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able to The Times and Democrat,  
Orangeburg, S. C., by registered let-  
ter, check or money order.One of the most important elec-  
tions to the people of this city is  
their municipal election, and all  
should vote in it.Those people who think they are  
Democrats and advocate any kind of  
protection are really Republicans  
and should align themselves with  
that party.Don't let any little minor issue  
in the municipal election overshadow  
the great importance of electing  
good clean men to the several offices  
to be filled.If the order of the Supreme Court  
is carried out we will have twenty  
Standard Cils instead of one, but  
they will all think and act as if  
they were one.The County Fair can be made one  
of the best things that was ever pro-  
jected by the people of this county.  
Why any one should oppose it, is  
a mystery to us.Champ Clark issues a ringing bat-  
tle cry, and the decks are being  
cleared for action. Every Democrat  
is expected to do his duty. Tariff  
for revenue is the watchword and it  
will win.Young man, if you indulge in a  
game of poker occasionally, stop it  
at once. If you don't stop, you will  
soon be a slave to one of the most  
degrading habits that anyone ever  
acquired.Every man in the South is in-  
terested in the price of cotton. Good  
prices means good business in all  
lines and prosperity for this section.  
For this reason all should help the  
farmer for fair prices.The man who presides over the  
destinies of Orangeburg as Mayor  
should be one who can adequately  
represent him in all the relations of  
life. Pick out the candidate you  
think can best do that and vote for  
him.President Gomez, of Cuba, doesn't  
mince matters with newspaper editors  
that criticize his administration  
of affairs of the island. He bundles  
them up and ships them to lands be-  
yond the sea. Suppose Governor  
Cole L. Blaise had such power in  
South Carolina, don't you believe he  
would send many an editor across  
the border?There are all sorts of reports be-  
ing circulated about some of the  
candidates for Mayor. Don't pay  
any attention to these reports. They  
are being circulated for a purpose.  
The gentlemen running for this office  
are known to us all. Let us judge  
them by what we know of them,  
and not by what their enemies may  
say about them.The editor of a North Carolina  
paper who has for a long time cham-  
pioned the cause of the English spar-  
row, now confesses that he has seen  
the error of his way. In his estima-  
tion now the English sparrow is an  
unmitigated nuisance without one  
redeeming quality. There are many  
who agree with out North Carolina  
brother.The grand old heroes of the Lost  
Cause have met once more to talk  
over their campaigns. No better or  
braver soldiers ever marched to bat-  
tles than the men who literally  
carried the revolt on the bayonets  
for four years. What a heritage  
they have bequeathed to the young  
men of the South. Let them see to  
it that it is kept unsullied and un-  
tarnished.Senator Smith by very strong in-  
timation if not in direct words, has  
charged that bureau reports on crop  
conditions this year have been made  
without proper information, or im-  
properly showing the actual condi-  
tions in the cotton fields, as a result  
of which the cotton planters have  
been done a great injury. On the  
strength of a "preliminary report"  
issued by the government, the price  
of cotton dropped \$20 a bale, as a  
direct result of the declaration by  
the bureau of an estimated increase  
of 3,000,000 bales "before a part of  
the crop was out of the ground."The scandals that have been  
brought to light in the last few years  
in the Bureau of Statistics of the  
Agricultural Department in connec-  
tion with the reports on the condi-  
tion of the cotton crop indicate pre-  
tension that the "bureau" is a  
better servant to the speculator than  
it is to the man who grows and the  
enterprise which consumes the cot-  
ton. At the same time, too, it in-  
dicates that, if repetition of these in-  
cidents can't be made impossible, it  
would be better to abolish the re-  
ports entirely than to have these  
charges of gross errors continuously  
made, and the condition further dis-  
turbed thereby.

