### NOTICE!

Board of Control Clarendon Co.

Manning, S. C., June 27, 1900. On the 14th day of July, 1900, at 12 o'clock M. in the office of the County Supervisor, applications for the position of County Dispenser will be cations must comply with Section ? Bryan Nominated For Presi- ute, that their stay in the crowded hall Acts General Assembly 1894, which reads as follows:

"Section 7. Applications for positions of County Dispenser shall be by petition, signed and sworn to by the applicant and filed with the Board of Control at least ten days before the meeting at which the application is to be considered. which petition shall state the appli cant's name, place of residence, in what business engaged, and in what business he has been engaged two years previous to filing petition: that he is a citizen of the United States and of South Carolina: that he has never been adjudged guilty of violating the law relating to intoxi ating liquors, and is not a keep-er of a restaurant or place of public amusement, and that he is not addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage. This permit or renewal thereof shall issue only on condition that the applicant shall execute to the County Treasurer a bond in the penal sum of three thousand dollars, with good and sufficient sureties, conditioned that he wil well and truly obey the laws of the State of South Carolina, now or hereafter in force, in relation to the sale of intoxicating liquors, that he will pay all fines, penalties, damages and costs that he may be assessed. or recorded against him, for violations of such laws during the term for which said permit or renewal is granted, and will not sell intoxicating liquors under his permit at a price other than that fixed by State Board of Control. R. H. DAVIS,

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dent and Stevenson For Vice President.

### FORMER BY ACCLAMATION

Illinois Man De cats Several Strong arrive. Men-Hill Declined to Be a Candidate-Nominees Are In Hearty Ac- the space reserved for them filled up cord on Democratic Principles as Laid Down by the Platform

Democratic convention was called to or-der at noon by Chairman James K. Jones of Arkansas.

Thomas of Colorado took the chair. when nominations for president and vice president are in order.

KANSAS CITY, July 4.—This is opening day of the Democratic national conven-



WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

tion. After . Il the heat and turmoil, the day is here, and all roads lead to the convention, where, at 12 o'clock, Chairman Jones calls the convention to order. Throughout the night there has been no sleep, for the sky has been lurid and the sound deafening from rockets and cannon and every conceivable device of noisy demonstration. With the daylight the shock had increased into one long continued roar, in which the patriotism of the day and the enthusiasm

of the party are blended.

Early in the day the crowds began to turn toward Convention hall and all the approaches to the vast edifice were filled with an eager and excited throng, surging toward the many entrances seeking to gain early admission to the building. With them came bands, marching clubs and drum corps, and to the confusion of their crash and hurrah was added the constant crack, boom, sizz of bombs and crackers, as the convention enthusiasts and the small boy vied with each other in celebrating the day.

The convention hall auditorium is

seats rise tier on tier on every side back to the remotest corner of the building.

pass by the gatekeepers.

The crowd was not as In the hollow of this bowl the real busiand alternates are seated and the platform is located.

The area for delegates is paved with stones, so there will be no sound of shuffled feet. The seats are arranged in gates and alternates make a little lake of yellow in this bowl marked here and there by the tall standards indicating the various state delegations.

Raised about 2 feet above this stone. the platform juts out into the lake of yellow like some cape in the sea. Th platform is flanked on either side by the



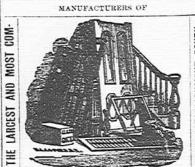
ADLAI E. STEVENSON.

itself presents evidence of elegance, even gorgeousness, and is far more elaborate than the counterpart at Philadelphia Beneath the chairman's feet stretches a rich Turkish rug of crimson hue, while a great leathern seat is ready to accommodate the man who holds the gavel Instead of a table before him the gavel is to fall on a strange wooden pedestal, similar to those used in supporting a catafalque. The secretary of the con vention has another raised platform with a huge chair of leathern elegance, while the lesser officials, clerks and stenographers have the usual spread of pine before them.

Kansas City, July5 .- Convention hall was again besieged by eager and excited thousands and long before the time set for opening the second day's proceedings of the convention all of the streets approaching the building were solidly massed with humanity, moving forward to the many entrances.

Expectancy was at a high pitch, as it was universally felt that the day had in

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time set for the opening of the conven- Bryan For President and Stevenson tion, nearly every seat in the galleries were occupied.

