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ENDING OF THE MONOPOLISTIC GRAB GAME.

The months of uneasiness and declining prices in Wall Street securities, has been interpreted by those engaged in frenzied finance, as being due to President Roosevelt and his attitude towards those engaged in Wall Street gambling. The sheer folly of imputing to the President such collapses as have taken place, needs no apology or explanation. It is the aroused public sentiment that has demanded that those in positions of trust, shall give an accounting. That trusts shall not enjoy special rebates, and that those getting rebates shall pay the law's penalty. That rate regulation is a State prerogative. That the people shall be allowed competitive chances, both in the business way for themselves, and as consumers. The check on the monopolistic grab game, has caused those so engaged to make a rush to get out, to prove the convenient alibi, that it was not they, but others who committed the acts.

The people have discovered that they have been too long submitting to being used as the monkey's paw for those engaged in frenzied finance. It has been found that the law is applicable to the millionaire. The issue is the law's strict enforcement, not President Roosevelt. The culprit must only blame himself, for the penalty being meted out to him. The delay in the enforcement has made the gullible ones feel that they were immune. Recent events have proven that the limit of high finance has been reached. That the law is going to govern, not frenzied finance. The end of the monopolistic grab game is near at hand.

NEW BERN'S CONTRIBUTION TO COLORED EDUCATION.

That there has been, and is a firm community of feeling interest, between the white and colored citizenship of New Bern, is not a matter of dispute or argument. In no city does there exist better feelings. And in no city can the white citizenship show such a helping hand on all occasions, as does that of this city, towards its colored citizenship.

This assistance has been exhibited in many ways, under various conditions. The poor and worthy colored citizen receives the needed attention—be it for sickness or for shelter. The colored religious denominations have never asked in vain of the white people, when they needed it for church work, or along missionary lines. Industrial growth, the desire to learn trades, by the colored people, has received the help of the white people. Encouragement in race upbuilding has been ready, and is always extended by leading citizens of New Bern, whenever the colored man has asked for it.

But with all that has been previously done, the latest manifestation that the whites have shown the colored race, is in the educational line. To-day a splendid public school, to cost probably \$7,000 or \$8,000, is being built for the colored youth, through city funds. This money has accumulated in sufficient amount, to give a sum that will be large enough to build a colored public school house to replace the one destroyed by fire, and to restore in one building, the colored youth, who have been somewhat scattered since their building was destroyed. The contribution of this money marks the upward, in that it is the first municipal money yet laid out for a school building in this city.

Of course, taxes have been paid into the school fund, and schools, white and colored, helped in their maintenance, but in the money given to build this public school for the colored youth, is seen the first municipal ownership of a school building in New Bern. This contribution truly points to the confidence that the white citizenship has for the colored citizenship, and the desire to assist the coming colored generations to be good and worthy citizens. This mark of confidence should be nobly responded to by the colored youth, who shall be educated, and through education establish themselves in worthy daily pursuits, and so repay by an honest, steady and industrious citizenship, the faith of those who so well contributed to lay the foundation for a higher and better colored citizenship, and it will be money more than well invested.

A DEMAND FOR INCREASED GRADED SCHOOL ROOM.

That the population of New Bern, increasing as it has during the past year, would show the increase in a larger attendance at the White Graded School at the Fall term, was nothing else than a certainty. The Journal said this last spring, and the good advice tendered, that the summer was the time, when preparation should be made to meet the school room demand that was certain to be wanted during the school year 1907-08.

The increase in the number of pupils this Fall, has made it necessary to increase the number of teachers. This has been done. But with school room facilities already fully taxed, the increase of teachers meant some improvised school rooms. This has overtaxed the present graded school room conditions. It has made two grades occupy the same room. The injustice to both pupil and teachers in this method is obvious. Recitations have been held in the halls. Improvised school quarters have lacked in space, light and heat. Both teacher and pupil have suffered from these annoyances, and the result has been educational failure, that is both teacher and pupil have suffered, in neither being able to accomplish the work and duties set before them.

