

STATE NEWS.

Concord is to have the hog law. J. L. Todd has re-opened the Walton House in Morganton.

The Mooresville Gazette has discarded the patent outside, and has greatly improved. Washington has shipped North this season by express 1,000 boxes of fish, getting back \$30,000.

Old bonds to the amount of \$83,000 came into the State treasury for exchange Thursday. A meeting of the bar of Duplin court passed resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Col. W. S. Devane, of Wilmington.

Wilmingtonians expected a rich treat in the lecture of Gen. R. E. Colston on modern Egypt, Friday night. A terrific storm swept over a part of Granville county on the 10th ult. An immense quantity of rain fell and the damage cannot be estimated.

The Whitfield Latin medal, at Wake Forest College, has been awarded by the examiners to Mr. Thos. P. Womack, of Yanceyville, Caswell county.

The Spirit states that a lodge of the Knights of Honor has been formed in Rockingham, Richmond county, with 51 members. Capt. W. L. Everett is past dictator.

The hogs in Burke county have the cholera, and the cattle in some communities are affected with a disease which is proving fatal, but the good people were never healthier.

A debating society in Morganton, discussing the old queries which have settled the question, were the whites justifiable in driving the Indians from their lands.

Mr. A. M. Finley left Marion on the 28th to take a short walk in the country. He sat down on the roadside to rest, and died in his seat. Just a year ago almost to a day, he dropped dead in their house at Marion.

At Edenton Street M. E. church, Raleigh, Thursday afternoon, according to the News, Mr. Geo. F. Foust, formerly of Raleigh, but now of Winston, was united in marriage to Miss Emma, daughter of W. H. Bledsoe, of Raleigh.

Wilmington Review: The next session of the Military Academy begins October 1st, under the management of Capt. Washington, as set principal. Capt. Catlett will have more than 100 pupils. He has been connected with the Academy from the date of its revival by Major Burgess, and has given ample evidence of his ability to control as well as to teach the pupils of that institution.

The Concord Sun says John Hinson, a man who lived about a mile from Rocky River Springs, Stanly county, was found dead in his new ground last Tuesday morning. All went to work the evening before, and not being well, his wife endeavored to dissuade him from going, but remarking that he expected to work in the morning, he started to work, and did not return at night. His wife went to search for him, but could not find him. He was found in the morning about sunrise, and had apparently been dead all night.

Mr. Thomas H. Robinson, of Poplar Tent, Cabarrus county, thus addresses the Concord Register: We have sheared our sheep. Our Merino buck yielded 13 pounds and the run of old lamb sheared 11 1/2 pounds. The flock averaged 8 3/4. The grades, cross of the Merino on the natives, averaged 5 pounds and 9 ounces. No special care was taken of the flock. The increase is more than pays all expenses. The increase is sixty per cent. We find the thoroughbred sheep the healthiest and hardiest, and will bear more crowding and confinement, and are more gentle than the natives.

The Courier states that at a large meeting of citizens held at Hendersonville last Monday, it was resolved to have a large barbecue on the 4th of July, in celebration of the completion of the Spartanburg & Asheville Railroad to that point. The Courier also says: Letters from a prominent railway official to a gentleman of this county, state that over a thousand excursionists from Raleigh, Wilmington, Charlotte, Atlanta, Columbia, Charleston, and intermediate points will attend the celebration. Gov. Jarvis and Gov. Robinson have accepted invitations, and will, doubtless, attend. It is more than probable that Gov. Simpson, of South Carolina, will also grace the occasion with his presence.

Wilmington Review: We have learned of a very narrow escape from a terrible accident by Gen. R. E. Colston yesterday. He was in the opera house at the time, engaged in generating gas, which is a part of the illustration of the lecture, when the retort exploded with fearful force, driving a piece of the copper into the work of the stage and igniting it, and inflicting some painful injuries on Gen. Colston's person. He was in his shirt sleeves at the time and his clothing was set on fire, but fortunately he had a bucket of water near him, and he was able to put out the fire. Gen. Colston, who just left the retort when the explosion occurred, and he rendered senseless, and as he was the only person in the building, a serious disaster would have resulted. As it is all well, it was a truly providential escape.

