acquaintance, and consequently I don't take dinner at the White House as might be expected."

Harrison "*don't recognize me as an acquaintance.*" Not content with withholding office, the President actually cuts Dudley from the civilities of social life. While Mr. Harrison is cool, it is admitted that he is just, and he would never abandon a friend under fire if there was a shadow of a hope of his innocence.

THE NEW YORK WORLD.

We do not stand, as upon a solid rock, on the World's politics, for it is too personal, too much given to expedients and too little devoted to principles, but we admire its pluck and marvelous enterprise. Sunday's World of forty-eight pages "was an example of mechanical perfection it is impossible to over estimate." The Monday World in speaking of the Sunday issue says: "Each person owning a copy of this remarkable newspaper—the largest daily journal ever printed—will do well to preserve it as a souvenir of the season to remember some of the important facts concerning it. If the pages that whole enormous edition were laid end to end they would reach 2,260 miles. The edition spread out would cover 402 acres, and the columns placed end to end would reach once and a quarter times around the entire globe. The well known novels 'Ivanhoe' and 'David Copperfield,' familiar to all, contain only one tenth of the number of words [illegible] each copy of [illegible] World, the whole [illegible] being 74,392,[illegible] 2,588,224.

But [illegible] less remarkable [illegible] edition was [illegible] unique paper [illegible] of a hundred years, and the evening edition appeared in the national colors, white, red and blue.

THE NEXT CENSUS FARM STATISTICS.

The Bulletin of the North Carolina Department of Agriculture is before us, and we take pleasure in calling attention to the communication of Commissioner Robinson, which we publish below. The subject is an important one, and the Commissioner illustrates his fidelity to the people in presenting it to their consideration:

"In 1880 an officer of the Federal Government will call upon every farmer in this State, and expects to receive correct answers to many questions propounded in regard to his farm and operations thereon.

"These statistics are very important, and all are interested in them. They will refer almost exclusively to the crops of the present year, 1889. It behooves every farmer, therefore, to make correct answers to all questions propounded by these officers. Among the many questions asked will be the number of acres in the several crops, and the aggregate in cultivation; value of farm implements and also of live stock; cost of fertilizers used; estimated value of all farm productions for the present year, 1889; number of horses, mules, oxen, milch cows, and other cattle, sheep, swine, wool, milk, butter, cheese, etc.

"Every one should feel interested in these statistics, and endeavor to have them correct and full; so as to make a creditable showing for our commonwealth, as well as to furnish a large and growing demand for correct statistical information of our agricultural interests, which at present is very inadequate."

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

The centennial celebration of the inauguration of Washington as the first President of the United States in the city of New York, on the 30th of April, was in all respects a splendid success.

The military display was the grandest of modern times, and the civic ceremonials were alike worthy of a great people celebrating the birthday of a magnificent Republic. All the States and Territories were represented and shared in the honors of the occasion.

We cannot give a detailed account of this great event in our national history, because of the multitude and variety of incidents involved.

Governor Hill delivered the address of welcome, but the great speech of the day was made by Hon. Chauncy M. Depew, LL.D., the regularly elected orator of the day. As Dr. Depew's oration will go into history as a masterpiece of American eloquence, we give his concluding paragraphs, regretting that we cannot reproduce the whole address:

"The flower of the youth of the nations of Continental Europe are conscripted from productive industries and drilling in camps. Vast armies stand in battle array along the frontiers, and a Kaiser's whim or a Minister's mistake may precipitate the most destructive war of modern times. Both Monarchial and Republican governments are seeking safety in the repression and suppression of opposition and criticism. The volcanic forces of Democratic aspiration and socialistic revolt are rapidly increasing and threaten peace and security. We turn from these gathering storms to the British Isles and find their people in the throes of a political crisis involving the form and substance of their government, and their statesmen far from confident that the enfranchised and unprepared masses will wisely use their power.

"But for us no army exhausts our resources or consume our youth. Our navy must needs increase in order that the protecting flag may follow the expanding commerce, which is to compete in all the markets of the world. The sun of our destiny is still rising, and its rays illumine vast territories as yet unoccupied and developed, and which are to be the happy homes of millions of people. The questions which affect our government and the expansion or limitation of the authority of the Federal Constitution are so completely settled, and so unanimously approved, that our political divisions produce only the healthy antagonism of parties which is necessary for the preservation of liberty. Our institutions furnish the full equipment of shield and spear for the battles of freedom, and absolute protection against every danger which threatens the welfare of the people, will always be found in the intelligence which appreciates their value, and the courage and morality with which their powers are exercised. The spirit of Washington fills the executive office. Presidents may not rise to the full measure of his greatness, but they must not fall below his standard of public duty and obligations. His life and character, conscientiously studied and thoroughly understood by coming generations, will be ready for them a liberal education for private life and public station, for citizenship and patriotism, for love and devotion to Union and Liberty. With their inspiring past and splendid present, the people of these United States, heirs of a hundred years marvelously rich in all which adds to the glory and greatness of a nation, with an abiding trust in the stability and elasticity of their Constitution, and an abounding faith in themselves, and hail the coming century with hope and joy."