The delegates were much more deliberate and came in slowly. The word has gotten abroad that there would be a fight on the floor over the adoption of the platform, and antici-pating a session which would be long and hard after it had once began, they preferred to come only at the last minmight be made no longer than necessary. The crowd was anxious to see Senator Hill and on two occasions when a baldheaded man came through the door leading to the delegates' seats they set up a cry of "Hill," which had proved so sensational a feature at both sessions yesterday. The senator, however, was one of the last of the New York delegates to

Once the delegates began to put in an appearance they came in streams and with great rapidity. At 10:30 o'clock, the time set for the opening of the convention, two-thirds of them were seated KANSAS CITY, July 4.—The nationa and the remainder were in the hall or

crowding through the doors. The bands played familiar tunes in the galleries and brought forth the old yells from the crowd. As usual "Dixie" The routine business was quickly dispatched and Temporary Chairman and "Hot Time" were played repeatedly

and cheered enthusiastically.

The arrival of Richard Croker called The various committees were appointed, and following their reports, forth a few cheers from the galleries permanent organization will be effected, and, as usual, when a Tammany man when nominations for president and shows up, there was the cry of "Hill" just to remind him that "there are others." At 12:45 o'clock the convention ad-

journed until 3:30, when the committee on resolutions made its report. The delay was due to the number of vote changes being made in the draft of

the report. KANSAS CITY, July 7 .- The final day of the Democratic national convention broke clear and hot.

An hour before the convention hall was opened dense crowds were packed around the various entrances and hundreds were coming on every thoroughfare that afforded access to the hall. About 30 minutes after the doors were opened the galleries were all occupied and still the crowds around the entrance was never a dull moment. Nowhere and still the streets had suffered no dimiand in the streets had suffered no dimi-

police and sergeants-at-arms The started in with great vigor to prevent any repetition of the disagreeable featnres of yesterday's second session and for a considerable time met with sucbut they were gradually overwhelmed and comparatively helpless by



SENATOR JAMES K. JONES.

ness is to be done, for here the delegates | convention—the reading of the platform and the nomination of a candidate for the presidency were over.

Stevenson Is Nominated.

It took 15 minutes to restore some a great oval, the side toward the plat-form. The folding chairs for the dele-man for Illinois, Representative James man for Illinois, Representative James Williams, presented the name of Steven-

Mr. Williams spoke rapidly and briefly and at his mention of Adlai E. Stevenson Illinois was on its feet cheering

Kansas was up, as was Alabama, Arkansas. Minnesota and a large number of delegates in different parts of the hall. rows of press seats, stretching back 200 of delegates in different parts of the hall feet in either direction. The platform The applause while vigorous was short, not lasting over a minute. When the rollcall reached Connecticut that state gave way to Minnesota amid cheers and criet of "Towne." L. A. Roesing took the platform to present the name of Charles A. Towne of his state.

When he pronounced the name of Towne there was cheering from the Minnesota delegation, which rose to its feet waving flags in frantic fashion. The galleries joined in the applause with fervor, but there was less enthusiasm among the men on the floor who had the votes.

Hill Will Not Accept. While the galleries were enthusing

over Mr. Towne there was an excited little group about the chair of ex-Senator Hill. In it was Mr. Croker. "You must take the nomination and save the day," said Edward Murphy, excitedly.
"You must take it," said Croker, lean-

ing over him while Norman E. Mack and Frank Campbell held Hill, one on each side, and urged him to accept.

An excited man from New Jersey, shaking his finger under Mr. Hill's nose, shouted:

"You can't refuse, you can't. The party must have you to save the east."
"I don't want it. You can name He's as good as I am," said Stevenson. Hill, and then turning to Murphy and Croker and gripping his hand he said: 'Please don't force this, please don't."

When the state of Delaware was called the announcement was made that the state would yield to New York. Then the result of the Hill conference became apparent.

A tremendous shout of applause swept through the hall. Delegate Grady, one of the leaders of Tammany Hall, had already ascended the platform and as he stepped to the front to address the convention the applause and cheering in-

creased. "On behalf of the Democracy of New York I present for the nomination of the vice presidency the name of David Bennett Hill.

## STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

County of Clarendon. By James M. Windham, Esq., Probate Judge. WHEREAS, F. H. CHEWNING

made suit to me to grant him letters of administration of the estate of and effects of Mrs. Josephine Holladay, deceased. These are therefore to cite and dmonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Mrs. Josephine Holladay, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Manning, on the 21st day of July next, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted. Given under my hand this 21st day of June. A. D. 1900.

SEAL. Judge of Probate. 14-4t]

ATTORNEY AT LAW, MANNING, S. C.

JAMES M. WINDHAM.

store the great events of the convention. DEMOCRATIC TICKET NAMED PLATFORM OF THE

For Vice President. KANSAS CITY, July 6 .- The Democratic convention has completed its

work and adjourned.

Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, was placed on the ticket with W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, at the head.

Bryan was nominated for president by acclamation, while Stevenson won out over Towne, Hill and other strong

clamation and with a display of enthusiasm demonstrating harmony in party ranks and an honesty in Democratic A platform splendidly American, magnificently Democratic in every sentence

KANSAS CITY, July 6 .- Bryan by ac-



[Who Nominated W. J. Bryan.] go-such a day, taken as a whole, as no other convention has ever known. From the beginning of the morning session until the close at night, there there been such a continuous, spontaneous outburst of enthusiasm-honest enthusiasm from the heart. There was nothing of the manufactured article in all this.

The presentation of Bryan's name and out representation. It dishonors the the announcement of his nomination were greeted by outbursts of the same character as when Chairman Richardson first mentioned his name to the convention. Perfect pandemoniums of happiness and joy were these.

Nor was the personal tribute paid Hill of New York, unexpected. The efforts of the convention to get Hill to the front before this indicated what the delegates would do if they were given the chance. But there were two outbursts of particular significance, two that were not among the expected. One of these was over Webster Davis, recently a favored son in the McKinley household, who made a brilliant and fervid speech renouncing allegiance to McKinley and McKinleyism, and declaring for Bryan. The other unexpected demonstration was that over the platform. Nobody expected much in the demonstration line over the platform, but the unexpected happened. To Senator Tillman fell the lot of reading the platform, and splen-didly did he perform the task. Close attention was paid to every sentence. There was liberal applause up to the paragraph defining the party's position against Republican imperialism. As the reading of that, with its climax declaring this to be the paramount issue of the campaign, was completed, there followed an outburst which can only be depass by the gatekeepers.

The crowd was not as terrific as that of last night—the great features of the convention—the reading of the platform instant 20,000 flags flashed in the six and condensed by the last of last night word into a paroxysm of enthusiasm manifested or last limperialistic program, the Republican party seeks to commit the United States to a colonial policy, inconsistent with republican institutions and condensed by the last of last limperialistic program, the Republican party seeks to commit the United States to a colonial policy, inconsistent with republican institutions and condensed by the last limperialistic program, the Republican party seeks to commit the United States to a colonial policy, inconsistent with republican institutions. for half an hour there was a wonderful display of patriotic fervor over this magnificent utterance of Democratic policy. Oldham of Nebraska, who presented Mr. Bryan's name, has rather a tragic manner, but former Senator Hill was the dramatic figure among those who made seconding speeches, but his was by no

means the only good speech. BIG BRYAN DEMONSTRATION Citizens March to His House and Sere

nade the Nominee. LINCOLN, Neb., July 6 .- Chief inter-



EX-GOVERNOR W. J. STONE vention is when it will conclude with the final adjournment.

The local demonstration in honor of Mr. Bryan, while it was slow in starting, reached respectable proportions at midnight, when a marching party formed and with bands paraded to the Bryan home and serenaded the presidential nominee. The Bryan telephone was kept ringing late into the night by friends who wished to offer congratula tions. Many telegrams from a distance were received.

Mr. Bryan was asked what effect he thought the adoption of the platform in its present form would have on the presidential nomination. He replied that it might tend to eliminate some candidates who would have remained in the contest had the platform contained a mere reaffirmation of the silver plank of 1896.

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# NATION'S DEMOCRACY

Able Exposition of the Issues of the Day.

### DINGLEY LAW CONDEMNED

It Is Denounced As the Breeder of Tru ts-Nicaragua Canal-Maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine-Opposes Militarism-Silver Plank.

