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THE FARMERS.

There are honest and patriotic men in all professions of life, but as our farmers are more numerous than any other class of citizens their influence is correspondingly more commanding.
When a few weeks ago we said that the farmers of the West had declared in their Alliances and Granges in favor of tariff reform, we felt that the hour of our political redemption was drawing nigh. True we did not expect such results as were exhibited on last Tuesday, but we felt assured that the revolution that had commenced would go on to the day of deliverance.
There can be no question that the agricultural associations, of various kinds, are having a most beneficial effect upon the communities in which they are located, and we trust that their members will see that the Democratic party will secure for them, and all classes, the political ends most conducive to their welfare and happiness.

THE SOLID SOUTH.

Again the attempt to break the Solid South has failed.
When the enemies of the South attempted to draw her sons from their allegiance through the influence of foreign emissaries they failed, and in their dilemma conceived the idea of seducing some trusted Lieutenant of the South who could play the part of Judas and secure their end.
First Longstreet was selected, and in bitterness of spirit he found that the heroic men who had followed him on a hundred battle fields, could not be lead in revolt against the South. Then they tried Mahone, his failure is more conspicuous than that of Longstreet, and if he has a decent respect for the opinions of mankind he will follow the example of his phototype and go out and hang himself.
The South is now as she has ever been since she laid down her arms at Appomattock.
With no regret for her action, with no humiliating prayer for pardon she accepts the situation and dedicates her self to be common welfare under the Constitution and the Union.
Self-respect and self-preservation demand her solidity. So long as she is confronted with a race issue that threatens her civilization and domestic peace, she will stand as solid as a stone wall in defence of Anglo-saxon supremacy, social order and local self-government.
Nor is this all. Federal legislation, for more than a quarter of a century, has been averse to the interests of the South and unfriendly to her development.
Should the time come when sectionalism shall be numbered with the things that were, and the centralizing tendencies of the government shall give place to a broad and conservative nationality that will hold North Carolina and Massachusetts as equal States in the Union, this solidity may desolve to unite again at the first approach of danger.
The present indications are that

the South will remain solid, and the great West become her ally. With no disturbing elements to separate them, with a community of interests springing from similarity of industrial pursuits, it requires no prophetic pen to anticipate a union of the South and West that will dominate this continent.

The Attorney General's Opinion on the Oyster Question.

Attorney General Davidson yesterday wrote the following letter to Gov. Fowle:
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL,
Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4, 1889.
Sir: Replying to your inquiry of the 2d inst., I have to say that in my opinion the Governor is not invested with any peculiar or extraordinary powers in respect to the enforcement of the laws of this State enacted for the protection of oysters and other fish. The legislation on that subject may be found in the Code, vol. 2, chap. 43, numbers 3375, 3376, 3377, 3389, 3426; chapter 119, laws 1887, and chapters 35, 302 and 413, laws 1889.
A perusal of these enactments will disclose the fact that the legislature has made the amplest provisions for the protection of the citizens of this State who are or may hereafter be engaged in this industry, but their enforcement, like that of other laws, is confined to the courts and local authorities, the executive having no power to interfere except when he may be requested, in a Constitutional manner, to call out the military power of the State to assist in the execution of laws when the civil authorities are powerless.
I direct your attention especially to chapter 302, laws 1889, which seems to have been passed to meet the difficulties in the way of enforcing the laws against non-residents and others, who carry on their operations upon water and in vessels. It seems to me that if the local authorities energetically utilize the powers thus conferred, there will speedily be an end of the complaints that our laws are not observed.
Very respectfully,
THOS. F. DAVIDSON,
Attorney General.
To His Excellency, the Governor.

He Didn't Like the Sermon.

There is a familiar story about how Daniel Webster, when he was practicing law in New Hampshire, loftily denounced a quotation from a text book made by a rival attorney as absurd and untenable, upon which the opposing lawyer quietly explained that the passage so contemptuously treated had been introduced into the volume from one of Lord Mansfield's decisions, that great jurist's exact language being preserved. The following anecdote about a famous old character in Whitley county, Ky., has much the same flavor. Joshua Barnett was a wag and a religious orator, and possessed a prodigious memory. The Jellico News tells the story:
"Uncle Josh, as he was generally called, had an appointment to preach one Sunday at an out-of-the-way big school house in his neighborhood, and two noted lights of a rival denomination attended the meeting for the purpose of criticising the sermon. One was named Jones, the other Warman. Uncle Josh, who, it appears, was aware of their intentions, concluded to checkmate them, and instead of preaching a sermon, he commenced repeating from memory, and without any comment whatever, one of the epistles of St. Paul. For nearly an hour chapter after chapter fell from his lips accompanied by a grave and decorous gesture and intonation. Brother Jones at the end some thirty minutes arose with grave disapproval written all over his face, and retired from the house and took a seat in the yard upon a barkless and prostrate tree which was used as a horse block. Brother Warman stood it some ten minutes longer, when he too arose and joined Brother Jones. "Well, Brother Warman, what do you think of such a sermon?" said Brother Jones. "Think?" said Brother Warman, "why, I think if the good Lord will forgive me this time for listening to such rotten doctrine I will never be guilty again."—Exchange.

The Fruit of Violence.

In no case is the folly of violence in medication more conspicuously shown by its fruit than in the effect upon the intestines of excessive purgation. The stomach and bowels are first painfully gripped, then the latter is copiously, suddenly and repeatedly evacuated. This is far beyond the necessities of the case, most unnatural, excessively debilitating. The organs are incapacitated from resuming their function with normal moderation. An astringent is resorted to which reduces them to their former condition of inaction. To this monstrous and harmful absurdity, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the happy alternative. It relaxes gently, naturally, sufficiently, it diverts bile from the blood into its proper channel, it insures healthful digestion and complete assimilation. It is a complete defence against malaria, and conquers rheumatism, neuralgia, nervousness, kidney and bladder trouble.

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