# BY J. L. PENNINGTON & .CO. THE NEWS.

# -For latest news see fourth page. -Only six deaths occurred at Newbern, N. C., among the white population, during the month of August.

-The efforts of the government to arrest the rebel Gen. McCausland, under indictment in Pennsylvania, have not succeeded. He has left for parts unknown.

-On Thursday afternoon, as a stage-coach conveying a party of excursionists from South Weymouth to Cohasset, Marsh, was crossing the line of the South Shore Railroad at West Hingman, the locomotive attached to a freight train struck and demolished it, killed one of its passengers and seriously injured six others.

-The Hon. Benjamin Bitzpatrick, formerly President protem, of the United States Senate is a candidate to represent Autauga county in the Alabama State Convention.

-The New Orleans Picayune states that in Harris County, Texas, Gov. Hamilton has appointed nearly as many Confederates as Union men to office. He has named Hon. T. H. Bell as his Secretary of State.

-Major Gen. Terry has returned to Richmond suffering from the effects of a sun stroke received while reviewing the troops at Petersburg.

-The Augusta (Ga.) Constitutionalist says that a party is springing into existence favoring a general repudiation of all private indebtedness. That paper denounces repudiation as unwise, dishonest and unconstitutional. Several condidates for the Convention favor repudiation.

-Colonel Charles Forsyth, late of the rebel army, and a son of the Mayor of Mobile, stabbed one of General Maury's Staff at Mobile on the 80th ult. The use of the knife is in some quarters considered an accomplishment.

-A petition for the pardon of the rebel Major-

# DAILY PROGRESS

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# Montgomery Blair on Peace.

The following is the conclusion of Mr. Montgomery Blair's speech, delivered last week, an abstract of which has been published in The Progress ; and which has created quite a sensation for its attacks upon Secretaries Seward and Stanton ;

"The war is over. There is no slavery to make a new one. The passions connected with it are subsiding. We have a great career before us. Our struggle, bloody and expensive as it has been, will impart a new life to the country and new impetus to industry. Let us set the example of inaugurating an era of good feeling. If I have seemed, in the reflections I have made in this address upon the distinguished men I have named, to be animated by a different spirit, let me assure you I have animalyed to the meeting consisting of W H matthews, Geo Pered on their acts only because they are the represent tive men of the unreleating party, and I want to show them that their heroes have also need of amnesty. I am willing they should have it. But, on the other hand, I should like Judgo Campboli and Mr. Stephens, and others who have erred, to be forgiven-that our people should have real peace and a share in the Government their fathers founded and which they have to maintain. And I ask this not out of any feeling that the section I was born in is more my country than any other. I ask it for the s ke of the whole country. Free government cannot last long in either section with a practical dismenberment of the Union, or with the assertion by the general government of greater power over any one State than the Constitution allows, or than is claimed or would be tolerated in another. The military subjection of one section entails in the end arbitrary government upon both. Our eagle must expand both its wing: Our National Republic must poise itself on both sections if it would move safely on its

## Fight it Out on That Line.

# THE CITY.

MEETING OF THE COLORED CITIZENS .- At a called meeting of the colored citizens of Raleigh, on motion of W H Matthews, Bocker Hutchings was called to the chair, and Jno E Williams was requested to act as Secretary.

The meeting was; called to order by the Presi dent, and prayer was had by A B Williams.

At the request of the Chairman W H Matthews explained the object of the meeting, when

On motion of A B Williams, a committee of five was appointed to draft resolutions for the action of ry, J H McCullers, H Kelly and W J Williams.

The committee retired and during its absence the audience was addressed by A B Williams. On the return of the confinittee W H Matthews chairman, reported as follows :

Mr. Presid nt, Your committee beg leave to submit the following:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to prepare a place for the Convention to meet in, which place shall be large enough to hold at least five hundred persons.

Resolved, That the same committee shall visit the citizens of Raleigh, and ascertain from each one how many delegates they will entertain while the Convention holds.

Resolved, That five hundred circulars be printed, inviting citizens of color of Wake County to meet in Mass meeting, to be held at the Guion School house on Saturdsy, the 9th inst., at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to represent the County of Wake in the State Convention to be held in the city of Raleigh on the 29th of Septem-A planter of the parish of Iberville, La., has ad. ber, 864, for the purpose of the elevation of the colored race.