Kansas City, July 6 .- Following is a text of the platform as agreed upon by A record breaking day as conventions the committee on resolutions and adopted by the convention:

"We, the representatives of the Democratic party of the United States, assembled in convention on the anniversary of the declation of independence, do reaffirm our faith in that immortal proclamation of the inalienable rights of man and our allegiance to the constitution framed in harmony therewith by the fathers of the republic. We hold with the United States supreme court that the declaration of independence is the spirit of our government, of which the constitution is the form and letter. We declare again that all governments instituted among men derive their just powers from the consent of the governed; that any government not based upon the consent of the governed is a tyranny; and that to impose upon any people a government of force is to substitute the methods of imperialism for those of a republic. We hold that the constitution follows the flag and denounce the doctrine that an executive or congress deriving their existence and their powers from the constitution can exercise lawful authority beyond it, or in violation of it. We assert that no nation can long endure half republic and half empire, and we warn the American people that imperialism abroad will lead quickly and inevitably to despotism at home. Believing in these principles, we denounce the Porto Rico law, enacted by a Republican congress against the protest and opposition of the Democratic minority as a bold and open violation of the nation's organic law and a flagrant breach of good faith. It imposes upon the people of Porto Rico a government without their consent and taxation with-



SENATOR TILLMAN.

[Who Read the Platform.] American people by repudiating solemn pledge made in their behalf by the commanding general of our army, which the Porto Ricans welcomed, to a peaceful and unresisted occupation of their island. They have doomed to poverty and distress a people whose helplessness appeals with peculiar force to our justice and magnanimity. In this, siding officer in the center, while the seats rise tier on tier on every side back pass by the gatekeepers.

The around state allowed to program, stiding officer in the center, while the heavy crowds that were allowed to scribed as marvelous. No other word the first act of its imperialistic program, the first act of its imperialistic program, the Republican party seeks to commit to the remotast corner of the building.

numerous decisions. "We demand the prompt and honest fulfillment of our pledges to the Cuban people and the world that the United States has no disposition nor intention to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over the island of Cuba, except for its pacification. The war ended nearly two years ago, profound peace reigns over all the island, and still the administration keeps the government of the island from its people, while Republican carpet-bag officials plunder its revenues and exploit the colonial theory to the disgrace of the American people.

As to the Philippines. "We condemn and denounce the Philippines policy of the present adminisunnecessarily in war, sacrificed the lives of many of our noblest sons and placed and city, against private monopolies in the United States, previously known and applauded throughout the world as the champion of freedom, in the false as to the affairs of corporations engaged and un-American position of crushing, with military force, the efforts of our former allies to achieve liberty and selfgovernment. The Filipinos cannot be citizens without endangering our civilization; they cannot be subjects without as we are not willing to surrender our any articles of merchandise, and the imperiling our form of government, and civilization or controvert the republic into an empire, we favor an immediate declaration of the nation's purpose to give the Filipinos, first, a stable form of government; second, independence, and, third, protection from outside interferich as has been given for nearly ence, such a management of the republics of Central and South America. The greedy commercialism which defeated the Philippines policy of the Republican administration attempts to justify it with the plea that it will pay, but even this sordid and unworthy plea fails when brought to the test of fact. The war of criminal ag-gression against the Filipinos, entailing an annual expenditure of many millions, has already cost more than any possible profit that could accrue from the entire Filipino trade for years to come. Furthermore, when trade is extended at the

expense of liberty the price is always too Views On Expansion.

"We are not opposed to territorial expansion when it takes in desirable territory which can be erected into states in the Union and whose people are willing and fit to become American citizens. We favor trade expansion by every peaceful and legitimate means, but we are unalterably opposed to the seizing or purchasing of distant islands to be governed outside the constitution and whose people can never become citizens. We are in favor of extending the republic's in-

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fluence among the nations, but believe that influence should be extended, not by force and violence, but through the persuasive power of a high and honorable example. The importance of other questions now pending before the American people is in no wise diminished and the Democratic party takes no backward step from its position on them, but the burning issue of imperialism, growing out of the Spanish war, involves the very existence of the republic and the destruction of our free institutions. We an American financial system, made by Lv Kingstree, ar Lanes,

### The Monroe Doctrine.

"The declaration in the Republican platform adopted at the Philadelphia convention held in June, 1900, that the Republican party 'steadfastly adhered to the policy announced in the Monroe doctrine, is manifestly insincere and deceptive. This profession is contradicted



by the avowed policy of that party in opposition to the spirit of the Monroe doctrine to acquire and hold sovereignty over large areas of territory and large numbers of people in the eastern hemisphere. We insist on the strict maintenance of the Monroe doctrine and in all its integrity, both in letter and in spirit, as necessary to prevent the extension of European authority on this continent and essential to our supremacy in American affairs. At the same time we declare that no American principle shall ever be held by force in unwilling subjection to European authority.

