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BOTH WILL BE PRESENT.

The near approach of the State Republican Convention which has been called to meet in Raleigh on the 20th inst., provokes the question whether Marion Butler in his dual capacity of Senator for himself and Editor for Senator Marion Butler, will be in attendance upon this convention.

And also if the dual Mr. Butler is present will he propose fusion with his Republican friends, Governor Russell, et al.

Mr. Butler's recent failure to attach the State Democratic party to himself, a failure which the chagrined Editor Butler has tried to lie about, and the Senator has attempted to sneer away, was a very conspicuous one, and it is not surprising that the dual Mr. Butler feels badly over it.

Of course Senator Butler will be present at the Republican Convention to propose Pop-Rep-fusion for Principle, while Editor Butler will be in attendance to work for Pop-Pop, co-operation for Office.

If some of the real, sure enough, sincere Populists, who are Populists because they believe in straightout Populism, as opposed to Democracy and Republicanism, which to the Populist doctrine, are the "moneyed oligarchies," if these Populists oppose the fusion movement of Senator Butler, and the co-operation principle of Editor Butler, they must not be surprised if they are termed "wild eye cranks," for the dual Mr. Butler knows it all, and to oppose the fusion and co-operation as set down by the dual gentleman, shows a lack of intelligence on the part of the brethren who would thus offer any opposition.

But as for the Republican convention, both Senator Butler and Editor Butler will be there.

And which will be the more gladly received, the fusion Senator or the co-operation Editor, is an open question.

Yellow Jaundice Cured.

Suffering humanity should be supplied with every means possible for its relief. It is with pleasure we publish the following: "This is to certify that I was a terrible sufferer from Yellow Jaundice for over six months and was treated by some of the best physicians in our city and all to no avail. Dr. Bell, our druggist recommended Electric Bitters, and after taking two bottles I was entirely cured. I now take great pleasure in recommending them to any person suffering with this terrible malady. I am gratefully yours, M. A. Hogarty, Lexington, Ky. Sold by F. S. Duffy, Druggist.

She Thought He Was Crying.

"Over in Illinois when I was a boy," said a congressman from the state to a reporter, "there was a lawyer named Hathaway, who lived in my native town, and who had something the matter with his eyes. I think the doctors said his lacrimal glands were weak. "Anyway, he was always wiping his eyes. Sometimes it was amusing in court to see him bring out his big red handkerchiefs and wipe his eyes when he was talking to the court upon some dry legal proposition. You know you rather expect a lawyer to do it before a jury in criminal practice. "Well, they used to tell this story on Hathaway: One day a woman came into his office to consult with him regarding the beginning of a suit for divorce from her husband. She related how she had been abused and told of suffering. Just at this point Hathaway reached for his handkerchief and wiped his eyes. "His client, who was of a sympathetic nature, sought to stay his arm and said: "Don't cry, Mr. Hathaway; don't cry. "Hathaway was sensitive regarding his infirmity, but he always laughed heartily when the story was told in his presence." - Washington Star.

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BISMARCK AS CHANCELLOR.

He Was Made and Willing to Be Teaching in Parliament.

The prince used to prepare himself for answering questions put in parliament. He was very judgmental as the practice and at the meeting of the ministry when the matter was discussed declared, "I must speak straight out, and should like to be as rude as possible without being insulting." He made use of several expressions, asking the minister of justice if those were insults. The minister, being conscientious, was obliged to say yes. Then the prince grew angry, exclaiming that in that case it would be better that he should not answer at all, but leave it to Canthausen, the vice president of the council. Herr von Tiedemann describes the office hours in the chancellery, which began early and ended late. At that time Prince Bismarck rose only toward noon. He worked hard from 12 to 6 and again from 9 till late at night. Tiedemann seldom left his office before 1 a.m.

It was not easy to read to the prince. He demanded a succinct extract—as he called it—of everything, and declared, however complicated a matter might be, its kernel might be extracted in a few words. His subordinates gradually accustomed themselves to speak in and Tiedemann often condensed more than a hundred paragraphs into the space of ten minutes, but the preparation for such a report had cost several hours' study. As soon as the reading was over Bismarck gave his decision without a moment's reflection. It was astonishing with what certainty he hit upon the important points. Never did he hesitate, but always knew what he wanted. If anything did not interest him, he said, "Do what you like." He wrote very little, preferring to dictate. Since Killmann's bullet grazed his right thumb he had found it awkward to hold a quill pen.

