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White and Black Democracy. It has ever been thought by the Democracy a proof of genius for the intricacies of politics and the art of self-government when those engaged in politics have shown skill in making money out of the business of caring for the public interests.

The Democracy of New York, who have rejoiced in the vindication of the dignity of the people which was afforded by the spectacle of a New York coupman smoking 30-cent corporation cigars, see it in quite a different light when a colored legislator smokes a 50-cent cigar under the head of contingent expenses, and exudes his saliva into a gilt-edged and crimson tipped porcelain spittoon.

The only point of difference between the Republicans and Democrats of California appears to be Grant, President Grant, we mean, not land grants, for both conventions have declared against railroad subsidies, and the immigration of the "Heathen Chinese."

The World says: "Considerable interest has been awakened in certain circles by the guarded exhibition of a number of dresses sent to this country in advance of the woman orchestra, and which are to be worn by the performers. Experts in these matters express the liveliest admiration and astonishment at the costumes, which are said to surpass in expensive elegance anything of the kind ever seen upon the stage."

White voters must remember that the convention question is not a party one. As the Raleigh Telegram well remarks—"it is merely a politicians' fight, and the people have no interest in the matter. No fair minded man will presume to say that all the existing evils in our present Constitution but can be settled by legislative enactment."

Thus did conservative State Senator Love declare for "No Convention."

Factories South.

A letter written from Augusta, Georgia, gives some account of the manufacturing interests of that industrial centre, constituting the source of much present prosperity and the foundation of more future development.

THE AUGUSTA COTTON FACTORY. This is probably the greatest manufacturing enterprise in the South. The mills are very large structures, and would be so considered in any New England manufacturing town. They were first established many years ago, but under inefficient management lost ground in importance, until finally about eleven years ago, the joint stock company now owning them bought them.

Since this letter was written, a dividend of five per cent. has been declared. The dividend for the past year has been twenty five per cent. The laborers are all white, and principally natives of Augusta. Wages are about the same here as in Massachusetts, probably a little less.

I think these facts show that cotton may be successfully manufactured in the South. During the discussion on the last tariff bill in the House of Representatives I remember a speech of Hon. C. W. Buckley, of Alabama, wherein he brought out all the points connected with the enterprise of introducing cotton manufactures in Alabama.

When the Telegram asserted that the late legislative assembly could have arranged the State debt satisfactorily to the people and their creditors, it declared that the convention movement, besides an effort for office, and a struggle for political power, was a movement looking to forced compromise, in effect, repudiation.

When the creditors of the State of North Carolina are ready, willing and anxious to compromise on less than the State is actually able to pay, the advocacy of any policy of repudiation has the appearance of dishonesty.

THE Raleigh Telegram endorses our position and asks the candidates to come together. The candidates who are opposed to convention should not fail to challenge the convention candidates to a free, full and fair discussion of the convention question.

Hon. Cassius M. CLAY has been heard from. He turned up at Lexington, Kentucky, on the Fourth, where he addressed the assembled multitudes. Mr. Clay has lost none of his progressiveness. He was always far ahead of most people, and in coming out so strongly for Hon. Horace Greeley, for the next President he shows himself to be far in advance of the great bulk of the people of the United States.

[From the Belevue (Ohio) Gazette.]

Mormonism--The Sufferings of a Wife--Her Husband is Murdered--She Marries a Mormon and Brings Trouble on Herself by so Doing.

Below we publish a letter from Mormonism, written by Mrs. Lucy A. Wardle to her brother, Mr. N. Foster of this village. About twenty four years ago Mrs. Wardle started with her husband to emigrate to California. Their route lay through Salt Lake City, at which point they stopped a few days to procure supplies and give rest to their jaded animals.

DEAR BROTHER--I am well, and hope this will find you the same. I am blessed with good health and that is all. My troubles have no end, but keep coming, one after another, until my cup of bitterness is running over. The time has come when I must leave my country and my home. I cannot stand it any longer. I must become a wanderer in a strange land, unless you send me some more money to help me to leave this woman's hell.

