

Folder 64: Political ephemera, ca. 1880s-1890s

Anonymous, "Democrats, Read This – What the Republicans Propose to do When the Force Bill Becomes Law." No place, no date [circa 1888]. Printed Broadside, 1 p.

Broadside quotes the "leading Republican paper" of Washington, D.C., the *National Republican*, regarding the Lodge national election law, or the Force bill, which will bring Republican control to Congress; suggests that then separate schools for the races will be abolished, as will intermarriage laws. It "reveals the animus of the Republican party toward the white people of the South and shows what is in store for us should Harrison and a Republican House of Representatives be elected in November."

Louisville Courier-Journal, "Norman Has Something to Say about Republican Charges...." October 3, [1895]. Broadside of reprinted article, 1 p.

State Auditor Luke C. Norman (Democrat) responds to attacks by newspaper correspondents (of the *Courier-Journal* and the *Louisville Commercial* and Republicans regarding his alleged refusal to allow the minutes of the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners to be inspected and his connection with matters of prison management.

Anonymous, "Per Cent Reduction by Democratic Tariff Bill on Materials Entering Into Manufactures from the McKinley Bill Rates." Washington, D.C. Circa 1894. Broadside, oversized, 1 p.

Oversized broadside quotes Grover Cleveland, "The simple and plain duty which we owe to the people is to reduce taxation to the necessary expenses of an Economical Operation of the Government" and lays out the reduction on taxation by the democratic tariff bill [Wilson-Gorman Tariff, 1894] compared to the McKinley Tariff [Tariff Act of 1890] through images, and numbers. "If the Republicans Don't Like It, It is Because it Hurts." "Lower Prices, Increased Consumption, Compels Employment of Additional Labor and Raises Wages."