THE GLEANER GRAHAM N.C. June 11 1878 E. S. PARKER, Editor. CANVASSING.

A correspondent of the Greensboro Put iot suggests that inasmuch as there will be no appointments by the Sheriff to collect taxes unmediately before the August election this year, and inasmuch as he says there are no issues to discuss and the people desire rest and repose from political excitement, that there be no canvass of that county by the candidates this year It seems to us the suggestion is not a good one. It would not do for our county we feel quite certain, that is for the Democratic party at least. For the candidates to go around, and at least announce them. selves, and let the people see them is an established custom that we do not think there is an inclimation to dispense with, nor do we think it should be dispensed with. Those who are up for reelection can discharge the duty of /rendering an account of their stewardship, and can also take the occasion to make new promises for the future. The people too may wish to hear candidates define their positions upon questions of legislation that may be regarded necessary or likely to come up to be passed upon.

Whether the present unjust and inefficient system of working the public roads is to be kept up is interesting to road hands at least, if it is considered worth while to heed their desires; and the public at large should feel quite an interest in this matter.

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There are various questions that w think might profitably be discussed before the people. Aside from all special matters political canvasses should be the means of imparting information to the people, concerning their government and its administration.

An election without a canvass would lose much of its interest, and give opportunity to the unscrupulous to take unfair advantage by the circulation of false information. There is enough of that done under any circumstances, without increasing the opportunity for it. So we say let the old custom af candidates meeting the people at stated times and places be kept up.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON D. C.,) June 5, 1878. The agreement to adjourn on the 17th

inst. did not induce House or Senate to hurry in the consideration of public bu-Both bodies were dull as a counot summer day. The e was not in session. mittee on the approde no reports, and, in

Louisisma officials, though when there

he, Garfield, Hale and others declined to unite with visiting Democrats in a proposed gouss because fy said, it would be manifestly improper for them to attempt to influence affairs. Altogether Secretary Sherman and Senator Matthews are in a bad fix. The first day of

the investigation settled that. The view Mr. Hayes takes of it is shown by his having telegraphed to Evansville. Indiana to which place he had promised to be today, that he would remain here "owing to complications." It is said that if Senator Matthews appears before the committee and it is not seen how he can avoid it. an effort will be made to prove by Lin the "guilty knowledge" of Mr. Hayes. Two noted hotels close this weekthe Metropolitan and Willards. The former is the oldest in the city was well known in earlier days of the Republic as the "Indian Queen Tavern."

It is said that recent events have revived bad feeling between Senator Gordon and Senator Conkling. The trouble between them was supposed to have been settled, the absard document signed by Senator Hamlin and others being taken by the public as evidence of the fact. I suppose no other Senator ever lost prestige and strength in one session as Conkling has in this. Certainly none over gained more of them than Senator Gordon has done. In the original quarrel the fault was Conkling's and the forbearance was Gordon's and all the Senators so understood. SOLON.

MEX100.-The adherents of Lerdo are stiring up resistance to the Diaz government, in the land so productive of revoy lutions and disturbances. What strength this movement may develop it is impossible to tell. The insurgents are mus-

tering their forces and the government is taking steps to put them down. Whether Diaz will be driven from the presidency, an event not out of keeping with the history of this turbulent country, remains to be seen. Our government has but recently recognized the Diaz government of Mexico. Affairs in Mexico just now gains some interest from the prediction of Stevens and Key

that we are to have experiences of the same kind. State Convention of the Young Men's

Christian Association,

OFFICE OF THE SATE EX. COM. OF YOUNG MEN'S ('H'R ASSO., } CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 9, 1878.

At the first annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of the State of North Carolina, held in the city of Charlotte in April of last year the undersigned were appointed mem-bers of an executive committee to overs look association work throughout the State to foster and encourage existing associations, and to effect organizations in new localities whenever practicable. Our efforts have met with some degree of success and while we do not claim all the growth and development of the work as the direct result of our labors we are nevertheless greatly cheered by the fact that the number of associations in the State has more than doubled during the past year. We deem it, there fore, our day and privilege to call the second annual convention of the Y. M. C. A. of the State of North Carolina, and have appointed Friday, June 14th,

THENOBMAL SCHOOL.

