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6 months, "

THE TWO CLANS.

The occasion of the marriage of Senator Don Cameron, son of old Simon Magus, with one of the women of the House of Sherman, bas provoked a vast amount of criticism. It appears to be agreed that two wicked families are at last united, in which there is a good deal of money, a good deal of ability, and a vast amount of unadulterated rascality. It is remarked that old Simon, and the elder Bayard, of Delaware, are the only two men in the history of our government who, upon retiring from the United States Senate, were able to hand over as a rich legacy their seats to their sons. Senator James A. Bayard is worthy to wear his father's honors, and Don Cameron has ability and money in abundance, but being young comparatively, he is not yet the equal in meanness and depravity of old Simon Magus, the father aforesaid.

The Sherman family are distin-

guished. There are three brothers, and all have held high offices, and two of them still hold high offices. Tecumseh, who organized the Corps of Bummers to devastate the South, is at the head of the army. John-"Honest John," as he is now derisively called-is Secretary of the Treasury, and for a long time was U. S Senator from Ohio. He is a man of great abilities, but has no vestige of political integrity or personal honor. He is probably the most corrupt intellectual man now living in our country. He has not only grown very rich in office, but he was the main tool used in filching the vote of Louisiana, and giving it to Hayes to whom it did not belong. Those who are best informed as to his life regard him as one of the most venal politicians of this or any other age. In Sir Robert Walpole's day he would have been eminent for his usefulness, for he could have dispensed the corrupting fund with marked success. Walpole kept his own fingers clean whilst purchasing and debauching others. John Sherman would have entered with peculiar zest upon the business of finding out the exact "price" of every politician, but he would have never forgotten for a moment to line well his own robes with the best that the State afforded. The "world" is Honest John's "oyster," and he knows right well how "to open" it. But there is a third brother, who was United States Judge until he resigned some years ago, and he does not appear to be any improvement on either the Great Bummer or the Political Pimp who stole Louisiana. His name is Charles Sherman and be lives at Cleveland, Ohio. There is a "true inwardness" connected with his resignation that should not be forgotten. He resigned his Judgeship to avoid an investigation. He was detected in following the unworthy example of the great Lord Bacon-receiving money for his opinion-and to avoid a trial for his rascality he resigned his office.

The Petersburg Index Appeal says "So clear were the proofs against him, that he did not dare to meet the issue even before a Senate under Radical control, in which one of his own brothers then occupied a prominent seat. Mr. Sherman enjoys the distinction of being the only Federal Judge, not a carpet-bagger, ever driven from the bench for distinctly established delinquency in the matter of pecuniary honor. And yet, the recent marriage under this man's roof was heralded to the world as a great fashionable event, and some of the most powerful men in the country present at it. The moral of this incident, as of many others like it, is that the Radical mind is incapable of considering fraud and dishonesty as conveying any association of disgrace, or as entailing any forfeiture of social or political considera-

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The following are the delegates to

the Congressional Convention—Len-non Jordan, M. W. Pridgen, G. W.

H. Powell, Thos. Barefoot, Geo. W.

Flinn, John Murrell, D. C. Allen, D.

M. Blue, J. H. M. Stanly, Henry

Best, L. C. Mills, J. W. Rause, E.

M. Powell, David Brown, J. J. Long,

Henry Coleman, J. E. Powell, A. H.

Lennon, William Nance, W. W.

Brown, Jr., J. W. Powell, C. D. Baldwin, D. P. High.

Judicial-D. S. Cowar, D. C. Al

len, G. B. Robeson, H. B. Short, Jr.

Ino. A. Clark, H. H. King, W. T.

Hall, J. R. Pierce, A. G. Smith, S. A

Smith, A. J. Troy, J. L. McKoy, C. D. Baldwin, L. J. Yates, D. P. High.

J. C. Lennon, A. D. Williamson, J. O.

Williamson, Buck Brown, Shade

Wooten, Geo. W. Elkins, Col. T. F.

