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### North Carolina Election. Exit Carpet-Baggers and Enter Democrats.

The New York *Journal of Commerce* has the following excellent article on the North Carolina election:

The returns that come in from the North Carolina election, we say "better and better," because the larger the majority against carpet-bag-ism and Governor Holden's militia and President Grant's regulars, the more certain it is that the sun of carpetbag misgovernment is setting at the South, and that the day of military interference with elections is passing away. The carpet-bagger and the bayonet have been, since the war, the twin oppressors of the beaten South. They have always been found together. The carpet-bagger has always invoked the aid of the bayonet against the peaceful opposition that would have overthrown him at a fair election, and the bayonet has always stood by the carpet-bagger. By a majestic but calm uprising of the people of North Carolina, five conservative Congressmen against two Radicals have been elected; thirty-two conservative Senators against eighteen Radicals, and seventy-five conservatives to forty-five Radicals in the Lower House. This is one of the greatest political revolutions of the age—greater even than the whirligig of revenge that brought Governor Walker of Virginia to the top. So complete is it, that the carpet-baggers of North Carolina and all through the South stand aghast at the result. So fairly was the victory won, that no radical paper in or out of the State hints at bogus votes, or disorderly conduct or intimidation or bribery to explain the phenomenon. They see and confess that they have been soundly and squarely whipped; and are now packing their spare paper collars and manuscript speeches into the huge cavernous, iron-jawed receptacles from which they take their name, and leaving them to the fresh fields and pastures new of unrebuilt States. Their stay there, too, we hope, will be a short one. The indignation, if not blood, of the South is now up, and the carpet-bagger hereafter will have to move with the almost ceaseless march of the Wandering Jew. The man must be a thorough-going partisan who is not glad to throw a shovelful of earth upon the political coffin of the carpet-bagger. He has been the curse of the South during his brief locust-like existence there. He took nothing there but his carpetbag, with its paper contents as aforesaid, his hate of the South and his unscrupulous ambition. He had no interest in southern industry or southern development. He was a messenger of war, and not of peace; or was it out of the disturbance which he spared no effort to

### What is our Progress? BY AN OLD FOGY.

Our modern progress is merely a change. We invent machinery to spare muscular labor. Great is our shout of praise when a new sewing machine, for instance, comes in. The croakers who hint that, after all, it may not be such a boon to the weary operative, are laughed to scorn.

Well, we have been running machinery at a top speed this half century, and now the apostles of progress are again crying out. The sewing machine, in two years, destroys the spine of our women and render them sterile. The workingmen are burning down houses in riot (as at Chicago), demanding the reduction of labor to eight hours a day. Medical authorities concur that the lack of healthy exercise combined with the cramped condition of people who work on machinery, is rooting out and absolutely destroying the lives of laborers in civic hives. Ministers of the gospel and the moral censors of the press agree that our large manufacturing centers are the hot-beds of crime and misery. What in the world are we going to do, then?

We can't be old fogies and acknowledge that our fathers understood some things better than we. We can't tear down the machinery, and employ and give happiness to three times as many men. That would be too medieval to be thought of. We must go on, like in tight corsets, to consumption and early extinction of the race; permitting our places to be filled by foreigners who come from those slow countries beyond the Great Sea.

It really seems as if the spirit of evil takes especial delight in marring every step of our modern progress. If we travel faster, we get smashed up, and sent, unprepared, to kingdom come. If facilities of emigration are afforded to this generation beyond all precedent, countless souls are lost or driven to shame by the transition. The intellect of man sharpens and the body decays. The beardless youth of to-day, knows more than his grandfathers of yesterday. We have brought the hills of the moon within fifty miles of us; but faith in the Son of the Omnipotent God, who died for the world, is dying away. With every good we progress towards evil. The bright coin is ever dimmed with the filthy alloy.

By pride and avarice, the evil spirit seizes hold of every successive scheme of modern progress. If wages advance, another story goes up on the house of the laborer. Silks supplant cotton; two hours more are added to the domestic slave. Old fashioned solid erudition vanishes, and trashy sentimentalism usurps its place. Men are made beasts of burden to support them. The people dis-

### Gen. Donn Piatt Hears the Hon. Horace Greeley Swear; in Saratoga, too.

(Saratoga Correspondence of the Cincinnati Commercial.)