The Spring Topic in Carteret.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Our quiet little community has been somewhat excited recently by the presence in our midst of the petition peddler. The petition is in favor of Washington Bryan for President of the A. & N. C. R. R., and Phil Koonce, who was, but a few days since, for Simmons, is the peddler.

This little scheme to inveigle our people into misrepresenting their views to Gov. Fowle is the outgrowth of a visit made to this section a few days ago by Director C. E. Foy, of New Berne. In addition to the petition scheme, it is understood that a regular plan of correspondence with the Governor has been conducted, and thus we are to be presented to the Executive as a community ablaze with Bryan enthusiasm; in truth and fact his name has for years given us shivers. We know Mr. Foy is a good schemer and very careful in his means and ways to carry out his objects, but what shall be said of this scheme? Silence, we fear, is the only charitable way to deal with it and out of the respect we have for him, we leave it, but we do not intend to be misrepresented to Gov. Fowle, nor any one else. There is absolutely no doubt about the feelings of the people upon this subject left untrammelled. They are practically one for Mr. Simmons, and if by the scheme of Director and the importunity of his agent, Mr. Koonce, they are made to appear otherwise to the Governor, it will effect a misrepresentation of their sentiments, and a deception upon a worthy and patriotic [illegible]

[illegible] is not Gov. [illegible] the [illegible] knows how Mr. Bryan [illegible] Executive [illegible] man [illegible] chair [illegible] and in the management of affairs [illegible] neither President Bryan nor [illegible] for [illegible]

In conclusion [illegible] what could [illegible] make [illegible] We ask [illegible] deny having [illegible] Simmons? [illegible] say that you [illegible] Bryan in [illegible] and was surprised at his intelligence that he was a [illegible] President of the [illegible] Did you or [illegible] speaking so highly of [illegible] two weeks prior to your [illegible] the petition say [illegible] man? Did you [illegible] on your first trip [illegible] at school? Now [illegible] don't [illegible] wrought the change? [illegible] you made these declarations? We believe that Mr. Foy's [illegible] conceived the petition [illegible] while Mr. Koonce's [illegible] has been a party [illegible] wrought [illegible]

WILD GOOSE.
Smyrna's Shore.

A Terrific Storm Sweeps Over Wilson Section.

WILSON, N. C., May [illegible]—Wilson was visited this morning about four o'clock by the most terrific [illegible] that has ever [illegible] The hail [illegible] seconds [illegible] him was eight [illegible]

The damage to property was as follows: The Presbyterian church was blown completely down and the fragments scattered over two acres of ground. There is nothing [illegible] that will do to go on in [illegible] rebuilding. It was completed [illegible]

Dr. W. [illegible] new frame just completed was blown down and much of the timber [illegible]

Mr. O. P. Mizelle's [illegible] damaged [illegible] The Sumter [illegible] on the top story and the chimneys were blown down. Mr. G. J. Lamberth's outhouses were blown down and Mr. I. W. Herring's chimneys were demolished and [illegible] damaged. Mr. W. L. Hill lost several tenement houses and several negro [illegible] painful injuries by the falling timbers while the houses gave way.

D. L. Hussey's [illegible] blown down [illegible] Mrs. Tilly Tucker [illegible] fortunately [illegible] Mr. [illegible] blown to the ground.

There is not a fence in town [illegible] standing and the strawberries which looked so nice before the storm are now "a thing of the past." In many places they were blown up by the roots, while the fruit trees are stripped of their entire foliage and fruit. Many of the groves in town were completely destroyed. The telegraph poles are down and communication by wire to Clinton will be impossible for a day or so.