Toon, B. T. Borden, D. Coleman, Archibald Toon, J. B. Harrelson, Jackson Powell, J. M. Cook, Jesse

S. Coz, W. J. Stanly, H. C. Smith, H. M. Long, and W. M. Williams. On motion the Chairman and Secre-

ary were added to each delegation

The Secretary was instructed to

send a copy of the proceedings to the

Wilmington STAR, the Democrat and

Journal, and to the Raleigh Observer

with the request that they publish

Democratic Meeting in Brunswick

tors of Northwest Township was

held, as per call, at Summerville, on

Convention, to be held on June 29th.

Samuel R. Chinnis was called to

A motion was made by F. R.

Moore that seven delegates be ap-

pointed by the chairman to repre-

sent the township at the County Con-

Delegates-F. M. Moore, J. S. Mel-

vin, W. J. Chinnis, Samuel Hall Jos.

J. Gay, R. L. Chinnis, J. S. Williams,

The following persons were select-

ed to represent the township at

Smithville, on May 25th, and, on mo-

tion, the Chairman and Secretary were

J. D. McRae, F. M. Moore, Samuel

Hall, J. S. Williams, J. D. Robbins,

J. S. Melvin, W. J. Chinnis, S. R.

The following resolutions were

1st. Resolved, That Hon. A. A

McKoy, by his honest efforts and

high toned patriotism has justly

2d. Resolved, That the Hon. A. M.

S. R. CHINNIS, Chr'm.

Henry Spencer, S. R. Chinnis.

added to the list.

Chinnis, H. Spencer.

presented and adopted:

never suffer in his hands.

tive in Congress.

Congressional.

H. SPENCER, Sec'y.

left their delegates uninstructed.

Speaking of prolific families, we are re-

77 years of age, and active, hale and hearty,

A Prolific Family.

one Moore for Pender!

A meeting of the Democratic elec-

L. W. STANLY, | Secretary.

W. S. HUDLER.

at McKiffin's.

J. W. Ellis, Chairman.

For the Star.

C. Gore, J. W. Gore, T. F. Toon,

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the Don of the clan Cameron.

clans whilst shutting out the shame,

has provoked other papers to let the

calcium light of truth fall upon the

whole performance and upon all con

cerned. It is believed that the unit-

ing of two such powerful families

does not bode any good to the conn-

try. The Washington Post has

their resentment. But they have not been

bred to such servitude; at least, they have

This marriage, and the excitement

of Northern society over the event,

constitute a singular chapter in Amer-

THE VALUE OF THE SHEEP.

sheep husbandry to keep the subject

be neglected. The value of sheep is

too large to be disregarded. North

Carolina is peculiarly and admirably

adapted to this great industry, and

It will be well for the friends of

ican history.

criminal neglect.

about the matter.

such ascendancy of successful baseness."

WILMINGTON, N. C. FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1878.

It is the pretty daughter of this | net \$20,000,000. The number of | corrupt Judge that has just married sheep in California is seven million. In Texas the sheep only number, all It is because of the very peculiar told, three million. In North Caroreputation and the great distinction lina bow many?

of these two families that so much sharp, personal, and damaging comment has been excited. The disgusting way in which some of the papers have paraded the glories of the two

portance. Their value as food, and their astonishing capabilities in enriching lands are well worthy of spe-

treated the matter with its usual incisiveness and pungency. We copy "Dazzling the popular eye with the glit-ter of fortunes acquired by means rang-ing in foulness all the way from John Sher-man's notorious league with the Syndicate down to Simon Cameron's copartnership assisted by Revs. Drs. Watson and Patterwith rings of thieving army contractors at the outbreak of the war, these predatory clans are at last emboldened to parade son. At the conclusion of the short but impressive ceremonies, the funeral cortege, themselves and their booty with offensive ostentation before the public, and to flaunt their tawdry splendor in the faces of the consisting of a long line of carriages, wendcd its way to Oakdale Cemetery, where, amid the tears of friends and relatives, the millions whose squalor is directly or indirectly the result of their depredations. If mortal remains of him who had been so the masses of the American people had been bred in the social and political atmoshighly esteemed and beloved by the entire community, were consigned to their final phere of Germany, Austria or Russia, the state of things whereof this Cameron-Sherresting place, there to sleep the sleep that man business is a sample would not excite knows no awakening.

