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THE NEGRO AND NORTHERN LABOR STRIKES

Two important movements among the laboring elements of the North and South are now taking place.

In the north strikes are general, and the demand is for less hours of work and more pay. Eight hours reduced time enough to constitute a day's employment, while ten to fifteen per cent increase of wages is regarded as only a just advance for the workman.

In the south, and this especially applys to North Carolina, the negro, who constitutes the greater portion of the laboring class, is largely dissatisfied with local conditions, and made and remade leaving for the north.

The negroes at home receive most favorable reports from those negroes who have gone north. Work is plentiful and wages are high so say the letters, and this creates the wish among those behind, to leave for the promised land where there is so much work and so much money to pay those who work it.

The question of how acceptable this much work will be for the Southern negro who goes North, will not be discussed at the present time. It is enough to say that unless the Southern negro changes very much, the continuous work in the North to which he must be subject will cause him to often look back to the South and wish himself there again.

In the reports of the Northern strikes it is often stated that the places are being filled by non-union organization men.

Are these non-unionmen, the negroes who are flocking from the South, to enjoy the plenty of work and pay?

And if they are, how long will the white laborer of the North be content to compete with this new element in his labor situation?

Eight hours, with the pay equal to ten or twelve hours work as in the south, will just suit the negro and this may be the cause of the steady procession which continues on its way northward from this and other States.

While it may be a matter of concern to the south this going out of its laboring class, it is much more a matter of concern to the northern workman, who will find in the negro a competitor for his work and wages.

There can be no doubt but that within a few years the negro problem will be one to engage the north, and prove more serious in its solution, than it ever was in the south where the negro is best understood, and more generously treated as for his best interests and welfare.

THE CANDIDATES AND THEIR COMING.

New Bern and its people have had several of the Democratic State Candidates who are to be elected in August, as their guests, and have met there gentlemen, and listened to their speeches.

To judge of the interest of the people in this city and vicinity, in the great issue, White Supremacy, by the attendance upon the candidates and at the speaking Friday noon, is not just.

The question of whether the people of New Bern and this section of North Carolina, are in favor of White Supremacy, is never to be judged by any public demonstration.

No where in North Carolina are the people, individually and collectively, so deeply concerned in the establishment of White Supremacy.

No people have suffered more, borne more, or more quietly submitted to negro equality and negro supremacy.

No where has this cry of "White Supremacy" been more often raised than in Eastern Carolina, and no where has this unceasing color line question become so monotonous.

And yet with these years of the negro as a social and political factor, with all the monotony of the continued fight on the color line, there is no sign of wavering among the white people in this year of 1900, or a doubt as to their vote in August.

Therefore so far as White Supremacy is concerned, let no one feel doubtful of Craven county or Eastern Carolina. The day of deliverance is near at hand, and the white people will vote solidly for their redemption from bondage.

Now that the gentlemen who are the candidates have been the guests of the people of New Bern, there is no wisdom in allowing of personal interest between the candidates and the white voters.

Each voter will go to the polls in August with the remembrance of the whole dinner and word, of the hearty hand shake, of those he can believe, with a warm welcome extended to him (some may call it personal matter).

And since we all (the republicans, populists, mossbacks, the negro Democrats, and White Supremacy men) have met, it is well that we have compared our views as to the approaching contest and have learned to know each other.

The contest has been fairly joined, and now for hard work on the part of New Bern and Craven county White Supremacy men, and good results will follow.

NORTHERN INDIVIDUAL DECLARATION:

"What income is necessary to furnish what is now considered a good living for the average family?"

"Income sufficient to have a home and certainly the way to do it is to own it."

In every village and profession there are men who are strong in character to make and keep a home, and instil in their children principles.

It is much easier to accept existing conditions, and make more pleasant to deal with the environment of poverty, than to turn aside and start up the painstaking uphill and seemingly endless road to fortune.

In commercial life, I believe the very largely to this want of strength of individual declaration, the loss of positive assertion of honesty and fair treatment of those to whom we pay wages and meet them squarely.

The politician who is a politician is not the successful man. It is not the facility of being "all things to all men," which wins in the political race.

Such a course often wins and seems the safe one for pursuit, but the end comes when good services must be the stand, when policy cannot shelter, and the want of strength of conviction deals an over the politician his position that had been gained.

From the pulpit there is no excuse this hesitation to declare truth on moral issues, when the public sentiment may appear in a dormant state, when the announcement and pronouncement cause pain, even may disturb the speaker's individual comforts.

The press, the great mechanism to portray the doings of the world more often reveals unwisely than wisely those daily events chronicling for selfish individual ends, rather than that the record however dark, might point so that good might come from the evil.

It is when the individual declaration has the strength of its convictions and proclaims in no hesitating terms its principles, and lives them, that what is low, is raised and supported, and then clearly can be made the way which shall uplend private morals, and public honesty in all things.

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THE FIRST BABY.

