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LET US GIVE THANKS.

The President has set apart the 24th day of November as a day of Thanksgiving, prayer and praise. It is meet and right that we should.

In naming the day the President uses well-chosen words and expresses himself in an admirable manner. He says:

"On that day let secular work be suspended, and let our people assemble in their accustomed places of worship and with prayer and songs of praise give thanks to our Hevenly Father for all that he has done for us, while we humbly implore forgiveness of sins and a continuance of His mercy. Let families and kindred be reunited on that day, and let their hearts be filled with kindly cheer and affectionate reminiscence be turned into thankfulness to the source of all their pleasures and the giver of all that makes the day glad and joyous, and in the midst of our worship and our happiness let us remember the poor, needy and unfortunate, and by our gifts of charity and ready benevolence let us increase the number of those who with grateful hearts shall join in our thanksgiving."

As a people, we have a great deal for which we should be grateful, for Providence has done much for our land. As the Columbus *Enquirer-Sun* says, no country in the world has received such rich gifts of health and plenty and peace.

One hundred years ago a wilderness. America is now in the front rank of national greatness. In wealth and in power we have grown as no nation ever grew before, and we owe our overgrowth, to a great extent, to the bounteous provisions for prosperity which nature has spread around us.

We doubt if any year has witnessed as great growth as the present. From one end of the land to the other railroads have been built, and cities have sprung up as if by magic, and the whole country has enjoyed a season of prosperity.

Our good laws and honest government and our magnificent natural resources are daily carrying us higher and higher as a nation; and, as a nation, we should recognize the Great Giver of all the good we enjoy.

NOT THE PARTY TO RULE.

It is now a well settled fact that the Republicans have no principles to fight for, or if they have they conceal them very successfully. The New York *Herald* has scanned the field closely and comes to the conclusion above mentioned. The *Herald* is eminently correct in saying that what the country needs and must have if it is to be prosperous is an administration that represents the whole republic from Maine to the Pacific and from the lakes to the gulf. Now, the Republican party never has that. It was not born to do it. It is essentially a sectional party, and never has been anything else. It has not neglected the millions of the South, but it never indorses a party platform without expressing a suspicion of them. Its business at the present moment is not to unite North and South, but to keep them asunder. It is as plain as a pike staff, therefore, that the next President ought to be a man who can see Georgia just as well as Ohio, and no Republican has had the visual ability to do that. The people of this country are not blind to the condition of affairs. They are clear headed on the subject, and are ready to give fair play to everybody, North, South, East, and West. Your State elections may go as they please, then, but when it comes to voting for the perpetuity of our national instituitions and a solid commercial and patriotic union of all sections under a common flag, why, the Republican party has not grown up to such a conception, and is therefore unfit for power. The only party that can represent the whole country is Democratic. This has been clearly demonstrated by the present administration. It is therefore well to keep these facts in mind. Hold fast to that which is good.

THE great desert of Sahara will soon pass away from the maps of the world. Water has been discovered in abundance in the lower Sahara by the sinking of artesian wells, and already forty-three cases furnish homes for thirteen thousand inhabitants, where one hundred and twenty thousand forest trees flourish and one hundred thousand fruit trees supply the people with a rich harvest. French capital and energy has done this much and it will not be long before other nations will seek this means of preparing a place for their surplus populations. The land is exceedingly fertile, and once water is secured, crops of all kinds grow luxuriantly. The camel and the caravan will soon disappear and be known no more forever, and the railroad, the toll-gate, and the primary electionwill flourish on new ground.

THE American Forestry Congress is memorializing Congress for legislation looking to the preservation of the timber of America. There never was a movement more deserving the earnest encouragement of the people; it is not a craze or a whim, but a necessity growing out of the exigencies of the times.

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ON DANGEROUS GROUND.