The following gentlemen officiated as not been schooled to succumb quietly to pall-bearers: Hon. R. R. Bridgers, Hon. Geo. Davis, Col J. G. Burr, Col. John W. Atkinson, Col. W. S. Devane, Capt. I. B. Grainger, and Messrs, Donald MacRae, Z. Latimer, John L. Holmes, Thos. Evans

and Edward Kidder. The attendance at the Church, which was an exceedingly large one, included the following organizations: The Carolina Yacht Club, the Produce Exchange, Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade.

actively before the people as the time A noticeable feature at the Church was for nominating candidates approaches. the presence of a large number of colored The interest at stake is too great to people.

As the hour approached for the funeral services to commence, nearly all the prominent business houses closed, the proprietors thus showing their respect for the dewe hope the intelligence of the State ceased. The offices and shops of the Wilwill see to it that some steps are taken mington & Weldon, and Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroads, were also that will lead to the fostering of that closed in order to allow the employes an industry. A law of some kind must opportunity to be present.

be enacted, or we shall be guilty of The City Hall and Court House were also

Nearly all the flags in the city were at half-mast, and those of some of the shipping in port. The revenue cutter Colfax had ber national ensign at half-mast, and the Carolina Yacht Club's signal half-masted at the

At the ship yard of Messrs. Cassidey & Ross, Mr. F. A. L. Cassidey, the oldest Ex-Commodore of the fleet, displayed the Club signal above the National colors, which were at half-mast, and underneath the 'burgee" of the yacht Retta, the oldest boat in the fleet The schooner Wave, lying at this yard, also had her colors at half-

In the city of Wilmington, where Mr. Wright was so well known, the citizens seemed to vie with each other in evidencing their appreciation and sympathy, and in manifesting every conceivable token of respect to his memory, feeling as they did that a good man had indeed fallen, and that our community had been bereft of one who will be sadly missed and universally regretted. - May 17.

Proceedings of the Meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club-Resolutions

Pursuant to notice a meeting of the mem bers of the Carolina Yacht Club was held at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, in the parlor of the First National Bank. Fleet Captain, O. A. Wiggins, called the meeting to order, and stated the object of it to be to pass resolutions expressive of the feelings of the members of the club, on the death of Commodore Wm. A. Wright.

The meeting then adjourned until 3.30

WHEREAS. The Carolina Yacht Club has earned with deep regret of the death of the Hon, W. A. Wright, Commodore of this Club, one who has so long occupied and ably filled that position, and who, by his generosity, earnest efforts and untiring derotion to its interest has skillfully steered it amidst storms and dangers that beset it on all sides, and whose genial hospitality and affable disposition ever endeared him to those whom he commanded, therefore, be it resolved by the Carolina Yacht Club: 1st. In the death of Commodore Wright this Club has met with the loss of an able and valued officer, whose departure we mourn with sincere feelings of sorrow.

the usual badge of mourning for thirty

the city newspapers and spread upon the records of the Club.

5th. Resolved, That a blank page in the
Record Book be dedicated to the memory

of the deceased. O. A. WIGGINS, S. H. FISHBLATE, FRED. KIDDER, Com. A. R. CAMPBELL,

wool growers? It is said that it will sad rites to the deceased .- May 17.

Me And Building For the Star. Onelow County-Delegates Appointed In accordance with a call from the Democratic Executive Committee of Opslow county, quite a large body of our citizens Society is in session here this week. Farmers, consider these things. assembled on Wednesday, the 8th of May. About seventy-five members are in attendance. The proceedings are full

After stating the object of the meeting, the Chairman, on metion appointed a committee of five, who should propose the names of twenty gentlemen—two from each district—for delegates to the District Congressional Convention that is to be held members, declining to serve longer.

riching lands are well worthy of special consideration.

