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SURPRISED THE GIRLS

ALL IS WELL THAT ENDS WELL. THEIR RECEPTION AT DAWSON AFTER A DISCOURAGING JOURNEY.

"Nothing queerer or quainter ever happened in Dawson City than the reception of the school ma'ams," said Mr. L. D. Carl, the klondike miner, who spent a day or two in New Orleans recently.

"You, see in the spring of '97 a lot of young women, mostly from West Oregon, banded together to go Dawson, attracted by the stories of high wages. They were nice girls, all of them, who had been earning their own living as clerks, stenographers, bookkeepers, seamstresses, school teachers and so on, and they had enough good American pluck to believe they could make their way in any temperature. As bad luck would have it, however, they got snow bound at Lake Bennett and were tied up here for over two months. That exhausted their money and enthusiasm and when they finally set out again for the Yukon they were as homesick and hopeless and generally dejected a crowd as ever you saw.

"Meanwhile the report reached Dawson that a party of twenty-five beautiful school ma'ams would arrive by the next boat and great excitement prevailed. There was no school there at the time, but it was instantly agreed that several would be put up if necessary to give the strangers occupations. What we need," said one of the speakers at a public meeting "is the society of real ladies to give tone to the town and we must keep 'em up here regardless of expense. This met general approval and arrangements were made for an elaborate reception and banquet the tough element being put on notice that the slightest disturbance might bring on a lynching.

"The boat arrived about dusk, and the poor, despondent girls were amazed at the appearance of a reception committee, who greeted them with profound bows and escorted them to a gorgeously decorated supper room with a brass band tooting in the background. They were informed by the spokesman that Dawson was honored by their presence, and while the town was temporarily short on schools that defect would be promptly remedied. In the interim they were to consider themselves guests of the municipality and quarters had been engaged for them at the best hotel. The situation gradually dawned on the dumfounded young women and their spirits soared skyward. They explained that only two of the party were really teachers, and next day all secured good positions. Most of them did exceedingly well, and the majority eventually got married. I know several who are the wives of Yukon millionaires."

A LETTER FROM RALEIGH

Giving the Political News from our Capital City.

Special from Raleigh to the Ledger. Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 21st 1900. State Chairman Simmons is sending out great number of copies of extracts from Senator Money's great speech on the Constitutional Amendment, which is a reply to Senator Pritchard. Mr. Simmons has had the printing done here.

Senator Money says the Amendment is not unconstitutional; that if the fifth section falls, the Fourth will fall with it; that the white people are justified in preserving their civilization. He declares negro suffrage a failure and cites the experiment of negro suffrage in Hayti, Jamaica and in Natal. Congressman Bellamy's sworn statement about conditions in Wilmington in 1897 and 1898 is also cited.

Pritchard's resolution is an attempt to intimidate. Why is the law not tested on a case from Louisiana? Money explains the small vote in certain Southern States, saying that in 1890 Massachusetts, with 665,000 voters, only polled 285,000 votes. Connecticut, with 244,000 voters, only polled 125,000 votes. Ten thousand North Carolina negroes moved to Mississippi the year after the passage of the Mississippi franchise Amendment.

Chairman Simmons is also sending to the various County Chairmen the Constitution and by-laws for the white supremacy clubs. He says he expects by the middle of June to see at least 200 of these clubs in existence.

In the preface Mr. Simmons says: "Our State is the only community in the world with a majority of white voters, where it is seriously proposed to take the control of the public affairs of the State out of the hands of the white people and commit them to a political combination composed chiefly of negroes and dominated almost entirely by negro influence.

By the united effort of the good white people of the State, irrespective of party, in 1898 the State was rescued from negro rule and the Amendment to the Constitution was voted upon by the people in August is submitted for the purpose of forever removing the danger of recurrence of negro ascendancy in the State. The necessity for the continued cooperation of the white people of the State for self-protection is shown by the fact that the party which is recently negroized the State, and which for this and its other shortcomings was hurled from power in 1898, is again seriously asking the people to restore it to the control of the State, and actually indulges the hope that, with the aid of 120,000 negro votes solidly cast for it, it may succeed in regaining control of the government.

As was predicted last week, Senator Butler has carried out his plan to have the Populist National Committee nominate Bryan for President and a Populist for Vice President. He does this to force, or rather to try to force, the Democratic hand. He will fall as badly as he did in this State in 1898, when the Democratic Convention turned down his proposals for fusion.

