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Right of Suffrage: THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE WAS BOUGHT WITH BLOOD AND HENCE IT IS A GOD-GIVEN RIGHT THAT ALL SHOULD RESPECT.

There are some individuals who regard the privilege of suffrage a license to demand of others that they should come to them for a decision as to how to exercise their suffrage.

A few days ago a friend of ours met us on the street and with apparent seriousness, reproved us for taking a political stand which he was opposed to.

Our friend went on and said that he had every confidence in Tillman, and he became so enthusiastic that he exclaimed: "If I were to catch Tillman stealing a sheep, saw him with the sheep on his back with his throat cut, and he was to down-face me with a denial, I would believe him."

This man did not mean any such stuff. What he did mean, was that he was a supporter of Tillman and would not support anybody who would disagree with his idol.

But the same cannot be said for some who are fighting McLaughlin, they have refused to yield to the party decree, and bolted, they even went so far as to make coalition with negroes.

Congressional Record shows that Tillman often votes with the Republicans, but that does not signify he is in sympathy with them; his votes are cast as Senator, not as a party man, and because of this, it is no reflection on his party loyalty.

The fundamental principles of South Carolina's Democracy is a free and open discussion of public questions before the Democratic voters, and as long as the controlling influences in the party, will permit the primaries to be open and free as they have been ever since their institution.

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The editor of the TIMES so far as he understands McLaughlin's position, approves of it, and will continue that approval until by reasoning and argument it is shown to be detrimental to the people's interests.

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Every intelligent man, be he Democrat or Republican, must realize the fact that our currency basis is now fixed, and it could be brought down to the country to again change it.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh.

As Appeal to Reason by T. Larry Gantt. I believe that the Sherman bill demoralizing silver, and thus forcing the people of this country to pay inflated debts with a contracted currency, was a great national crime.

too, at a time when the balance of trade was against the United States, in and in favor of foreign nations.

Like all revolutions in finance, an adoption of the single gold standard brought great suffering upon the debtors class, and the result was ruin and bankruptcies all over the country.

While I was an earnest advocate of bi-metalism, at the same time I would protest against this change of values, provided the government bore the loss, and did not force it upon the most dependent and oppressed class of our population.

This is just what England did during the reign of William and Mary, when she clipped coins were sent to the mint and melted into full weight shillings and pence.

The first relief was the discovery of those new Alaskan gold fields, and which so rapidly filled our coffers, depleted when silver was demonetized.

Of course there are, at times, a slight contraction of money in certain sections, but such embarrassments are purely local, and money can quickly be loaned to ease matters on good collateral.

My next letter I will devote to discussing the proposition to organize two white parties in South Carolina, and think I can show that this would simply result in bringing the negroes back in politics, and thus rendering the sufferer of our new constitution a nullity.

There is a fellow wrote a letter in the News and Courier and sign himself "C. P." that's got a level head on his shoulders.

Well, to begin with, "C. P." hit the nail square on the head when he says: "The farmers of this State are more interested in the cotton seed than they are in the tillage of the soil."

Mr. Bryan is a man of brains and discernment, and he would know that it would be worse than folly, and assured defeat, for the Democratic party to appeal to the intelligent voters of this country on any such dead and buried issue as this.

Mr. Bryan was right in his position when he supported bi-metalism, for at that time the balance of trade was against us, a financial panic was hovering over the country, and we were a nation of debtors.

weathered the financial storm, money, in unlimited amounts, can be had on good collateral in this country.

No intelligent Democrat wants our currency tampered with. The voters are satisfied to let well enough alone, and the borrowing class most stands in need of is not any free silver legislation, but collateral and upon which they can borrow all the gold, silver, or greenback they require.

Jeffersonian Democrat, I don't know but that I would desert my party and jump to the new collateral party bandwagon.

But to again grapple our party to that old Kansas City free silver corpse is an insult to the intelligence of the voters of this great nation.

It is likely that an issue of whether the Democratic party shall be placed, by a few old boss leaders in the attitude of obstruction to progress, and continue to battle for discarded issues.

Never spread an ill report about your neighbor until you know positively it is true, and don't do it then if he is bigger than you are.

When you take Groves' Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form.

Don't be satisfied with temporary relief from indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure permanently and completely removes this complaint.

Pyry-Balsam Relieves Right Away and makes a speedy end of coughs and colds.

Does your skin itch and burn? Disturbing eruptions on the skin so you feel ashamed to be seen in company? Do scabs and scales form on the skin, hair or scalp? Have you Eczema? Skin sore and cracked? Rash from sun on the skin? Prickly pain in the skin?

ton he will pay at least \$20 for it, (\$25 to \$35 around these diggings).

Stages of Water. Camden, Aug. 17, 8 a. m.—Height of Water river, 28.8 feet, being a rise of 1.0 of a foot during past 24 hours.

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FOR SALE. In order to dispose of perishable property belonging to the estate of the late A. J. Tindal, offer for sale a fine young Horse in excellent condition and one Two-Horse Thimble Skein Wagon with Body, cheap.

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WHY SUFFER FROM CHILLS, FEVERS AND NIGHT SWEATS? Gripe and all other forms of maldias when you can be cured by Roberts' Chill Tonic.

O. O. Back, Beirne, Ark. says: I was troubled with constipation until I bought DeWitt's Little Early Biscuits.

On Jellies preserves and pickles, spread a thin coating of refined PARAFFINE WAX.

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