Congressional Convention that is to be held at Clinton on the Slat of May.

The committee then retired, and in their absence Mr. Kerr, of Sampson, who is an aspirant to the Bolichtorship of this District, was called for, and very appropriate-ly addressed the meeting. Mr. Manly, of Newbern, and Mr. Bellamy, of Wilmington, also were called for, and both of these gentlemen expressed, is a very pleasant manner, their good-will toward the people of Onsiow, who always put forward and elect men, not for sectional interest, but because of solid qualifications. cause of solid qualifications!

The committee then made their report and it was adopted; and, on motion, the Chairman and Secretary of this meeting were added to the list of delegates appoints ed. The delegates were unanimously instructed to advocate the nomination of our countyman, Hon. James G. Scott, for Con-

On motion, the Chair next appointed ten delegates-two from each township-to the Judicial Convention, which meets in Goldsboro on the 6th of June.

It was moved and carried, that the delegates appointed to the Judicial Convention be recognized as delegates to the State Convention also. The following resolutions were offered

and adopted: Resolved. That the people of Onslow county express their entire satisfaction with the appointment of Hop. W. N. H. Smith as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, and that our delegates to the State Convention be instructed to vote for his nomination to

that position.

Resolved, further, That any Democrat of this county, in good standing, in altendance upon either the Judicial or the State Convention, shall be entitled to appear as a delegate from Onslow county. Delegates were instructed to vote for the

of the Associate Justices It was ordered that a copy of these proceedings be sent for publication to the MORNING STAR and to the Goldsboro Mes-

ssenger, and then the meeting adjourned. A. J. MURRELL, Chairman. C. THOMPSON, Secretary.

THE OUD FELLOWS.

Proceedings of the Grand Lodge. [Raleigh News report condensed.] The Grand Lodge of this Order met Tuesday at 10 A. M., M. W. Grand Master A. J. Burton presiding, and the officers all present. After prayer by the R. W. Grand Chaplain, the Lodge opened for busi-

P. G. M. Yopp, from committee on State of the Order, submitted a report concerning the classification of the reports of the Grand Officers, recommending the appointment of a special committee to consider certain matters therein contained. The report was adopted, and the M. W. Grand Master appointed the following committee: P. D. G. M., D. G. McRae, P. G., W. M. Steiner, and P.

G., W. J. Lumsden. Assistant Grand Secretary B. R. Woodell, from the committee on Constitution and By-Laws, submitted a report concerning the by-laws of Saem, Berne, Covenant and Hamilton Star Lodges, which, on motion, was

AFTERNOON SESSION. The most of the time was occupied in the election of officers. The following were elected:

M. W. G. M., W. F. M. Ehringhaus R. W. D. G. M., L. G. Bagley. R. W. G. S., J. J. Litchford. R. W. G. T., R. J. Jones. R. W. G. W., J. C. Ellington.

Gr. Rep., R. J. Jones. On the question of a place of next meeting Goldsboro, Wilmington and Fayetteville were each favored, as most suitable, by their residents. Fayetteville was finally chosen as the place. The Lodge adjourned.

The Grand Master appointed thir-ty-seven Deputy Grand Masters, as

1st District, J. H. Pool; 2d, W. J. Lumsden; 3d, L. W. McMillan; 4th, Ephraim Lee; 5th, Noah Burfoot; 6th, R. D. Harris; 7th, W. S. Frizzel; 8th and 9th, George Wadsworth; 10th. James Ward; 11th, M. P. Taylar; 12th, Kenneth Haynes; 13th, T. F. Anderson; 14th, Gideon Lamb; 15th, Ed. Pennington; 15th, S. D. Bagley; 16th, J. D. Grimsley; 17th, J. J. Barefoot; 18th, A. W. Arrington; 19th, W. F. Hill; 20th, J. F. Collins; 21st, J. C. Kearney; 22d, O. F. Curtis; 23d, J. C. Pool; 24th, H. R. Horne; 25th, R. J. Blount; 26th, W.U. Steiner; 27th, S. W. Wrenn; 28th, W.A. Rose; 29th, J. F. Payne; 30th, A. C. Young; 31st, J. D. McNeely; 32d, J. F. Masten; 33d, J. L. McLean; 34th, Geo. Duke; 35th, W. R. Edwards; 36th, M. L. Kline; 37th, W. R. Ed-

