

POSITION OF PARTIES.

In speaking of parties no reference is intended to the Alliance or any other industrial association.

Mr. Gladstone recently asserted that there could be but two parties in England, and history establishes what we have often asserted, that there can be but two parties in this country.

Factions always exist, and these are constantly struggling for domination in the party to which they belong.

The Campaign in Ohio has fixed the paramount issue before the country.

In nominating McKinley the Republicans brought the tariff to the forefront. It is true that the astute leader attempted to change the issue by bringing forward salient.

But, the orator was not at home. He was as a stranger in a strange land. His name was allied with the tariff, and he could no more change the issue than take his name from a measure too grievous to be borne.

The Republicans presented the tariff issue and the Democrats accepted it and are forcing the fighting all along the line.

Republicans are criticising Campbell because he does not press silver as the paramount issue of the campaign. How can he do it with McKinley the opposing candidate?

The Republicans could not have suited the Democrats better. The tariff is the issue on which they won their great victory in last November, and on which they will again win at the approaching elections.

If there could be any question as to the paramount issue in Ohio it would be at once answered by the appearance of Mills and Carlisle on the field. Mills opened his campaign against McKinley and the McKinley bill on the 19th, and will make about a dozen more speeches. He spoke for two hours and held the audience of 3,000 people in rapt attention.

Carlisle will follow Mills, and when he gets through the fragments of the McKinley bill will not be worth gathering, although there may be enough to fill twelve baskets.

As it is in Ohio so will it be in the great national contest of 1892. The McKinley bill will be shown to be an engine that crushes the people of every section, and makes agriculturalists, tradesmen, mechanics and laborers, hewers of wood and drawers of water to worse than Egyptian taskmasters.

We insist upon the free coinage these two issues, Tariff Reform and of silver because it is right. Upon Free Coinage, the United Democracy is invulnerable and invincible. But if there are divisions in our ranks: if faction rules the hour, the hitherto impregnable ramparts will be carried and the enemy take possession of the citadel of our liberties.

Democrats must get together and stay together. If we would save our stars from desecration and our homes from dishonor.

The sea is music, and Pan and Apollo are the streams and the winds.

Each blade of grass has a purpose; why not each man and woman?

BALMACEIDA A SUICIDE.

Excitement Over His Death—His Last Statement—Futile Attempt to Escape.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20, The Herald's Valparaiso correspondent telegraphs as follows: Ex-President Balmaceda, of Chile, shot himself through the temple in his room in the Argentine legation in Santiago at half-past 8 a. m. today (Saturday). The story became known here this afternoon, and created the greatest excitement.

It now seems that Balmaceda left Santiago on August 29 in the hope of making his escape from Chile, but seeing that every avenue of retreat was cut off, he returned there on September 2, and went direct to the Argentine legation.

After the disastrous battle near Valparaiso and the surrender of Santiago on August 29, in company with ex-Alcalde Victor Echaurren, he took a carriage and drove to a point two miles outside the city. Here a special train of one car and a locomotive were in waiting.

The route was toward San Antonio Bay. All trace of the fugitives was, however, lost. His intention had been to go on board the vessel Condell, which he expected to find lying in San Antonio Bay. Upon arriving there, however, he discovered to his chagrin that the torpedo had sailed.

Since his return back to the Argentine legation in Santiago, Balmaceda has been in an extremely nervous condition. No one, with the exception of the minister of the Argentine Republic and one other man who was devoted to the unfortunate ex-President's cause, was permitted to talk to or see him.

Senora Urrutia, about 8 a. m. today heard a pistol-shot in the bedroom that had been assigned to Balmaceda. The notified her husband. Before he went to Balmaceda's room he ran around to the house of Carlos Walker Martinez and brought that gentleman back to the legation. Upon breaking in the door of Balmaceda's room it was found that he had shot himself. The body was still warm. There was a gaping wound in the temple. The body was undressed and lay on the bed. The revolver was still held in his right hand.

