

MONDAY, October 9, 1865.

The Convention met at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer by Rev. Henry Hardie, of the Presbyterian church.

The journal was read. The President announced the following as the committee on the State war debt:

Messrs. Settle, Jackson, Winston, Rumley, Russell, Allen, Logan, Dickey, Patterson, McDonald and Ferebee.

Judge Howard asked permission to record his vote in favor of the ordinance abolishing slavery, as he was absent at the time of its passage on account of sickness. Granted.

Permission of the same character was granted Messrs. Cowper and Wilson.

Mr. Gilliam, from the committee on general amnesty, reported "a resolution on the subject of amnesty for the people of this State."

Mr. Sloan, from the committee on that subject, reported "an ordinance to divide the State into seven congressional districts."

Mr. Phillips, from the committee on the action of the legislature and the courts since 1861, reported an ordinance, recommending its passage.

RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES. Mr. Caldwell, of Burke, a resolution to enroll on parchment the ordinance declaring the ordinance of secession void, and to allow the members of this Convention to sign it.

Mr. Phillips, a resolution of enquiry in regard to lost records.

Mr. Baker, a resolution enquiring the propriety of establishing a penitentiary.

Mr. Howard, a resolution of enquiry in regard to the charter and status of the Piedmont railroad.

Mr. McDonald, of Chatham, a resolution providing for the election of judges by the people.

Mr. Smith, of Johnston, a resolution in regard to the qualifications of senators and representatives.

Mr. Donnell, an ordinance to provide for the payment of the State debt contracted before the war. Referred.

Mr. Bynum, a resolution to print 120 copies of the Constitution of the State.

The rules were suspended and this resolution was adopted.

Mr. McRae, an ordinance to provide for the election of three representatives in the Legislature from the counties of Cumberland and Harriet.

Mr. Moore, an ordinance requiring voters to pay a poll tax of one dollar.

Mr. Love moved to reconsider the vote by which the ordinance in relation to elections was passed, in order to amend it so that persons lately arrived at the age of twenty-one might vote.

Mr. Grissom hoped the motion would prevail, as he wished to move an amendment extending the term of office of the Governor.

Mr. Boyden said these objects might be obtained by another ordinance without a reconsideration.

Messrs. Pool, Love, and Caldwell, of Burke, urged the reconsideration.

Mr. Moore thought it proper that the first term of the Governor should be that prescribed by the ordinance. A large portion of the citizens of the State very now disfranchised; it was to be hoped that all such would soon be allowed all the privileges of citizenship, and he did not think it right for this Convention deliberately to disfranchise them for two years more, when it was highly probable that a general amnesty would soon be granted.

Mr. Caldwell considered Mr. Moore's remarks a wrong argument in favor of the reconsideration of the ordinance.

The yeas and nays being ordered, the following voted in the affirmative: Messrs. Adams, Alexander, Allen, Baines, Baker, Barr, w, Beam, Bingham, Bradley, Brown, Brooks, Bryan, Burgin, Buxton, Wynum, Caldwell, of Burke, Caldwell, of Guilford, Dickey, Dockery, Donnell, Ellis, Faircloth, Faison, Galkner, Ferebee, Furches, Gabagan, Garland, Harrett, Gilliam, Grissom, Harris, of Guilford, Harris, of Rutherford, Haynes, Henry, Hodge, Howard, Jackson, Jarvis, Johnston, Jones, of Columbus, Jones, of Davidson, Jones, of Henderson, Jones, of Rowan, Joyce, Joyner, Kelly, Kennedy, King, Logan, Love, of Chatham, Love, of Jackson, Manly, McCauley, McCorkle, McCoy, McDonald, of Chatham, McDonald, Moore, McGeehan, McIvor, McKay, N. A. McLean, Nat. McLean, McRae, Moore, of Chatham, Murphy, Nichols, Norfleet, Phillips, Pool, Reade, Remy, Rush, Settle, Simmons, Sloan, Smith, of Anson, Smith, of Johnston, Smith, of Wilkes, Spencer, of Hyde, Spencer, of Montgomery, Starbuck, Stephenson, Stewart, Stubbs, Swan, Thompson, Walkup, Ward, Warren, Williams, Wilson, Winston—93.

