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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES. 7th, 1882.

FOR CONGRESSMAN AT LARGE: RISDEN TYLER BENNETT, of Anson.

FOR JUDGE SUPREME COURT: THOMAS RUFFIN, of Orange.

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ABOUT THE BARGAIN.

The editor of the Southern Home and Democrat, in his paper which appeared yesterday evening, says that a certain revenue officer has asserted that THE O BSERVER'S political opinions had been bought and paid for. I merely desire to say there isn't a word of truth in the statement. I made up my mind before I entered the canvass to get offended at nothing that might be said in regard to my course, and I am going to try and do so. In my announcement I said I was a Democrat, and I have seen no cause to change my course. I expect men who might be bought themselves, to attempt to blacken my character by stating that I had been instigated by corrupt motives to take the independent stand I have, but I am able to take care of myself, and my character aswell.

I have this request to make: If any of my friends of the State press copy any portion of the article alluded to in the Home and Democrat, I beg them to copy this as well.



STARTING A PAPER Last fall there was talk of starting a paper in Charlotte in opposition to THE DAILY OBSERVER. The News and Observer then as now, as the "organ' was bound to do, took a fatherly interest in the people of Charlotte. On the 2nd day of October 1881 it said:

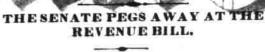
We understand that some of the Charlotte tolks are about to start a new naily there on a capital of ed. of. Such a paper would not at all interfere with us, and, therefore, what we say is unselfish. We hope it will not be attempted. The money would probably be sunk within six months. The paper will not pay. The enterprise will only be an injury to the daily paper already established there, and as it may cripple that paper it will work harm to Char-lotte. Mr. Jones position on railroad matters may not be in accord with the business interests of Charlotte; if so, the business men had better buy the paper. It would be cheaper in the end to pay Mr. Jones a considerable price for his paper than to start a new one. This was good logic then, but Editor Ashe takes a different view of the

question now, and hopes that a successfulrival to THE OBSERVER will be started here at once.

An old gentleman named Sandy Hanes, from what was then Surry but now Yadkin county, once ran for the State Legislature on the question of a division of the county. When the measure came up in the Legislature to the surprise of everybody he voted against it. In attempting to explain his vote to his constituents he said, the very first act of the Legislature was to pass a law to allow a man to change his opinion, and he claimed the benefit of the [stat-ute. As the Legislature has not been in session since October last, we suppose Editor Ashe has taken the bit in his teeth and changed his notions without the sanction of the law.

Americans hold up their hands

holy horror because Spain, in order to amuse royalty, occasionally allows a bull fight. And yet we see in some of the leading newspapers of the North and South long accounts of prize-fights -wherein brutes in human form are called "plucky," "heroes," &cc., while



The House Spends the Day on the Contested Election Case of Smith vs Shelly and Winds up by Declaring the Seat Vacant as was Anticipated.

WASHINGTON, Suly 21.-After some unimportant business Morrill moved to proceed with the revenue tax bill, to proceed with the revenue tax bill, and Hale supplemented this with a mo-tion to take up the naval appropriation bill. A protracted rambing debate fol-lewed upon the order of business. The revenue bill retained its place as the unfinished business of the morning hour hereafter, and Morrill's motion to lay side all pending orders to take up lay aside all pending orders to take up the tax bill prevailed Yeas 35; nays 29. The pending amendment was that of Voorhees te strike out the provision re-

pealing taxes on bank capital and deposits, bank checks, drafts, etc. Jonas, of Louisiana, in some remarks upon the fourth section repealing additional twenty-five per centum levied by the act of 1815 on all imported sugars and he had voted for the tariff commission in the belief that it was safer to have sugar interest manifested inconto the planters of Louisiana and other sugar growing States, particularly after the great loss sustained by them from the late flood, and submitted figures showing the small profits realized from the culture and manufacture of sugar. One of the best crops of late years amounted to 240,000,000 pounds of

sugar, which, at 71% cents, realized \$18, sugar, which, at 7½ cents, realized \$18,-000,000; molasses from this sugar would be worth four million dollars more, making the result of the product crop \$22,000,000. The cost of making this crop was \$20,000,000, which left \$2,000,-000 net profit or 2½ per cent. on the capital invested. Any serious reduc-tion of the price would entail such loss in receipts as would wipe out entirely the profits. If the proposed cut of 2 per cent, was made, and when the tariff per cent. was made, and when the tariff is revised another reduction of 25 per cent, this would destroy the planting interest altogether. He argued that it was fallacious to assume that a modification of the sugar tariff or the abolition of duties cheapened the cost to the consumer. What guarantee was there that the refiner would sell at a lower rate.