Opposed to Militarism.

"We oppose militarism. It means conquest abroad and intimidation and oppression at home. It means the strong army, which has ever been fatal to free institutions. It is what millions of our citizens have fled from in Europe. It will impose upon our peace-loving people a large standing army, an unnecessary burden of taxation and a constant menace to their liberties. A small standing army and a well disciplined state militia are amply sufficient in time of peace. This republic has no place for a vast military service and conscription. When the nation is in danger the volun teer soldier is his country's best defender. The National guard of the United States should ever be cherished in the patriotic hearts of a free people. Such organiza tions are ever an element of strength and safety. For the first time in our history and co-evil with the Philippines conquest, has there been a wholesale departure from our time-honored and approved system of volunteer organiza-We denounce it as un-American, un-Democratic and unrepublican and as a subvertion of the ancient and fixed

principles of a free people. Dingley Tariff Law Condemned. "Private monopolies are indefensible and intolerable. They destroy competition, control the price of all materials and of the finished product, thus robbing both producer and consumer. They lessen the employment of labor and arbi-trarily fix the terms and conditions thereof and deprive individual energy and small capital of their opportunity

for betterment. "They are the most efficient means yet devised for appropriating the fruits of industry to the benefit of the few at the expense of the many, and unless their insatiate greed is checked all wealth will be aggregated in a few hands and the republic destroyed. The dishonest paltering with the trust evil by the Republican party in state and national platforms is conclusive proof of the truth of the charge that trusts are the legitimate product of Republican policies; that they are fostered by Re-publican laws and that they are protected by the Republican administration

in return for campaign subscriptions and political support. "We pledge the Democratic party to any form. Existing laws against trusts must be enacted providing for publicity in interstate commerce and requiring all corporations to show, before doing business outside of the state of their origin, that they have no water in their stock and that they have not attempted and are not attempting to monopolize any branch of business or the production of whole constitutional power of congress over the mails and all modes of interstate commerce shall be exercised by the enactment of comprehensive laws upon the subject of trusts. Tariff laws should

be amended by putting the products of trusts upon the free list to prevent monopoly under the plea of protection.
"The failure of the present Republican administration, with an absolute control of all the branches of the national government, to enact any legislation designed to prevent or even curtail the absorbing power of trusts and illegal combines, or to enforce the antitrust laws already on the statute books prove the insincerity of the highsounding phrases of the Republican platform. Corporations should be protected in all their rights and their legitimate interests should be respected, but any attempt by corporations to interfere with the public affairs of the people, or to control the sovereignty which creates them, should be forbidden under such "Believing that our most penalties as will make such attempts

impossible. We condomn the Dingley tariff law as a trust-breeding measure skillfully devised to give the few favors which they do not desire and place upon the many burdens which they should not

Interstate Commerce Law. "We favor such an enlargement of the scope of the interstate commerce law

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as will enable the commission to protect individuals and communities from discriminations and the public from unjust and unfair transportation rates.

### The Silver Plank.

"We affirm and indorse the principles of the national Democratic platform adopted in Chicago in 1896, and we reregard it as the paramount issue of the the American people for themselves, Ly Lanes, which shall restore and maintain a bi- Ar Charleston, metallic price level and as part of such system the restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any

> "We denounce the currency bill enacted in the last session of congress as a step forward in the Republican policy, which aims to discredit the sovereign right of the national government to issue all money, whether coin or paper. and to bestow upon national banks the power to issue and control the volume of paper money for their own benefit. A permanent national bank currency, secured by government bonds, must have a permanent debt to rest upon, and if the bank currency is to increase with population and business, the debt must also increase. The Republican currency scheme is the reform scheme for fastening upon the taxpayers a perpetual and bonded debt for the benefit of the banks. We are opposed to this private corporation paper circulated as money, but without legal tender qualities, and demand the retirement of the national bank notes as fast as government paper or silver certificates can be substituted Durlington 6.29 pm, arrive Florence 7 pm. Leave Hartsville Sunday only 8.15 am.