Resolution recommending the Oxford Orphan Asylum to the Order,

On motion, the Grand Lodge adjourned sine die.

Cool Weather, Frost, &c.

We fear that the cool snap experienced in this section for the last day or two has done considerable damage to the fruit growing crops, gardens, &c. We hear that there was quite a heavy frost in portions of New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus and Pender counties Wednesday night. At Burgaw, when the train passed yesterday morning, the roofs of the houses, sheds, &c. were covered with frost.

"STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY. [Special Correspondence of the Star.] GOLDSBORO, May 16, 1878.

Meadows, W. H. McDade, Melton Campbell, S. J. Chaney, E. W. Fowler, J. J. C. Gare, Forney Spivey, O. Farmers, consider these things.
Study your own interests, and vote for men who will protect and foster them.

We have only referred to the value of the wool alone. There are other economic views cannected with sheep raising that are of great immembers declining to serve longer. The new Board consists of Drs. Wood. Kirby, Hines, Joseph Graham, R. J. Hicks, Haigh, and Bahnson. Dr. W. W. Lane, of Wilmington, will

be the orator for the next year. The orator for the present meeting, Dr. W. T. Ennett, of Pender, delivered a learned and excellent address last night, to a large and appreciative audience in the Presbyterian Church mainly upon the circulation of the blood. His principal object was to defend the illustrious Harvey from the unfounded and envious claims of others, that Harvey did not discover the circulation. In doing this Dr. Ennett displayed much scientific research and erudition, and showed a thorough acquaintance with the principles and progress of medical science. The address materially advances the reputation of the orator with his professional brethren, and will still further enhance it, when published, as it will be, by order of the Society. It was warmly received. There was a fine attendance of ladies.

The Publication Committee for the | Saturday, May 11th, for the purpose next year are Drs. Satchwell, P. L. of selecting delegates to the County Murphy, G. L. Kirby, W. T. Ennett, and G. G. Thomas. Their duties are to examine the claims to publication of all the papers read before the annual meeting, and to reject those un-

The proceedings are to be ished in the North Carolina Medical Journal. The Society meets next year at Greensboro and on the third Tuesday of May.

The Association has been in continuous existence for twenty-five years, and is making fine progress in medical improvement and elevation. The State Board of Health and the State Board of Medical Examiners are offsprings of the Society. Like many other voluntary associations, it owes not alone its prosperity, but its vitality and existence, to the persistent devotion and self-sacrificing efforts of a few devoted and unselfish physicians of the State.

MEDICUS.

FROM ONSLOW. [Correspondence of the Star.] JACKSONVILLE, ONSLOW Co.,

N. C., May 12, 1878. Our court adjourned on Friday, the 10th inst., having transacted a large amount of business in a short space of time with little labor, some of the most important cases on the civil docket having been completed. Judge Eure was almost a complete stranger to our people, but by his industry, his gentlemanly deportment and courteous bearing to all, created a very favorable impression. This was the last term of our present Solicitor, Capt. Norment. Without going into fulsome adulations, but only speaking as to facts from actual observation, the writer can say, and say truly, that Capt. Norment has made an efficient prosecuting officer.

didates are beginning to spring up, and by that time I suppose we wil have a full crop of them. The vote of our county will be cast for James G. Scott, Esq., in the next Congressional Convention. We are so far removed from the centre that we have taken but little or no interest in the squabble which has been going on for Chief Justice. I suppose the vote of the county will be cast for the present incumbent. We are sound on Fish and Oysters, sterling Democrats, and Vance for United States Senator.