At this writing we have heard of no deaths, but several who were in the midst of the storm are badly bruised by hail and flying timbers. The actual losses are about as follows, as near as can be ascertained at this time:

Presbyterian church, $[illegible]; G. J. Lamberth, truck and houses, $[illegible]; W. L. Hill, truck and houses, $[illegible]; J. W. Herring, truck and houses, $[illegible]; W. H. Murray, truck and houses, $[illegible]; I. R. Carroll, truck and houses, $[illegible]; O. P. Mizelle, truck and houses, $[illegible]; W. P. Kennedy, truck and houses, $[illegible]; J. K. Smith, truck and houses, $[illegible]; B. L. Blackmore, truck and houses, $100; Dr. L. Hussey, truck and houses, $100; A. W. Bell, truck and houses, $[illegible]; D. G. Morisey, truck and houses, $100; D. J. Aaron, truck and houses, $100; Blackburn Bros., truck and houses, $[illegible]; W. Rowden, truck and houses, $[illegible]; H. J. Carlton, truck and houses, $[illegible]; J. B. Winder, truck and houses, $[illegible]; J. F. Woodward, truck and houses, $[illegible]; W. W. [illegible], truck and houses, $[illegible]; A. Blanchard, truck and houses, $[illegible]. Total damage about $12,[illegible].—Wil. Messenger.

A True Tonic.

When you do not feel well and hardly know what ails you, take B. B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) a true [illegible] tonic.

T. O. [illegible], N. C., writes: "B. B. B. is [illegible] and has done me great good."

L. W. Thompson, [illegible], Ga., writes: "I believe B. B. B. is the best blood purifier made. It has greatly improved my general health."

An old gentleman writes: "B. B. B. gives me new life and [illegible] there is anything that will make an old man young, it is B. B. B."

P. A. Shepherd, Norfolk, Va., August 10th, 1888, writes: "I depend on B. B. B. for the preservation of my health. I have had it in my family now nearly two years, and in all that time I have not had to have a doctor."

Tris. Pauik, [illegible], writes: "I suffered terribly from dyspepsia. The use of B. B. B. has made me feel like a new man. I would not take a thousand dollars for the good it has done me."

W. McCloskey, [illegible], writes: "I had a [illegible] which at last seemed to settle in my right leg, which swelled up enormously. An ulcer also appeared which discharged a cup full of matter a day. I then gave B. B. B. a trial and it cured me."

To Help the Soldiers' Home.

Capt. Wm. H. Hammer has made arrangements with Capt. W. R. Bond whereby for the benefit of the Soldiers' Home there will be offered for sale on Memorial Day at various places in this State Capt. Bond's pamphlet, "Pickett vs. Pettigrew." These pamphlets will be sold for twenty-five cents each, of which fifteen cents will go for the Soldiers' Home. In order to have them on sale it is desired to [illegible] and rent memorial [illegible] monies are to be observed [illegible] at once send in their addresses to Capt. J. T. Patrick, Raleigh, N. C., stating who will undertake the sale in their town. The attention of the memorial associations at Raleigh, New Berne and Goldsboro is called to this matter.—News and Observer.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

[illegible]

[illegible] NEWS.

[illegible] Patriot.

[illegible] State: The potato [illegible] has already appeared in this section. [illegible] potatoes you must give them best prompt attention.——The [illegible] meetings has arrived [illegible] placed in position this week.

[illegible]: We learn that the [illegible] Methodist [illegible] pastor, [illegible] vacation this [illegible] a purse [illegible] defray his expenses [illegible] Sunday School [illegible]

[illegible] A. F. Johnson [illegible] attack of nervous [illegible] the result of over[illegible] attendant on his extensive [illegible].——Mr. G. W. Highsmith, [illegible] has plowed upon our [illegible] large lumps of chalk, [illegible] in his fields [illegible] under the surface.

[illegible]: A negro woman [illegible] Tuesday by the [illegible] on the Wilson [illegible] just beyond Selma.——[illegible] having noticed [illegible] before a great twittering and fluttering overhead caused by thousands of birds flying northward. They were over the housetops and could [illegible] be seen in the electric light.

[illegible] Argus: The water in both [illegible] rivers in this vicinity is very high owing to the recent heavy rains up the country. A freshet is feared.——There are five young foxes now being raised and schooled for good running qualities by Mr. Will [illegible] the veteran fox hunter and genial proprietor of the popular Arlington-Gregory Hotel.

Central Express: Henderson Dean, who was charged with the murder of D. [illegible] Keyser last winter, was tried at Carthage on Wednesday——[illegible] fourteen counts tried in [illegible] and convicted of [illegible] at Sanford on Christmas [illegible] appearance in [illegible] Keep whiskey out of [illegible] and they can be managed.

[illegible] Daily: Alfred Hill, col., [illegible] under guard, while at work [illegible] road with a gang of [illegible] the Salem limits on [illegible] break for [illegible] was fired upon [illegible] the two guards, [illegible] shot guns loaded [illegible] several of the shot taking effect in the hip, producing rather dangerous, but not necessarily fatal wounds.