There is one thing more in this beautiful programme. I once had a man that loved me, but these bloodthirsty demons murdered him, and then took everything I had away from me; and this brute in human form got a good deal of it, by being sealed to me for a time and assuming the responsibility of taking care of me. I have had quite a number of rivals, and have managed to put up with all until the last one came, and now torments me.

Mr. Speaker Jarvis seeks vindication against the charge that he is a Klux. If anything the Telegram may say can vindicate him, he is henceforth free from that wicked imputation. For the Chief-Editor of the Telegram here declares, as of his own knowledge, that Mr. Jarvis has no connection or sympathy, whatever, with any secret political society, that either now, or has hitherto existed in North Carolina; and is convinced that the opponents of Mr. Jarvis, on the Convention question, are feebly serving the cause they have espoused, by indulging in charges that are as unfounded as they are mischievous and malicious.

Except that he declares there is an absolute necessity for a Convention, at this time, there is not a line, or a word throughout the extract we have made, but the last sentence, that we do not fully and freely endorse. We have written these words, and proclaimed these sentiments of his, time and again in the Telegram, and we reiterate and repeat them here now.

So they have organized a campaign, which is but a political crusade against the party in possession of two of the three branches of the State government, and in utter disregard of the interests, political or material of the people, in open defiance of law, and contrary to establish Democratic precedent, in violation of the plainest provisions of the old as well as the new Constitution of the State, and in manner and form contrary to every principle of Democratic government, the politicians of the Conservative party, in secret conference in this city last winter, determined upon this resolution through the ballot box, and they have commanded the people to send up their agents, who as delegates to Convention, are to place themselves and friends in office.

This then is the real issue. It is a fight among the politicians of both parties, and the only interest the people have in the matter is to defeat these revolutionary aspirants of the Convention party now, and take steps to hereafter, remove those unworthy office holders of the other party by due process of law, and "the lawful and peaceful means of the ballot box."

A CORRESPONDENT of a Southern paper writes this about General Logan, from New York.

Among the young fellows ambitious of presidential honors is General Logan. You know he expects to run, for we spent a few days since at the Fifth Avenue, and when we asked him who was his candidate he couldn't think of anybody. He was in a complete quandary.

"How about Grant, General?" we asked. "Gee, Grant--why Grant has had one term in the White House, and I'm inclined to think as Mr. Greeley does."

THE Washington Republican thus refers to Mr. Jefferson Davis: Mr. Jefferson Davis, who was invited some week ago to lecture before a society in Mobile on any subject that he saw fit, has written a letter of declination, for the reason that he might utter some expression which would be used to the injury of his Southern friends.

There is much severe comment at Washington upon the published insinuation that Secretary Boutwell was concerned in the alleged effort to sell bonds privately out of Treasury. The Washington Chronicle makes the direct charge that it was done with the express purpose of attacking Governor Boutwell. It says: "the whole bogus statement, as published in the Republican is wanton, malignant, vicious and altogether outrageous attempt to malign the Secretary of the Treasury."

MOTTOES. Phillip Sidney said: "I am no herald to inquire of men's pedigrees; it is enough for me to know their virtues." The true gentleman is always modest. He is more ready to obtain the opinion of others than to parade his own. Carlyle says: "Make yourself a good man and then you may be sure that there is one rascal less in the world."

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A PROCLAMATION. By His Excellency, the Governor of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, GEORGE Z. FRENCH HAS tendered to me his resignation as a member of the House of Representatives from New Hanover county; and whereas, said resignation has been accepted;

Now, therefore, I, TOD R. CALDWELL, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do issue this, my Proclamation, in accordance with law, commanding the Sheriff of New Hanover county to open polls and hold an election in said county on Thursday, the 3rd day of August, 1871, to fill said vacancy; said election to be conducted in all respects in accordance with law.