Gradually the news spread all over Santiago. The excitement it created is indescribable. Great crowds of terribly excited people gathered all around the Argentine legation. They cheered and they booed and went into a frenzy the death of their chief enemy. Above all the discordant shouts were heard cries congratulating the unfortunate Balmaceda that in taking his own life he had escaped a worse fate.

Balmaceda left a letter to his mother. Also a statement to the Herald. As almost the last declarations of a dying man they are of especial importance. He says: 'I acted all during the past eight months with the firm conviction that I was right. I had no one in the army in whom I could place any trust. My generals were false to me. They lied all through the war. Had my orders been obeyed, I believe that the battle of Concon would have resulted in a decisive victory against the enemy. My heart all through this trouble has been with Chile. I sought to rescue my country from foreign domination. I strove to make her the first republic in America. My enemies say that I was cruel. Circumstances compelled me to sanction certain acts, but many bad deeds that have been attributed to my orders were never known by me until they had been committed.'

'Until the final battle at Placilla I had strong hopes of triumphing over my foes. Victory was assured by my generals, Alcega and Barbossa and Viel. They all lied. I now know those who only pretended friendship for me because of the money that was to be gotten out of me.'

'All the money that I have in my possession is \$2,500. My wife gave it to me on the night of Aug. 23. Your minister, Patrick Egan, many times offered me good advice. He urged me to make peace with those opposed to me and to retire from Chile. I did not heed his wise advice, for I thought that he was under the influence of the junta's orders, who were then refugees in the American legation. All through the trouble my closest advisors were always opposed to any overtures for peace.'

HOW ENGLISH INTERESTS ARE AFFECTED BY THE DEATH OF BALMACEIDA.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Notwithstanding the usual quiet of Sunday the news of Balmaceda's death made a marked impression here, and was the chief topic, even surpassing the question of the Dardanelles and the German Emperor's assault on Napoleon the Great. The general feeling in English commercial circles is one of relief and joy. While Balmaceda lived there never could be an assurance that Balmaceda, who undoubtedly had a large following in Chile, might not stir up another revolution, and reverse the order of things, to the great detriment and disappointment of the English interests in control of the nitrate traffic.

A prominent Chilean, who, for fear of making enemies at home, did not wish his name mentioned, said this morning: Balmaceda would sooner have surrendered to the enemy than to have left his native country forever, and he preferred death to surrender. He remained

alive in Santiago until his presidential term was over which was on Friday, September 15, and on Saturday he killed himself. The atrocities of his subordinates are largely responsible for the hatred borne him by the Congressionals.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a nerve tonic and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alternative. Your appetite returns; good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at F. S. Duffy's drug store.

A man sat on a fence and whittled a stick; another plowed the field at his side; which was the laborer? The locust sings every seventeen years; why are not some poets locusts.

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Did you ever hear a voice in the dark? Is it fear in us, or in him who speaks, that makes a midnight salutation ghostly? Some men and women become acquainted through their children.

A Wonder Worker. Mr. Frank Huffman, a young man of Burlington, Ohio, states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be Consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better; he continued to use it and is today enjoying good health. If you have any throat, lung or chest trouble try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at F. S. Duffy's drug store.

COTTON—Sales 20 bales, 7 to 7 1/2 cent. Sales for the week 47 bales, against 288 bales this week a year ago.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale in Newbern by F. S. Duffy, wholesale and retail druggist.

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Rev. C. O. DAVIS, Eld. M. E. Church South, No. 28 Tattall st., Atlanta, Ga. Notice. SECRETARY'S OFFICE, NEWBERN, N. C., 26 Aug., 1891. The Thirty-seventh Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company will be held at Morehead City on the fourth Thursday (24th) in September, 1891. F. C. ROBERTS, Sec'y.

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Buy your Shot and Powder and save Money

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Also, a fine lot of Buggies, Road Carts and Harness, all of which will be sold at LOW AS THE LOWEST. Don't fail to come and see him before making a trade. Feeding a specialty. new 35dwf

GOD BLESS THEE, LOVE.

