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HAVE PARTY AND PRINCIPLES SUFFERED?

With the call for the Democratic State Executive Committee to meet, there has been some newspaper queries, will Chairman F. M. Simmons resign? Does Senator Simmons expect to continue as State Chairman of the democratic party, and so keep in control and perpetuate his senatorship? And other queries along the same line.

It might be asked, is there any special desire on the part of any one to take this chairmanship, and if there is, why not announce the man, instead of casting any slurs upon the present incumbent. And in the same connection it might be asked, is the democratic party, even by insinuation, going to place itself on record, as making the State chairmanship the requisite and necessary stepping stone to a National senatorship, for such queries coming from democratic newspapers must so indicate the successive political progress to office.

But taking up Mr. F. M. Simmons, it is very partinent to ask, and if possible answer the question, have the State democracy and its principles suffered under his leadership? If they have, then it has not been denounced by Mr. Simmons' enemies, and it would not be good party principle for even his friends to remain quiet, if there had come injury to the party and its principles.

That as State Chairman F. M. Simmons has conducted good campaign work, is not anywhere denied, so that there being only good from his public service, it seems but just, regardless of personal preferences, to credit Mr. Simmons for his energetic and able administration, and not permit political jealousies to create false impressions, to discredit, where praise is due, or attempt to promote discord where harmony should prevail.

RISKS IN UNSAFE BUILDINGS

Municipal ordinances prescribe what buildings are risks, that is, endanger surrounding property, yet such ordinances are not usually either strictly or carefully enforced.

An unsafe building may in itself be rentable, at the same time prove a menance to tenant and surrounding property, but its owner receives no notice from the authorities that it must be torn down, or placed in such repair as to remove it as a community risk. As an unhealthy building, it may be a risk, and added to it there may be the risk of a fire trap for those within and without Such property demands municipal attention, for it not only threatens the health, but as a fire risk it raises the insurance premium on all adjacent property, and also constantly menaces surrounding buildings, by its inflammable character.

A few days ago the Fire Department Chief of this city gave notice of condemnation against a building on Middle St., and previously other buildings have been condemned by the Chief of the fire department, but owners of property are unjust to their neighbors, and selfish in their citizenship, to use no harsher term, who permit their buildings to get in such shape, through neglect, as to become a public nuisance, and call for the enforcement of the law, in order that surrounding property may be saved from dangers of sickness or fire.

Besides the dangers from being in unsanitary condition and that of fire traps, old buildings depreciate all adjacent property, hence from every side their removal is demanded as a public safety, and a preservation of the community from pestilence and fire.

NO GOOD EXCUSE FOR BAD SIDEWALKS.

The present rainy weather with absence of all frost or freezing, to check the mud, makes every pedestrian who must be out of doors, and do any going about on the sidewalks of this city, see and feel that their condition is most deplorable; in many places, in such a miserable state, covered with water until the rain has entirely stopped, and with mud in other places until the sunshine dries them up.

To remedy these conditions some weeks ago the city authorities made the offer to property holders that if they would pay for the covering for the sidewalks, that is, marl, which can be cheaply secured, the city would agree to haul the marl, spread it out as wanted and then roll the sidewalk. If there has been any rush to accept this liberal offer, the sign is not visible for on all the streets during these rainy days, can be seen pedestrians going through evolutions and contortions, as they pass from block to block, seeking to escape the water and mud which covers the sidewalks, in various quantities, and in various degrees of depth.

In this climate, with a soil like that to be found here, there is the maximum of opportunities for keeping, easily and cheaply, good sidewalks, throughout the year. And besides the natural good climate and soil, there is the material, marl, cheaply obtained, which with no cost except its purchase, can be laid before the property of every citizen, affording a sidewalk which will be serviceable every month in the year, and during even the rainy season.

The property holder has no excuse for bad sidewalks. Everything offers to provide him a good one. The blame for bad sidewalks rests upon the property holder who is indifferent as to his sidewalk conditions.