## Struck at the Farmers.

President Taft should have ap-  
proved all the bills passed by Con-  
gress requiring certain schedules of  
the present high tariff. Above all he  
should have approved the Farmers'  
Free List Bill. Reciprocity was a  
Taft measure. It roused the honest  
apprehensions of some farmers along  
the northern boundary. In recom-  
pense to them the Free-List bill was  
promptly introduced in the House  
and passed by the Democrats reduc-  
ing taxation upon many articles that  
farmers buy. It was complementary  
to reciprocity. The two measures  
should go together.Mr. Taft has never spoken as  
sharply of the tariff on articles cov-  
ered by the Free-List bill as he has  
of the "indefensible" taxes on wool  
and woollens. But he knows, as we  
all should know, that nineteen farm-  
ers out of twenty have never been  
benefited by the tariff, since they  
sell their surplus crops in world-wide  
competition; while every farmer is  
robbed by tariff-protected trusts in  
his capacity as a consumer. And to  
the farmer no less than to the con-  
sumer of woollens was the President  
held by his Chicago pledge of Dec. 3,  
1910: "We are bound to promote the  
prompt elimination of instances  
of injustice in the present Tariff  
law." At present he seems  
less concerned about "prompt" elimi-  
nation of injustice than about its  
"scientific" elimination by a board to  
which stand-patters will pay no at-  
tention whatever.The New York Worlds says the  
President has made his choice. He  
has refused the chance offered him  
by Congress to lower taxation at  
once. He vetoed every tariff bill  
brought before him except the Rec-  
iprocity bill, and Congress did not  
pass such bills over his veto. The  
House vote on the Wood and Free-  
List bills, which just failed to  
reach the two-thirds required, deter-  
mined that point. This Congress had  
little more to do except to complete  
the record by passing such other tar-  
iff bills as were pending and letting  
them meet their certain fate. Upon  
the record that is now made will  
largely depend the result of the 1912  
election—to be decided by 15,000-  
000 American voters most of whom  
are "ultimate consumers."

## Crook of the First Order.

The House investigation of the Ag-  
ricultural Department has not only  
developed a conspiracy to oust Dr.  
Wiley, but has brought to light some  
of the worst kind of duplicity on the  
part of some of the higher officials of  
that important department of the  
government. It has involved Presi-  
dent Taft in the conspiracy to the  
extent that he has too readily accept-  
ed presentations regarding Dr. Wiley  
that are not based on facts. It has  
shown that among his conspirators  
none has been more active in mis-  
representing facts than Solicitor Mc-  
Cabe. To such an extent has Solicitor  
McCabe perverted the truth that he  
now appears in the light of chief  
conspirator. As an illustration of  
McCabe's misrepresentation of facts  
may be cited a letter which plays an  
important part in the investigation.  
In making a report which was to be  
sent to the President, McCabe used  
the two concluding paragraphs of  
this letter omitting all preceding.  
The two paragraphs were slightly  
critical of Dr. Wiley, while the parts  
omitted were wholly commendatory.  
As another illustration may be cited  
McCabe's substitution of terms and  
phrases in a report prepared by Dr.  
Wiley, so that the intent and pur-  
pose of the report was entirely  
changed—from an unfavorable to a  
favorable finding. McCabe seems not  
to have hesitated to stoop to any-  
thing to accomplish the undoing of  
Wiley.Solicitor McCabe, who seem to be  
a crook of the first order, worked  
entirely in the interests of those who  
wanted the pure food law nullified,  
and as this could not be done as  
long as an honest man like Dr. Wiley  
was there to see it enforced, he de-  
termined that he would destroy him.  
What further testimony may show  
cannot be anticipated, but it would  
seem that here was sufficient evi-  
dence already for "framing" McCabe.  
If Secretary Wilson shall fail to do  
so, he will lose much of public con-  
fidence that he has so far enjoyed,  
and will leave his office under a  
cloud.