His method of dictation was strange. He spoke in jerks, sometimes with long pauses and then so rapidly that it was difficult to follow him. His thoughts and expression were so rich that he frequently uttered two or three tautologous phrases and then said, "Please choose the most fitting." As he might never be interrupted, it was strange to say he then lost the thread of his thought—it was all the more difficult to follow him. Blucher did this more readily, for he was a stenographer, but Tiedemann was not, and so he seldom could write a whole sentence, and had to be content to catch the most important turns of speech, sometimes only a single word. Afterward it was his business to work the sentence out.—Leipsiger Neue Nachrichten.

THE CUBAN WATER MONKEY.

One Must Be an Expert to Drink From It Gracefully. The Cubans have a domestic utensil called a "water monkey" that is to be found in houses, hotels and offices. It answers the same purpose as the olla in Mexico and the clay jugs of India. It is made of gray porous clay and is manufactured in Malaga, where the raisins come from. By absorption and evaporation a blanket of cool air surrounds the jug continually and keeps the water almost as cold as if it contained ice. In a country where ice is both scarce and expensive these jugs are indispensable.

The water monkeys have two apertures, one about the size of a dollar, through which water is poured into a glass. On the opposite side is a protuberance with a small hole running through it. From this the experienced Cuban drinks without touching it to his lips. When about to drink, he holds it two or three inches from his mouth, into which the tiny stream of water pours. Gradually and slowly he lifts the monkey away from him allowing the water to flow from the monkey down his throat. Occasionally the drinker gulps, and when his thirst has been satisfied he returns the monkey toward his mouth, then suddenly tips it up, shutting off the stream. It takes considerable experience to drink out of a water monkey gracefully. The beginner sends a stream of water down his neck instead of his throat four times out of five until he has mastered the art.—Exchange.

Mosby and Fitz-Hugh Lee.

The conversation had drifted into war channels, and the major had the floor. "Well, Colonel Mosby, you know, was a good fighter, but when General Grant sent him to China the Virginians turned the coat on him. One day he was making a speech in Alexandria. He told the Virginians that they ought to vote for him. "Why," said the colonel, "I fought all over northern Virginia for four years. Talk about my war record! Why, my war record is a part of the state's history. Why, gentlemen, I carried the last Confederate flag through this very town." "That's a fact," said Fitz-Hugh Lee. "I saw him do it. He carried the Confederate flag through this town, but Kilpatrick was after him, and he carried it so he couldn't have told whether it was the Confederate flag or a small-pox warning."—New York Sun.

One Had Been Bent For a Church Site.

A unique celebration occurs in June of every year at Manheim, Pa., according to The Ladies' Home Journal. It is known as the feast of roses and is held to commemorate the benevolence of Baron Stegel, who more than a century and a quarter ago loaned a tract of land at Manheim to a congregation for a church site at an annual rental of one red rose to be paid in June of each year. After Baron Stegel's death the rent was never demanded until a few years ago, and now it is formally paid to one of the baron's descendants. The occasion is known as "the feast of roses," and the quaint ceremony attracts the greatest interest.

Carrying Out the Proposition.

"The subject of Allen's graduation essay, you remember, was 'Aim High.'" "Yes." "Well, she has been throwing herself at the new preacher's head, and he is 6 feet tall."—Cincinnati Enquirer. A distinguished professor says that what is called stupidity is simply the indication that a certain brain area is not properly nourished or is without communication with the nerve fiber. Analysts say that butter is the most nutritious article of diet, closely followed by bacon. "During the hot weather last summer I had a severe attack of cholera morbus, necessitating my leaving my business," says Mr. C. A. Hare, of Hare Bros., Farmers, Ohio. "After taking two or three doses Cham's Remedy I was completely relieved and in a few hours was able to resume my work in the store. I sincerely recommend it to any one afflicted with stomach or bowel trouble." For sale by F. S. Duffy.

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Lodge Directory.

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