Our County Convention assembles on the first Monday in June. Can-

|For the Star. COLUMBUS CONVENTION. WHITEVILLE, N. C., May 16th, 1878. To the Editor Wilmington Star:

DEAR SIE: I herewith send you the proceedings of the Democratic Convention, beld for this county at Whiteville, on the 11th day of May. The Convention was called to order by Col. T. S. Memory, who explained the object of the meeting. Captain John W. Ellis was elected Chairman and L. W. Stanly and W. S. Hudler were requested to act as Secretaries.

A committee of one from each township was appointed by the Chair to select delegates to the State, Judicial and Congressional Conventions. The following gentlemen were chosen as delegates to the State Convention, viz: V. V. Richardson, W. B. Stansill, John W. Ellis, D. Coleman, H. D. Williamson, I. M. Powell, J. P. Stanly, M. M. Harrelson, J. B. Harrelson, C. C. Gore, A. B. Hill, H. C. Long, D. S. Cowan, B. W. Applewhite, Bruce King, S. W. Maultsby, B. F. Peirce, H. B. Short, Sr., Daniel Campbell, H. H. Hatton, A. J. Troy, M. K. Smith, C. W. Baldwin, D. P. Brown, Amos High, Chas. Lennon, A. V. Beysent, Hingard Long, Isaac Long, Haynes Lennon, H. B. Colyer, Robert Powers.

Solort, Sr., Daniel soda. The body is in a good state of preservation, and it is supposed to be that of a victim of an earthquake which occurred many hundred years ago in Peru. It is in the Captain's bath-room in a crouching position. Rings are inserted in the ears.

The fruit trees of Mr. George W. Howard.

— Pantego correspondent: Almost all the corn is now up and flourishing, but I am afraid a great portion of it will be destroyed by the bear in the swampy regions, as they have commenced catching hogs so early. The wild-cat seems to vie with the bear in catching sheep. All efforts to catch or entrap them in any way have completely failed.

Spirits Turpentine

- We record other high priced Granville tobacco. The sales were made last week: F. B. Hester, \$50; R. T. Crews, \$50; S. P. Phipps, \$47 50, \$60, \$78; Leroy Crews, \$50 60; D. Y. Crews, \$52 50; W. J. Royster, \$46, \$50; J. T. Cheatham, \$43; T. V. Bobbitt, \$40, \$50; B. Hester, \$40, \$61.

- Statesville celebrated Memorial Day in grand style. The Landmark thus refers to Judge Edward Cantwell's address: The address was a scholarly production, showed much thought and originality, and brought out many facts connected with both the revolutionary and late war, demonstrating the brayery, chivalry and liberty-loving spirit of the sens of the Old North State, which were entirely new to most of his hearers.

-Raleigh Observer: In 1832, at a social gathering in one of the hospitable mausions of the little borough of Wilmington, Edward B. Dudley, James Owen, Alexander McRae, P. K. Dickinson, Drs. A. J. DeRosset, father and son, Dr. James F. McRee, William B. Meares, L. H. Marsteller, the Hills, Robert H. Cowan, the brothers Thomas A. and William A. Weight and other street and services and william A. Wright, and other leading citizens, pledged each other over a glass of wine that their town should be connected by rail with other sections of the State, and in less than forty-eight hours after the pledge was given the citizens of Wilmington had subscribed more money to the proposed railroad, by many thousands of dollars, than the entire taxable property of the town amounted t o

- Raleigh News: Mr. J. C. Scarborough, Superintendent of Public Instrucborough, Superintendent of Public Instruction, left yesterday to see his father, who
is lying dangerously ill. His residence is
near Eagle Rock, in this county.—
Capt. R. A. Shotwell has been invited to
deliver an address at Anson Institute,
Wadesboro, on June 14th.—Grand Encampment of I. O. O. F. have elected the
following officers for the easning term: M.
W. Grand Master, J. L. Dudley, Wilmington; Grand High Priest, W. P. Wooten,
Wilson; Grand Senior Warden, E. Hubbs,
Newbern; Grand Scribe and Treasurer, R. Newbern; Grand Scribe and Treasurer, R. J. Jones, Wilmington; Grand Junior Warden, John Chamberlain, Greensboro; Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of the United States, C. M. Busbee, Raleigh.