And the following in the negative: Messrs. Bell, Berry, Boyden, Brickell, Clark, Conigland, Cowper, Godwin, Henahan, Lash, McCleese, McCaughlin, Moore, of Wake, Odom, Perkins, Russell, Saunders, Willey, Winburn and Wright—20. So the vote was reconsidered.

Mr. Thompson, an ordinance declaring all the State offices vacant, where the holder has taken an oath inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States.

Mr. Love, an ordinance to restore the Supreme Court. Reappoints judges Pearson, Battle and Manly. UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The resolution declaring that the result of the war settled the question of secession, was read.

Mr. Boyden moved to lay on the table, as that question had been decided by the Convention. Agreed.

Resolutions forbidding the assumption of the State war debt were laid on the table.

An ordinance to declare the basis of representation for other purposes, was read and referred to a select committee of five.

A message was received from his Excellency, the Governor, transmitting the following dispatch from J. Powell, agent for the State at Washington city:

WASHINGTON, October 7, 1865. The President is very much gratified with the action of the Convention. I write this in his office, and he tells me to say the Convention has done what is right, and that such action adds greatly to our strength here."

The ordinance in regard to elections was read by sections and amended.

Mr. Grissom moved to amend the first section, so to extend the term of office of the Governor and members of the Legislature to 1867, instead of 1866.

Mr. Caldwell, of Guilford, was in favor of annual elections, and thought the constitution should be amended accordingly.

Mr. Phillips approved of the policy indicated in the original bill, and wished the people to have an opportunity in a short time to call their representatives to account, as the first election would be necessarily hasty and would lead to hasty legislation.

The question being on the motion to strike out and insert Mr. Grissom's amendment, the convention refused to strike out by a vote of 29 yeas to 10 nays.

Mr. Logan moved to add "regular election" after word "next" in the first election.

Messrs. Winston and Boyden raised a point of order on the ground that the convention had already decided not to extend the time, and this was substantially the same proposition as that presented by the delegate from Granville.

Mr. Caldwell, of Burke, said he was truly glad

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## THE CITY.

**GAMBLING AMONG BOYS.**—We are pained to hear from a gentleman of acknowledged piety and high social position, that a great tendency to gamble is evincing among the boys of this community. He says scarcely a day passes but some of them collect together in secluded spots, unwrap their pack of cards and put up their stakes, and deal out "seven up," "enchre," or some other familiar game. We understand that beneath the trees on the suburbs a number of boys from the city assemble regularly every day and sport for small sums of money. It is further stated that children of some of our most respectable citizens may be found in these gatherings, led astray by evil company and learning to do that which in the future may blight happiness and murder character.

The truth is—and here is just the place to say it—parents do not seem to realize the responsibility that rests upon them in the particular circumstances of the present moment. Far too much attention is paid to the acquisition of greenbacks, the securing of fine dress and outward show, and these things to the neglect of moral and religious training. We ask parents to halt—to manoeuvre less for the blandishments of fashion and more in the direction of wisely disciplining their offspring. They may depend upon it we speak of these things with a view to their interests, the reform of the boys, and the good of society in the time to come.

**BALLOONING.**—There was another balloon ascension last night and although minus an ascendant, it was rather a splendid exhibition. The balloon was made from twenty copies of the New York Herald, with a basket for motive power thirty-six inches deep and at the top eight inches across. It was decorated with one union and one confederate flag, with the motto, "one and indivisible." It moved off from the starting point in a course directly south and continued to mount skyward until lost to sight. It was a very successful affair and we only regret that the hour chosen for the ascension—1 o'clock, p. m.—prevented a general observation of the really pretty display.