#### Election of United States Senators. "We favor an amendment to the fed- J. II. KENLEY, JNO. F. DIVINE, eral constitution providing for the elec-

tion of United States senators by direct vote of the people, and we favor direct legislation wherever practicable.
"We are opposed to government by injunction. We denounce the black list and favor arbitration as a means of setding disputes between corporations and Lv Wilmington, 3.45 P. their employers.

### Favors a Departmet of Labor.

"In the interest of American labor Ly Sumter, and the uplifting of the workingman as Ar Columbia, 10.20 the cornerstone of the prosperity of our create a department of labor, in charge of a secretary with a seat in the cabinet, believing that elevation of American laborers will bring with it increased pro- Lv Columbia, duction and increased prosperity to our Ar Sumter, country at home and to our commerce Ly sympter, abroad.

"We are proud of the courage and fidelity of the American soldiers and sailors in all our wars; we favor liberal pensions to them and their dependents, and we reiterate the position taken in the Chicago platform in 1896, that the fact of enlistment and service shall be leemed conclusive evidence against disease and disability before enlistment.

### The Nicaragua Canal.

"We favor the immediate construction, ownership and control of the Nicaragua canal by the United States, and we denounce the insincerity of the plank T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. in the national Republican platform for H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Pass. Agent. an isthmian canal, in the face of the failure of the Republican majority to pass the billi pending in congress. We condemn the Hay-Pauncefote treaty as a surrender of American rights and interests not to be tolerated by the Ameri-

can people.
"We denounce the failure of the Re publican party to carry out its pledges, to grant statehoods to the territories of Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma and we promise the people of those ter-ritories immediate statehood and home rule during their condition as territories and we favor home rule and territorial form of government for Alaska and Porto Rico. We favor an intelligent system of improving the arid lands of the west, restoring the waters of irriga-tion and the holding of such lands for

"We favor the continuance and strict enforcement of the Chinese exclusion law and its application to the same

#### lasses of all Asiatic races. Sympathy For the Boers.

"Jefferson said: 'Peace, commerce and onest friendship with nations, entangling alliances with no one.' "We approve this wholesome doctrine and earnestly protest against the Republican departure which has involved us in so-called politics, including the diplomacy of Europe and the intrigue and land grabbing of Asia and we especially condemn the ill-concealed Republican alliance with England, which must mean discrimination against other friendly

nations and which has already stifled the nation's voice, while liberty is being strangled in Africa. "Believing in the principles of self-government and rejecting as did our orefathers, the claim of monarchy, we view with indignation the purpose of England to overwhelm with force the South African republic. Speaking, as we do, for the entire American nation, except its Republican officeholders and for all free men everywhere, we extend our sympathies to the heroic burghers in their unequal struggle to maintain their

#### liberty and independence. Administration Denounced.

"We denounce the lavish appropriaions of recent Republican congresses, which have kept taxes high and which threaten the perpetuation of oppressive war levies. We oppose the accumulation of a surplus to be squandered in such barefaced frauds upon the taxpayers as the shipping subsidy bill, which, under the false pretence of prosperity, American shipbuilding would put unearned millions into the pockets of favorite contributors to the Republican campaign fund. We favor the reduction and speedy repeal of the war taxes and a return to the time-honored Democratic policy of strict economy in

"Believing that our most cherished institutions are in great peril, that the very existence of our constitutional republic is at stake and the decision to be rendered will determine whether or not our children are to enjoy those blessed privileges of free government which have made the United States great, prosperous and honored, we earnestly ask for the foregoing declaration of principles, the hearty support of the liberty-loving people, regardless of party affiliations.

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### ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 14, 1900. On and after this date the following ssenger schedule will be in effect:

NORTHEASTERN RAILROAD. South Bound. \*35. 3.25 A 7 55 P. 8.57 4.38 9.15 4 38 9.15 7.40 P. 6.03 10.50 North-Bound.