While descending the broad, beautiful stairway of the hotel, the other night, I saw my venerable agricultural friend, Horace Greeley, making his way over the marble floor, as if taking heavily against a headwind. My rural friends, who study with amazement all that Horace knows about farming, must not gather from this that I mean to intimate that my old cold-water friend was under the influence of liquor. By no manner of means. I only mean to express the impression the venerable philosopher makes upon me when he walks. It is so peculiar that I think, incontinently, of a heavy sea and head winds.

"Hallo! Mr. Greeley," I said, shaking his agricultural arm in the heaviest way; "where did you come from?"

"New York," he responded, backing his journalistic behind against the banisters of the stairway. "And an excellent place to come from, is it not?"

"I think so, since you have put it under Democratic rule. And you have come to open your agricultural bowels with the waters of Saratoga?"

"No; I have not," he replied. "I am trying to harmonize the elements of this Republican party that you free traders are striving to destroy."

An *contraire*, my guide, philosopher and friend. We are striving to purify and perpetuate the great party."

"Yes, by running off such men as Schenck. See, you have run off Schenck."

"Thou canst not shake thy agricultural locks at us, and say thou didst it."

"Yes, I can. It was your d—d stupid hammering at him about the tariff that run him off. And it's a cursed shame that the tendency of the day is to small potatoes. We are getting men into Congress that the place honors, and we wonder how the devil they got there. Schenck honors that place; he is a remarkable man, of great benefit to the country, and ought to be sustained."

"I acknowledge all that, and discovered General Schenck's value long before you did, and I would be glad to see him returned to the House, and have worked hard to get him in the Senate. But then, Greeley, the trouble about Schenck is his deplorable ignorance of the tariff. He don't know as much as you do, and he is as difficult to teach."

The venerable philosopher's face, when I uttered this, was a study. It said, plain as words, "Well, I'll be d—d! Here's impudence for you." I don't know what explosion would have followed, but a tall, slender

### Matrimonial Instructions.

An anxious mother to her daughter, who is stopping at a watering place:

NEW YORK, July 12.  
MY DEAR DAUGHTER:—How are you getting on, dear? Well, I hope, for you know I do want to get you off desperately. Thirty-seven, and still on my hands! Mr. Gusher of the Four-hundred-and-thirty-ninth avenue, goes down on next Saturday. He will hunt you up. Mr. Gusher is a nice man—so sympathetic and kind; and has such a lovely moustache. Besides, my dear Sophy, he has oceans of stamps. Quite true, my child, he hasn't much of anything else, but girls at thirty-seven must not have too sharp eyes, nor see too much. Do, dear, try and fix him if you can. Put all your little artifices into effect. Walk, if possible, by moonlight and alone; that is, with him. Talk, as you know you can, of the sweets of love and the delights of home. Dwell on the felicities of love in a cottage, and if he doesn't see it, dilate on the article in a brown stone front, with marble steps. Picture to him in the most glowing terms, the joys of the fireside, with fond you by his side. If he hints that a fireside in July is slightly tepid, thoughtfully suggest that it is merely a figure of speech, and introduce an episode of cream to cool it. Quote vehemently from Tennyson, and Longfellow, and Mrs. Browning. Bring the artillery of your eyes to bear squarely on the mark. Remember that thirty-seven years and an anxious mother are continually looking down upon you.

Cut Smirch. Smirch is a worthless fellow. Would you believe it? his father makes boot-pegs for a living. The house of Wiggins cannot consort with the son of one who pegs along in life in this manner. Never. Banish Smirch. Don't let Smirch even look at your footprints on the beach.

Then there is Mr. Bluster. What is he? Who? Impertinent puppy! Pretended to own a corner house on the Twenty-fifth avenue, and wanted to know how I should like it? Like it? I should like to see him in Sing Sing! He own a house?—a brass foundry more like, and that in his face! Keep a sharp eye on Bluster and his blarney. He's what our neighbor calls a "heat," whatever that is—a squash, no doubt.

Don't spare any pains, my dear, for a market. I was only twenty-six when I married the late lamented Mr. Wiggins. And a dear good man he was—only I wish he had paid his bills at the corner groceries. How he did love, my dear—that favorite demijohn in the corner! And then when he came home at night with such a smile—he'd been taking them all day. Don't fail to catch somebody. Gusher, depend, is the man. Mean is