That some temporary arrangement will be made to carry the school on with added room, will of course be done by the board of trustees. But something more than just meeting today's school exigencies is demanded. It is not enough that the graded school be just good enough for today. There is wanted something over this. A provision of facilities and equipment that while it will not urge compulsory education upon this community, will be able to say to every parent, "the school room and teacher are ready for your child." In other words a provided educational way is needed for the youth of New Bern. It may seem today, a tax to provide sufficient school rooms, and the teachers with other equipment, but it will be found a low tax, a wise tax, a tax to save the youth from a fate that is certain to follow ignorance and idleness, for the boy or girl that does not attend school will usually be found upon the street, and that means demoralization. There is no sum of money, and no great amount is needed, that would not prove a gilt edge investment for this community, to put into larger school facilities. It would repay in the next generation, with an educated community, one capable of carrying on the affairs of this city and State, as these will present themselves, and unless there be the men and women capable, there must come in outsiders. It is a pleasant thought, that the New Bern of 1920 will be governed in its industrial, commercial, financial, social, educational and religious matters by others than the descendants of those New Bernians, whose past record will be all that remains; and yet this must be the case unless the New Bern boy and girl is given the educational chance today, to gain the knowledge that means everything for themselves and their community.

The President's Birthday

Special to Journal. Washington, D. C., October 26.—President Roosevelt will celebrate his 49th birthday tomorrow.

Two New Stars in Our Flag.

Special to Journal. Washington, D. C., October 28.—President Roosevelt has examined the constitution submitted to him by the territories Arizona and New Mexico and approved of them. Congress will probably ratify the action of the territories.

In Hungary's Travelling in a Ship

as three miles for a cent.



Paint Secrets. A paint manufacturer always prefers to keep secret the fact that he has substituted something else for white lead in his paint, but when the substitution is discovered he defends the adulteration as an improvement.

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How Lawson Fights.

Frank Fayant in "Success Magazine": Believing that Lamson was trying to ruin him, Lawson set about to ruin the Lowell inventor, this is Lawson's way—"an eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth."

Not very Christianlike, but a part of the heart-breaking, soul-destroying game of dollars—a game that has been growing bigger ever since primitive man set about to get his brother's worldly goods by force. The modern way of sticking the knife into a man is to attack his property in stock market, and undermine his credit. Lawson went into the stock market and opened his guns on Lamson Store Service shares. They had been rising rapidly, touching \$62 on the rumor that a big melon was to be cut for the stockholders. Their par value was \$50, and they were paying ten per cent. dividends. This was early in the winter of '89. Disquieting rumors began to spread. To use Lawson's own words, referring to a later time, when the shoe was on the other foot, and Lawson was defending another company from just such an attack, "from all the stock market sub-sellers and rat holes of State St., crept those wriggling, slimy snakes of bastard rumors which, seemingly fatherless and motherless, have in reality multi-parents who beget them with a devilry of intention."

Happenings at Havelock.

Special Correspondence. Havelock, N. C., October 24.—Mr. J. F. Godwin, who has been working at Newport, completed his job and returned home today. Mrs. Cora Bragg of Thurman, spent Monday and Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. John Deporte, of this place. Mr. Clyde J. Godwin was a visitor at Newport Saturday and Sunday. Mr. R. H. Satterthwaite, spent Wednesday at Cherry Point. Mr. A. D. Rooks and Mr. F. Russell went to Bogue Friday and returned Sunday. Miss Georgia Godwin and sister, Irene, were visitors at Newport Saturday. Mr. W. T. Civils spent Sunday at Riverdale. Mr. Earle Rooks was the guest of Mr. Gathrie Croom Sunday. Miss Georgia and Rena Godwin, were visitors at Holly Springs Sunday. Mr. H. P. Croom left Monday morning to resume his work at Jacksonville. Mr. Dinkins Hancock of Newport, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother at this place. Mr. A. P. Whitehead and daughter, Mrs. Paul, spent Monday evening at Mr. J. P. Godwin's, on their way to the Exposition. Mr. H. R. Satterthwaite leaves Friday morning to take a position with the Colleton Lumber Company in S. Carolina. Miss Hattie Canady of Wilmington and Misses Emma and Annie Mason, were the guests of Miss Georgia Godwin Wednesday. Blackheads, blotches and pimples are caused by the improper action of the bowels. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea regulates the bowels, makes your complexion clear and beautiful, gives you that healthy look. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. F. S. DUFFY.