The News in a long story of J. A. Wallons and Quant Hamilton, of Johnston county, going to Raleigh to buy goods. About noon the day following their arrival, Wallons went to a hotel and asked for a room, saying he felt unwell, and wanted a glass of beer. He was asked for a name, and he gave the name of Quant Hamilton. He was asked for a name, and he gave the name of Quant Hamilton. He was asked for a name, and he gave the name of Quant Hamilton.

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A correspondent of the News and Courier calls attention to the homeless condition, caused by the Walterboro tornado, of the Rev. E. E. Bellinger, pastor of the Episcopal church at that place, and missionary on the coast, and his contents destroyed by fire on last Friday morning just before day. One of his children was severely burned, and he barely escaped. The fire was the work of an incendiary. Both his dwelling and his barn were burned last Christmas, and there is every reason to believe that he is thus persecuted because he is a Democrat.

Columbia Register, 30th: Bacly Nunnamaker, son of Mrs. Margaret Nunnamaker, who resided in Lexington county, about five miles from Columbia, accidentally shot and killed himself, and his contents destroyed by fire on last Friday morning just before day. One of his children was severely burned, and he barely escaped. The fire was the work of an incendiary. Both his dwelling and his barn were burned last Christmas, and there is every reason to believe that he is thus persecuted because he is a Democrat.

Lexington correspondence Charleston News and Courier: Treasurer D. J. Hendrix, editor of the Summit Courier, disappeared a few days ago, leaving a deficit in his accounts with the county and State of about \$1,000. It is thought that Mr. Hendrix became entangled in his business by being too liberal in giving out tax receipts, often waiting for them to be cashed, which he found was more difficult than he had anticipated. It is also thought that he made many mistakes in receiving and paying out public money. He left a letter to his bondsmen, stating his condition. Mr. Hendrix has always been one of our leading, and seemingly most honest citizens, and his departure has created quite a sensation of surprise among his friends. He has a small family, and is about thirty-five years old.

The boys along the Ohio want to get one more glimpse of Thurman's red bandana. This will be a counter sign to Garfield's blood shirt.—Augusta Chronicle.

When the Ohio campaign gets fairly open there is going to be a life and death struggle, he says. Foster's Louisiana report and the platform on which he is running for Governor. It will be a very interesting collision.—Phil. Times.

Mr. Hayes will dislike to sign the silver-coinage bill. Mr. Sherman will dislike to have him sign it. But both Hayes and Sherman will have to resign the hope, however faint it may be, of carrying Ohio. This will put the administration in a dilemma.—Washington Post.

When the Louisville Courier-Journal gets the coppers sufficiently cooled down to enable it to remove the wet towel from its massive brow and appear among men once more, it will probably find out that it has got a pretty good-sized row on its hands. Thomas Hendrix has descended from the fence and is on the war path.—Cleveland Herald.

It was Gen. Joe Johnston, of Virginia, who made the motion that the House adjourn over Decoration Day. This was doubtless a disappointment to some of the patriots who stayed at home during the war, but those who fought against Johnston, and know what a good soldier he was, will like it all the more. "Love and tears for the gray."—Philadelphia Times.

The Blaine-Hill-Vance Colloquy. [Washington Republican, 30th.] Mr. Hill, of Georgia, confirmed this argument, and after Mr. E. ex cepted the district, where the Republicans declined to nominate a candidate to run against Mr. Stephens, and he was elected by a very small vote.

Mr. Blaine asked Mr. Vance why the Republicans did not nominate in 1878, where they were largely in the majority in the State.

Mr. Vance said Mr. Blaine, who was the authority about Washington affairs, ought to know best. He ought to know why orders did not go down to have somebody run together with money to back him up.

Mr. Blaine said the country knew that opposition to Democratic candidates in the South was abandoned because there was no use in it. It had no chance of fair treatment.

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Further Comments on the Ohio Nominations. [Wash. Letter of 29th, to Richmond Dispatch.] Of five Democratic members of the House questioned to-day in regard to the nominations made at Cincinnati yesterday by the Republicans, all except Mr. Wiley said it was a weak ticket, but he had voted for Congress, and it would not do for him to say so.

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A Child's Accident. A little child, the daughter of Arthur Banks, Esq., fell into a tub of hot water yesterday morning, and was severely scalded. The child is now in a critical condition.

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