brokers and sporting men are the pat-rons of such shows. Some dynamite might be used to advantage when an-might be used to advantage when another such exhibition is given like the should be protected either by the re-one in Vanderbilt's Madison Square storation of the House clause allowing garden the other night, in which "Ing" a rebate on a postponement of the time Wilson, and a fellow named Sullivan, October, the date fixed for the law to

to Gen. Curtis. NEW YORK, July 20 .- The case of Gen. Newton M. Curtis, ex-treasury agent, who was indicted, tried and con-victed in the United States affcuit court before Judge Benedict for col-

lecting money from officeholders for political purposes, again came up to-day when a decision was rendered by the court in banc, composed of Judges Wallace, Benedict and Brown, on mo-tion for a new trial and in arrest of judgment, which was argued a fort-night ago. Judge Benedict said that the court was unanimous in its conclusions, affirming the constitutionality of the statute under which Curtis was indicted. He then handed down an opinion prepared by Judge Wallace, in which all the Judges concurred. At the conclusion of the opinion the decision was given denying the motion for an arrest of judgment and a new trial. District Attorney Woodford moved for the sentence, when Curtis' counsel moved for a suspension of sentence, stating the interview for stating the intention of carrying the case to the United States Supreme court. Judge Benedict said passing sentence, would not prevent the case have sugar interest manifested incon-nection with the general subject of tariff revision. He preferred this to any partial or half way action. He quoted the statement that a reduction of the sugar tariff would be calamitous to the planters of Louisiana and other was removed to the marshal's office. It was expected the fine would be paid during the afternoon,

### Severe Earthquake in Mexico.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, July 20.-Des-patches from the city of Mexico report that a severe earthquake, lasting two minutes, was felt in that eity and over a large portion of the country. The people were greatly frightened, but no serious damage was done and no lives lost.

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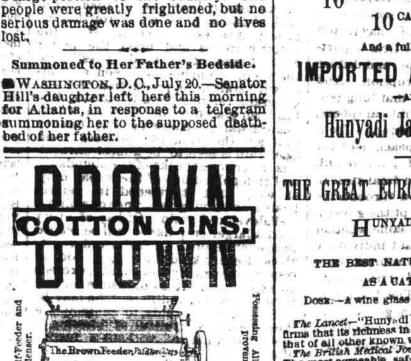
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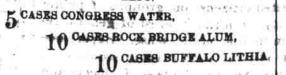
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#### THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

If we wanted the very best evidence of the "arbitrary and despotic" action of county commissioners so aptly described a day or two ago by the Raleigh News and Observer, we can furnish it in Mecklenburg county.

Prohibition, as submitted to the people of the State last summer, had its birth in Mecklenburg county, and there being many who objected to the bill submitted to the people of the State. and known as the prohibition bill, it was decided to submit the bare question of absolute and unqualified prohibition to the people of the county without regard to any bill. In order to do this legally, petitions were gotten up and circulated over the county to the end that a sufficient number of petitioners should ask that the question should be submitted in this form. The petitions were circulated, and the requisite number of signatures were obtained. At the election therefore the people of the county voted on two separate questions: Prohibition in the State, under the provisions of the prohibition bill, and prohibition in the county without regard to the merits of any particular bill. Both propositions were lost by a vote of something over 1,600 majority on a tolerably large vote. This was nearly a year ago and yet the county commissioners of this county, disregarding the will of the people, and exercising "arbitrary and despotic" power, refuse to grant license to sell spirituous liquor in the county, notwithstanding the fact that the municipal government grants license, and the United States government collects the special tax from sixteen retailers and two wholesale dealers in wines and liquors in the city of Charlotte alonethe sale of not a single pint of whiskey being prevented by the arbitrary action of the county commissioners-and notwithstanding the further fact that the public school fund comes up short \$2,332.80 annually, this being the amount of money collected and turned into the school fund under the State law for the year ending December 1st. 1880.