**RECIPE FOR OYSTER SOUP.**—A friend sends the annexed recipe for making oyster soup, and as the season for bivalval luxuries is on us, we print it for the benefit of our readers:

Take two quarts of oysters, (measured solid,) and an equal quantity of oyster liquor, or water if the liquor cannot be had. Season with pepper and salt, and boil until the hearts become white; at this point add a custard, which has been previously prepared, as follows: The yolks of six eggs to be beaten well over which a quart of boiling milk is to be poured and stirred in. Let the oysters and the custard boil up once. Cream two table-spoonful of butter, with two heaping spoonful of flour, and put it in the boiling soup and stir until it is melted. Pour off on hot toasted bread.

**A MATTER OF JUSTICE.**—We transfer to our columns from the Standard of yesterday, the following paragraph. It simply states facts:

W. R. Richardson, Esq.—By the proceedings of the Board of Commissioners, it will be seen that not only is Mr. Richardson entirely exonerated from all intimations which might affect his integrity, but his services as Treasurer were duly rewarded. The gentlemen composing the board disclaim any intention of insinuating anything against Mr. R. as a gentleman of honor. The affair grew out of a misunderstanding on the part of Mr. R., and has been disposed of to the satisfaction of all his friends.

We published in Monday's paper the proceedings to which the above refers.

**OHIO ELECTION.**—Voters in this vicinity being residents of the State of Ohio may be interested in the information that a poll will be opened to-day, at 10 A. M., by Capt. Dalgell, of the 5th Ohio cavalry, at the camp of that regiment, about one mile south of Department Head Quarters, on the Fayetteville Road. Citizen employees of the government as well as soldiers are entitled by the laws of Ohio to vote at this election.

Ambulances will start from the office of Capt. A. M. Garoutte, A. Q. M., at 11 o'clock.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**—The people have long since awarded this paper the palm as a vehicle of news. As a consequence merchants, tradesmen, and all who have anything to buy or sell, give it the preference with their advertisements. We refer to the favors in to-day:

Maj. G. Bell, C. S. U. S. A.—Proposals for the sale of Hard Bread.

M. Mordecai—Wood for Sale. S. W. Marshall—Steam Saw Mill for Sale.

**T THINGS—**and coffee pots, too, for the matter of that, with many other useful things, may be found at the depot of Lougee & Bro., opposite our office. It is one of the oldest established business houses in the city and we verily believe that an order for any article in their line would be as faithfully filled, as to quality and price, as if the purchasers were present. This is saying a good deal, but we do not consider it exaggeration; but read their advertisement and then test the assertion.

**A. B. C.**—The Rev. Henry Hardie is the agent of the American Bible Society, and we understand would be pleased to hear from all who feel an interest in the noble enterprise as to the formation of new or the re-organization of old bible societies. His address is Raleigh.

**PROTECTION AGAINST FIRE.**—We call attention to the advertisement of Herring & Co., New York, Chicago and Philadelphia, who manufacture and sell the celebrated Herring & Co.'s patent fire-proof safes. No banker or business man should be without one.

The Convention proceedings are reported for the PROGRESS by W. H. Finch, Esq., one of the best reporters in the Southern country. He gives full, accurate and reliable reports of the doings of the body, and persons who desire them for present reading or future reference should not fail to secure files of the paper containing these reports.

**F. & F. PUBLISHING HOUSE.**—We have only a moment owing to the pressure of telegrams, convention proceedings, etc., upon our columns, in which to call attention this morning to the advertisements of the Field and Fireside Publishing House. They speak for themselves, however, and when once fairly under way their enterprise will reflect credit on the State.

**WANTED.**—Any freedwoman, who is versed in the mysteries of the culinary art and can get up a good dinner out of good material, will hear something to her advantage by applying immediately at McKimmon's store, Fayetteville street.

**U. S. C. TROOPS.**—By the train last evening from Goldsboro, a large number of colored troops—perhaps a regiment—reached the city. We understand they are on their way home via Petersburg, City Point and Fortress Monroe.