Wilmington Star: Geo. W. Price and John H. [illegible] are ardent and eloquent in their advocacy of negro emigration from North Carolina, and there is much curiosity to know whether or not George and [illegible] going to head the procession.——Rt. Rev. A. A. Watson, Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, made an episcopal visitation to St. Paul's church Sunday morning and [illegible] persons—five males and [illegible] females—who were presented to the Bishop by Rev. [illegible], rector of the church.

Raleigh Call: Dr. Hume's lecture at Peace Institute on Saturday evening was characteristic of that cultured and scholarly gentleman. The subject was "The [illegible] and symbolism of the [illegible]."——A gentleman of Raleigh this morning received a letter begging for aid in misfortune. The supplicant had been burnt out, it seems, and among other troubles enumerated was "all that the fire left me is one wife and four children." Didn't state how many wives and children had been burned.

Charlotte News: Still another addition has been made to the already long list of new enterprises in Charlotte. The latest is the Charlotte Oil Company, and was incorporated and the articles filed with the clerk of the superior court last week.——The burglar business in Charlotte is becoming serious, if not for the burglars, then for those who are taken for burglars. A young negro man was shot twice by officers in ward 3 last Saturday night. His name is Green McConnell; the bullets have been picked out of him and he will be able to be about again in a few days.

Wilson Advance: The Methodist church is being remodeled and repainted. When completed it will add no little to the beauty and attractions of our town.——Eld. P. D. Gold baptised two persons last Saturday and two on Sunday. The membership of the Primitive Baptist church has been very much increased in the past few months.——We regret to learn that the wife of Mr. Berry [illegible] of Bailey's township, Nash [illegible] was struck and killed by lightning on Sunday last, during a severe [illegible] section. Mr. Lewis [illegible] married only a few months.

Shelby New Era: The farmers in [illegible] and Rutherford counties are further along with their work than they [illegible] in many years.——Dr. W. [illegible], of Bowling Springs, assisted by Dr. R. B. Black, of Wellford, [illegible] delicate surgical operation on Mr. Buck Hawkins, of [illegible] last week. About six months ago Mr. Hawkins broke his arm in two places. One of the fractures healed very [illegible], but the other did not, and the two physicians, assisted by Dr. S. S. [illegible], sawed off the ends of the [illegible] them together with silver wire. The bones have commenced to knit and Mr. Hawkins is rapidly recovering.

[illegible] City Carolinian: The bodies of [illegible], colored, and the [illegible], white, who were lost [illegible] when she went down in [illegible] were found floating [illegible] and on Friday last and were brought here for interment.——Mr. [illegible] Etheridge, a prominent [illegible] and one of the most [illegible] farmers of this county, went to town Thursday night and left [illegible] on Friday morning. Soon after he was found by Mr. R. N. Morgan lying in the road in an unconscious condition. He was taken to Mr. Morgan's house and medical aid summoned, but he died in a few hours. Cause, apoplexy. His age was about 58 years.

Charlotte Chronicle: The negroes made another failure last night at having a convention to nominate a Mayor.——The committee on the Lutheran Seminary [illegible] $3,000 yesterday in one hour. The amount subscribed, so far [illegible] 4,000.——Ground will be broken today for the improvements and additions to the Buford Hotel. When completed the hotel will be twice as large as it is now.——At the Second Presbyterian church, on Sunday night, Rev. J. Y. Fair preached his farewell sermon, on the eve of his departure to his new field of labor in Richmond. It was an event in which all Charlotte felt an interest, and a great congregation was present.

Raleigh News and Observer: The injunction in the matter of the local option election bids fair to bring out some interesting developments.——Lt. Gov. Holt arrived in the city yesterday afternoon on the train from the West. Soon after his arrival, Chief Justice Smith, in the presence of the Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, administered to him the oath of office and he at once assumed the duties of Governor, which duties he will continue to discharge until the return of Governor Fowle to the State from New York city, where he has gone to attend the Centennial Celebration of the inauguration of General Washington as President of the United States.

Wilmington Messenger: The colored people of the city held another meeting in the interest of emigration, last night at St. [illegible] chapel on Nixon street. It is stated that [illegible] two thousand members were present, and that as it was impossible for the hall to hold them, the meeting was adjourned to the open air. The crowd in attendance was quite enthusiastic over the idea of emigration and it is said hundreds of them would leave at once if the word were given.——Mr. David J. Greer, one of the oldest citizens of this city, departed this life last night at 10.45 o'clock at his residence on Seventh street, between Princess and Chestnut. The deceased was in the 74th year of his age and leaves a wife and one child, the latter of whom is Mrs. T. C. Craft.