Loco News.

Special Correspondence. Loco, N. C., October 25.—Our people are progressing finely, housing their crops. Several from this neighborhood went to Wards Mill to the Association they report a pleasant time. Mr. Alex. Trott of Depps, preached Sunday at Lott's Church House. Messrs. Job Parsons and Lawrence Smith spent Sunday with relatives in Jones county. Mr. Cleve Parsons of Jones county, was in our berg Sunday. Mrs. Novella Lilly who has been sick for quite a while, is so as to be up some. Some of our folks are having bad colds.

Weak Kidneys

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CONGRESS WILL BE BATTLE OF WITS

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Of the presidential election depends upon the vote of three or four doubtful States such as New York, New Jersey, Maryland, Rhode Island, and Delaware, and it is essential that the ticket must be satisfactory to Democrats and Independent voters of those and perhaps other States.

Who can best unite the party? and be the most available candidate, is the question that Democrats must settle when selecting delegates to represent them at the National Convention. However, strong Mr. Bryan may be, can he get those doubtful votes, and is he the most available candidate to carry those close and doubtful States? No democrat can desire a repetition of the last campaign, when thousands of Democratic voters who would have voted for Mr. Bryan, refused to vote for Judge Parker, or voted directly for Roosevelt.

If Mr. Bryan is nominated can he expect to receive the united Democratic support? It is folly to say, let what may be termed, the Parker element go and rely upon the enthusiasm of the Democratic masses to supply the place of those who might be lukewarm or stay-at-homes. It would be equally impolitic to nominate a candidate who is looked upon as belonging to the Parker faction. The Bryan enthusiasts would cut him as they did Judge Parker, and the party can hardly stand two such disastrous defeats in succession.

Wisdom would suggest a compromise candidate as the most available under the circumstances. A candidate who has not been prominently connected with either faction and who having supported Mr. Bryan in his campaign, also supported Judge Parker. There are a number of such men in the party who eminently fill the necessary requirements of honesty and ability, any one of them no real Democrat can refuse to vote for.

Fortunately the Democrats are not divided on essentials. The Democracy is a unit on tariff reform and opposition to protecting the trusts, while it believes in Home Rule and State Rights and is opposed to stretching the Constitution. Therefore there should be no conflict on a platform that all Democrats can agree upon as the doctrine of the party. With an available candidate it certainly looks to be the opportunity of the Democrats to wipe out their misfortunes of the past twelve years and redeem the country from existing evils.

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NOTICE—LAND POSTED

All persons are hereby forbidden to hunt with gun or dogs or to trespass on my tract of land known as O. H. Perry tract, situate in No. 7 Township, Craven county, on Brices Creek, adjoining the lands of E. E. Sullivan, Mrs. Maud P. Cobb, Mrs. J. R. Williams and others, containing sixteen hundred and fifteen (1615) acres, described in a deed from said Perry and wife, to me, registered in Book 135, page 546, office of Register of Deeds of Craven county. This 26th day of October 1907. A. D. WARD.

Fund For the Waterway.

Special to Journal. Philadelphia, October 25.—At the office of Mayor Baylun today a fund was subscribed to defray the expenses of a convention to be held in this city on November 19 to 20 in the interest of a proposed inland waterway from Cape Cod to Beaufort, N. C. Final arrangements were completed for the convention, at which it is expected representatives will be present from all the Atlantic Coast States. The plan was outlined by Congressman J. H. Brown, representative of trade organizations from Trenton and Camden, N. J., Wilmington, Del., and other places attended. Among those present were Congressman Burke, of Delaware; Baylun, Moon and President of Philadelphia, and Frank in name of the National Board of Trade.