- Charlotte Observer: The size of the Continental Brigade is increasing. It will constitute an interesting feature of the pro ession on the 20th. - A pamphlet. issued under the auspices of the National Wool-Growers' Association of the United States, contains an elaborate and well written article from the pen of General J. A. Young, of this city, on the adaptability of North Carolina. — Cherries are selling on the streets at 5 cents per quart, and strawberries have shrunk in value to the insignificant sum of five cents per quart. - Mayor Smith has taken a decided stand against allowing chicken coops and fish, and vegetable stands, to be set out on the sidewalks, or rather, he advocates a preside, and H. Spencer appointed strict enforcement of the ordinance prohibiting this. - The reports from farmers. yesterday morning, indicate that the cold weather has not done much harm to the

crops-only set things back a little. - Charlotte Observer: The stockholders of the Chester & Lenoir Narrow Gauge Railroad held a meeting at York-On motion, the Chairman and Sec-retary were added to the delegates among rallroad men that all the freight sprointed. by the three competing lines before the close of next year. — The pic-nic of the Hebrew Sunday School yesterday was a success in every particular. — The Continentals will appear in the procession on horseback. —The Good Templars are making preparations to receive Mr. Doutney, the temperance lecturer. - A farmer, who works a plantation in Providence township, was in the city yesterday and reported that the worms had completely ruined six acres of cotton for him. They devoured the stalks close to the ground but so far as he was able to discover, had not attacked the roots. ——The Washington Republican, of Wednesday, says J. W. Merrimon, J. A. F. Watts and M. A. Wilkinson, have been appointed internal revenue store-keepers and gaugers for this (the Sixth) District of North Carolina.

- Elizabeth City Economist: Our young and good-looking townsman, T. S. gained our confidence as a public Harney, has been invited to act as one of servant, in the responsible position he the marshals at the Roanoke and Tar River Fair, at Weldon, in October. - There now occupies and so ably fills. We is no question that we have a right to be recommend him to a seat on the Suproud of "Our Band." Whatever else may preme Court bench of North Carobe said of us, there is no doubt that the ina, believing that our liberties would musical talent of Elizabeth City is of the very best. — Gates county correspondent: The catch of berrings along our river beaches has been unprecedented, but money Waddell, who has represented the s as scarce as fish are plentiful, and it is people of the Third Congressional distressing to see how comparatively few of our people have been able to supply them-District for the past eight years, has selves-even at the extremely low prices of steadily gained our confidence by his from one to three dollars per thousand, firm and independent course in Conwithout assistance: So great has been the gress; who has shown his devotion demand for salt, that at one time not a to the interests of his constituents in | bushel could be bought in the county. - A severe rain and wind storm swept over this section last Saturday night, doing hours of adversity as well as when our banners were emblazoned with some damage. A huge limb was torn from a tree and hurled with such force upon the victory-and is the author of the most important bill that has been inroof of Mrs. Mary Goodman's house, immediately over her sleeping apartment, as troduced since the war for the laborto crush in a portion of it. Fortunately ing men of all parts of the countrythe limb was arrested in its course. known as the "Postal Savings Bank Wheat is suffering greatly from rust.

Bill." We, therefore, would reward - Tarboro Southerner: On Monhim by keeping him our Representatay next the Edgecombe Guards will celebrate their anniversary and the Mecklen-Resolved, That the Secretary be burg Declaration at the same time. The boys propose having a gay old time. Capt. James E. Shepherd, with his company requested to send the proceedings to the STAR for publication, with refrom Washington, an elegant set of boys, will arrive at 10 A. M., on the Cotton Plant, starting at 12 o'clock the night bequest that the Review and Democrat fore. —On Friday, the 9th inst., Jesse Bullock, an old and highly respected citizen of Edgecombe county, departed this The Fayetteville Gazette of the 16th publishes the proceedings of the Democratic

life for the "shades beyond the river."