THE OFFICE .- Everybody except the invisible element of the Progress editorial fraternity is running for the convention, or some other office; but the office where all hands run to (not for) is the Golden establishment in the rear of the "Shebang"on Fayelteville street, over the front entrance of which is, a sign marked "Conservative office " There flourishes like a quadruped of the Green Bay masculine equine species, a first class bar-room, biliard saloons, and other essential concomitants of a first class saloon. Aloun.

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IMPROVEMENT .- During our perigrinations about town, we have observed indications of a praise wors thy spirit, exhibited by the proper authorities, in the way of improvement. For instance, the old iron railing and gate concomitants, on the Southside of the Capital square has been torn down and replaced by m re substantial and appropriate works.

CASE OF SEDUCTION .- A woman, whose character previous to the war, has been indisputed, appeared before the Provost Marshal yesterday, to fasten on au individual answering to the euphonious, euphemeous and oft repeated appelation of Richard Roe, the charge of bastardy. The dignified Provost, on a hearing of the case, repudiated the idea of such a conclusion, and the case was dropped.

GOLD IN THE CARDS .- We have a large lot of fine paper on hand, and can print military blanks. court blanks, circulars, catal gues, &c., at the s

Office Chief Commissary of Subsistence,) DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA,

RALBIGH, N. C., September 5, 1865. SEALED PROPOSALS, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock as in. on Saturday the 30th inst., for the purchase of 776 gallons BOURBON and 4,875 gallons RECTIFIED WHISKY, now in store at New Berne and S66 gallons RECTIFIED WHISKY, now in store at Morehead City.

Bids will be received for the whole or any part (not less than one barrel) of each of the above lots. The right to reject all bids is reserved

Samples can be seen by applying to Capt. W. L. Pal-mer, C. S., at New Berne, or Capt. G. W. Chandler, C. S., at Morehead City. Successful bidders will be required to remove the Whisky before the 10th day of October. Terms: cash, on delivery, in government funds.

Proposals will have a copy of this advertisement attached and will be endorsed on the any lope, " Proposals for the purchase of Whisky."

J. W BARRIGER. Captain and C.S., U.S.A., Chief C. S., Dept. of N. C.



GOOD Black Silk, fine MISSES and Children's Silk Nets Ber Ribbons Shoes and Hose, Towels, and Buckles, Hosiery by Napkins, Table Cloths, the pair or dozen, Hair Dress Buttons, Hair and Nets, poor and cheap, Tooth Brushes. Cheap Linen Handkerchiefs by the Shoes for men and women, dozen. Black Love mourn-ing) Veils, Hair Pins, Back and Flannel for business Combs, Needles and Pins, suits for Gent's and Boys, all sizes. Bleached and Men's Hats, Boots, Shirts, Brown Sheeting, Slippers | Drawers, Considend Hand. with or without heels, Ala | kerchiefs, Calico that will paca and DeLaines plain and will not fade. Some and figured. other goods.

In calling your attention to our stock of goods, allow as to call attention to our manner of doing business : We have only "one price," except in goods by the pieces or package. We make liberal discounts on whole pieces. Persons sending children or servants for goods will get. them as low as they could buy themselves. Bills will be sent by servants when requested. Orders (cash enclosed) will be attended to promptly and satisfaction guarateed. Algoods warranted as represented. We also have a Grocery Room, north side Market

Square, filled with

GOICE GROCERIES! SUGARS, COFFLE,

Gen. Henry Heth, of Virginia, has been filed with the President.

-The Petersburgh Index denies, on the strenth of a letter from a member oi Gen. Lee's heusehold, that the ex-rebel leader means to leave the country.

-A Mexican correspondents says the French are pacifying that country by courts martial, shooting 40,000 Mexicans annually. A french paper declares the Empire a failure, and advocates a French protectorate. The breach between Maximilian and the French is said to be daily widening. The 'news' from Mexico is of so conflicting a character that it is impossible to tell what to believe.