**DISAPPOINTED.**—the ladies and gentlemen who attended the Baptist church last night to hear a free lecture. It did not come off, but they did. What prevented the lecturer from appearing has not transpired.

—There was a flurry of snow in Philadelphia on Wednesday evening, lasting nearly half an hour.

—Twenty-two buildings have been rebuilt in the burnt district of Richmond, and eighty more are nearly finished.

—Secretary Seward almost daily promenades the Northern suburbs of Washington. His figure is erect and his carriage firm, but his face shows inefficacious traces of the assassin's work upon him.

**THE SWEET SOUTH WIND.**—breathing o'er beds of violets, is not more fragrant than Sozodion. And the aroma which it exalts, communicates itself to the breaths of all who use this marvellous dentifrice, white teeth, ruddy gums, a sweet mouth, and the certainty of enjoying these desirable in perpetuity, are among the blessings derived from the use of Sozodion.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!**  
**LOUGEE & BRO.**

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE LOT OF Cooking and Office Stoves at their old stand on Fayetteville Street.

**PLANNISHED WARE!**  
A Fine Assortment of French Coffee and Tea Pots.

**JAPAN WARE!**  
Trunks, Cane and Sugar Boxes, Tea and Coffee Caskets, Dust Pans, Spittoons, Pepper Boxes and Fancy Tin Cups, Hardware and House Furnishing Goods, Wall Irons, Fryng Pans, Sauce Pans, Tinned Iron Pots, Coffee Mills, Soufflers, &c., &c.

**TIN WARE!**  
A Complete Assortment of Home-made. Jobbing, Repairing, House Roofing, &c., executed at the shortest notice.

We are prepared to make and repair Store Pipe, put up Stoves, &c.  
Persons desiring anything in our line would do well to give us a call.  
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**BURNING OF THE MUSEUM!**  
**LETTER FROM MR. P. T. BARNUM!**  
New York, July 14, 1865.

Messrs. Herring & Co.:  
GENTLEMEN—Though the destruction of the American Museum has proved a serious loss to myself and the public, I am happy to verify the old adage that "it is an ill wind that blows nobody good," and consequently, congratulate you that your well-known safes have again demonstrated their superior fire-proof qualities in an ordeal of unusual severity.  
The safe you made for me some time ago was in the office of the Museum, on the second floor, back part of the building, and in the hottest of the fire.  
After twenty-four hours of trial it was found among the debris, and on opening it this day has yielded up its contents in very good order—books, papers, policies of insurance, bank bills, all in condition for immediate use, and a noble commentary on the trustworthiness of Herring's Fire-Proof Safes.  
Truly yours,  
P. T. BARNUM.

**HERRING'S PATENT CHAMPION SAFES.**  
The most reliable protection from fire now known.  
HERRING & CO.'S PATENT BANKER'S SAFES, with Herring & Floyd's Patent Crystallized Iron, the best security against a burglar's drill ever manufactured.

HERRING & CO.,  
No. 251, Broadway, cor. Murray St., New York.  
FARRELL, HERRING & CO., Philadelphia.  
HERRING & CO., Chicago.  
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**IN PRESS:**  
BY MESSRS. WM. B. SMITH & CO.,  
**Field & Fireside Publishing House,**  
58 FAYETTEVILLE ST., RALEIGH N. C.

**MOSES FROM A ROLLING STONE:**  
BY "TENELLA"—MARY SATARD CLARE,  
Author of "Reminiscences of Cuba," "Wood Notes," "Translations of 'Marguerite,' 'Lady Tartuffe,' &c."  
One volume, 16 mo. cloth: Price \$1.25.

