

National Democratic Ticket.

For President: ALTON B. PARKER, of New York. For Vice-President: HENRY G. DAVIS, of West Virginia.

State Democratic Ticket.

For Governor: ROBERT B. GLENN, of North Carolina. For Lieutenant Governor: FRANCIS D. WINSTON.

PHILADELPHIA AND SOUTHERN TRADE.

Philadelphia, once a great mart for the south, is again making a bid for the southern trade.

This city is not only nearer the south than New York is, but it has more in common with the south.

There is much in sentiment to attach all of America to Philadelphia and we venture the assertion that the South shares that sentiment.

All theatre-goers and lovers of the dramatic art will be pained to learn of the illness of Mr. Joseph Jefferson.

Mr. Jefferson's tour will begin in October. He has several engagements to play in the North and will go to the Southwest.

Mr. Jefferson received her first babe on October August 15th, and it weighed 12 cents a pound.

COTTON MANUFACTURING IN NORTH CAROLINA.

It is estimated that the cotton crop of the South this year will be 12,000,000 bales.

In the last ten years the increased consumption of cotton in Europe has been 24 per cent.

The South has, therefore, been the leading factor in the increase of consumption in the United States.

On the 16th of August, 1834, Charles Thompson, the first secretary of Congress, died at the age of 64 years.

Eve was about to refuse the apple with which the serpent was hoping to beguile her.

High Price Shaw, in his speech to the workmen's mass meeting at Wilmington, Del.

When a man performs a stunt and there is nothing in it for him.

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MAMMOTH INDUSTRY.

Eighth Annual Meeting of East Carolina Fruit and Truck Growers' Association.

WAS HELD HERE YESTERDAY.

Annual Reports Show Splendid Development—Addresses by Experts from Agricultural Department—The Election of Officers, Etc.

The several comprehensive yearly reports submitted to the eighth annual meeting of the East Carolina Fruit and Truck Growers' Association.

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The following nominations were then made and the secretary, by instruction, cast the unanimous vote of the Association for them.

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Westbrook, with the development of the trucking industry in this section.

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DROWNING HIS FATE.

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The shipment of lettuce last winter and this spring was approximately 80,000 packages.

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Current Bond Fleet Capt. Hagerthy, of the schooner "Sodgwick," which came in yesterday from a 28-day voyage from Philadelphia with cargo of fertilizers for the Wilmington compress warehouses.

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WESTERN MEN AT ESOPUS. Urging Judge Parker to Go on Stomping Tour and Visit All Doubtful States. He Will Consider the Matter.

Seminoles at Charlotte. Tuesday's News and Courier says: "After having had a pleasant run down the coast the revenue cutter 'Seminoles,' recently assigned to the Charleston-Wilmington station to take the place of the 'Forward,' which was sent further south, came into the harbor yesterday and anchored in the stream off the Custom House wharf.

Child Badly Burned. Marie, the little five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Benton, No. 513 North Fifth street, was severely burned early yesterday afternoon as the result of ignition of matches with which the little girl and other children were playing and which set fire to the clothing of the little girl.

Charlotte Observer, Aug. 16: Mr. J. M. Beattie came into town yesterday with some small stones, of which he gave one apiece to Messrs. Leroy Davidson and John P. Ross. These gentlemen took their presents around to the mint and found them to be worth about \$20 each.

suicide Prevented. The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system or dependency invariably precedes suicide, and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely.

WINCHESTER. "New Rival" Black Powder Shells are made for good shooting and good shooters shoot them. There is no guess work when you gun has a "New Rival" in the chamber.