-Governor Fenton has notified Mayor Gunther, Comptroller Brennan, City Inspector Boole, Recorder Hoffman, and Corporation Counsel Delvin, who are the Street-Cleaning Commissioners of New York city, to appear for trial on the 26th of September, on formal charges of corruption, &c.

-The spirit of opposition to a reunion with the Methodist Church North has just found an official sanction a pastoral address to the Southern Methodists from three of their Bishops, Andrew, Pierce and Paine. The remaining three Bishops, Early of Virginia, Soule of Tennessee, and Kavanaugh of Kentucky, were not present, but they may be supposed to fully sympathize with the sentiments expressed by their brethren. These Bishops repeat all the charges which the champions of slavery have brought against anti-slavery churches, and reject in emphatic terms the plan of reunion.

-General Payne, late of Paducah notoriety, has created a seusation among rivermen by the invention or a new propelling power, which does away with the use of boilers, and causes an immense reduction in the exycuse of fuel. W. R. Arthur has offered \$100,000 for one tenth interest in the patent, with a view of bringing it into use on the Illinois Central Railroad.

-It is said that speculators at Richmond are buying up all the Confederate currency and bonds they can find, in anticipation of some proposition hereafter in Congress for their payment.

-Out of less than 400 guests at one of the principal hotels in Washington, 232 are Southern applicants for Executive clemency.

-The latest invention of India rubber, in Paris, is "a false bust and neck" for female-a perfect imitation of flesh and blood, and (as they say of good counterfeits) " well calculated to deceive." At the circle where the true and false neck are connected is worn a band of ribbon, or a white necklace, which completely conceals the junction. -A large meeting of the oldest planters of La Fourche, La., was recently held, when they resolved to quit trying to raise sugar. The report of their committee argues that cotton cannot be raised with the present labor force in the State, and they recommend planters to turn their attention entirely to corn. -General Grant, on the completion of his tour through the Down-East regions and the Canadas, inrned his steps towards the far North-west, and has recently visited the principal towns of Illinois, Iowa, Winconsin and Minnesota, extending his trip in the tatter State to St. Paul and the Falls of Minnehatha. At all the places he has visited he has been worthily received with the greatest honors and enthusiasm. --At St. Paul he was received with the firing of cannon and an imposing torchlight procession, and was entertained at a magnificent bar quet. At Winona, the General delivered what is supposed to be his longest public speech on record. He was prodigal of his words at St. Paul. He made two speeches. The first, when he entered the towo, thus: " Ladies and Gentlemen : It is not my habit to make speeches, but I thank you for this very cordial welcome which you have given me to St. Paul." The second in response to a serena de, thus: "Gentlemen and Firemen of St. Paul. I am just about to leave, after a very pleasant visit to your city and State. ] am much obaidged to you for the cordial welcome I bave received. Good night." -

dressed the following communication to the Freedmen's Aid Association of New Orleans :.

glorious mission."

GENTLEMEN: I am a planter of twelve years' experienc ; this year I am working twelve hands, six men and six women; my laborers are to get one fourth of the net proceeds of the crops. They have a full understanding of the interest in the said crops. Our contract was made on the 1st of February last, and the result so far is a complete success. We have to day 85 arpen's of cotton; 25 arpents of sugar-canes; 75 arpents of corn-all in perfect condition. I don't mention the vegetable CTODS.

Under the old system ten arpents to the hand was considered a fair result, and more than threefourths of the plantations failed to come to that standard.

My laborers are all good people, behaving well, having good common sense; they are honesteand true to their family. Besides the crop in common, hey have raised for their private account small crops of corn and vegetables; they have poultry, &c., of their own.

Not a single difficulty has occurred among them since they have agreed to work on my farm.

Thus is the whole labor problem solved. Doal justly, give the freedmen some interest in their work, and there will be no trouble. In this case fifty per cent. more of ground is cultivated than the same number of hands cultivated under the old system, and the probability is that the p'anter will make that per cent. more. It is probably best to "peg away" at the old slaveholders, till they conclude to deal justly, and thus "fight it out on that ine." It is nothing but sheer ugliness on their part that causes all the trouble and inflicts all the distress upon the freedmen.

