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THE DEMOCRAT FOR '92.

Our readers learned through las week's issue that the price of THE DEMOCRAT has been reduced to one Dollar a year. We are gratified learn from our neighbors and those of our readers at a distance from whom we have heard that this effor to put the paper within reach of al

is appreciated. In addition to the reduction our subscription price we shall deavor to make the paper more in teresting during the present year than it ever has been before. We shall print as much original matter prepared especially for this paper as we can.

Our cash-in-advance system i heartily commended by our readers and we look forward with anticipas tions of a more pleasant and more prosperous year's work than we have ever had. On the principle of the doctrine that we preach-that what works to the interest of one works to the interest of all and vice versa-we believe that our cheap rates in working to the interest of our readers will work to our own also.

THE COUNTY PRINTING.

The county commissioners every year cause to be printed in some if we mistake rot.

THE DEMOCRAT at Scotland Neck, men are criminals. the democratic party.

This we thought was a very fair criticism by the public. and wise administration of affairs by the county commissioners.

the commissioners gave the printing to December 1887 to the Roa- In conversation with a farmer from of cotton seed meal to feed my cows hole News. In December 1888 they another community a few days ago, on . I took two table spoonfuls gave the printing to THE DEMOCRAT. he said to us that he was greatly and washed it thoroughly, rubbing and we were obliged to them for a disappointed in the meeting recently well and working all I could through continuation of their custom as it held here by many farmers and oths a meal sieve. I found that between had been before we purchased the ers, because they did not formu- one fourth and one half the meal paper. In December 1889 the com- late some plan by which the country was ground cotten seed bulls. missioners gave the printing to the would be relieved of its oppression. I will not tell what oil mill this son, has returned to her home after the Chilians to wriggle out of mak-Rounoke News according to their He seemed to think that the meet- bag of seed meal come from, because a visit here to Misses Annie and ing an apology to the United States usur custom, and it was all right. ing was a failure, because no resolu- I may be mistaken as to the exact Pattie Dunn. In December 1890, according to their tions were formally passed. We amount of bulls and it may be posusual custom o atternating the pat interrogated him and found that a sible that some bulls of necessity rounge between the two county ps- great deal of the trouble with him remain with the meal; and I may pers, neither of which had changed was about the Western farmer. We have taken some caked particles its polities, the printing would have learned this by telling him that all of the meal for bulls. come to this paper; but for some the meetings and resolutions and I am told that a great traud is, cause the commissioners saw proper legislations and everything else the or has been, practiced in the sale of to vary their custom considerably, farmers can do will not better their cotten seed meal by the anixture of and so they gave the printing to the condition until they raise their own ground bulls with it. Rouncke News two years in succes- meat and bread of every possible I make no charges myself, but the visiting the family of Mr. J. P. poses allowing Mexican troops to W. N. Steptoe and others, and by Man sion. The two papers still held to description at home. To this he re- meal I am now feeding has other Futrell. their principles of democracy and plied. "What is to become of the substances in it besides pure cotton worked to harness side by side, so Western farmers, who raise so much seed meal and this mat er ought to far as we knew, for the interest of grain, if we raise ours here?" We be looked into. If the mills are mix Mrs. N. B. Josey, left Tuesday week by the Senate Committee on is of record in Rook, 70A, on page 571 the county and the general welfare replied to him that the best thing for ing seed hulls with the meal, they of the people. According to the cus- us to do is to look out for our own ought to be detected and exposed. tom established by the commission- interest by having something at We have been cheated and defrauders before we purchased THE DEMO- come upon which to subsist. CHAT, the printing would have turn- And this is the true solution for the in all departments of business. ed to this paper for two years in suc- South. Roise home supplies and cession, inasmuch it had been given then a very small surplus will do. to the Rounoke News two years in We have preached this for four years succession; but in December and we think our readers are begin-1891, the county commissioners va- ning to see that we are right. ried their custom still more than the tear before and gave the county printing to the Romoke News for the third year in succession. And still to the papers have been working dili able to cure in all its stages and that is vest gently for the interest of the county and the welfare of its people and the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a conthe unit democracy. Waile, so far stitutional disease requires a constitutionas the bannetal favor is concerned, al treatment, Hall's Catarrh Cure is this matter only interests the two taken internally, acting directly upon the dealt with is the Switt Specific Company. lard visited Scotiard Neck last week ed for several years with an unsightly pule's, there are a great many vo- blood and mucous surfaces of the system, disease, and giving the patient strength personal knowledge has cured many by building up the constitution and as blood diseases. Our druggists inform us nor the editors of the Romoke News, sisting nature in doing its work. The that in the past six months they have changes in their custom of patren z