Ly Charleston, 6.33 A. 5.17 P. 7.00 A. Ar Lanes. 8.18 6 45 8 32 Ly Lanes. 8 18 6.45v Kingstree, 8.34 Ar Florence, 9.28 7.55 \*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. No. 52 runs through to Columbia via

Trains Nos. 78 and 32 run via Wilson and Fayetteville-Short Line-and make close connection for all points North. Trains on C. & D. R. R. leave Florence daily except Sanday 9.55 a m, a rive Darlington 10.28 a m, Cheraw, 11.40 a m, Wadesboro 12.35 p m. Leave Florence daily except Sunday, 8 00 p m. arrive Darlington, 8 25 p m, Hartsville 9 20 p m, Bennetsville 9 21 p m, Gibsen 9 45 p m. Leave Florence Sunday only 9 55 a m, arrive Darlington 10.27, Hartsville 11.10 Leave Gibson daily except Sunday 6.35 a m, Bennettsville 6 59 a m, ar ive Darlington 7.50 a m. Leave Hartsville daily ex-

except Sunday 4 25 p m, Cheraw 5 15 p m, Darlington 9.00 a m, arrive Florence 9.20

H. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Pass. Agent, W. C. & A. South-Bound. 35. 6.34 7.15 8.57 3.56 No. 52 runs through from Charleston via

North-Bound. \*6.40 A. \*4 15 P. 8.05 5.35 8 05 Ar Florence. 9 20 Ly Florence, Ly Marion, 10.34 Ar Wilmington, 1.15

Daily. No. 53 rans through to Charleston, S. C., via Central R. R., arriving Manning 6.04 p m, Lanes, 6.43 p m, Charleston 8.30 p m. Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadponrn 5.35 pm, arrive Conway 7.40 pm. returning leave Conway 8.30 a m, arrive Chadbourn 11 50 a m, leave Chadbourn 11 50 a m, arrive at Hub 12.25 pm, returning leave Hub 3.00 pm, arrive at Chadbourn 3.35 pm. Daily except Sanday.

J. R. KENLY, Gen'l Manager.

CENTRAL R. R. OF SO. CAROLINA. No. 52 Ly Charleston, 7.00 A. M. Ly Lanes, Ly Greeleyville, 8.46 Ly Wilson's Mill, 9.01 Ly Manning. Ly Alcolu, Ly Brogdon. Ly W. & S. Junet., Ly Sumter, Ar Columbia, 11.00 ... Ly Columbia, 4.00 P M Ly W. & S. Junet. Ly Brogdon, 5.27Ly Alcoln. Ly Manning, 6 04 Ly Wilson's Mill, Ly Foreston,

Ly Greeleyville, Ar Lanes

Ar Charleston. 8.00 MANCHESTER & AUGUSTA R R No. 35 Ly Sumter. 3 47 A M Ar Creston. 4 43 Ar Orangeburg, 5.10 Ar Denmark, 5 48 No. 32 4 28 P. M Ly Denmark. Ly Orangeburg. 5.02

Ly Creston, Ar Samter. Trains 32 and 35 carry through Pullmat palace buffet sleeping cars between New York and Macon via Augusta.

Wilson and Summerton R. R. TIME TABLE No. 1. In effect Monday, June 13th, 1898. Between Wilson's Mill and Dalzell. No. 73. Daily except Sanday No. 72 Stations. 1 45 . Dalzeli .....N W Junction..... 2 08 1 02 2 10 / 1 00 ......Sumter...... 3 CO 1 12 30 ....N W Janetion ..... 3 63 12 27 .....Tindal...... Packsville..... 1 10 45 .....Sammerton .... . 10 10 .... Davis.....

.Jordan ... .. 6 00 Ar....Wilson's Mills....Le Between Millerd and St. Paul. enthbound Northbound No 73, No 75, No. 72. No. 74. PM A M Stations A M 10 15 Le Millard Ar 10 45 4 05 4 15 10 25 Ar St Paul Le 10 35 AM PM

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cept Sunday 7 00 a m, arrive Darlington 7.45 a m, leave Darlington 8 55 a m, arrive Florence 9 20 a m. Leave Wade boro daily

Gen'l Manager. Gen'l Sur T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager. Gen'l Sup't.

Ly Marion, Ar Florence. Ly Florence, Ar Sumter.

country, we recommend that congress Central R. R., leaving Charleston 7 a m, Lanes 8.34 a m, Manning 9.09 a m.