Again: Last winter there was a BY Virtue of an order of the Superior Court, held for the courty of Catawba. Spring Term, 1882, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, British troops. His scouts have been Makes Almost a Clean Sweep of the clamor in regard to the improvement of apr18 tf seen at Ramleh, seven miles from Alex-Convention--Hardeman for Congressour public roads, as they had become ALBEMARLE FEMALE INSTITUTE, andria. Beferees, will meet at the court house. In Newton man-at-Large--The Platform Adopt-Dispatches from Constantinople to almost impassable on account of the Reuter's telegram company says the Porte has replied to the identical note ed. CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. TUESDAY, TEE IST DAY OF AUGUST extraordinarily wet season. The busi-ATLANTA, July 20.-In the Demo-Full faculty. Healthful and beautiful location. Thorough instruction Terms very low. Session begins September 20th. Order catalogue. Principals: W. P. DICKINSON. ness men and other public spirited citiof the Powers regarding the dispatch next, to receive evidence and proofs of all debta cratic convention this morning A. O. next, to receive evidence and proofs of all debts against the partnership described in the plead-ings in said causes, to wit: Tate, Powell & Co., Claywell, Powell & Co., Catawba Marufacturing Company, Powell & Shuford and A. M Powell. All creditors of either of said firms, will present their claims to the undersigned at said time and place, with proper proofs thereof. of the Turkish troops to Egypt. The zens took a deep interest in the matter, Bacon's name was withdrawn and A. Porte proposes the assembling of a fresh conference. and several public meetings were held H. Stephens nominated for Governor. under the auspices of the Chamber of The vote stood, Stephens 325, scattering jun30 w1m CONSTANTINOPLE, July 20.-It is stated that the Spanish ambassador has informed his colleagues that Spain in-tended to station three gunboats at each , not voting 37. Commerce. At one of these meetings Notice to Magistrates. The following State officers were place, with proper proofs itereor. Also at said time and place we will propeed to take, and state the accounts of the liabilities and assets of said partnerships above named. G F. BASON, B J. SHIPP, B J. SHIPP, a resolution was passed appointing a nominated by acclamation: committee to wait on the county com-THE attention of the Justices of the Peace for Mecklenburg county is called the Peace for N C Barnett, Secretary of State. end of the Suez canal in order to escort W A Wright, Comptroller. missioners and in the name of the peo-Meddenburg county is called to chap. 141, sec. 5. laws of 1876-77, requiring them to meet at the court house of the county, on the first Mon-day in August-for the special purpose of electing a Board of Commissioners for said county. Other the Spanish manila mail steamers Gen D N Speer, Treasurer. ple of Charlotte, and a number of promthrough the canal, and that she will jun24 Referees. Clifford Anderson, Attorney General. ATLANTA also send four iron clads to Alexaninent gentlemen resident in the county, Thomas Hardeman was, on call of T. C. Smith to ask them to allow a vote to be taken. counties, nominated for congressman-LONDON, July 20-27P. M. The Times. important business will prohibly be brought be-fore the meeting. By order of the Board of Comat-large, and the nomination made on the question of raising a public debt in its leading article this morning says: T. L. VAIL, Chairman Board of Commissioners. CUPPLIES Chewers with the genuine Gravely unanimous. "The hesitation of the Porte at the momissioners. of \$100,000, to be expended in the im-The convention adjourned after electonaliti-s. juli wSt ment when hesitation has forced the provement of our public highways. ing the State executive committee and VE DA - FOR government to the conclusion that the The county commissioners disregardadopting a platform. The platform re-T. C. Smith invitation to the conference has been YOU CAN BUY affirms the principles of the Jeffersoned the prayer of the petitioners, reprevirtually declined, and that nothing re-"THE BES' THREAD for ian Democracy and renews faith in senting nearly, if not quite half of the mains for it but to carry out by its own O FFEBS Drugs. Paints, Cigars and other goods at rock bottom prices to solid buyers. Democratic doctrines; charges the present national administration with efforts measures necessary to restore tax-payers of the county, and refused order in Egypt. There will be accord-ingly no further delay in carrying out TRIP undignified, partisan and corrupt inter-ference with local elections and prosti-MACHINE and HAND SEWING." to allow a vote to be taken to ascertain T. C. Smith whether the debt should be raised or the preparation for military action in tution of executive patronage for the purpose of extending its power, and under color of collecting internal revenot. The commissioners were not Egypt. Definite orders will be issued to-day for the dispatch of a force for the purpose of doing work which the K EEPS that leading brand of five cent Cigars-"THE BEST OF ALL"-immensely popular asked to create the debt, but merely to -FROM -Two Gold Medals and the Grand Prize. nue with setting on foot armed raiding submit the question to the voters of the Porte is held to have declined to under--sells rapidly. parties who range at will and often CHARLOTTE to Asheville for \$ 8.20 county to ascertain the people's will in take.' subject innocent persons to loss of lib-For Sale to the Trade by GREENSBORD 9.20. Bingham School. the matter, no other form being author-The Daily News learns that if the RALEIGH 13.75 government considers it necessary to erty and even life. J. Roessler & Co., Charlotte, N. C. ized under the law to refer such a ques-GOLDSBORO 16,20 bring troops from India to Egypt they ONCE PROMINENT IN POLITICS. ESTABLISHED in 1793, tion to the voters. will ask the sanction of Parliament -VIA THE -We think these two instances alone, MEBANESVILLE, N. C., may18 therefor. He "Died of Paralysis, in Poverty, At-Washington and Lee University, The Daily News' dispatch from Paris Is PRE-EMINENT among Southern