try this medicine.

THE PENITENTIARY FARMS.

The authorities of the State penitentiary have been operating a large farm on the Rosnoke river near Well don for two years. There have been various opinions expressed as to the success of the work. Some have thought that they have done well for State while others have thought oth erwise. They have also recently leased a large farm from Mess, J. P. and J. H. Futrell and Dr. J. R. Pope

near Tillery There has been some dissatisfac tion expressed by persons directly interested, about the renting of these farms. In the towns near these farms the business men say that the centing of the farms to the etate has cut off a great deal of trade, mas much as the penitentiary farms parchase their own supplies at whole sale prices and keep their own com missaries. Some farmers near these leased farms have also expressed dis satisfaction. They say that later generally has been greatly demoralized by the State's convicts being put in what they consider competition with the laborers on these farms.

As to those things we have nothing to say. The land-owners have a perfect right to lease their lands to whomsoever they please, and the State, as long as it has more convicts than can be kept at profitable employment inside the penitentiary, has a perfect right to put them where their labor can be utilized for the best interest of the State.

We say nothing about these things; but we have something to say about two other features of the matter.

It has been currently reported by your hands and your stock, and to persons who have visited these farms newspaper the annual statement of that the convicts are not treated as the county expenditures. They well as they should be. They are spare. compensate the paper that publishes put in mud and water nearly knee such statement- according to statute deep and kept their canalling and not more than one half cent a word, diching, regardless of the cold weather, without any protection but coms cluding horses and cattle, in case ces, we may assume, will be paid in tion by his party colleagues than soon returned I now feel like a new man In Halifax county, there have mon shoes. We do not think that the corn crop should be cut short or gold. We may thus have a proba was Secretor David B. Hill, of New really, as it I had been made over again been published for at least nine such treatment is right, and the beyears two democratic newspapers, lieve that a fair-minded public will the Roano've News at Weldon and condemn it, notwithstanding the

(THE DEMOCRAT was published two Then we do not think it right for the or three years under the name "Com- State to turn loose the convicts upon monwealth,") In December 1887 the community when their term of the present editor bought the Scot- imprisonment expires. Every comland Neck Democrat and was told munity has vagabonds enough of its by the vendor, Hoa. W. H. Kitchie, own without the scum of the state pris that the paper received the patron on being turned loose upon them. The are of the courty printing every oth | State ought to send every convict. er year. The custom of the county when his term expires, back to the commissioners wer to divide the put- county where he was convicted. ronage of the county between the We believe, Raleigh the capital bity two papers to the county by alter of the State, suffers in consequence na'e'v giving it to one one year and to of the ex-convicts that are, as a mat the other the next. This they did, ter of course, more plentiful there As we understand it, in recognition than in other sections. Let there of the services of the two papers for be no injustice done to the convicts the welfare of the people of the and let them be sent back home county generally, and the interest of when their terms expire, and there will be room for less complaint and come are no better than here, they

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SHALL WE HAVE IT?

. I would not enter on my list of frien it. Though graced with polished manners and fine sense, Yet wanting sensibility, the man

Who needlessly sets foot upon a worm.

