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per ivil Service Reform Et .. We prefer a Democrat to a Re publican of equal character. 19 No honest and true Republican asks to be retained, and none other should Le retained. In the South a sweep with a clean broom is demanded by all Demo-

From Thru the rascals out."

Senator Ransom with others have secured for another six months the

cao tof this state in the oyster survey for some time.

means of quite a saving to the State already. He asked Senator nansom to have it contraced and vey will be continued.

We see no reason why the Demo cratic party should be at all discouraged. We have more than once suffered defeat and have rallied and have come out victorious, and we can do so again. Let every true Democrat still stand to his post, in season and out of season, and when the tocsin is sounded in 1892, our forces will drive back the invaders and our standards shall again be planted upon the walls, and our bulwarks shall again be made stronger rights. than ever, and the white man's party shall rule as of yore.

This is not visionary, but is the simple unvarnisced truth as we be lieve it and as we expect to speak it for the coming four years.

county to the next General Assem- rades.' bly have been notified that their seats will be contested.

We pronounce such proceedings tight for another man's seat and then Essay. misses his mark a second time, he ought to bear his own expenses, and he is entitled to no pay whatever. It's the money these contestants

ple, sant call Tuesday evening From the tenor of some of his remarks we U. S. Senate, on the ground that commendable in the highest degree, 10 18 2m. serving the State more effectively than a new Senator could do .-Leaksville Guzette.

in almost every part of the State, of 25 cents from the publishers, people of North Carolina and the N. C. South need. We do not say that no other man is worthy of the place or is capable-far from it-but we do say that Ransom is the man of all for his own successor at this particular time and at this particular crisis in our national intere-ts. Ransom, too, can not be improved upon as a Senator from North Carolina.

Senator Bansom. Car, of the News and Observer,

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DOCKERY THEY AND DOCK. interests as a people. ERY NOW.

[Communicated.] We see no difference in Dockery, thing of the kind we can not make Cheatham, Devereaux & Co now very rapid improvements; but we at the Court-house door in Halifax on the since the election than before the know, too, that when nobody blows first MONDAY(4th day) of MARCH.1889 election. The newspapers said be- but the editor, and nobody follows fore the election they were a very advice his pen and paper are used said book and known as the Allen place unworthy set and yery unfit to re- to poor purpose. This may seem present North Carolina in the State plain language, but as a sentinel dred and fifty acres more or less. or nation. 'Ve thought they were true and faithful to the interests we | For fuller description reference is made telling the truth, in fact we knew have undertaken to guard, we feel to. they were. Now some of our papers it our duty to say as much. We do | Ierms of Sale-One third cash the balance in six and twelve months with say Chestham is a good man and not mean to stop, however; we mean interest from date of sale. Title to land will make a good representative, to buckle on the armor for 1889 held until all of purchase money is paid. Some say Dockery is a good man still tigher than ever. Will all join and will make a good federal official, us? What say you?

THE DEMOCRAT. If they are good now and will make E. E. HILLIARD - - - - Fditor. the same before November the 6th Fowle is governor, Harrison is last. Newspapers ought to be con- President and Tom Emry is Senator THI KSDAY DECE | BER 20, 88 | sistent. These men are unfit now, | elect from Halifax county. EN ERED AT THE POST-OFFICE represent the State of North Caro corn, your smoke-house full of mest.

PICKETT OR PETTIGREW?

By Capt. w. R. Bond.

We have read with great interest

Capt. W. R. Bond's Historical Essay on the battle of Gettysburg. We are proud that one North Carolinian continuation of the schooner has fearlessly claimed for and gen-"Scoresby" of the U. S. Survey, erously bestowed upon, his gallant which has been employed on the companions in arms their proper meed of praise fer their heroic fight Mr. T. K. Ernner, Secretary of ng on the bloody field of Gettysthe Board of Agriculture says tha burg . We are proud, too, that Hals the we k of the survey has been the lifax county is the home of that gallant son of the South whose knowl edge of the great battle, so much on Dec. 12. Se ator nansom tele neard of from the hustings and the graphed Mr. braner that the sur- ball, can be none other than absolute ly correct. We are highly gratified that the truth for North Carolina's If not then Harrison's election will living and her dead has at last been given to us all and that it is meeting supply of milk and butter. Are you with such great favor generally. Tae press of the State has unanimously pronounced Capt, Bond's Essay well worthy a place in every hall and library of the land, as an educator for the rising generations, putting before them the truth as to the part played by their sires and kindred in the great struggle for constitutional Have you made up your mind to

A short but interesting sketch of General Pettigrew's life is given, closer to your business and stay at weight in Gold. Tested by thousands, and the Essay is dedicated "To the memory of the brave men of Hill's Corps, who were killed while fight ing under the orders of General Longstreet, on the afternoon of July We learn that Major Emry and 3rd, 1863; whose fame has been Messrs. Anthony and Taylor the clouded by the presistent misrepre- A FRESH CARGO gentlemen efected from Halifax sentations of certain of their com-