## A Farce and a Fraud.

Those rascals who undertook to  
have Dr. Wiley removed from the  
head of the Board of Food and Drug  
Inspection had no idea the hornet's  
nest they were going to stir up. Had  
they known they would have let him  
alone. They lost sight of the Demo-  
cratic House and a possible inves-  
tigation, and hence they have gotten  
into hot water waist deep.Had a Republican House been in  
power, Dr. Wiley would have been  
slaughtered, but the Democrats or-  
dered an investigation, and Dr. Wiley  
has made an entertaining witness.  
His testimony as to how, after the  
Board of Food and Drug Inspection  
had declared "corn syrup" an illegal  
label for glucose, its decision was re-  
jected, interests the public.The board's unfavorable decision  
was printed and ready for circulation  
when the Corn Products Company  
got very busy. Those three eminent  
food experts, Secretary of the Treas-  
ury Cortelyou, Secretary of Com-  
merce and Labor Straus and Sec-  
retary of Agriculture Wilson, were  
somehow induced to reverse the Bu-  
reau of Chemistry's findings and to  
authorize the sale of glucose under  
an improper label.As usual these Republican officials  
were on the side of the trusts and  
against the people. But they have  
been caught up with, and it would  
be instructive to know what argu-  
ments the Corn Products people ad-  
vanced to persuade the three Secre-  
taries that they knew more about the  
chemical purity of a particular food-  
stuff than the Government's chemist.  
What use are chemists anyhow?

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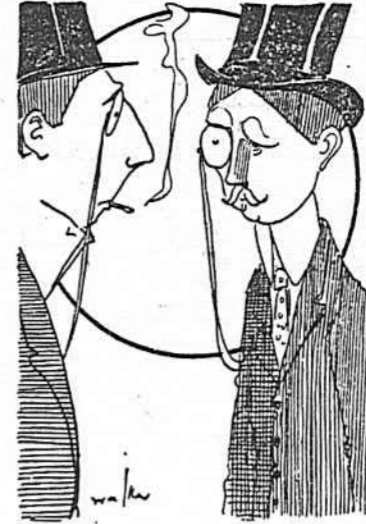
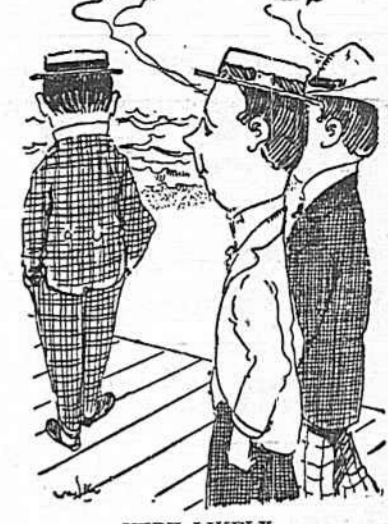
Jeremiah 39—Aug. 27  
"Do sure your sin will find you out."  
Numbers 32:33.THE dark prophecies which the  
Lord sent through Jeremiah the  
Prophet finally reached ful-  
fillment. The besieging army  
of the Chaldeans, after a year and a  
half of siege, finally, with battering  
rams, succeeded in making a breach in  
the wall through which an entrance  
was effected and the city forced to  
capitulate. King Zedekiah and his  
small army escaped toward the south  
in the direction of the Jordan, but  
were soon overtaken by the Chaldeans.  
Nebuchadnezzar, in person, was some  
miles distant from Jerusalem, at Rib-  
lah, and thither Zedekiah was taken.The punishment was after the man-  
ner of the time, illustrated on some of  
the victory tablets which still  
remain. The king's eyes were  
put out and, a blind prisoner, he  
was taken to Babylon. This was  
fulfilled two very striking  
prophecies which, until fulfilled,  
seemed quite contradictory. In this  
we get a lesson of how carefully we  
should study Divine prophecy, and how  
faithfully we should trust its every de-  
tail if we would receive light instead  
of darkness.One of these prophecies respecting  
Zedekiah is found in Ezekiel xii, 10-13.  
The other is found in Jeremiah xxxii,  
3-5. Ezekiel declared that King Zede-  
kiah would be taken to Babylon a cap-  
tive, and that there he would live and  
die; yet he again declared that he  
would never see the city, apparently a  
contradiction. Jeremiah predicted the  
downfall of Jerusalem, declaring that  
Zedekiah would speak with Nebuchad-  
nezzar month to month and see his  
eyes. This seemed to contradict Eze-  
kiel's statement, for if he would speak  
with the king month to month and see  
him eye to eye, how would it be pos-  
sible that he would not see the city of  
Babylon?The fulfillment met all the require-  
ments. Zedekiah saw Nebuchadnezzar  
and spoke to him at Riblah in Pal-  
estine. His sight was there taken from  
him and he was taken a prisoner to  
Babylon. He lived and died in Baby-  
lon but saw it not.Cruelty of the Past  
In the Bas Reliefs, representing the  
capture of Lachish by Sennacherib, the  
prisoners are represented, some pegged  
down to the ground to be flayed alive  
—others having their eyes put out. In  
one of the sculptures at Khossaband,  
Sargon represents himself in person  
holding a prisoner by a thong attached  
to a ring passed through his under lip.  
The victim kneels before him, while  
with a spear he pierces his eyes.  
To what shall we give the credit of  
our modern progress and civilization?  
We cannot give the credit to any  
church, sect or party. We must  
honestly acknowledge that every  
sect, in its turn, has displayed  
more or less of bitterness, big-  
otry, superstition and persecution  
—contrary even to its own stand-  
ards. In the last analysis we must  
admit that the