Apply 750,000 barrels of American apples are exported annually to England. Rapid mail growth is an indication of health. PILES are immediately relieved by Dr. Shoop's Resolvent.

PURELY IMAGINATIVE

A Story Good Enough to be True Which May Work Out to Our Benefit.

The Journal has been "put next" to a story that we hope will materialize as it will hasten a condition much to be desired. In brief it is this: The Standard Oil Company, alias the J. L. Doper Company, alias the Norfolk & Southern, will submit a proposition to the Board of Aldermen soon asking for a franchise for an electric street railway, which will be operated in connection with the J. L. Doper plant. The company find that while they are putting in machinery for their own uses, that it will cost but little more to furnish sufficient power to run the street cars. Whatever may be the grounds for this rumor, let us hope that it may result in the real thing.

American Consul Kills Himself.

Special to Journal. San Luis, Mexico, October 26.—Dr. S. E. Cross, United States Consul stationed here, committed suicide today. He had been in ill health for some time.

The Neuse Association.

The Neuse Baptist Association will convene in its ninth annual session at the Tabernacle Church Tuesday and Wednesday, November 5, and 6. It will be a largely attended meeting; it is expected that there will be fully one hundred delegates and the papers as will be seen by the following program, will be very interesting and will stimulate discussion.

Program: Tuesday morning, November 5, 11 a. m.: Devotional exercises.

Address of Welcome—Rev. W. A. Ayers.

Response—Dr. H. W. Battle. Enrollment of delegates. Executive Committee Report—Rev. W. F. Fry, Chm.

Miscellaneous Business. Tuesday afternoon, 2 o'clock. Devotional Period.

Periodicals—Rev. W. L. Bilbro, Chm. Ministerial Education—Rev. W. P. Campbell, Chm.

Agod Ministers Relief—Mr. J. E. Peterson, Chm. Discussed by Rev. W. L. Bilbro, and members.

Miscellaneous Business. Tuesday evening, 7:30 o'clock: Devotional Period.

Moderator's Address—Dr. Jas. M. Barrott. Introductory Sermon—Rev. T. H. King.

Wednesday Morning, November 5, 9 o'clock: Devotional Period.

State Missions—Rev. T. H. King, Chm. Discussed by Rev. Livingston Johnson and H. C. Moore, and members.

Home Missions—Rev. W. F. Fry, Chm. Discussed by H. W. Battle and members.

Miscellaneous Business. Wednesday Afternoon, 2 o'clock: Devotional Period.

Temperance—Mr. M. D. Lane, Chm. Discussed by Mr. John A. Oats, and members.

Sunday Schools—Mr. J. J. Rogers, Chm. Discussed by N. B. Broughton, J. A. McDaniel and members.

Miscellaneous Business. Wednesday Evening, 7:30 o'clock: Devotional Period.

General Education—Prof. G. H. Lineberry, Chm. Discussed by Prof. J. B. Caciyle, and members.

Orphanage—Rev. W. P. Campbell, Chm. Discussed by Rev. M. L. Restler and members.

Miscellaneous Business. Thursday Morning, 9 o'clock. Devotional Period.

Foreign Missions—Rev. W. G. King, Chm. Discussed by Dr. W. H. Smith and members.

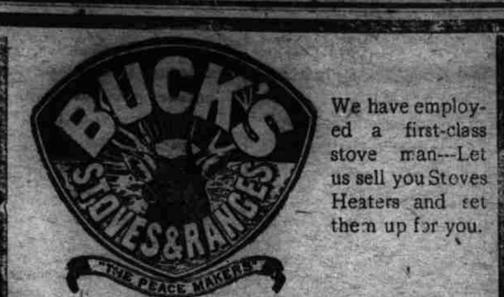
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