DEMOCRAT.

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Civil Service Reform.

Pure-Simple-Unadulterated. "Turn the rascals out."

Take time -Be sure to get honest faithful democrats, then Reform.

Every true republican expects this Every Simon pure democrat de-

mands this. Justice claims this.

The Bartaoldi State of "Liberty Enlightening the World" is now in New York.

Gen. Grant has finished that bool. war, but whether it is history or not. we don't knew.

Riel, the Manitoba rebel, is to be tried in court for his general conduct in that uprising. It is thought that he will be acquitted on the plea ofinsanity, political we suppose.

One day last week Gen, Vilas appointed 150 postmasters for Virginia alone. They were of the fourth class One hundred and fifty each day will do pretty well for one State. Don't ry state. They recommended a re interrupt the good work,

resentatives. He is a high tariff dollars as heretofore. champion. He is shrewd, but he has been beaten.

An exchange says:

"An experimental moculation with the yellow fever virus is now reported from Vera Cruz which was successful in every respect. The system used is considered by the Mexican savants a complete protection for four or five years.

The venerable R. M. T. Hunter, of request, to the collectorship of a Virginia district with a salary of \$250 II. Kitchin, of this place, as the and fees amounting to about \$500. Board of Education. The new Board He is 76 years of age. His fortune will qualify on the first Monday in has been, how changed! During the June. It is a strong board. The late war he represented Virginia in three gentlemen are qualified in the Confederate Senate. Thirty every way for the duties of the office. years ago he promised some day to They are strong, representative men. be President. He was a United And they all are prominent in their States Senator. Now he earns an selection for eaterprise and progress. honest living. No Federal pension If the Public Schools in the couty are feeds him! Noble old man!

RULES.

What is known as the "civil serage.-New Berne Journal.

What is known as the rule "To the victims belong the spoils" is the most damnable doctrine ever preached in American politics. No honest man can sneer at the "Civil service rule." It means reform .- Wilson Advance.

The Advance is right. "To the victims belong the spoils" is a very recent phrase. But however recent it may be, yet we once thought it was going to totally crush out that other rule"To the victors belong the spoils" which is, we think, the only safe, true and reliable principle, on which the permanency of any political party can ever be based. Shall the victims have even a share of the spoils? It is known that many who were enemies of the democratic party, and who did all in their power to defeat Mr. Cleveland, and carry the United States for Mr. Blaine last fall, have received part of the spoils of a democratic victory. But there are good indications to hope that no more republicans will be reappointed. "Let him who wins the palm, wear it." Let those who win the victory get the profits. How can democratic principles be carried out unless through democrats. Surely a republican with his inclinations cannot satisfy a democrat with his principles. Keep on "turning the rascals out."

OUR STATE.

guide the destinies of our grand old sometimes be deceived.

me act which will be hailed with joy forth to the citizens? y our State, will be that which , he Administration ought to do at its arliest convenience, we mean Ike Young's removal. Yes turn binout. Turn them all out. When no part of our State shall feel the influence of the g. o. p. then truly, will we be glad. Our State is properous. which is said to be a history of the But as long as a republican officer exists in her borders there will be blot on her purity.

JUSTICES' MEETING.

The Justices and Commissioners met in joint meeting at Halifax on Monday to levy taxes and to elect a Board of Education, for the county. under the new law.

The Commissioners made a report of the condition of the county finances, which are in a highly satisfactoduction of four and one sixth cents in the tax for State and county pur-Sam J. Randall, who is a democrat poses. So there was levied only 62, -a little eccentric however-seems cents on property valued at \$100, into be preparing for another race for stead of 66% cts. as heretofore. The the Speakership of the House of Rep- poll tax will be \$1.871 instead of two

This speaks well for the Board. I shows that the Commissioners have the true interest of the people at heart, and it demonstrates that they are good financiers. We are informed that this is the first time that taxation has been below the constitutional limit in many long years.

Prescott, Wood, Johnston, Bowers and Whitaker are the right men in the right place.

John A. Collins, of Enfield, and W. not greatly improved under their management, we are much mistaken in the character of the men. The terms of the Inferior Court were reduced to two. This court will after vice rule," when applied to practical the present June term is held, hold politics, is the veriest humbug of the its session on the 1st Monday in February, and October.

> Col. F. M. Parker was elected a member of the court. This was a good selection.

LOCAL PAPER.