- Cotoper THE DEMOCRAT'S suggestions about the organization of a society for the prevention of cinelty to animals, have been favorably received A number of gentlemen have sail to us that they like the idea and heartily indorse our criticisms of the inhuman practices of overloading, over friving, beating and perishing

We repeat what we have said. substance, time and again, that is a burning shame upon the civilization of this age and this country to allow horses and other stock to be so shamefully treated as they sometimes are on our roads and even in our streets. The laws of the land, which are based upon the teachings of Christianity, have wisely provided for the punishment! of him who, more brutal than the beast he drives, imposes burdens or practices crucities upon the poor dumb animals that serve so faithfully and uncomplainingly.

How about our society, gentlemen? Shall we have it? This is a bard winter and man and beast need all the protection they can get. Speak

Chunks of Sense.

A correspondent to THE DEMO-RAT signing himself K. W. says:

Prepare and plant first corn and oats enough to feed your family and raise and fatten meat enough to serve the family and leave some to

Then be sure to plant Irish and sweet potatoes enough to supply of interest in Europe and their your family and all your stock, in-

ily both winter and summer and pace will doubtless make after all a national convention. raise all the chickens and sell all satisfactory showing at the end of Representative Bloant, of Georgie.

this plan will be blessed with plenty that presumption. and to spare. But any man who plants his face of the earth in cotton will live hard; die poor and if his chances for happines in the life to are very slim indeed.

A SIGN OF FRAUD.

Mr. Editor:-1 bought a bag

ed about enough. It ought to cease

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ABOUT THE COTTON STATES.

The Baltimore Sun of Jan. 5th published an inferview with Ex-Mayor James Hodges of that city and sen o member of the importing firm of Hoiges Brothers. About trade in ne cotton belt be said !

'The present condition of the case with reference to the ensuing apting trade to the cotton belt is something like this: The cotton supply i sight exceeds the demand, and there can le little advance in price as long s that condition of things continues or antil consumption datches up with production. Until then there can be no material revival of business in the cotton-producing States; and as the prices of cutton are not likely to dvance in the early weeks of the ew year, it would be wise for our nerchants to form a commercial olicy for the cotton belt based or moderate enterprise and results.

"The business situation in the South, bowever, has an external encouraging feature. I slinde to the general soundance of money and the increasing tendency toward lower interest rates. This favorable finan cial condition must stimulate business and enhance prices, and the prices of cotton must to some extent sympathics with the general agrance Indeed, it may be said that the volume of money was never surpassed, and it is increasing at a rapid that Mr. Crisp will be strong enough rate. There is an augmentation of to preside over the House during the currency of \$60,000,000 every this week, yet he is already well year, caused by the issue of silver enough to confer with his colleagues, certificate to cover the government's and the prediction is made that all monthly purchase of silver bullion, cause of complaint will shortly dis- to no purpose, and and the balance of trade with foreign sppear and that the democratic manations is so largely in our favor prity will get down to work with

"Owing to the existing low rates

PERSONALS

Mr. Thos. Viason of Brinkley ville was in town last week.

Mr. T. J. Latnam has moved to

Miss Cora Butts of Hallfax has! The decoaration of the State aresiacen visiting her brother who lives dents of the Farmers' Alliance, who near Lawrence.

Misa Bettle Titlery who spent the holidays with her sisters here has returned to her home near Tillery.

Miss Sue Cotten came home ves terday after four months' stay with ber sister Mrs. Vincent, in Ports-

young milliner who has been so well said to be backed by Boss Shepherd that land in the Greenwood part of said known here for two years, is lend- of Washington notoriety, and other land Neck where Mr. Lathon in ing her charms to the town. She is Americans. Mr. Blaine alone op- Kitchin, J. Y. Saenge, B. L. All.

Miss Julia Brewer, of Murfrees. boro, who has been visiting her aunt, contested cases will be decided this Owens and wife to W. A. Itann, who morning. Her friends enjoyed her Elections. It is practically settled the amount of which will be made Known stav here very much.