Boarding Schools for Boys, in age, numbers and area of patronage. The 177th Seasion will begin (in new buildings) July 26th, 1882. For catalogue giving full paticulars, address MAJ. B. BINGHAM, Sup't. if there were no other such in the tended Only by a Blind and Crippled King's Mountain High School, Western North Carolina Railroad states that De Freyeinet has placed the State, sufficient to condemn the present resignations of himself and his col-leagues in the hands of President Gen. G. W. C. LEE, President. Wife," system of county government. It is Igans special to the Times announces Grevy. The latter urgently begged not necessary to censure the gentlemen july19 HOBOUGH Instruction in LANGUAGES, LITERA KING'S MOUNTAIN, N. C. TURE and SCIENCE, and in the professional schools of LAW and ENGINEERING. Healthful location in the Valley of Virginia. Necessary ex penses for the whole session, exclusive of books and clothes, need not exceed \$225 to \$300. Ses-sion forms from the basis of the second school and schoo them to withdraw their resignations. the death of Hon. Julian Neville, grandwho compose the board of county com-POINT COMFORT NEXT session opens 4th Monday in August, School is thoroughly preparatory, with a special Business Department, Number of stu-dents last year 175. Average cost of board and tuitien for tan months, and two suits of uniforms, \$200. Send for catalogue to There is not the slightest possibility son of Revolutionary General Daniel Morgan, and himself for fifty years prominent in Louisiana politics and sojul4 if\* missioners of this county, for they no that Gambetta will be summoned to doubt acted out their convictions in form a ministry. and clothes, need not exceed \$225 to \$400. Sestion opens the temperature for catalogue address juit 1 cod the Lexington, Va. Law school OF WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY, VIRGINIA. Professional. both cases, but we condemn the system cial life. He died of paralysis, in pov-erty, aftended only by a blind and crip-The Daily Telegraph has the followwhich puts the power to levy and collect ing dispatch: HYGEIA HOTEL W. T. B. BELL, President: HUGH W. HARRIS. taxes, and exercise a general supervis-ALEXANDRIA, July 19.-Arabi Pasha jul16 d2w wim pled wife, proposes to kill all the Turks in Egypt. ion over the affairs of the county, into the hands of men not responsible to the situated 100 yards from Fort Monroe. Open all the year. Equal to any hotel in the U.S. Sur-roundings unsurpassed. Bathing, boating, fishing and driving specially attractive. Pre-eminently a ATTORNEY AT LAW. He says as there are not many throats Weather. T. C. Smith to cut, it is better to cut them now. A Office on Trade street, nearly opposite Court House Gen. G. W. C. LEE, President. people, or amenable to them for their WASHINGTON, July 20 .- Middle Atand driving specially attractive. Pre-eminently a resort for Southern people. Terms less for equal accommodations than any resort in the country. Climate free from Malaria; and for Insomnia truly few American and German sailors are Gen. G. W. C. LEE, Pressure
Faculty; C. A. Graves, M. A., Professor of Common Law and Equity; Hon. J. Randolph Tucker, L.L. D., Professor Constitutional Law; Judge H. W. Sheffey, LL, D., Lecturer on Wills; Judge Win. M. McLaughlin, Lecturer on Pleading. Session begins September 21st, 1882. For catal gue and full information address Prof. C. A. GRAVES, Lexington, Va antic-clearing weather, winds mostly Will sell you the finest ten cent Cigar in Char-loite- call for the "El Montero"-a pure Key West long filler Cigar. CHARLOTTE, N. C. north westerly, stationary or lower tem-perature, higher pressure. South Atlantic-partly cloudy weath-er, local rains, winds westerly south-westerly, stationary temperature and still at their respective consulates, but action. with this exception the city is held solely by the English. Gen. Alison has may2 daw tf wonderful in its soporific effect. Send for circular describing hygienic advantages. etc. may18 3m Higheric O PHOEBUS, Prop In the event of the death of Senator solely by the English. Gen. Alison has made a reconnoisance in the direction of Arabi's camp in order to see what better ground might be chosen for our front, as we are unable to see more than two yards from the present line. Arabi has steam launches on Mahmou-dich canal bringing him provisions and this methalik available to be had not Hill, it is thought Gov. Colquitt, will be **Richard A. Springs**, T. C. Smith elected to the U.S. Senate to serve out FREE the former's unexpired term. It is said [Formerly of Charlotte, N. C.] L FADS the market in fine C'gars, all grades-lowest possible prices - any quantity. the Governor is desirous of closing his public service in Washington, and that NOTICE ! ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR at LAW. **RELIABLE SELF-CURE.** Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound ranks ON AND AFTER JULY 1st. we will discontinue our Grocery business and will bereafter de-vote ourselves exclusively to Buying, Selling and Storing Cetton. No. 17 Nassau Street, New York. T. C. Smith first as a curative Agent in all complaints peculiar A favorite prescription of one of the most noted and successful specialists in the U.S. (now refired) for the cure of Nerbous Debility, Lost Manhood, Weakness and Decay. Sent this probably explains why he has not cut the canat. Arabi has shot the Egyptians sent out by the English to he has assurances from his friends that All correspondence will receive prompt attention to women. Cures Kidney troub es of either sex. his candidacy for the Senate will be (now refired) for the cure of Nerbous Debility, Lost Manhood, Weakness and Decay. Sent in plain sealed envelope free, Druggists can fillit. SELLS Natural Mineral Waters only-Deep Bock S and Saratoga - all the way from the Springs-all charged with gas and cold with ite-on draught all the year round-5 cents a glass. Not a drink, not sold in bar rooms, but a relia-ble non-alcoholic tonic medicine, useful at all times, and in all seasons, is Brown's fron Bitters. B. M. MILLEB & SONS. heartily supported by them. get horses. Address DB. WARD & CO., Louisiana, Md. July 8. apr16 6m\*