Blinding a prisoner.

great influence which has moulded the  
civilization of our day has come to us  
from the words and example of "The  
Man Christ Jesus, who gave Himself  
a ransom for all to be testified in due  
time" (I Timothy ii, 6). The great  
truths which he uttered have come  
echoing down the centuries, speaking  
righteousness, peace and love, even for  
our enemies. Everywhere His "Won-  
derful Words of Life" have made an  
impression, and here and there have  
effected the transformation of charac-  
ter.We should more and more feel our  
obligation to the great truths which  
came to us from the Bible, and less  
and less obligation to the sects and  
parties which have quarrelled and bat-  
tled over those Words of Life.Thus, gradually, we will come to  
discern the truth of the Bible decla-  
ration that there is but one Lord, one  
faith, one baptism, one God and Fa-  
ther of all, and one Church of the liv-  
ing God, the Church of the First-  
Born, whose names are written in  
heaven. These, found scattered in all  
the denominations and outside of all,  
constitute the saintly few who have  
the promise of the First Resurrection,  
as joint-heirs with Messiah in His  
glorious Kingdom which will soon be  
established in the earth and enforce  
righteousness.Jesus was the great Light which  
came into the world, and His follow-  
ers were to be lights or candles  
also. "As I live, so are we in this  
world"—light-bearers. The Church is  
not of the world. As Jesus said, "Ye  
are not of the world." Yet the Church  
is the light of the world. Each indi-  
vidual Christian should let his light  
shine before men, and the Church as  
a whole is to be like "a city set on a  
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HE GOT A REWARD.  
"When the teacher heard me swear,  
she asked me where I learned it."  
"What did you tell her?"  
"Oh! I didn't give you away; I blamed  
it on the parrot."MEAN ADVANTAGE OF HIM.  
Lord Algy—Why did you accede to  
your valet's demands?  
Lord Arthur—He threatened to strike  
and quit just when I was half dressed,  
you know.VERY LIKELY.  
"Do you know anything about that  
fellow?"  
"No."  
"But I just saw you loan him two  
dollars."  
"Yes; and maybe if I knew anything  
about him I wouldn't have lent him the  
two."BREAK HIS NECK.  
"I see that a man fell downstairs last  
week and cured himself of rheumatism  
by breaking both of his legs."  
"The fellow with a sore throat would  
be taking an awful chance."HAD TO BE STRONG.  
First Manager—Has that big guy a  
strong part in your new piece?  
Second Manager—Yes; he holds up the  
mountain in the third act.WHAT HE THOUGHT OF IT.  
"Is this the fastest train on this line?"  
"It's the limited, sir."  
"Well, it's the limit, all right."

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