New York Herald would be if every the radicals. subscriber to the local paper subperity of the Old North State, then paper of almost any town and form tor Robinson? Wonder if Manning pla, visit the Commencements of our a fair and nearly correct opinion of knows of Col. Ike Young? Academies, High Schools, and Col- it. When people do not know the Ike Young has been the "life and those who kill are apt to find abunleges. The students of these insti- town, then they will judge it by the blood," so to speak, of the Republi- dant sympathy and escape punish-

State, and they are confident that It is known to some of the subscri- shrewdest and wisest Republican in istration of the law. Sometimes it within her borders, you may, per attention to it, because we have been stump speaker be has not an equal the killing will continue. When pub baps, hear the young man recount an assistant in Vine Hill Academy. in the republican party of this State. lic opinion is changed the country the glories of Carolina's past, and Then, you see, we could do but very for force or plausibility. He is Col- will have a more exacting criminal with exultations and loud proclam- little work on the DEMOCRAT during lector of Internal Revenue for the administration and murder may not tions of his joy tell of his satisfac- the day, and we might say that all Fourth District. If Mr. Manning cease, but will become infrequent. tion for the present, and with more the work on the DEMOCRAT has been wants to turn out a partisan and con- People on the other side of the At-

wel'. For we can well apply Web- paper, as can be seen from the stock- is to continue in office some time at of human life by murder is rare. Pubster's remark about Massachusetts to bolders is on a sure foundation. Run least. June 1st was the day upon lic opinion there no more than the our State," The past, at least, is se- it must. But while it is going to which his term expired, and our law authorizes men to go about habitcure." Of the present, let the Bos- come out every week, filled with good "Make Haste slowly" Administra- ually with the means of destroying ton Exposition, her own Exposition matter and news, whether we have a tion was too slow, and had not apand the World's Exposition speak long list of subscribers or not, still it pointed a Democrat, so lke has been Do you learn anything but praise is a candidate for patronage. Its ad- requested to hold on and give the and assurance from these? Of the vertising columns are cheap-by far Authorities more time to select a the habit of carrying pistols has of CORNER MAIN & 10TH STREETS, future, let her water power, timber, cheaper than any other paper we Democrat. Do you call that all right? ninerals, climate, scenery and her know-it costs but little to advertise, is that not too slow? A small post ublic spirit speak. Democratic she therefore if you have anything to sell, office can wait for a change much bet s. Mr. Cleveland can greatly or to call attention to, why not send ter than the Fourth District. Hurry change her polites, however. The it to the DEMOCRAT and let it be laid up and remove Col. Young. His pol-

Wenever expect to say what we do and Manning. not mean and what we cannot prove and uphold. We shall not withhold our thoughts concerning any thing we believe to be damaging to Scotland Neck or the country.

We are in one of the healthiest and most fertile sections of the State, but it is a fact, a sad one, but nevertheless true that our people as a whole, lack public spirit, and we do believe that the DEMOCRAT has not the number of subscribers which this town and this section, with all the advantages, should give. Local papers are more than mere appendages to towns.

They are not started just for the cwns to boast of a paper, but it is their business to encourage farming and all honorable industries, to give rent to the feelings and the will of their sections and to elevate the moral, social, and political qualities within their reach. The DEMOCRAT aims to be a good newspaper.

THE ADMINISTRATION AND N. C. OFFICERS.

We know that much has been written upon the Administration. We are aware that not all men care to read such writings. But remember that such pieces are intended for those only who desire to know the facts about the work of a Democratic Ad. ministration, and who wish to hear the opinions of others about it and who are willing to know how our

Our contempories have nearly all come over to what is called Mr The commissioners and Justices Cleveland's motto, "Make haste slow-Va., has been appointed, at his own elected R. H. Brown, of Weldon, Dr. ly," Well really that sounds like it is perfectly safe and the only sure plan to do the grand work which he is expected to do. It is safe. It is sure. But is it the best policy? Is it the only safe and sure plan? When the way is plain and open, why not proceed with as much rapidity as possible. If there were no principles to be carried out, if there were no rascals to be turned out, if there was no outlined course for the Administration to pursue, if there existed only a political chaos, if the Administration had now to determine upon its principles and its course, and if the Administration were expected to revolutionize the Government, then truly would that be a most excellent motto. But as it is with no huge obstacles in its path, why not follow and adopt the motto minus the ad-

verb-"Make haste?" We are willing to wait as we have often before said a reasonable time, It has long been conceded by all we have censured the Administrafair minded persons that a good lo- tion before but it was not because of cal paper is worth more to its com- its slowness, but for its declarations munity than a big paper like the and acts which were too favorable to

We know that all people and every scribe also to the great national state cannot be the first served. We paper. The great paper from the know that those States which have city may hold right views upon nas elections next fall should be the ional questions, it may be alive to first to have the attention of the the interest of the country as a whole, President and his Cabinet. But it may be a paper whose sole object when the term of a Rupublican ofis to advance the material interest of ficer is out, why cannot a Democrat the country but then it cannot every- be put in his place, without having time hold opinions which can be to request the Republican to hold on held by the community that has its a few weeks longer? When a partilocal paper. it cannot be alive to the san, a rash, powerful, and ambitious

tutions of learning will some day paper. That is so, though they may can party in this State for the last ment, for after all it is public opinion several years. He is by far the which too often regulates the admin-

flowing. And the young man speaks | ing a better paper hereafter. This | Young has had his bond renewed. He are in this land. Yet the destruction | tics are not yours Messrs. Cleveland for the safety and good order of so-

Papacy and our Government.