tried to pound each other's head to jelly. A captain of the New York police force was a looker on and preserved order among the roughs and others in attendance.

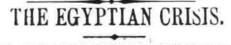
Sad and pathetic indeed is the story

alysis in poverty" of a grandson of Gen Daniel Morgan, the revolutionary pas triot. Hon. Julian Neville was well known and well off in his day, and the dispatch says was "for fifty years prominent in Louisiana politics and social life." And yet he died in poverty, attended only by his blind and crippled wife." Could anything be more touching than such a picture ?- Ah! faithful

wife. Ah! cruel, fickle fortune.

Stephens, is the nominee of the State Democratic convention, of Georgia, for Governor. The old gentleman generally manages to carry his point. This fact was demonstrated in his political contest for Congressman in Georgia some years ago.

The nomination of Hon. A. H. Stephens, for Governor of Georgia, will necessitate the election of a Congressman to succeed him in his present position. There are many aspirants.



ARABI PASHA'S FORCES INCREAS-ING.

The Porte Asks the Powers for a New Conference--Arabi Pasha Bold and Defiant -- Says he will Kill all the Turks in Egypt -- England will act if the Porte will not--Gunboats from

Spain. LONDON, July 20 .- The correspondent of the Times at Alexandria telegraphs that he understands that M. DeLesseps has informed Admiral Seymour that the passage of men-of-war through the Suez canal constitutes a breach of its neutrality.

The correspondent learns from the camp of Arabi Pasha that his force is increasing, and that he is regaining his influence because of the delay of the

take effect, until January or May next. "After some further debate Voorhees' amendment was rejected 15 to 41: The Senate committee's amendment to the first section, as amended by a re-

duction of the tax on tobacco, was then agreed to-39 to 9-and the question was recurred on the remainder of the

that comes over the wires from New The portion adopted fixes the tax on Orleans, announcing the death "of par- manufactured tobacco, after January 1st, 1883, at 12 cents per pound, and pro wides that the repeal of taxes on capital and deposits of banks and bankers shall affect such taxes as are now due and payable, and that the repeal of the stamp tax on bank checks, drafts, orders and vouchers shall not take effect until October 1st., next. Adjourned.

HOUSE .- Page, of California, submitted a conference report upon the river and harbor appropriation bill, but as there were indications that its consideration would consume a large-portion of the day it was withdrawn.