The following rates over the transportation lines have been obtained for 18th. Tickets to be sold at all stations on the various lines, at any time from the 12th of June to the close of the school.

On the Western North Carolina Road. free; but parties asking for passage must produce a certificate from the Superior Court Clerk, Register of deeds, or member of Legislature, that they are going to attend the school. On the A. & N. C. Road, half the us-

nal rates, or one fare for going and com-ing, to be paid when ticket is obtained, and returned free on certificate of President Battle, or Secretary of the Faculty, that they have attended school.

Same rates over the Raleigh & Gaston Augusta Air Line, Roanoke and Seaboard Roads, and their connecting lines ploughing when a rattlesnake struck at

of Steamers, and same condition. ' Over the N. C. Road, and its Salem and Danville connections, three cents, per mile each way, to be paid for in one ticket, and returned free on certificate snakeship were fastened in his pants whilst the body was coiled around his legs, until he was killed by Mr. Davis' of President Battle, or Secretary.

Over Western Railroad, half usual fare, on same terms and conditions. Charlotte and Atlanta Air Line, Char lotte & Statesville, and Carolina Central not yet arranged with, but will be soon,

total eclipse of the sun-which will be partially vissible generally throughout the United States. The eclipse will be visible from 4 to 6 o'clock in the afterand terms announced. State Press please copy.

EDISON'S LATEST INVENTION.

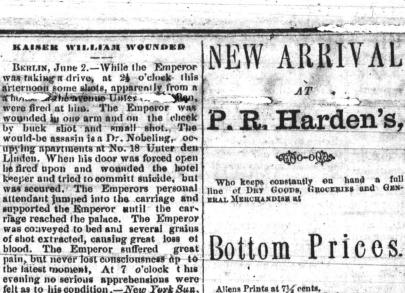
Robert Thompson and Harris Atkinson will expiate the crime of the Worley James Redpath, general manager the Edison speaking phonograph exhibi-tions, states that Mr. Edison has just murder will be completed within the jail yard in a few days. There will be but vard in a few days. completed and tested an invention for one trap and three will pass into enterna-ty at the same time.-Goldsboro Messenmeasuring heat-an instrument so sensitive that the heat of rays from the most distant stars can be accurately ascertain-

ed by it. He estimates that it would require a Fahrenheit thermometer fifteen South, at Atlanta, has determined to meet on the first Wednesday in May, miles in height to record the same range of degrees of heat. He has been engag-1882, at Nashville, Tennessee, The ed on this instrument for a long time Conference adopted various reports on minor changes in discipline, and then and regards it as his most difficul adjourned sine die. achievement.

ATLANTA, GA., June 4 .--- A special to the Constitution states that a man Warrenton, which is pronounced by an named Caldwell, near Americus, yes-terday, killed his wife, three children and his wife's sister with a smoothing emment entomologist to be the veritable Colorado Beetle. It feeds on potato vines and they have been badly iron. Two older children were at iron. Two older children were at by it. The theory is that it was intro-school; and one in the field, and one buced by seed petatoes, little one ran under the house and escaped. The murderer jumped into a well, but failing to materially injure himself crawled out and got on top of the terror to the people of Sandy Creck neighborhood in Randolph county has been arrested and lodged in Asheboro dwelling house and jumped off; he was picked up inensible by two negroes, iail. who were attracted by his cries and gesticulation while on the house. He recovered in a short while and sent the vention declared for Vance for the Senate, Smith for Chief Justice negroes off for some neighbors, and then went to the gin house and climed to the Schenck for Associate Justice. officest point and threw himself headlong to the ground and expired almost instantly.

Henry Carrawan was stabled in Washington in this State some weeks ago by John Matthews of New Berne, and has since died. The stabbing is said to have been in self defence. Carrawan was a pephew of Geo. W. Cars rawan who some years ago. was con-victed of the murder of a school teacher amed Lassiter and in the bar immediatey after the verdict of guilty shot E. J. Warren, one of the prosecuting attorneys and then blew his own brains out before the Sheriff could prevent.