Some of the Northern States nota bly New York, are being considerably worked up over the strides Remanism is taking towards co..trolling State governments and State funds for public institutions. The peopl of this country will, possibly, not see this matter in its true light until i is too late. The Romish church owes allegiance nowhere except to the Pope This spiritual potentate can absolve and render invalid any oath of alle giance to any government taken by any of his subjects. The very fact that this is a country of free religious thought and where Church and State are separate, is where the danger lies. There is no liberty of thought or action under papal rule. Church and State will not be kept separate under papal influence. This same Rome that set up the rack and lighted the fires of Inquisition, now seeks to control the affairs of this government. It remains for the people who came to this country to enjoy re ligious liberty, now to say how this shall be .- Mooresville Monitor.

LET THE REVENUE STAY.

President Cleveland, says an exchange, is opposed to the repeal of by 200 feet. Fifteen tenant houses, the Internal Revenue. Sensible two rooms each, brick chimney is statesmen in every corner of this middle, situated near depot and or great country entertain similar views. The Southerner is happy to be in acrun the government machinery, to keep down the interest on the public lebt, etc.

to heaven as has not been heard since the geese cackled war in Rome.

pose of raising revenue is what is er boiler in the South, made by Talknown as the "tariff."

It has been the policy of this and many other civilized countries to tax same lot. All located in the heart sumption of the poorer classes of our

comprehended under the head of Also one lot adjuining the corporaluxuries-then let them hear the bur- tion containing 21 acres, lying on

necessity make the cost of those ar- and the road from Ars Johnson's by ticles exceedingly onerous to the con- L. L. Kitchin's tatawn. This lot is sumer, And the consumer means the poor people. So often in these nine acres on the rail road, just back columns have examples been placed of the new Episcopal church, this lot before our readers that it is useless also is partly in the corporate limits to reiterate here. Just now, too, the of the town. I also offer for sale the discussion of the question can effect

President and his cabinet have their hands full "turning the rascals out." The motto of the Southerner is; A Tariff for Revenue only and let Inter-

CRIME AND ITS CAUSE.

Shields land, lying on the rail road from Halifax to Scotland Neck, sev-The murder epidemic does not interest of that particular town and radical partisan when what is known abate in the land. The Register acres. None of this land is under section as a local paper which tries in our State as a big "red legged might be filled with one day's record fence. I will also sell the place to understand the interest of these grasshopper," is discovered by the of crimes as made in any one of the can, and while it may advance the Administration, why, we ask can great morning papers of New York. country and in a small part the towns, not he be removed and in his stead a Our brethren of the law-abiding North place to live at—water excellent, yet it cannot give its attention to these Democrat placed? Why lengthen keep on killing one another with pis- building now in course of constructowns and therely showing their his time? The Administration tols or with poison, and it may not be tion, located on the most elevated merits, and industries and peculiar could well afford to stop all other denied that even in the South human advantages, be of such profit to these business long enough to remove the life is held too cheap. The country communities as their local papers. stongest partisan in each State. But perhaps is not old enough to have A good, live, ready and bold paper you say, perhaps the right Democrat learned its value, and the ingenious always reflects credit upon its town. hasn't been found. Well, suppose he inventions of modern days have made moral and religious tone of the peo-Petple who do not know the town hasn't, we had rather have the wrong the habit of killing acquired in setand its people, its business firms, Democrat than to have the radical. tling the land of convenient contin-

Where there is so much killing spices. At every Commencement not been able to give our undivided of a most bitter partisan, and as a Until the public opinion is corrected than prophetic vision tell of her near performed at night and on Saturday, fer a favor upon the N. C. Democrats lantic have like passions with us, and future, when milk and honey, and of course we mean mental work. We he should as quickly as possible have they are afflicted with quite as much true patriotism shall abound to overs think now that we are safe in promis- Isaac Young removed. But Ike poverty, ignorance and discontent as above Main,

life, and public opinion there sustains the administration of the law when life has been taken. In this country late years become national, and the sooner that public opinion can be brought to reprobate the practice as ruffianly and barbarious, and to punish it as a crime, the better it will be ciety, and for American civilization So too, the immunity granted murderers from one end of the land to the other is primarily the cause of twothirds of the crime which blots our annals. There is a disposition everywhere among men of strong and ungovernable passions to 'take the DRY chances." There is a feeling everywhere that it is only about once in ten times that a conviction is wrought AND in the courts, and so long as this is ing to ran serious risks.

tion of its people into the feeling that the law must be respected, and respected because it is law. It must be so in great things and in small .-Raleigh Register.

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so one tract of land known as the

en miles from Scotland Neck, containing five hundred and thirty two known as Gall Rerry near town. This is one of the finest cotton farms in spot in this section. All who desire to purchase any of the above property will please call on me. This is the most pleasant town to live in in the East-healthy and water good. The ple is equal to any in the State and far superior to many. One splendid If you would be assured of the pros- and its indrustries, can pick up the Wonder if Garland knows of Solici- uance in the land now filled with peo- school and one or two other excellent schools in the town, also four

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