CASTORIA.
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Governor Curry, of the Island of Samar, Philippines, is safe, but the Pulajanes killed 16 of the constabulary before being defeated.

Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Itch, Ring Worm, Herpes, Barbers Itch.

All of these diseases are attended by intense itching, which is almost instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Salve and by its continued use a permanent cure may be effected. It has, in fact, cured many cases that had resisted all other treatment. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Davis Pharmacy and F. S. Duffy.

Joseph P. Townsend, a native of Baltimore, shot and killed his daughter Pansy to prevent her marriage, and then committed suicide.

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A negro convict in the Missouri penitentiary killed a guard and was himself shot to death.

Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in His House.

"We would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is kept on hand continually in our home," says W. W. Kearney, editor of the Independent, Lowry City, Mo. That is just what every family should do. When kept at hand ready for instant use, a cold may be checked at the outset and cured in much less time than after it has become settled in the system. This remedy is also without a peer for croup in children, and will prevent the attack when given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, which can only be done when the remedy is kept at hand. For sale by Davis' Pharmacy and F. S. Duffy.

Morris Buck, of Los Angles, Cal. who shot and killed Mrs. Canfield, the wife of the oil millionaire, was sentenced to be hanged June1.

Severe street rioting occurred at Vienna and culminated in a conflict between the rioters and the troops, during which two men were killed and over three hundred were wounded.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SATURDAY NIGHT JUGS

Thirsty Greensboro Throngs Express Office for Them.

Mrs. Smoot and Other Alleged Counterfeiters. Gold Brick Swindlers Again. G. F. C. to Raise Debt. Private Water Supply Company Liable for Insufficient Water.

Greensboro, March 27.—The Express office here Saturday nights reminds one who has seen it in days agone, of what the republicans termed "the election bull pens in the east". The approaches to the office door at the station are roped off and guarded. There is an ingress approach and an egress avenue of ropes. Parties getting jugs or bottles of liquor coming from Danville and other Virginia towns, have to take strict "millers turn" entering one way, in single file and emerging another.

Mrs. Alice Smoot, the lady in jail here awaiting trial in the Federal court here next week on a charge of counterfeiting is reported quite sick from nervous prostration. Her husband was placed in the same cell with her Saturday night on request of Col. Morehead. The lady seemed quite "pert" Sunday but seems to have entirely lost her nerve today. It is reported that two other important arrests of alleged members of the counterfeiting gang were made in the mountains last night, but the marshal here says he knows nothing of it.

There is considerable speculation here as to the object of the presence of Mrs Hawley of Chicago, wife of the gold brick man now serving a sentence in penitentiary for trying to swindle Paul Garrett into buying a gold brick in Greensboro several years ago. While the attorneys who formerly represented the gold brick swindlers say they have not seen the woman and do not believe she is here, officers who knew her well, declare that she has been here a week, and pointed her out, while she was walking down Main street this morning. Ever since Hawley was sent to the penitentiary influential parties North have been trying to get him pardoned. Two appeals were made to Governor Aycock, and at the last term of the legislature a tremendous pressure was brought to bear on him just before he vacated the office of Governor to grant a pardon. Enlisted in this pressure were several prominent northern congressmen, senators and capitalists, principally from New York and Chicago. Hawley is the fellow that acted as the expert assayer and gave the opinion that the filings from the hole drilled through the gilded brass brick were gold. The fellow who acted the "Injun" said to have been the biggest rascal in the bunch and so believed here, was pardoned by Governor Aycock. The presence of Mrs. Hawley here is thought to presage a move for pardon on Governor Glenn but if any such action is contemplated Hawleys old attorneys here declare they have no such intimation.

The G. F. C. Alumni Association of Greensboro at a meeting yesterday afternoon discussed and devised plans for raising the balance still owing, the $1,000 pledged by the alumni for the rebuilding of the G. F. College. The plans embrace the giving of an elaborate entertainment during commencement week.