Their fame is boldly defended by Capt. Bond, and Virginians and 1600 bbls Rosindale Cement on consign-Well, we had thought to let Jim others, to whom many things have Godwin, Jim Pittman (col) and been attributed that ought long ago 300 TONS NOVA SCOTIA LAND PLASTER. "Columbus" rest; but #e shall to have been claimed for North Car-"speak out in school" again if they ofinians, are stripped of their false do not keep quiet. We believe the glory, and it is in "Pickett or Pettied regular fees to contestants equal with the members who were serving. So is. There is no longer any cloud testing over the true fame of "the a swind e up on the State. If a man brave men of Hill's Corps" to those is fool--hardy erough to make a who read and study Capt. Bond's

> To make extracts of all the striks ing passages would be to reproduce

We commend it to the South generally, to North Carolina particular-Senator-lee Moore gave us a 17 and to the people of Halifax county most especially. The Essay were gratified to learn that he favors '1. worthy of the theme, the spirit the return of Gen. Ransom to the "lat prompeted its production is with his experience he is capable of , ad the reading public are highly I vored in its publication. The style is clear, it is a typographical beauty. This is what is constantly being said and can be had at the modest price

Unity! Unity!! Unity!!!

We sometimes wonder at the res markable growth to which a town tain their heart's longing. If poor in purse seek to is too late; for I shall then proceed balance on easy terms. attains in a very short time. We gain wealth by industrious and frugal habits. If need not wonder at all. Where towns and cities spring up and attain unto such proportions so soon Blood Balm for curing the ills of flesh and blood. I hope all will come forward and clover and grass. The wood land there is only one reasonable explasnation, and that is the people have pulled together. They have had unanimous cooperation in all their

M. W. Ranson. He is eminently tengthen its cords and strengthen it strength. qualified for the position by his su- stakes while there is literally an in- Hudson Clark, Camden, Ark., says: "I was afperior mind and agreeable disposi- ternal commotion among its citi- BAD BLOOD disposition about 12 tion, and when you add to these zens. No one, two, three nor a doz- years, and suffered extreme misery during all that qualities his experience, I think it is en men may hope to do a thing for clear that he should be returned. No the public good until they get the CATARRH my breathing through my nose. one was is at all posted will quest public interested in that particular if it had been charred or scalded. My back was so

men in the Senate. Do we not want writer assumed control of this pas any man in Arkansas." just such a man, and especially at per. We have written and written this critical period in our national and written; and it has been the County, Ga. writes: I was afflicted with chronic history? Would any new man do cherished hope of our year's labors half the service "Ransom" can? Let to see some material improvement, to see some material improvement, then tried B. B. B., and eight bottles cured me the legislature return him and thus but we must candidly say we have sound and well." endorse a faithful servant, and at not seen it. There is a lack of unity the same time do themselves and the and a want of energy among our people areat honor. Ransom is the citizens which, if fostered a little 21 9 2 3 5 3 longer, will prove destructive to our

> We know a newspaper editor is expected to boom his town and all book No 41 pages 31-32 and 33 in the that; we know that without someto Book 41 pages 31-2-3 above referred

AFARMER'S CHAT.

ever have been and ever will be to Now, if your corner bis full of lina. Newspapers ought to tell the your barn loft full of may and your are subject to Sick Headliche; those fieshwand phicematic have Constipation. truth after the election as well as stables are full of manure you are all right, and Harrison's election will not be felt. But it these conditions are unfulfilled Harrison's administrations will give you fits,

Have you sown one-third of all your open lands in wheat and oats, and have you black peas enough on hand to sow the same next June? It you have not then you will think Harrison's election a very unfortunate thing for the country.

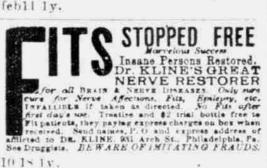
Do you intend to reduce the acreage of your cotton crop one-half and plant more corn, peas, potatoes and grass, and raise more hogs, cattle, sheep, ducks, chickens and turkeys? If not then you will think Harrison's election a curse to the country.

Is your rye patch or field up green and growing ready to feed your milch cow or cows this winter? in your estimation cut short your making compost every spare hour II and hauling litter in the stables and III A barn yard and saving the droppingfrom all your stock and fowls ready for next crop? If not you will grumble at the Harrison administra- body from the damp, cold earth. They tion and charge it with all your misstores? If not, then sit down and have worn them. curse the narrison administration | Price \$1.00 per pair, postpaid. Send for the next four years and mourn and lament the defeat of Cleveland. Every delicate lady should wear a pair.

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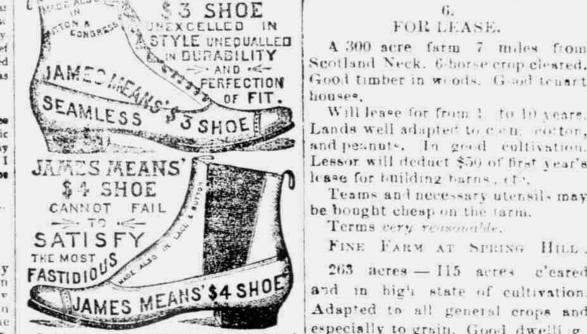
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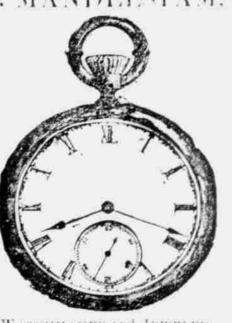
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