'How badly in the course of life adjusted. That where sweet roses bloom sharp thorns abound. What though the heart has dearly fondly trusted— The hour of parting will at last come round. Of thy fond glances once I read the meaning. They spoke of joy and happiness for me— God bless thee, love—it was not so to be. Dark clouds appear, the winds sigh through the heather. A rain storm falls out from gloomy skies. For bitter parting just the fitting weather— Gray as the sky the world before me lies! The future may with joys or woes be teeming. Then slender maid I will be true to thee! God bless thee, love—it was but idle dreaming. God bless thee, love—it was not so to be!'

Administrator's Notice. Having qualified as administrator of the Estate of John N. Nunn, deceased, late of Craven county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of July, 1891, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. R. A. WATSON, Administrator. This 24th day of August, 1891.

S. R. STREET, General FIRE AND LIFE Insurance Agent, NEW BERNE, N. C. Smallwood & Slover, DEALERS IN Stoves, General Hardware, AND Harness, Sash, Doors, Blinds, Paints, Oils, Varnish, Glass and Putty, Lime, Plaster, Hair and Cement.

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Cheaper Than The Cheapest. Another important item: Everything we sell we guarantee to be as represented or money refunded.

Thanking you for past favors, and trusting you will give us a share of your future trade, We are, very respectfully,

Churchill & Parker, Broad St., 1st door East of Railroad, June 22nd 1891.

Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, Office of Superintendent, New Bern, N. C., Sept. 9th, 1891.

SPECIAL Stockholders' Train! Thursday, Sept. 24, 1891.

From Goldsboro and stations intermediate to Morehead City and Return same day.

All Stockholders and their immediate families will be passed free. The conductor of special train will be furnished with a list of the stockholders and they will be passed accordingly.

SCHEDULE. Leave Goldsboro 6:25 A. M. " Best's " 6:55 " " La Grange " 7:09 " " Falling Creek " 7:23 " " Kingston " 7:40 " " Oswell " 7:55 " " Dover " 8:05 " " Core Creek " 8:19 " " Tuscarora " 8:35 " " New Bern " 8:49 " " Riverdale " 9:05 " " Croatan " 9:58 " " Haystack " 10:09 " " Newport " 10:23 " " Wildwood " 10:38 " " Atlantic " 10:40 " Arrive Morehead " 10:55 "

Returning, Special to leave Morehead City at 5:00 P. M. or as soon as the meeting adjourns. R. L. DILL, Sup.

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A troublesome skin disease caused me to scratch for ten months, and has been cured by a few days use of S. S. S. M. H. WOLFF, Upper Marlboro, Md.

Swift Specific. I was cured several years ago of white swelling in my leg by the use of S. S. S., and have had no symptoms of any return of the disease. Many prominent physicians attended me and all failed, but S. S. S. did the work. PAUL W. KIRKPATRICK, Johnson City, Ten.

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Call on us for Feathers—Goose Feathers, Duck Feathers or Chicken Feathers. We make Beds, Bolsters or Pillows.

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JUDICIAL SALE.

Under a decree of Nash Superior Court rendered at Fall term, 1890, and a subsequent order made at Spring term 1891, in the civil action entitled W. L. Hart and others vs. John I. Killbrow and others, the undersigned Commissioners will sell at public auction, at the Court House door in Newbern, N. C., on

THURSDAY, October 1st, 1891,

a certain tract of land, lying in the county of Craven, on the South side of Neuse River, and on Dam and Slocumb Creeks, containing twelve hundred acres more or less, and for a more particular description reference is made to a deed from Amos Wade to John I. Killbrow and J. H. Dillard for said land, recorded in Book 74, p. p. 423 and 433, Craven Registry.

AT THE SAME TIME AND PLACE

Jacob Battle, Commissioner, will, under the same decree, sell another tract of land in said county of Craven, adjoining the lands of and others, containing acres more or less, the same premises conveyed by John I. Killbrow and wife to Louis Mays by deed recorded in Craven in Book 81, p. 25.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third Cash, residue on a credit of one and two years, with 8 per cent. interest from day of sale.

F. A. WOODARD, JACOB BATTLE, Commissioners.