Federal Court clerk Trogden today received the mandate of the United States Supreme Court affirming the decisions of the State Supreme Court and the United States Court of Appeals in the suit of B. J. Fisher and others against the Greensboro Water Supply Company. The mandate declares that "the judgment creditors are entitled to priority of payment over and above the liens of the mortgages set out in the proceedings and pleadings in the action" and directs that the receiver R R King, pay over to Helen G. Brown, $3,200 and $1,800 to B. J. Fisher, $25,000 with interest from January 14th 1901 and the costs in the State and Federal courts. These judgments were obtained in the Superior court here on suits against the water company for alleged failure to have a sufficient supply of water, on account of which the old Benbow (now Guilford) hotel was destroyed by fire, and buildings belonging to three other complainants. By deciding that a private water supply company is liable for damages for an insufficient supply of water in case of a fire, but that a municipal company is not, because one cannot sue himself, the courts have given great impetus to the proposition so generally advocated everywhere, that a municipality should own its water supply.

The proposed action of the Department of Justic in the Chattanooga lynching case is declared to be unconstitutional.

Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr. J. C. Bayne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For sale by Davis Pharmacy and F. S. Duffy.

Keep the little ones healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require gentle, healing remedies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will keep them strong and well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by F. S. Duffy

IN MEMORIAM.

Claudius Walton Weeks.

Departed this life March 23, 1906, Claudius Walton, the infant son of R. E. and Annie Weeks, age, two months and sixteen days. The little one was a lovely child and not only the hearts of those to whom he was most dear are touched but of the whole community feel a sense of bereavement. We doubt not that he fares better than earthly parents could hope to do for he is with Him who said "Suffer little children to come unto me". Weep not father and mother for the babe is an Angel and is only awaiting to welcome those from whom he was taken.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. S Kay at the family burying ground at Kuhns and it was attended by a large number of friends who sympathized deeply with the afflicted family.

Supreme Court Opinions.

Special to Journal:

Raleigh, March 27.—The Supreme Court handed down the following opinions today:

Ballard vs Hollingsworth, Cumberland, affirmed.

West vs Railroad, Cumberland, affirmed.

Ballard vs Edwards, Robeson, affirmed.

Williams vs Railroad, Duplin, affirmed.

Mayers vs McBimmon, Robeson, affirmed.

Bland vs Beasley, Pender, affirmed.

Smith vs French, Craven, new trial in both appeals.

Porter vs Telegraph Co. Columbus, per curiam affirmed.

Grand Opening Reception.

Large crowds attended the big soda fountain opening at Warren's yesterday and appreciated the generous hospitality of the proprietor. It was an unusual occasion and was greatly enjoyed A unique advertisement was put on the street in the afternoon of a negro horseman dressed in fantastic colors riding all over the city with banners announcing the event.

In the evening the people were delightfully entertained by the New Bern Symphony orchestra, composed of the Misses Wyatt and Mr. Hugh Wood, and the tables were full all the time. The store was beautifully adorned with palms and plants and the tables were decorated with pretty bouquets of violets. People filled the store until the closing time at 11 o'clock.

1219 drinks were served to those were visitors at the store during the day and night.

Plant Rivers With Shad.

We are pleased to publish the following letter which shows that the fish condition is soon to be improved:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR
BUREAU OF FISHERIES,
Washington, March 21, 1906.

Hon. C. R. Thomas,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of application for fish from Mr. Geo. N. Ives, of New Bern, N. C., the same bearing your favorable indorsement.

The request has been placed on file and arrangements will be made for supplying the fish as early as practicable.

Very respectfully,
GEO. M. BOWERS,
Commissioner.

The application sent by Mr. Ives was for shad and if the hopes of the fish dealers are realized there will be plenty of fish in the waters around New Bern. It is said that fishermen are continually violating laws catching fish under size and thus curtailing the number of available fish.

No Hope for Douglas Olds

Special to Journal.

Raleigh, March 27.—Douglas Olds, the younger son of Col. Fred Olds, lies critically ill of tuberculosis at Southern Pines, where he was carried Sunday, by his father. Information received by wire this afternoon is to the effect that no hopes are entertained for his recovery.