Its Coming is Looked Forward to With Both Joy and Fear and its Safe Arrival is Hailed With Pride and Delight by All.

The arrival of the first baby in the household is the happiest and most important event of married life. The young wife who is to become a mother delights to think of the happiness in store for her when the little one shall nestle upon her breast and latterly she shall hear it lisp the sweet and holy name, "mother." But her happy anticipation quickly vanishes when she realizes the terrible pain and suffering through which she must pass while bringing the little one into the world. An indescribable fear of the danger attendant upon the ordeal soon dissipates her joyfulness.

Thousands of women have learned by experience that there is absolutely no necessity for the sufferings which attend child-birth; they know that by the use of "Mother's Friend"—a scientific liniment—for a few weeks before the trying hour, expectant mothers can so prepare themselves for the final hour that the pain and suffering of the trended event are entirely obviated and they safely passed through with comparatively little discomfort.

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Decded to the Lord.

The most remarkable deed ever drawn up is seen on the private estate of a resident of Worcester in Massachusetts. It is chiseled on a rock monument known as Rattlesnake hill situated near the boundary line between Worcester and Leicester.

Cephas Parsons, who was widely known in Worcester county as an eccentric character, and particularly so in regard to the subject of religion, paid William C. Hall $125 for a parcel of land and directed Hall to convey it by deed to the Almighty. In order that the greatest possible publicity might be given to his disposition of the property, Parsons had the deed of transfer cut into the rock verbatim et literatim.

During his lifetime Parsons is said to have made several attempts to have the deed recorded, but the register of deeds, who was aware of his eccentricities, put him off with the plea that no official record was required in the case of a transfer of real estate to the Almighty.

Parsons died intestate several years ago and the administrator included the parcel of land on Rattlesnake hill in his inventory of the old gentleman's estate which he filed in the probate court. A suit of a lawyer raised the question of title, but the judge decided in the favor of the administrator. New York Journal.

Anecdotes of Colonel Ege.

Colonel Ege was a famous character in the early days. Although living in Doniphan county, he was often in Atchison, followed by a pack of hounds. He was a high toned southern gentleman, with a kind heart.

One day while returning home from his city he came across a man whose team was stuck in the mud in Independence creek bottom. Colonel Ege once started in to help the man pry out his wagon with a fence rail. While both were working away Ege became angry and yelled to the man, "Lift, you son of a gun; you are not lifting a pound!" The man picked up the end gate of the wagon and split it over Ege's head, laying him up for three weeks. Ege had his hat off when he was struck, and was so bald before coming to Kansas that he was known as the Bald Eagle of Maryland.

Ege always carried a pistol and was always trying to shoot through somebody's hat without hitting him. One day, at the Independence creek ferry, he shot at a man, but aimed a little low and creased him. But Ege was always a gentleman, he took the man into his home and tenderly cared for him until he recovered. Atchison Globe.

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Woodstock, Ala.

A Card.

For nervous and sick headaches, indigestion, biliousness and constipation (of which I have been a great sufferer) I have never found a medicine that would give such a pleasant, prompt and permanent relief as Dr. H. Mozley's Lemon Elixir.

J. P. HAWTHEL, Griffin, Ga.
Publisher Morning Call.

NEW SURVEY

To Be Made Of The Soils Of Eastern Carolina.

Survey to Be From Wake to Craven. Penitentiary Work. Republican Campaign Speakers Question of Fusion. Vance Statue.

RALEIGH, May 7.—Messrs. C. W. Dorsey and W. G. [illegible] connected with the division of agricultural soils of the Agricultural Department, Washington, here for the purpose of making a survey of eastern North Carolina. These gentlemen are specialists on soil work while Mr. R. G. Dyer of the United States Geological Survey will do the topographic mapping. State Geologist J. A. Holmes arrived in the city to look after this work.

The survey will begin at or near this city, and will pass in every county between Wake and Craven, five miles on each side of the North Carolina and the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroads being the area that is now intended to cover by the survey. This work is in connection with the experiment farms at Tarboro and Hot Springs that have just been established for the purpose of ascertaining what crops are best adapted to the different sections of the State. It will probably require a year to complete the work. The cost on the State of North Carolina will be only the expense of the specialists employed, the government having agreed to pay the salaries and give this time for the information that will be obtained for the United States Department of Agriculture. Raleigh will be headquarters for the men.

This week 25 convicts will be sent from the penitentiary to the Roanoke and Anson farms. There are now 95 employed in the shirt factory. There are now 85 Federal prisoners. The penitentiary officials say they do not know whether the sending of Federal prisoners to the penitentiary here will be resumed or not. There are 80 convicts employed in making brick. It is the purpose to make 5,000,000 this season. All made can be sold at once. Clay for that number is ready.

Secretary Hyams, of the Republican State committee, says his party will open the campaign at Winston, May 15th, when Pritchard, Spencer B. Adams, Walser and others will speak. He says that in the next ten days there will be 40 Republican speakers on the stump in North Carolina.