DONE at our City of Raleigh this the 5th day of July, A. D., 1871, and in the year of American Independence, the ninety-fifth. TOD R. CALDWELL, GOVERNOR.

By the Governor: J. B. NEATHBY, Private Secretary.

Election Notice! BY VIRTUE OF AUTHORITY VESTED IN me, by an "Act entitled an Act to submit the question of Convention or no Convention to the People; and to provide for the Election of Delegates," I hereby call an Election as above recited to take place on the first Thursday in August, 1871, at the following places in this County:

- WILMINGTON. First Ward--At Engine House on Fourth St. Second Ward--City Hall. Third Ward--North East intersection of Fifth and Princess streets. Fourth Ward--Ann Street Engine House. Fifth Ward--North side of Castle, between Sixth and Seventh streets, (Mitchell's house). Federal Point Township, at Biddle's store. Masonboro Township, at Wagner's. Caswell Township, at Banerman's. Holly Township, at Banerman's. Grant Township, at Chadwick's store. Cape Fear Township, at Thos. William's, old place. Holden Township, at Rocky Point. Union Township, at South Washington. Franklin Township, at Oaks. Columbia Township, at Piney Woods. Lincoln Township, at Lillington. Caswell Township, at Point Caswell. Holly Township, at Banerman's. I further give notice that at the same time and places there will be held an election for the officers of the different Townships required by law. I further give notice that at the same time and places, by virtue of an order received this day from the Governor of the State, there will be an election for a member of the House of Representatives for this County, to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Geo. Z. French. J. W. SOHENEK, Jr., Sheriff New Hanover County.

BOYS' GAITERS.

JUST RECEIVED-- SEVERAL STYLES. DUDLEY & ELLIS, Sign of the Big Boot, 123-3m.

CLOSED. MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS WILL please take notice that on and after Monday the 5th inst., my store will be closed at "SUNDOWN" Except on Saturday.

FRESH ARRIVALS: JUST FROM THE PRESS OF T. B. PETERSON & BROTHERS: Hans Breilman in Europe, with other Ballads, by Charles G. Leland. Basil; or the Crossed Path, a story of Modern Life; by Wilkie Collins. Simon, a Love Story, by George Sand. Davenport Dunn, by Charles Lever. Arthur O'Leary, by Charles Lever. Slights at Foot, by Wilkie Collins. The Black Tail, by Alexander Dumas. The Countess of Monte Christo. For sale at HEINSBERGER'S Live Book Store, 119.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

EARLY CLOSING. CHAS. D. MYERS & CO. Dealers in Family Supplies, No. 7 North Front Street.

NOTICE. THE CITIZENS OF WILMINGTON AND the surrounding country are hereby informed that we are still in the Mason Business, doing Flouring, Stenciling, &c. in the most approved manner. Prompt attention given to communications from the country. Address HUGHES & BROTHER, P. O. Box 365, Wilmington, N. C.

CITY TAXES. THE CITY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1871, ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON MONDAY 19th INSTANT.

REAL ESTATE. I shall be prepared to receive the Taxes levied upon REAL ESTATE, as are made payable annually by Section 6 of City Tax Ordinance, for the year 1871.

WE HAVE AGAIN RECEIVED 5 TIERCES OF THOSE SPLENDID CAN- nessed Hams, which sell at reasonable prices at wholesale and retail. ALSO, 25 Boxes of McKean & Yonkagan Soap. 25 Boxes Taylor Soap.

OUR STOCK OF FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGAR, MOLASSES LARD RICE, etc., etc. is complete, and received fresh by every steamer.

FOR SALE. THAT DESIRABLE BUILDING LOT ON Third street, corner of Northrops Alley 66x100. Apply to J. M. WISE, 118-1m.

SILK HATS, SILK HATS, SILK HATS. JUST RECEIVED BY THOS. H. WRIGHT, No. 9 North Front street.

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