Contains complete Poetical writings of the popular author, and is a beautiful setting of all the sparkling diamonds that have been found clinging to the "rolling stone" of a great life as it washed with the ebb and flow of the ebbing tide of Thought and Imagination.  
Liberal deductions to the Trade.  
\* \* \* Editors inserting this, with this note, will receive a copy of the book  
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**WANTED.**  
A GOOD, SMART COLORED WOMAN THAT UNDERSTANDS COOKING and Washing, will find a good situation by applying immediately at MCKIMMON'S STORE, Fayetteville Street.  
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**PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS.**  
A LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK AT THE FIELD & FIRESIDE BOOKSTORE, 58 Fayetteville street.  
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**TERMS.**  
**RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION.**  
Daily, 1 Year.....\$10 00 Daily, 1 Month..... \$1 00  
" 6 Months..... 5 00 Weekly, 1 Year..... 3 00  
" 3 Months..... 3 00 " 6 Months..... 1 50  
Must be paid in advance in all cases or the paper will not be sent; and the paper will be stopped when the time paid for expires, unless renewed.

**NEWSBOYS AND NEWS DEALERS.**  
Will be furnished at the rate of \$3 per hundred copies. All orders must be accompanied by the money.

**ADVERTISING RATES.**  
Ordinary advertisements, occupying not more than ten lines solid minion, or one inch space  
1 insertion.....\$1 00 2 Weeks..... \$5 00  
2 " " " 1 50 1 Month..... 10 00  
3 " " " 2 00 2 Months..... 15 00  
4 " " " 2 50 3 " " " 20 00  
5 " " " 3 00 6 " " " 24 00  
1 Week..... 3 50 1 Year..... 50 00  
Larger advertisements, where no contract is made, will be charged in exact proportion.

**YEARLY CONTRACTS.**  
Will be made in accordance with the following schedule:  
1-4 columns, 1 Month, \$30 00 1-4 col. 6 Months, \$140 00  
1-2 " " " 45 00 1-2 " " " 6 " " " 140 00  
1-4 " " " 50 00 1-4 " " " 1 " " " 150 00  
1-2 " " " 75 00 1-4 " " " 1 Year, 175 00  
1 " " " 100 00 1 " " " " 200 00  
1 " " " " 300 00 1 " " " " 300 00

Only those who contract for one-fourth, one half, or a column, for one, three, six, or twelve months, will receive the benefit of these terms.  
Contract advertisers must pay by the month, and all advertisements must be marked a specified time, and no advertisement will be inserted "tiltill told."  
Advertisements inserted once, twice or three times a week will be charged One Dollar a square for every insertion.

**OUR CIRCULATION.**  
Is larger in the city and throughout the State than any other paper in North Carolina. The Progress is read in the camp and among the people by a much larger number of persons than any other paper, and hence its importance as an advertising medium should not be overlooked by business men.

**SPECIAL NOTICES.**  
Special Notices will be set in motion, leader, and inserted under the Special Notice head, and One Dollar Square charged for every insertion.

**LOCAL COLUMN.**  
Only short notices will be admitted to the Local Column, at the following rates:  
One Line, One Day \$1 00 Three Lines, One Day \$2 00  
Two Lines, " 1 50 Five Lines, " 2 50  
Ten Lines, or more, at the rate of Twenty-five Cents a Line for each insertion.

**FUNERAL NOTICES, MARRIAGES, &c.**  
Will be charged same as Advertisements, and must be paid for when headed in, or they will not appear.  
The above Rates will be adhered to in all cases, and we have to pay cash for everything in our business, we must demand cash.  
J. L. PENNINGTON & CO.  
June 26, 1865.

**TO SUBSCRIBERS AND ADVERTISERS.**  
We have to pay cash for paper, ink and labor, and we must have more cash from those for whom we work or we cannot pay our current expenses. We know there is but little money in circulation, but there are but few persons who want a newspaper that cannot spare the money to pay for it. Persons desiring their paper marked must remit the money or it will be stopped.  
Advertisers must pay in advance for all transient matter, and business men who advertise regularly will be expected to pay their bills monthly.  
Job Printing must be paid for when delivered.  
J. L. P. & CO.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