Adams, the nominee for Governor, is a weaker man than Bynum, who on Tuesday was practically agreed on as the nominee. They may or may not fuse. As said before that depends on circumstances. If they have any idea they can win they will fuse; if not, they will hold off and try to pose as a great party, leaving a desire to rehabilitate itself in the State.

The "slate" was made up in Senator Pritchard's room Tuesday night late. Walser was not asked on for permanent chairman until one to o'clock Wednesday morning. One of the funny little "breaks" was made when Prof. Britt, of Mitchell county, was put up for State Superintendent of Public Instruction. The man who put him up didn't know the slate and as nothing was said at the moment the convention thought it was all right and made the nomination. It was more than funny to see Britt get up, after the tip had been given him and decline by offering a resolution endorsing N. C. English, the Populist nominee. Word was sent to Britt as quickly as it could be carried.

James E. Boyd says his health is very poor and that he will go to Hot Springs, N. C., to remain a month.

President Warren Vines Hall, of the State Republican League, who was more in evidence at the State convention than Senator Pritchard or any ten men, remained over to conduct the league. The latter elected Charles J. Harris president. It is also intimated that W. S. Hyams will be here as secretary to the State committee. One of the questions is whether headquarters will be here or at Greensboro.

The "die" of the Vance statue is put in place. This is the granite block on which the statue is to stand. The die rests on a base which is carved into Roman "fasces." Standing in the centre of the rotunda of the capitol and looking eastward there will be a good view of the statue from the rear, and beyond it the mile long vista of Newbern avenue, which is 90 feet wide and over which the foliage of the great trees almost meets.

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BEGINNING OF END.

Roberts Advance Expected to Overwhelm Opposition.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The Evening Post's London correspondent cables today as follows:

"Six weeks is, today's cables say, the time named in well-informed circles in South Africa for the probable duration of the war. That also is the expectation in Government circles.

"The probability is that Lord Roberts has himself informed the War Office that he expects to enter Pretoria within that period, but Ministers are quite alive to the probable continuance of guerilla war fare here, there and everywhere in the Free State and the Transvaal after Pretoria has been occupied.

London, May 3.—The Daily Telegram has received the following dispatch from South Africa:

Bloemfontein, May 1.—Yesterday I went forward 20 miles to the northeast to see the operations, which approximately extend from Warrington to Lady brand. The enemy are now being brought face to face with movements which I am confident will soon overwhelm all opposition.

Gens. W. Maxwell's and Bruce Hamilton's brigades helped to secure excellent positions upon numerous ridges over a wide front many miles to the eastward of Glen, the Boers retiring. Colonel Broadwood, with his cavalry brigade and guns now in full strength, with horses in good condition, pushed farther east and north. They encountered a strong commando trekking toward Thaba Nchu. They attacked and speadily drove them back in the direction of Brandfort.

It is reported very few of the enemy are about Brandfort and that the town is not to be defended, but the hills to the north near Thaba Nchu are held by the Boers in some strength still, as are also those to the southwest of Brandfort.

Base Ball at Raleigh.

Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, May 4—The final game of base ball of the A. & M. College series was played here this afternoon, between that nine and the University of Maryland club.

The game was an exciting one, the score being, A. & M. College, 5 runs, 4 errors, battery, E. Person and W. Person. University of Maryland, 6 runs, 1 errors, battery, Drewry, Levon and Whitaker.

The Marylanders excelled at the bat but were weak in the field.

Joe Whitaker, formerly of the University of North Carolina team, will be the instructor in athletics at the A. & M. College, next season.

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Dramatic Author (after reading first two acts of his play)—Now, then, can you tell now how the play is going to end?

Manager—Sure I can.

Author—How?

Manager—The second night.

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Somewhat in Doubt.

We've got the Boers on the run! cried Lieutenant Sir Reginald Runnymede jubilantly. That's all right, replied Major the Hon Percy Fitzmaurice, looking about him suspiciously, but which way are they running?

I consider it not only a pleasure but a duty I owe to my neighbors to tell about the wonderful cure effected in my case by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. I was taken very badly with flux and procured a bottle of this remedy. A few does of it effected a permanent cure. I take pleasure in recommending it to others suffering from that dreadful disease.—J. W. LYNCH, Dorr, W. Va. This remedy is sold F. S. Duffy & Co.

A Great Man Misunderstood.

You think I got into the senate to make money! indignantly exclaimed Senator Lotsmun, eyeing the would-be briber with scorn. I made money, you infamous corruptionist, in order to get into the senate!

J. Q. Hood, Justice of the Peace, Crosby, Miss., makes the following statement: "I can certify that One Minute Cough Cure will do all that is claimed for it. My wife could not get her breath and the first dose of it relieved her. It has also benefitted my whole family." It acts immediately and cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe, bronchitis, asthma and all throat and lung troubles. F. S. Duffy.

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