The Edgecombe Spartans will make their hearts exceedingly glad on Wednesday next, the 22nd inst. There will be a primary meetings held in seven townships big Grange meeting and dinner during the of Cumberland county to appoint delegates day- the barbecues variously estimated to to the County Convention. Five of these number something between twenty and townships passed resolutions instructing fifty. At night a ball to eclipse any previous effort in this direction will be given. their delegates to support Mr. W. C. Troy — Major H. J. Rogers, Vice President of the Raleigh & Seaboard Railroad, and Capt. McCorkle, Chief Engineer, arrived in for Congress. The other two townships town on Saturday night from the survey of the line from Dymond City, on the J. & W. R. R., to Robersonville, on the Raleigh & Seaboard Road. Major R. says that he has a beautiful line to Roberson-ville, fifteen miles in length, that being the distance necessary to make liably informed that Mr. Wiloughby Moore, resident somewhere in the Moore's Creek section, Pender county, who is now about connection between the roads. -- D. C. Cox and B. H. Marriott, convicted at can count up one hundred and fifty-three late term of Federal Court, in Newbern, of descendants in his family, including chiltobacco blockading, and sentenced to seven months' imprisonment, broke Newbern jail dren and grand children, of whom one hunon Friday and are now at large. So we are informed by Mr. Ed. Zoeller, Deputy Collector. — Marshal L. B. Pennington ardred and twenty-two are now living. Score A Fetrified Feruvian Abortgine.

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We have had enough of mere theorizing-enough of general declarations concerning the importance of sheep growing. We need practical efforts-wise and judicious legislation. The people, and the people only, can secure the desired laws. The ordinary legislator is proverbially timid. He is so afraid of his reputation and popularity that he requires to be led by the people. He has no idea of going ahead and assuming any responsibilities. Let the people, therefore, speak out and say plainly whether they are in favor of a dog law or not. The county conventions should give forth no uncertain sounds The sheep business in the comparatively new State of Texas has

would number 720,000, thus giving a

total of nearly 1,400,000 sheep in the

possession of fewer than 400 persons.

But for those who make sheep-farm-

ing their exclusive business, a flock

of 3,600 is a small matter. The

rapidity with which a flock increases

under such favorable conditions as

are found in the South is astonishing,

and men of the smallest means, who

embark in the industry and pursue

their labor with diligence and intelli-

gence, become possessed of bewilder-

ing wealth within the space of a few

Why can not our people avail

themselves of the same sources of

wealth? It will not do to say that

North Carolina is not well adapted

to sheep raising. There are over

eighty counties well adapted to the

purpose, and some of these counties

are equal to any in Texas for the end

In 1868 California produced but

15,000 pounds of wool. In ten years

it has grown beyond belief. It is es-

timated that the wool this year, 1878,

will amont to sixty million pounds.

Now this is marfellous. But what

will this large production bring the

grown to be immense. There was recently held at San Antonio a convention of sheep growers, numbering 181. These 181 men represented 652,000 sheep, or an average of 3,600-three thousand six hun-

dred to each grazer. Think of this ye farmers of North Carolina and learn a lesson of thrift and wisdom. In addition to the above it was stated that there were 200 other sheep pastures in the State, whose flocks, estimated at a similar ratio,

On motion, a committee of five, including he Chairman, was appointed to draft reso-

o'clock in the afternoon, when the committee made the following report, which was unanimously adopted:

the yachts of this Club at all regattas to be

sailed this season will carry their flags at wards. half-mast. 3d. Resolved, That the members will wear was adopted.

4th. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented by the Purser to the family of the deceased, and be published in

BERRY GLEAVES, The meeting then adjourned, the members marching in a body to join in the last