**OFFICE, DEPOT COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., October 8, 1865.

**SALE OF HARD BREAD!**  
**SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE, UNTIL 12 M., ON THURSDAY, THE 26th INST., FOR THE PURPOSE.**

**HARD BREAD.**  
at this and the Alexandria Depots. The Bread is packed in boxes of fifty (50) pounds each, and can be examined at Sixth Street Wharf, in this city, or at the Subsistence Store House, in Alexandria, Va. No bids will be received for less than twenty (20) boxes—one thousand (1000) pounds. The price per pound and quantity desired, will be stated in each proposal. It will be placed on transport at Alexandria, Va., or at Sixth Street Wharf, free of expense to the purchaser. Twenty thousand boxes (50 pounds each,) more or less, can be purchased.  
The attention of Shippers, and others using Pilot Bread, is called to the advantages now offered for obtaining their supplies of this article.  
The Government reserves the right to reject bids.  
Bidders not present will be notified by letter of the result of their proposals. All purchases will be removed within twenty days from the date of acceptance.  
Blank Proposals, if desired, can be obtained from the undersigned.  
Terms—Cash, in Government funds, before the delivery commences.  
G. BELL,  
Maj. & C. S. U. S. A.

**WOOD FOR SALE!**  
**I WILL SELL TO PERSONS WISHING IT ON THE** ground, by the cord, any quantity of wood, within half a mile of the Capitol, or will deliver any quantity of wood in the city, by the cord.  
oct. 10-3t H. MORDECAI.

**THE BEST AND CHEAPEST!**  
**WEBSTER'S SPELLERS. PRICE 25 CENTS.**  
At the FIELD & FIRESIDE BOOK-STORE,  
(next to the old city Post Office).  
oct 11-1f Fayetteville street.

**NOVELS**  
**BY ALL THE POPULAR AUTHORS, BOUND AND UNBOUND EDITIONS, AT THE**  
FIELD & FIRESIDE BOOK-STORE,  
58 Fayetteville street.  
oct 11-1f

**WEBSTER'S SPELLERS AT 25 CENTS!**  
**WEBSTER'S SPELLERS AT 25 CENTS!**  
At the FIELD & FIRESIDE BOOK-STORE,  
58 Fayetteville street.  
oct 11-1f

**SCHOOL BOOKS**  
**OF ALL GRADES AND KINDS AT THE**  
FIELD & FIRESIDE BOOKS-STORE.  
oct 11-1f

**HAMS, SIDES, SHOULDERS AND LARD.**  
**5 TIERCES—1,500 LBS. CHOICE SUGAR-CURED**  
**HAMS.**  
10 Cases—5,000 lbs. Prime Shoulders,  
4 Cases—1,500 lbs. very nice Bacon Sides, recommended.  
3 Cases—36 Pails, Fresh and Sweet White Lard.  
25 Kegs—do do do  
10 Half Barrels—do do do  
Just received and for sale by  
B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO.  
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**STEAM SAW MILL FOR SALE!**  
**THE FOLLOWING MENTIONED PROPERTY IS** offered for sale, low for Cash, or its equivalent:  
A Sixteen Horse Power Engine (fine boiler); Two good Circular Saws, also Wood and Lath Saws, and a Lumber Cart, forty feet of carriage; a Log Cart, and a number one Yoke of Oxen. All in good running order, and requires but four hands to run it. It is convenient to a large quantity of timber near the R. & G. R. R., and the only steam mill on said road. It will saw lumber country. With proper attention it will saw lumber country. With proper attention it will saw lumber country. For further particulars enquire of W. H. Spencer, at the office of the "Daily Progress," or  
S. W. MARSHALL,  
Pacine, N. C.  
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**300 KEGS CUT NAILS, 4's to 20's.**  
25 " " Horse Shoes,  
10 " " Mule " "  
25 Boxes—500 lbs.—Horse Shoe Nails,  
12 doz. Spades,  
25 " Cast Steel Axes,  
In Store and for sale by  
B. F. WILLIAMSON & CO.  
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