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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

- FOR CONGRESS: 1st Dist., Louis C. Latham, of Pitt.; 2nd " Charles W. McManamy, of Pend.

FOR THE SUPERIOR COURT: 3rd Dist., H. G. Connor, of Wilson.

FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT: 1st Dist., J. H. Blount, of Perquimans.

MAJOR JOHN W. GRAHAM, the democratic candidate for Congress from this district, will be at Johnston court next week, and will speak at Smithfield, Tuesday, the 17th inst.

Arrangements have been made to sell the several railroads of the State to all return tickets at reduced rates to and from the convention, to be good for the week.

R. H. BATTLE, Chairman. Democratic papers will please print the above. Raleigh, N. C., August 10.

NOTICE. The democratic delegates to the 22d congressional district convention are hereby notified to meet at Wilson, September 1st, at 4 p. m.

MR. ROGERS, of Buffalo, N. Y., is said to be the coming man for public printer at Washington.

THE Belfast riots are charged to the account of Lord Randolph Churchill, being considered the legitimate fruit of his tour through Ireland.

THE president has appointed Hon. John Goode one of the special counsel for the government in the suit against the Bell telephone company.

WE have received a copy of an address on Education, by Mr. E. Arnold Wright, superintendent of public instruction of Wayne county.

NOW the gossips say that assistant secretary of state Porter is to resign his office next fall.

MR. TILDEN'S will is so drawn that it is said it will stand any possible assault.

THE yankees are fighting the battle of Gettysburg over again.

ANOTHER independent Richmond has appeared in the field of the 9th district.

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THE latest phase of the Cutting case is to the effect that Gen. Sedgwick, of New York, has been sent to Mexico as a special agent of this government.

CHARLES R. argues that because he and two or three others like him have undertaken to antagonize the democratic party, the democratic party has been "weighed in the balances and found wanting."

THE democrats of North Carolina cannot expect to win the fight that is before them without preliminary work and hard work at that.

THE French are said to be anxious to fight for the New Hebrides. Not one in a hundred of them knows where the New Hebrides are or the Old Hebrides either.

SO CHARLES R. is to have a darkey to run against; a darkey, yet a Whiteman, of Wilmington. The colored politician will be a foeman worthy of his steel.

THE Model Republic. Henry Watterson in the Courier-Journal. The Swiss Confederation is, next to San Marino, which is a mere toy republic, the oldest representative government of the modern world.

THE popular elections are held in the churches, and the corruption of voters, or the stuffing of the ballot-box, or rioting about the polls is unknown.

NOTICE in the press of the State a great deal of discussion as to the propriety of retiring judges Smith and Ashe from the bench.

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THE NEW TOWN OF ANDREWS. COR. OF THE NEWS AND OBSERVER.

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ASHVILLE ITEMS. SPECIAL COR. OF THE NEWS AND OBSERVER.

ASHVILLE, August 14. Mrs. A. S. Merrimon, Miss Maggie Merrimon and Mr. W. B. Merrimon, the family of associate justice Merrimon, are here, stopping at the Swannanoa.

THE peach crop in the mountains is panning out sparse and poor—small in quantity, inferior in quality—effects of the bitter cold of January. Since the completion of the Spartanburg & Asheville railroad fruit is abundant in our market.

THE nomination of Robert L. Taylor for Governor of Tennessee gives great pleasure in this community, where he is well known.

COMMERCIAL EPITOME. FRIDAY NIGHT, Aug. 13. New York Financial Chronicle.

THERE has been a flurry in the money market, with a sharp advance in rates for money on call, and mercantile circles have felt it to some extent.

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