Republicans are now giving free rein to talk about the fusion ticket in this State, and are saying Butler will be the nominee for governor and Spencer B. Adams for Lieut. Governor, Attorney General Walker in speaking about this matter said: "You see Butler would at once be made Senator and then Adams become Governor." The Republicans say they are taking no chances with Butler; that they would not go into any deal or combination with him unless they knew he was induced by powerful self-interest to do what they want done; that he knows this year his supreme struggle must be made; that he must co-operate with them fully. They say he deceived Pritchard in 1895 and that they will never give him another chance. In fact, in 1894 he made a sort of contract prepared by other persons, Republicans and Populists, to stand by Pritchard, telling the latter that while in 1894 Butler would get the long turn and Pritchard the short, the latter would be given the full Populist support and re-election for six years, thus giving him an eight year term. Butler is now making the Republicans believe he controls two-thirds of the Populists absolutely. This shows that the Republicans stock of credulity is very far from being exhausted.

Charles B. Aycock, who made his opening speech of the campaign at Charlotte, was here to-day and said in response to an inquiry as to the political status: "We will easily carry the State. I find more enthusiasm than I have ever known at this early date." This shows how the white people of the State are being aroused.

ABOUT THE AMENDMENT.

Extracts from Speeches of Leading Men.

"Does the occasion exist for this radical enactment? To see twenty years of decay in every department of State, pass into an orgie of ignorance, corruption, mismanagement and disgrace which the last few years have shown us, is an answer to this question. To make a repetition of the past two years forever impossible in North Carolina is the duty of every man here who loves his State and his race.—F. D. Winston."

I now ask the reader to consider the effect of this amendment if adopted upon the white people of the State. And first of all I assert it does not disfranchise a single white voter whose name goes on the registration book prior to January 1st, 1908. Not one. Every white man who is a qualified voter now will continue to be as long as he lives so far as this amendment affects his right to vote. Every young man arriving at full age before January 1st, 1908, can register and vote if he puts his name on the registration books before that date, and he will continue to be a voter as long as he lives.—T. J. Jarvis.

Between those who really desired protection against over-powerful capital and those who have got themselves into the habit of persecuting the railroads and the corporations the Generally Assembly pursued a steady and commendable course. The passage of the bill to render foreign corporations subject to the State court, and that to provide separate cars for the races clearly indicated the Assembly's independence. The quick response to appeal for a more equitable adjustment of the merchants, purchase tax showed a fine disposition to treat capital justly. The failure of the effort to inflict upon the railroads a gross income tax at the same time providing for such taxation if it shall come to be expedient, indicated the desire of an independent Assembly not to go to extremes; in obedience to any clamor. The passage of an anti-trust law may indicate either the opposition of the members of the trusts or it to laws; for it is not to be hoped that this law passed, or any other State law, will make an end of trusts.—J. W. Bailey, Editor Biblical Recorder.

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SUCCESS OF LIQUID AIR

The Tripler Production Is Now Almost Generally Used as a Commercial Article

When Professor Charles E. Tripler so far improved previous methods of producing liquid air that he was able to manufacture it at a cost of 5 cents per gallon, he made it a commercial article. His success led to the formation of the Tripler Liquid Air Company, with a capitalization of 10,000,000 in one million shares and it is now manufacturing the article for use as a generator of motive power in place of steam, and as an economic refrigerating agent.

To take only one instance of the value of liquid air as a refrigerator, it is merely necessary to refer to the California fruit trade, now recognized as one of the most important industries of the United States. The volume of this traffic is already so large that it amounts to 10,000 car loads per annum. Five tons of ice are needed for each car, with an additional freight charge of \$25 per ton or an expense of \$140 in order to preserve the fruit in transit. The Triple Company, it is claimed, can place fifty five gallons of liquid air in a refrigerating car apparatus and produce even better results than the five tons of ice, for it induces a perfectly dry atmosphere, which increases the preservation. These fifty-five gallons of liquid air cost \$275, and the shipper not only saves \$137.25, but gains five tons of space, on which to earn profit on increased shipment. These are remarkable figures but the promoters contend that they are conservative and accurate.

The future of liquid air, as a source of initial energy and as a refrigerating agent, is a very promising one, and there can be no question that it will solve the problem of the duration of the earth's coal supply. From a scientific toy, Professor Tripler has made liquid air an article of commerce, an economic agent and as great a blessing to mankind as has been Edison's incandescent electric lamp. The Tripler Liquid Air Company is actually making and selling the product.

My mother suffered with chronic diarrhoea for several months. She was attended by two physicians who at last pronounced her case hopeless. She procured one 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cystic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and five doses gave her permanent relief. I take pleasure in recommending it as the best on the market.—Mrs. F. E. Watson, Aiken, Ala. Sold by J. J. Mardre & Bro.

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