CINCINNATI, O., June 4.-Yesterday J. R., Pugh &co about 500 miners from different mines



The Beaufort Atlantic tells of a narrow

scape Mr. John Davis had. He was

him just as he immped. The fangs of his

companion. The snake was five feet in

length and had about a dozen rattles and

On the 29th of July next will occur an

astronomical event of great interest-a

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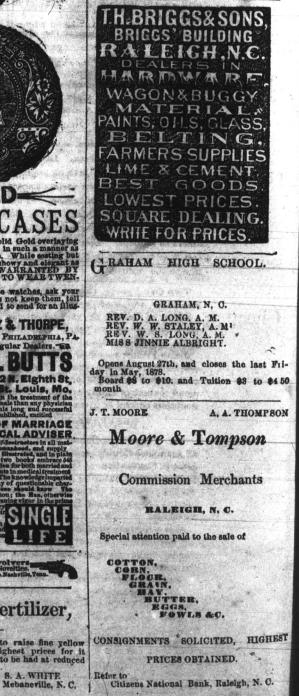
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AGRICE ()

The testimony of Anderson before the Potter Committee will be resumed today. Anderson will be cross-examined by Genl. Butler, and the latter was closeted with Secretary Sherman yesterday for a couple of hours. Auderson has heretofore made statements not exactly consistent with some he made while testifying on Saturday. His present statement, however, has the substantial backing of documentary evidence, was made with every appearance of truth, and created a decided sensation. He seems to have established the fact that Sherman and Stanley Matthews knew of his in tention to commit fraud in preparing papers to secure the throwing out of the vote of a parish which had gone Democratic, and that they promised him protection and pay. This is a plain state. ment of the facts. Unless his tertimory is impeached or the alleged letters of Sherman and Matthews proven forgeries, it is difficult to see how either of these men can remain in public life.

It is also noticeable that Sherman swore when before the Committee, that when at New Orleans he wrote many letters' Dr. J. A. Weatherly, a well known intended to influence the action of citizen of Guilford county is dead.

verk to Brazil Deleans to Brazil i, ineffectually, the franking venerable Senreturn home, to organize au association The committee request that the names of all delegates whe expect to attend the convention be promptly forwarded to T. M. Pittman, secretary, Charlotte, N. C., in order that arrangement may be made for their cuterianment. Application has been made to the various railroad officials in the State for a reduction of fare to delegates attending the con-vention and we presume the usual courtesies will be extended. A pro-gramme of the order of exercises to be observed during the convention will be issued in the form of a circular, and parties desiring information as to the railroad or any other subject, will please address the secretary at Charlotte, N. C. 1 II FOUST, Chairman. TM PITTMAF, Secretary.

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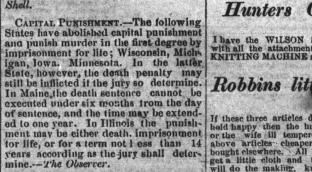
The New Garden Agricultural Society in Guillord county will hold a Fruit Fair, at their fair grounds on Thursday the 8th of August. Entries will be free and premiums for the best of the following articles will be offered : Peaches, Apples, Pears, Plumbs, Nectarines Grapes, Watermelons, Muskmelons and Tomatoes. So says the *Patriot*.

Destructive fire in Rock Hill S. C. a thriving town, in York county S. C. about half destroyed. Loss reported about \$100,000; insurance about \$60,-000.

near Charleston, W. Va., captured the steamer Modoc, and went to Blacksburg to make mines there stop work. They threatened to kill or drown every one opposing them. They succeeded in stopping the Blacksburg mines, after which they took possession of a train on the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad and returued, making the train stop when and where they pleased and refusing to pay fare.

The Chief Clerk of the Senate, Mr. W, J. McDonald, has been ill for some time. On Saturday his physician told his son, a clerk in the Senate, that his father could not live, and that he had betiez break the sad intelligence to his mother, also weakened by sickness. He did so on Sunday morning, and so overwhelmed was she that she died instantly in a paroxysm of grief. Mr. McDonald has been in the service of the Senate since 1829, and succeeded his father, whe for years had been Clerk.—The Ohserver.

We learn that Dr. Fulford has sent after a black snake, the most formidable foe of the King snake and that as soon toe of the Aing snake and that as soon as it arrives a snake fight between the two reptiles and Mr. James G. Hargett's rat catcher will come off. The king snake is considered a great fighter never known to have been vanquished in a pitched-battle, and there can only be one result to the contest.—New Berne Nut Shell.



Court at Charlotte.



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