The "great commoner," Alexander H. The House then resumed consideration of the Alabama contested election case of Smith vs. Shelley.

Ramsey, of Alabama, presented the case for the majority, reviewing the facts as shown by the testimony asserting that there was a fair and free election in the Fourth district of Alabama, and urging that inasmuch as the contestant, who had been legally elected, had recently died, the seat should be declared vacant.

The case of the contestee was presented and argued by Beltshoover, of Pennsylvania, who quoted from the Record to strengthen his assertion that the sitting member was entitled to retain his seat.

Curtin, of Pennsylvania, in a brief speech dwelt upon the necessity of members determining election cases as judges and not as legislators or parti-sans, and advocated the adoption of some system whereby another tribunal should be charged with the duty of deciding these cases. After a speech by Oates, of Alabama

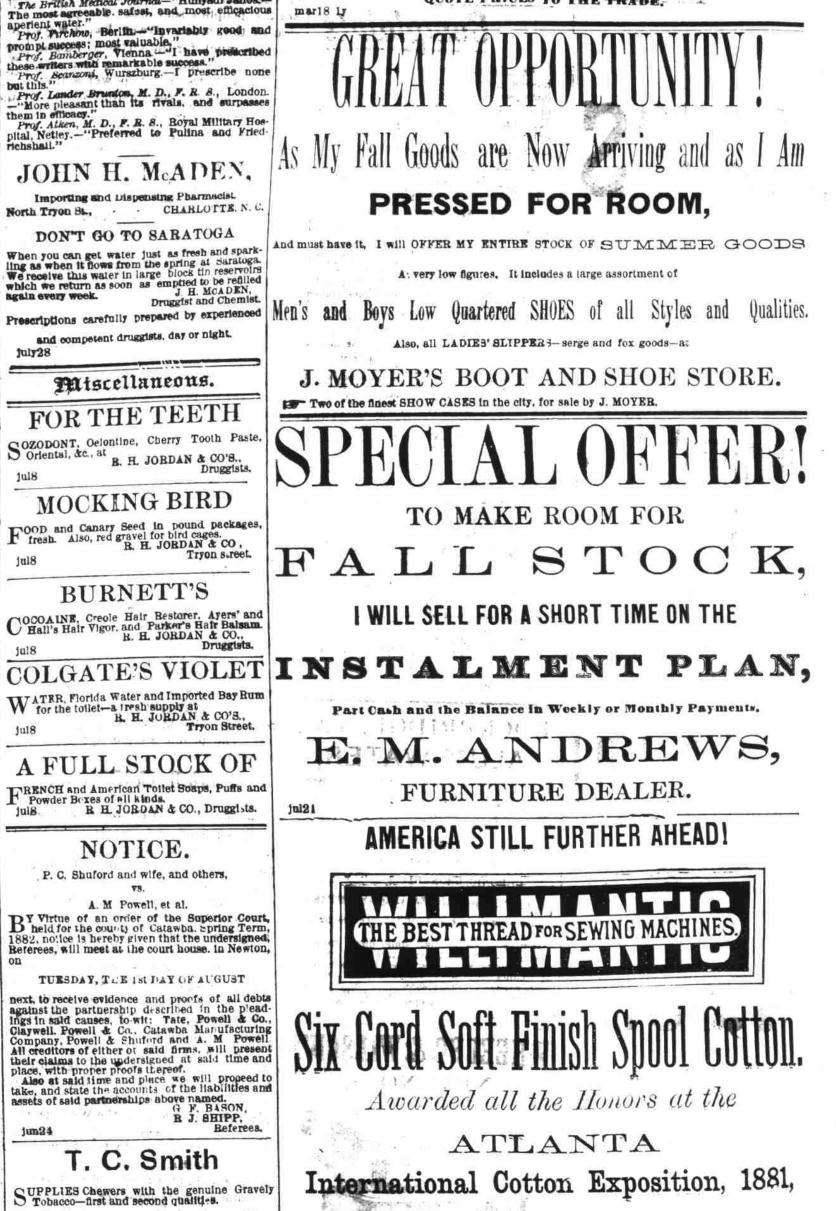
in favor of the sitting member, the previous question was ordered-yeas, 145; nays, 1. Hardenburgh and Calkins then

closed the debate in support of the maority report. The resolution declaring the seat vacant was then adopted-yeas, 145; nays, 1. On the question of precedence of

business the Democrats refrained from voting, leaving the house without a quorum. Adjourned.

STEPHENS NOMINATED.





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