The last meeting of the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor disclosed many things not generally known to the public. One of the most startling was the fact that ten thousand dollars of the order were sent to Maine to prevent the re-election of Representative Reed to Congress, and that other sums were used in other parts of the country, during the last campaign, for political purposes. The excuse is that the candidates whom it was sought to defeat were "enemies of labor." If the Knights of Labor, represented in their General Assembly, see fit to commit the order to the support of, or opposition to, any party or candidate, they have a perfect right to do so. If a majority of the members do not like it, they will send delegates to the next General Assembly who will adopt a different policy. But when the executive board without instructions from the representatives of the order, secretly decides that this or that caudidate is an "enemy of labor," and uses the money belonging to the members to defeat him, it assumes a dangerous perogative in which it would be suicidal for the order to sustain them. The members of the executive board have shown themselves to be human, influenced quite as much as other people by whims, prejudices and passions. Even if they were much wiser than they are, the exercise of such power would be dangerous; as it is, it is positively alarming.

IN reviewing the recent most silly of the propositions of Fred Douglass that the United States should open wide its doors to the Chinese, the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* says that "the United States has gone to the extreme length of the tether in acting upon the euphemious assumption of the brotherhood of man. Such phrases read well in print, but they do not work out well in practice. And the results of the past course of the United States on that theory are not such as to induce any unnecessary additional experiments in the same line." Our Republican contemporary seems to be coming to its senses.

OPINIONS OF THE STATE PRESS.

If the approaching contest was limited to North Carolina she could order her affairs without looking beyond her borders, but she is a part of a great nation, and as in the past she contributed to its glory, so in the future she must do her part to perpetuate its blessings and its fame. Let the North Carolina Democracy take no position on which the National Democracy cannon stand. It is said that the general government has imposed heavy and oppressive taxes on the productions of North Carolina. Her people are divided upon the question of lifting this tax. Most of them say it is an unjust discrimation, and is contrary to genius of our institutions. Admit that this is true, and is it not the part of wisdom to submit to the decision of the question of its immediate removal to the arbitrament of the National Democracy?—*Wadesboro Intelligencer.*

The boycotting business seems to be spreading in North Carolina. Quick to imitate their elders, the students at Davidson College have entered upon a boycotting plan in order to make their college journals profitable. According to THE CHARLOTTE CHRONICLE the students have agreed not to patronize any business house either in Davidson or Charlotte that does not advertise in the *Davidson Monthly.* Conductors of other college journals will watch this experiment to extort advertising, with interest, and business men who are thus forced to advertise will add five per cent. on their prices when selling goods to students.—*State Chronicle.*

Mr. Randall, editor of the Anniston *Hot Blast*, is on terms of exceeding intimacy with Senator Brown, of Georgia. Mr. Randall thinks the venerable Senator will soon retire and that Gov. Gordon will succeed him. Senator Brown is a Protectionist. It is understood that Gov. Gordon is for tariff reform and the reduction of the surplus. In other words, he is a Democrat.—*Wilmington Star*

What Thurman Says.

Hon. Allen G. Thurman, in a speech at Kenton, Ohio, last Saturday, a speech which he alluded to as probably his last, said:

"I tell you one thing. If the government does not quit piling up money at the rate of $100,000,000 per year, we will soon have to be trading coon skins to get our bread. And there is nothing more corrupting than this condition of affairs. It leads to all sorts of schemes in Congress for its expenditure." In referring to President Cleveland, Mr. Thurman said: "Now, my friends, I have seen a great many Presidents in my day and have read the history of all of them, and on my honor as a man, bound to tell the truth, a more honest, brave, truer man never filled the Presidential chair. It was said that if he was elected the country would be ruined, but even John Sherman must say that the sun still shines, the rain still falls and corn grows. He has proven himself to be a man of more ability than many of us supposed. He possesses in a marked degree that superior faculty of common sense, and gains every day in the estimation of the people; so much so that when his first four years are up the people will say, 'You have done well with the trusts placed in your hands. You have acted wisely, and now you can take your seat for four years more.'"

Moonshiners on the Rampage in Chatham.

There seems to be quite an exciting and perhaps an alarming state of affairs in the northern part of Chatham county. Moonshiners are mad and making threats against people on account of the destruction of their stills. The Chatham *Record* says that a number of illicit stills have been captured and destroyed this year in the northwestern corner of Hadley township, and their owners have become so exasperated that they are making threats against certain citizens of that section, whom they accuse of having informed against them. One night last week a band of a dozen of these illicit stillers disguised themselves and were on their way to lynch a good citizen of that neighborhood (whom they accused of informing against them), when they were dissuaded from their purpose by prominent citizen who saw them. It is said that there is an organized band of these lawless men, and, through fear of them and in sequence of their threats, some of the best citizens of the community hide out at night.

NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

Items of Interest Gathered from Our Exchanges.

Newton *Enterprise*: Captain R. A. Bost has again retired from the management of his hotel. Mr. R. Banks, of Hendersonville, has taken charge of the same.

The Raleigh *Visitor* has learned that steel rails are to be put on the Atlantic and North Carolina railroad by June 1st, when a fast train will make the time between Goldsboro and Morehead in three hours.

Mr. A. A. Shuford, of Hickory, chaperoned six ladies to the exposition successfully and without a single mishap and then had the miserable luck to have his pocket picked of a fine gold watch on the train near Gastonia. As bad as Wade Hampton, who went through the war unscathed and afterwards had one of his legs kicked off by a mule.

Southern Pines *Pineknot*: We learn from the *Manufacturers Record* of recent date, that the Monroe gold mine, located near Tyor, in this county, is being operated by British capitalists. The ore of the mine is a fine mixture of dark slate and quartz, easily mined and milled. The capital of the company is £75,000. The mine is being rapidly opened preparatory to erecting a stamp mill.

Wilmington *Star*: Mrs Goodale, the noted temperance lectures and agent of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, arrived here yesterday. In the afternoon she addressed an assemblage of ladies of different denominations at Fifth Street Methodist Church, and in the evening delivered a lecture to the public at the same place. The attendance was large on both occasions, notwithstanding the rainy weather. Mrs. Goodale is a strong advocate of prohibition.

Salisbury *Watchman*: Three Western locomotive engines were badly smashed up at Old Fort last Saturday through carelessness in shifting. There are now five engines in the shops for repairs.—We are to have another paper soon. Messrs. B. F. and J. C. Tipton have formed a copartnership to publish it. We understand that it is to be started as a semi or tri-weekly, and if they meet with encouragement, will change to a daily. We welcome them and wish them success.

Winston *Daily*: A little over ten years ago, in the year 1876, Dr. Edward Rondthaler came to Winston and took charge of the Moravian Church. At that time there was a membership of 499. This included all Moravians in Salem proper. The membership of the Sunday school was 314, with 43 teachers and officers. Since then Elm street church has been built; East Salem church has been built, all running out as branches of the old Salem church. There are now a total of 688 church members, 943 Sunday school scholars, 81 teachers and officers.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr C. H. Morr Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Access of Lungs, and friends and physician pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, am able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

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A Marble Quarry.

Asheville Citizen.

On the line of the railroad from Jarratt's to Red Marble Gap the incuts through the marble deposits which exist to the exclusion of all other rocks. The pick and the blast pay no respet to the precious material, and it shares the fate of the commoner stone to be put where the railroad constructors needs it. And so it comes to pass that a large and wide culvert is composed of rough pieces of flesh colored marble so beautiful that it seems sacriligious thus to desecrate it. But there is no help for it for there is nothing more inferior within easy reach.

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HOUSE and Lot on Tryon and College. Lot 99x396. House has 7 rooms and servants' rooms Basement. Price $4,500.

ONE OF THE MOST DESIRABLE PIECES OF property near the city, containing 83 acres of land, part woodland, adjoining Col. Wm. Johnston and D. M. Rigler, in southern suburbs of Charlotte. Thirty foot street reserved on this property. Price, $35 per acre.

ONE tract of valuable land, adjoining S H Hilton, containing 79 acres. Price, $900.

ALSO, two tracts of and near the Fair grounds Description given upon application.

ONE House and Lot in King's Mountain—two-story frame building; seven rooms. Lot contains about one acre of ground. Price $1,250.

ONE House and Lot (lot 99x198 feet) at corner Poplar and Tenth streets. House contains five rooms. Price $3,000.

ONE Tract of Land (two hundred acres) one mile from town of Chester, S. C., on C. C. & A. R. R. (known as Bratton place.) Price $3,000

HANDSOME Brick Dwelling House on East Trade street; contains 12 rooms, bath rooms, closets, &c—good neighborhood. Lot 99x256 feet. Property cost $9,500, will sell for $6,500

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A. H. McNEILL, Trustee.

Sept. 22, '87.—tds.