Mr. W. A. Dunn is at Clinton this week again working on the books of the bank. He says the matter is National Association of Democratic

Mr. W. W. Jones who has been If one may judge from the number The farmer who desires to read living in Palmyra, will travel for the of bills introduced in Congress on a strictly agricultural journal that knithing mills. He has moved to the subject, the idea of electing the Scotland Neck and will board with President and Vice President and U. Mr. J. H. Futrell. He left Monday S. Senators by direct vote of the one dreaded disease that science has been at Atlanta, Ga., at one Dollar a morning, and Mrs. Jones has gone people, is growing in popularity. on a visit to Aurelian Springs.

> Rev. W. S. Ballard of Southport, N. C., will take charge of the work ties of the popular remedy for eraptions left by Rev. L. M. Curtis. Mr. Bal- of the skin, known as P. P. P. I sufferand will move to the field in a few and disagreeable cruption on my face.

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Cor of THE DEMOGRAT WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. 11, '92 It is a matter for congratulation hat S eaker Crisp is rapidly recovering: His continued illness is coming very em arrassing to hove who are canable of direction the policy of the party, about assurng a function that belongs properly to the Speaker: consequently then has been some confusion, which thoughtless people have laken for dissention, and republican newspa at this idea, and some democrati

fortunately few in number, have a

owell themselves to fall into the e

or of believing such statements

It is probable tout had not Mr. Crisp been stricken down, a demeratic caucus would have been beld before this, at which the general policy to be pursued by the majority of he House during the session would assume the leadership of the House on the floor, but it has not been thought advisable to hold this cancus in the absence of Speaker Crisp. While it is not probable that nearly \$100 000 000 in gold or unanimity to earry out the policy securities will be required to adjust upon wich it was elected -tariff re-

No man who ever entered the Senprobable continance the trade balan- ate was given a more cordial recep-Next, if you have any spare mans | 000,000 by the end of the year . In body ever better rece'd the deference I can get P. P. P. ure, land, borse-power and labor, short, the outlook for the general "bich is accorded him by all of the plant the balance of your ground business of the country is excellent. Senaitirs. His intimacy with Senaone half in pease and the other half The cotton belt is the only section for Gorman has given that gentles fact who well anybody to him for a werification of these that will not enjoy from the first an man an unquestionable boom for the Then be sure to sow all your oat invigorating gale of prosperity. The Presidential nomination. This is land in black or cow pease, not less volume of trade in the aggregate doubtless largely due to the feeling than two bushels to the acre. Of will be immense, and, although the that any candidate supported by course you will plant cabbage and cotton-raising States may start off Senators Hill and Gorman would be other vegetables to supply the fam. in the race a little sluggishly, their difficult to defeat in a democratic

the year. At any rater my house is charman of the Committee on For last will and Testament Any man who will be active, cares wi! ing to extend credit this senten eige Affeirs, think the House made ful, saving and honest and follow to merchants in the cotton belt on a mistake in defending the joint rese- claims member the estate of said the lation authorizing the Socretary of the while them notes under its sians, and that it was done through a misapprehension and the lank of 1-14 m. acoperinformation. He has moved a reconsideration of the vote, and exreats that the resolution will be passed when it again com s up.

have been holding a conference here, or helion the four day of January 15 against committing the Alliance to the third party movement, has exer- 1-ne.

ted much comment here, Mr. Braine is again having a rocky Miss Mattie Stallings of Hender- time of it, between the attempt of and of the Harrison crowd to make his health a national bugaboo. H is also having trouble with Mr. Harrison and the Cabinet over the que . to, in Bona 75A. tion of granting the Mexican government the right to send troops into auction, in the town of Send

cross the border. The Idaho and Fintida Senatorial This sale will be subject to a print that the committee will report in fa- on day of sale vor of Call and Dubois, who already occupy the seats.

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