To draw the fire out of a burn, heal a cut without leaving a scar, or to cure boils, sores, tetter, eczema and all skin and scalp diseases, use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. No remedy causes such speedy relief. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

Dr. Augh T. Nelson, of Charlottesville died of pneumonia.

The Original

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

The Norfolk and Southern and Virginia Carolina Railroad Companies are to form a merger.

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We Will Buy

You a Bottle of Liquozone, and Give It to You to Try.

We make few claims of what Liquozone will do. And no testimonials are published to show what it has done. We prefer that each sick one should learn its power by a test. That is the quickest way to convince you.

So we offer to buy the first bottle and give it to you to try. Compare it with common remedies; see how much more it does. Don't cling to the old treatments blindly. The scores of diseases which are due to germs call for a germicide. Please learn what Liquozone can do.

What Liquozone Is.

The virtues of Liquozone are derived solely from gases. The formula is sent to each user. The process of making requires large apparatus, and from 8 to 14 days' time. It is directed by chemists of the highest class. The object is to so fix and combine the gases as to carry into the system a powerful tonic-germicide.

Contact with Liquozone kills any form of disease germ, because germs are of vegetable origin. Yet to the body Liquozone is not only harmless, but helpful in the extreme. That is its main distinction. Common germicides are poison when taken internally. That is why medicine has been so helpless in a germ disease. Liquozone is exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying; yet no disease germ can exist in it.

We purchased the American rights to Liquozone after thousands of tests had been made with it. Its power had been proved, again and again, in the most difficult germ diseases. Then we offered to supply the first bottle free to every disease that required it. And over one million dollars have been spent to announce and fulfill this offer.

The result is that 11,000,000 bottles have been used, mostly in the past two years. Today there are countless cured ones, scattered everywhere, to tell what Liquozone has done.

But so many others need it that this offer is published still. In late years, science has traced scores of diseases to germ attacks. Old remedies do not apply to them. We wish to show these sick ones—at our cost—what Liquozone can do.

Where It Applies.

These are the diseases in which Liquozone has been most employed. In these it has earned its widest reputation. In all of these troubles we supply the first bottle free. And in all—no matter how difficult—we offer each user a two months' further test without the risk of a penny.

Asthma	Goitre—Gout
Abscess—Anæmia	Gonorrhœa—Gleet
Bronchitis	Hay Fever—Influenza
Blood Poison	La Grippe
Bowel Troubles	Leucorrhœa
Coughs—Colds	Malaria—Neuralgia
Consumption	Piles—Quinsy
Contagious Diseases	Rheumatism
Catarrh—Catarrhal Deafness	Scrofula—Syphilis
Dysentery—Diarrhœa	Skin Diseases
Dyspepsia—Dandruff	Tuberculosis
Eczema—Erysipelas	Tumors—Ulcers
Fevers—Gall Stones	Throat Troubles

Also most forms of the following:

Kidney Troubles	Liver Troubles
Stomach Troubles	Women's Diseases

Fever, inflammation or catarrh—impure or poisoned blood—usually indicate a germ attack.

In nervous debility Liquozone acts as a vitalizer, accomplishing remarkable results.

50c. Bottle Free.

If you need Liquozone, and have never tried it, please send us this coupon. We will then mail you an order on a local druggist for a full-size bottle, and will pay the druggist ourselves for it. This is our free gift, made to convince you; to let the product itself show you what it can do. In justice to yourself, please accept it today, for it places you under no obligations whatever.

Liquozone costs 50c. and $1.

CUT OUT THIS COUPON

Fill it out and mail it to The Liquozone Company, 458-464 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

My disease is.....

I have never tried Liquozone, but if you will supply me a 50c bottle free I will take it.

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1 2 4 Give full address—write plainly.

Note that this offer applies to new users only. Any physician or hospital not yet using Liquozone will be gladly supplied for a test.

A West Virginia couple made their honey-moon trip on a wagon loaded with nitroglycerin.

No pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These Famous Little Pills are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Never gripe. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

Suits aggregating $1,250,000 were instituted by the Mutual Life Insurance Company against the McCurdys and other former officers, and criminal charges are made.

Cured Hemorrhages of The Lungs

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Davis Pharmacy

Four firemen were killed by falling walls at a fire in New York.

No Pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These Famous Little Pills are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Never gripe F. S Duffy.

Five arrests have been made in connection with the failure last October of the Enterprise National Bank of Allegheny, Pa.

The cures that stand to its credit make Bucklen's Arnica Salve a scientific wonder. It cured E. R. Mulford, lecturer for the Patrons of Husbandry, Waynesboro, Pa., of a distressing case of Piles. It heals the worst Burns, Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Cuts, Wounds, Chilblains and Salt Rheum. Only 25c at All Druggists.

The Russian police have forbidden the production of "The Quel," a military play.

A Lively Tussle

with that old enemy of the race Constipation, often ends in Appendicitis. To avoid all serious trouble with Stomach, Liver and Bowels, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They perfectly regulate these organs, without pain or discomfort. 25c at All Druggists.

Secretary Bonaparte will succeed Attorney-General Moody on July 1, it is believed, and George von L. Meyer will become Secretary of the Navy.

Torture By Savages.

"Speaking of the torture to which some of the savage tribes in the Philippines subject to their captives, reminds me of the intense suffering I endured for three months from the inflammation of the Kidneys," says W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "Nothing helped me until I tried Electric Bitters, three bottles of which completely cured me." Cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Blood disorders and Malaria and restores the weak and nervous to robust health. Guaranteed by All Druggists. Price 50c.

Trade between Canada and the United States has increased to $[illegible], more than 100 per cent, in 10 years.

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"Cotton Culture," our interesting 90-page book, contains valuable pointers on cotton-raising, and shows, from comparative photographs, what enormous cotton yields POTASH has produced in different states. This book will be sent you free of any cost or obligation if you will just write us for it.

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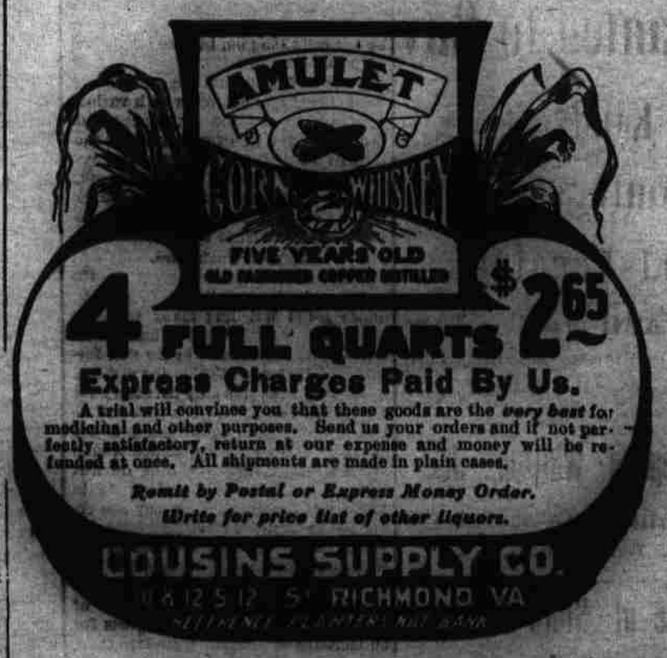

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Special Bargains in fine quality Hamburg and Insertion; 12,000 yards to select from. Will be sold at less than one half the actual value.

Nearly every express or freight brings us some new pieces of popular Gray Goods. Excellent values at 79c and $1 per yard.

Large lot of Percale to select from, 10c quality at 6¼c peryd.

2,000 yds White Lawn 40 inches wide, 10c per yard. Come down and look over the counter, the very piece you may want may be there.

Just Received a fine line of Knee Pants for boys at 50c a pair, sizes 3 to 16.

Always have good values in the house that we don't have space to advertise.

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