### A Reminiscence of John C. Calhoun-His Death-bed.

A correspondent of the St. Louis Democrat writes : "A gentleman, who spent an afternoon with Calhoun at his chamber in Washington some time before his death, mentions that, among other passages of Scripture discussed by them, he quoted the precept of St. Peter, "Honor all men." "What, sir !!" Mr. Calhoun exclaimed, "Honor all men !" Is that in the Bible? "Certainly, sir, was the reply. "Sir, he said, God does not require that.-Honor all men! What! the fellow in the White House, and the mass of such beings as I, meet every day yonder at the Capitol ? Oh, no! I cannot honor them, God does not command it. His friend explained that the passage claimed for every man, honor as a man, and because he is a man, until he shall forfeit his right by crime. "Sir he rep ied. that is right; and I do honor all men who deserve it. I honor my slaves who deserve it; but such men as I have to do with in Washington, neither God nor man can honor."

"The dying statesman continued in the same frame of mind to the last. Just before the solemn closing scene, the Chaplain of the Senate called and was announced by a friend, supposing him, from his name. to be his Congressional colleague, Judge Butler, Mr. Calhoun said, "Why did you not ad-mit him?" Being told that it was the Rev Mr. Butler, who felt it his duty to converse with him-

The resolutions were unanimously, adopted by the meeting.

W- hope the citizens of Raleigh will spread their doors wide to the free acceptation of their interests. BOOKER HUTCHINGS, Chairman. Jno. E. William, Secretary.

EQUESTRIAN .- We notice a great fondness among the ladies of Raleigh for horse back exercise .-Every fair evening large numbers of ladies, attended by gallant cavaliers, can be seen galloping on the many avenues leading from the city. Nothing is more attractive than a handsome lady, properly attired and well mounted ; and if she rides well, she. elicits the attention and admiration of all beholders. At the same time no other kind of exercise is so conducive to health, or is so exhilerating .--It is possible that this is one of the reasons why

the ladies of Raleigh are so proverbially beautiful. THE HUMAN HAIR .- To number the hairs of the head has been in all aged accounted as impossible a feat as to count the sands of the seashore. The astounding labor has, however, been gone through by a German professor, who thus tabularizes the result of his examination of four heads of hair: Blonde (number of hairs).....140,400 Brown Black Red The heads of hair were found to be nearly equal

in weight, and the deficiency in the number of hairs in the black, brown and red colors was fully counbalanced by a corresponding increase of bulk in the individual fibres. The average weight of a woman's head of hair is about fourteen ounces.

CROWDS of country people are to be seen daily in the capitol square beseiging the occupants of a small seven by nine (our strawing devil says benign) tent with applications for rations. This daily trampling of the grass may result in some good to the hungry petitioners, but we suggest that it will not improve the appearance of the square, the cleanliness and attractive appearance of which should be the pride of the authorities. A portion of the trees have been white-washed, when, as if the treasnry or the white wash gave out, this effective mode of improving the appearance of the grounds, was discontinued. A great deal of whitewashing, nevertheless, progress in that vacinity yet. Of course we have no reference to any one who may apply for pardon .--- oh no!

WHERE does the money come from ? No time in this history of R delph, has its streets presented such shortest notice, and at northern prices. Also a large lot of cards on hand, which we can print at from \$5 to \$8 a thousand. Orders solicited. at PROGRESS OFFICE.

ATTENTION !- He that indulges in the ardentialif you want good liquors go to Smith & Mitchell's, corner of Hargett and Wilmington streets, at the old Johnson stand.

## MARKET REPORT

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A. WHITAKER

Gnocer and Dealer in Provisions.

Apples-Dried, \$1 25 per bushel, Green, \$1 50 per bushel, Bacon-Firm, sales at 25@26c perib. Beef-10c per lb. Butter-35c per lb. Cheese-40c per lb. Chickens-20c a piece. Coffee-50c per lb. Corn-\$1 00 per bushel. Eggs-30 a 35c per dozen. Flour-Superfine \$11 per bbl.; Hides-Green 10c. Dry 15c. Honey-in comb, 25 to 80c per 1b. Lamb-121/@15c perib. Lard-25c per lb. Meal-\$1 15 per bushel. Mullets-None, Mackerel-\$20 per bbl Onions-\$1 50 per bushel. Peaches-dried 10c per lb. Peas-White \$100: Stock 90 to \$1; Garden 40c per eck.