Wilmington Star: Announcement is made that the Ladies' Memorial Association have purchased a plot of ground in Oakdale Cemetery to which they propose to transfer the remains of Confederate soldiers which are buried in the public part of the cemetery. It is their intention to enclose the place and probably to erect a monument on the ground. The plot is located near the gate.——A horse runaway with a cart on South Front street yesterday afternoon, and the driver, Mr. L. Hewitt, of Masonboro Sound, was pitched out and thrown against a tree near the market house. Mr. Hewitt was so seriously shocked and bruised as to require the services of a physician, but recovered sufficiently to be enabled to drive home.

The Fifth Ward Republicans.

At twelve o'clock Thursday the fifth ward Republicans, or about three dozen of them, assembled in a small building on Queen street for the purpose of nominating a candidate for councilman.

Wm. Orum, the faithful pressman of the JOURNAL, was honored with the position of Chairman of the convention and John Q. Smith was elected Secretary. Just as the organization was completed a JOURNAL reporter entered and took a back seat. He was accompanied by his friend, Chas. Reizenstein, a staunch Democrat, who has witnessed meetings of the Tammany Democracy of New York and heard Chauncey Depew in some of his best after dinner speeches, but had never witnessed a genuine Republican convention of New Berne where the colored brethren ruled supreme.

The organization having been completed, at least a half dozen addressed the chair at one time. The physical force of the JOURNAL press was somewhat paralyzed at being called upon by so many at one time, but a rap on the desk with the small stick of stove wood which he held in his hand, staggered some of the would be orators, and enough of them fell back to allow H. P. Kennedy and H. H. Simmons, the present incumbent, to be put in nomination.

Ed. Tucker, an old stager in ward meetings, had made several attempts to get the ear of the chair but failed every pop. He now arose and put the question squarely to the chair to know if he would be recognized.

"I will," responded the chair.

Tucker then walked around in front of the chair and declared that he had been granted the floor and he intended to hold the floor until he was heard. He re-asserted his allegiance to the Republican party, declared he was a Republican from the crown of his head to the sole of his feet, and, said he, with great emphasis, "whoever says I'm not a Republican is a liar." Continuing his remarks, he said, "I fout dis war for de Republican party and"——

Bang, bang, went the chairman's stick of wood on the desk, and he declared that any reference to the war was out of order in this meeting, and he was endorsed by several in the convention as being "right."

"Then I will leave that part out," replied Tucker.

At this juncture several suggested that they were wasting time and should proceed with the nomination.

"You can't take this floor from me," shouted Tucker. "The chair has give me the this floor and you can't take it away from me."

But they did take it long enough for the chair to explain who was entitled to vote in the convention and who was not. "It is the straight Republican convention," said he, "and none but straight Republicans are entitled to recognition, therefore he would declare that only one nomination had been made." This announcement brought Tucker again to his feet who, with great vehemence and fiery indignation, said:

"You sit there in that cheer sir. You, a wheelman of a Democratic press, yes, you sir, you, sir, and say that I am not a Republican. Why, sir, it is worser than Solomon and Gomorrah!"

At this juncture Major Oden arose, and in a very dignified manner, poured oil upon the troubled waters and suggested to the chair that Mr. Kennedy's friends were able to take care of themselves and that he hoped the chair would reconsider the decision and allow Mr. Simmons' name to come before the convention.

The Chairman, after again explaining the rules that govern all political orders, denominations and parties, acceded to the suggestion and declared that Kennedy and Simmons were both before the convention and that nominations were closed.

After considerable racket about how to take the vote, by ballot, changing sides of the room, raising hands or standing, it was decided that the nomination should be made by "rising to your feet."

The chair ordered all to be seated but there were not seats enough, so some had to assume a very uncomfortable position. The chair must have some feeling as he put the question on Kennedy's nomination first, his favorite, and gave them an opportunity of rising as early as possible. The vote was taken and after several counts was announced as thirty for Kennedy.

At this juncture Matthew Simmons, not the candidate, walked toward the door, turned and shook his fist at the chair, saying, "I want you to understand I've got nothing more to do with this mess."

The vote was then taken for Simmons and the tellers announced twelve.

Tucker again arose and gave warning that he would meet them at the ballot box. He was about to make another speech but Major Oden lovingly threw his arms around him and carried him out, and the convention adjourned *sine die*.

This was hardly a skirmish compared with the convention of a [illegible] election, but friend Reizenstein says it was good to be there.

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