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Sir Months. WINNSBORG, F. C.

Saturday, May 5, - - - 1906

CAMPAIGN ROT. A few days ago we mentioned that in some of the Republican platforms trusts were condemned, and we said that no faith could be placed in these declarations, that the trusts were the creatures of the Republican party and it was bardly likely that it would deright. It was tested in the Senate a few days ago, and it was shown very plainly that when it comes to legislation that the Republicans will be on the side of the trusts.

The test vote came up in an amendment to the army reorganization bill. It was proposed that, other things being equal, that the quartermaster's department in the purchase of articles and supplies for the military service, should give preference to producers, manufacturers and merchants, "who connected with any trust or combine." The Republicans could not stand the test. The amendment was lost by a vote of 18 yeas to 29 rays. The News and Courier analyzes | the vote as follows: "Of the 18 two were Republicans, one a silver Republican, one a Fusionist, and the rest Democrats. Of the 29, who voted to save to the trusts and combines the valued privilege of bidding for fat Government contracts, one was a 'silver' man and all the rest Republicans." The Republican platforms on the subject of trusts is all 1et, as the newspaper reporters would say.

It is said that the statement of H. H. Rogers, of the standard Oil Company, tha the breaking off of the negotiations for the purchase by the United States of the Danish West India Islands, was due to the influence of the corporation which he represents, and his it over. claim that this corposation controls twenty-six Senators has caused a ranks in Washington and especially in administration circles. The national legislation is largely dictated by the trusts is a matter of common belief, anyhow, and it will be greatly strengthened by this indiscreet basst of a memar the giant ber of the greatest is little reason to s claim has caused erturcation in the Bes sise, a large for, whether it is true or element of the public will 2 The Republican party is in hard it

Charlotte Observer. Why should it cause convulsion in the Republican ranks? Do not the Republicans always vote for the trusts? That's strong evidence the Standard Oil Company's claim is well founded.

this year and nothing but Democratic

folloy can prevent its overthrow .-

THE Georgia newspapers are arging the importance of a full and reprethe cotton situation. If all of the cotton States should determine to confarmers could fix the price of cotton to suit themselves. We have little to laugh over the first tew they had both Early Amber and Early faith in conventions. The facts, though, should be shoved before the farmers every now and then, and folly of planting so much cotton. Cotton is the largest item of export cents \$400,000,000. Farmers could make it bring \$500,000,000.

PROF. STONE and Instructor Lyon, of the University of Virginia, are both in town, and will remain during the rest of the month. They have selested a bill on Mr. W. H. Flenniken's place for their apparatus, and have started to work getting everything in it was quite a disappointment. At place. It will take some time to get Winthrop one always has to bear in Itartificially digests the food and aids able adjusted. Both Professor Stone and Mr. Lyon ar

pleasant gentlemen, and we hope that their stay in Winnsboro will be ma le pleasant. Mr. Lyon is a member of the S. A. E Fraternity, of which organization there are several members in Winnsboro.

SEE about reduced rates for the eclipse at once, and have it thoroughly advertised. If this is done, Winnsboro will have the largest crowd it has ever known on the 28th inst. What's the use of having an opportunity if the most is not made of it. It is not every place in the United States that can be in the centre of the path. Many places envy our lack.

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MR. JOSEPH W. BARNWELL has withdrawn from the congressional race in the First District, leaving the field to Col. Elliott. Mr. Barnwell would make an able congressman an i his friends throughout the State will regret to hear of his determination.

WE baven't heard from anyone on the new cotton mill. What have the people to say about it? If we get another mill, Winnsboro will have to build it. A community must first help itself before outsiders will do anything.

CHARLESTON shows grit in undertaking her exposition. It involves the expenditure of a great deal of money, strey its own creatures. We were and the rest of the State should encourage the "city by the sea."

OUR WINTHROP LETTER.

Rock Hill, May 3 .- As a usual thing, the college concert always given in April, is considered the best of the Star Course. This year Prof. Strong drilled the Cecelia Chorus in the opera, "Pinafore," for the occasion. On last Friday night the college auditorium held a large and expectant audi ence. From the time that the curtain are not members of or in any way first rose until the end of the opera the chorus girls, row "sailor boys," wearing the conventional blouse and blue "Tam O'Shanter" caps, held the attention of the audience.

The principals acted their parts well; they were as follows:

Miss Lila Neal, as Sir Josoph Porter, Miss Etla McDaniel, as Coptain Cor-

.Miss Lula Jones, as Ralph Rack-

Mrs. Kuria Strong, as Jesephine. Miss Aneta Hall, as Hebe.

Miss Leora Douthit, as Butterenp. Many were the compliments showered upon them, and they were not given undeservedly. The Iredeli O ... chestra assisted in some of the cho. Johnson, and on the east by the Southruses. All expressed themselves ern Railway Company. Said lot conpleased with the opera and some even say they wish Prof. Strong would give

On Saturday night the Juniors enmighty convulsion in the Republican tertained the "Class of 1900" at a charming reception. The college parlors, which are handsome within themselves, were this evening unusually resplendent; special nooks and "cozy serners," palms and potted plants, cut flowers and evergreens added beauty and brightness to the ublicon ranks, scene. It was hore that President Johnson escorted the president of the Junior Class; it was here that each fanior brought her Senior partner; was here the faculty came to kills them

lelightful evening. Inter-ttlwhile away a us esting games were intro them being the one called "Wh should the wives of professional men | 1f be named?" On dainty little cards were written the names of thirty-two professional men with the question, What should his wife be named?" on each one, there of course being a blank to fill out. Here, for example, are two of the questions: Name of sentative meeting at Macon to discuss lawyer, "Sue"; name of gambler, for forage. It is the best for "Bet," and so on Misses Lucy Reed and Eva Rollins being particularly apt at "catching on" to the problems were forage. Come and we will solved, found themselves at the and of Orange Cane Seed. the game in possession of the booby

prize. At a "reasonable hour" the guests maybe after a time they will see the were ushered into the dining room where the beautifully set tables were laden with everything most tempting to the palate. After the banquet all that this country produces. At six retired to the parlors where the rest of cents it brings about \$300,000,000; at the evening passed quickly and pleasseven cents \$350,000,000; at eight antly until the hands of the clock neared the hour of twelve when "good night" were reluctantly taken.

The next thing to be looked forward to is the annual outing. President Johnson had made arrangements to take us to Charleston, but as only one hundred and ninetzen girls registered their names for the trip, and it was necessary to get two handred and forty before the car could be chartered, the trip had to be given up. To these the trip had set their hearts on taking it. who had set their hearts on taking it, mind the words, "Majority Rules"; Nature in strengthening and recon-

girls prefer a shorter and less expering the exhausted digestive or-sive trip, President Johnson and the antantionic: No other preferred minority"—in this case those who can approach it in efficiency. It in-preferred going to Charleston—are trying to forget their disappointment, and next week they will be ready to join the "majority" no matter where they may go and enjoy the picnic to all other results of imperfect digestion. the fullest extent.

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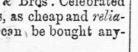
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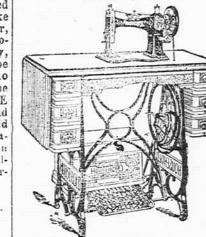
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There-y announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Fairfield County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries

J. W. CLARK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

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JAS. A. BRICE.

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Democratic primaries.

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JNO. J. NEIL.

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