Potatoes-Irish \$1 00 per bush. "Sveet. new, \$1 50 per bushel. Sugar-Crushed 35c per lb; Brown 25c Syrup-40c@50 per gallon. Soda-Cooking, 25c per pound. Salt-\$2 60 per bushel. Tallow-10c@121/2 per lb 'Herrings-\$14 per bbl. Rice-loc per lb. -Candles -Adamantine, 40c lb per box. Soap-Turpentine, 20c per lb. Biuestone-50c per lb.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HILLSBORO' N. C. MILITARY ACADEMY. THE RIGHTH ACADEMIC YEAR OF THIS INSTItution will begin on MONDAY, the 2d day of Octo ber, 1865.

Excepting the Military feature, the general plan of the Academy, discipline, course of study, &c, will be as hereinfore.

TERMs: One hundred and five (105) for the first three months of the term, PATABLE IN ADVANCE. This charge will cover all expense for board, fuel, lights, washing, tuition, use of text books and medical attendance. Each student must furnish clothing for a single bed. Circulars furnished on application to

J. B. WHITE. Superintendent H. M. A. Late Sup't of S. C. Military Academy. September 7, 65.-130-1m.

Sentinel, Progress, Charlotte Democrat, Dispatch and Herald, Wilmington, Petersburg Express copy twice a week for 4 weeks, and send bills to "Standard" office.

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Special attention paid to the forwarding of small packages.

Kaleigh, Sept. 5th, 1865.

THE POST OFFICE BEING FOR THE PRESENT up stairs, and therefore inconvenient, a small flag displayed at the window will indicate that it is open. No flag, that it is closed. A. MILLER, P. M. Raleigh, Sept. 2, 1865.

"the Rev. Mr. Butler! he said; "what does he want? He a young man, to call at this time. to speak to me on a subject upon whick I have thought all my life! 'Tell him he cannot be admitted."

OH! FOR A BOY .- Some individuals coming into the world, as snooks says Jeff Davis did, at a very early period of their existence, are "born with a silver spoon in their mouths." Of this class is the subject of the following item, which we extract from the Albany Express :

Many a young woman, under the care and protection of that indispensable necessity-a husband, would not object to having a boy, provided she had such a mother-in law as Mrs. Sen tor Kate Chase Sprague. In the proper time the lady presented her liege lord with an heir-an unmistakeable boy, very much like his papa, we supp se. Mother-inlaw was so well pleased, in fact, so delighted, that she forthwith reduced her own bank account half a million of dollars-a mere trifle to be sure-and made her daughfer-in- aw just that amount richer than she was previous to her addition to the population of the country. Nor was this all this model mother-in law did. Youngster was thought of -Before he had been weighed, and certainly before he h d been nan ed-in fact, nurse had hardly wrapped the little stranger in his infantile robeshe was the owner and possessor in his own right of \$100,000. Now, that's not bad to take. It would not be a bad idea to be born again to be treated in the same way. Truly Mrs. Spragne is a "bully" mother in law, and the younger Mrs. S. undoubtedly thinks so.

a lively and attractive and business-like aspect as they do now. The country people flock hither with their produce, which they sell at rates as reasonable. as the same articles cau be purchased in Northern markets, and they are sole to buy goods from our merchants-the most reliable of which advertise in the Progress-correspondingly cheap. The direct 'tax to the general government is mostly all paid, and business is fast finding its old channels. The routes of travel between here and the North, are crowfed with our citizens going and coming from New York and Baltimore. Traly, the good "old times" of before the war, are insensibly creeping over us, and before we know it, we will be able to enjoy ourselves much after the manner of his own inclination. HOT. HOTTER, HOTTENTOTTISSIMOST -Yesterday and day before were two very warm days, almost if not quite, the hottest we have had this year .--According to precedent, however, the pleasant season is about to commence, and if old inhabitants are right, we are just entering into an autumn of

unusual comfort From this time until christmas we predict fair weather.

Two of THEM .- We have now in this State, two newspapers with the same uitle, viz: -- The Newbern North Carolina Times and a recent enterprise located at Charlotte with the same cognomen, published by Waring & Britton.

