

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

For Congress—7th District, JOHN S. REYDERSON, of Rowan.

BOWAN'S TICKET.

For State Senator, HON. F. E. SHOBER.

Our Rail Road Schemes.

Col. Risley of the Smithville and Bristol railroad is here.

Now to be reasonable, it would seem that since the Yadkin is under contract to be built, and since it is nothing more or less than a perfect link in the proposed line from Smithville to Bristol, these two schemes should be consolidated.

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Richmond (Pearson) in the Field.

Richmond Pearson, the would-be duelist, has been nominated by a "mass meeting" and also by a genuine Republican convention.

In case Buncombe is humiliated by his election, we would be glad if Mr. Pearson would devote his talent, since it runs that way, to the task of removing the law against dueling from among the statutes of North Carolina.

Marriage of James Blaine, Jr.

Jingo Blaine, the lesser, being the twenty year old son of Jingo, the only great and original, has set gossips a going and made society throw up both hands in surprise.

Clay-Eaters. A "North Carolina doctor" is credited by the Atlanta Constitution with the declaration that he has seen "sand-hillers" in certain parts of North and South Carolina.

Linney Comes Down. Col. R. Z. Linney, who has been figuring as an independent candidate for Congress, against Col. Cowles in the 8th district, has withdrawn from the canvass.

Jarvis and Ransom. The Charlotte Observer of last Sunday published the following telegram: "Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—It is reported here on the authority of a friend of Minister Jarvis, that he intended to resign about the middle of his term, or some time during the next year, and return to North Carolina."

Neal Dow's preacher son-in-law, W. E. Gould, has stolen \$87,000 from a Portland, Me. bank. He has been arrested, but an effort is being made to shield him from the consequences of his crime.

Forsyth county has honored herself in the nomination of Henry E. Fries, Esq., as her representative in the next Legislature. Mr. Fries is a splendid man, and is one of the leading young men of the State.

Dr. W. A. Hoyt, of Davidson College, a gentleman very widely known in this State, died last week.

At Stanly county democratic convention last Saturday the following received nominations: Senate, S. J. Pemberton; House, D. N. Bennett; clerk of court, Houston McClintock; sheriff, B. C. Blacklock.

PRESBYTERIAL NOTES.

We copy the following report of the late Presbytery at Marion from the Methodist Register.

We do not think we can fully express our heartfelt appreciation of the pleasure given us by the meeting of the past week, nor can we estimate the impulses for good.

To many of us Presbytery was a new experience, and the 8th of September was awaited with glad expectancy. Our people, with a mind to the work, "have repaired the church, enclosed it with a stout fence, and purchased new bell, which being unfortunately detained by an accident on the railroad, did not reach us until Saturday; but the old one called together a willing people on Wednesday morning.

A very interesting communication from the trustees of Davidson College was read, relative to the increased property and revenues of that institution. Other business proposed, but one of the members suggesting that at the rate they were moving they would finish all too soon, an adjournment was called and carried.

At 8 p. m. we listened to an interesting discourse by Rev. J. White. Text: "The wind bloweth whither it listeth."

At 8 p. m. Dr. Dabney resumed his lecture making China the subject of his discourse.

Friday morning the discussions related to the Home Mission field and the supplying of destitute sections of the Church were held.

It was also resolved that a Sunday School Convention should be held at every meeting of Presbytery.

A rising vote of thanks was then given to the people of Marion and vicinity for their kind entertainment, also to the railroad for reduced rates, and Presbytery adjourned with singing, prayer, and benediction.

Rev. R. S. Arrowood preached the closing sermon at night from the text, "Let it alone this year, and the duty of earnest, faithful labor bearing, ere the Master visits his vineyard, was forcibly impressed upon us."

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A Strange Sight in Charleston.

After the fire on King street broke out Tuesday night, among the whole of the lower ward house-tops were illuminated, a strange thing was seen.

On the top of the ruins of the porch of the Main Station was seen a cross, emblem of Christianity, which shone with resplendent brightness. There never was a cross on the building as far as known, and the appearance of this one soon attracted attention as it stood out of the ruins.

THE STRENGTH OF TWELVE SAMSONS. A COMBINATION OF THE STRONGEST MEN IN THE WORLD IS SECURED FOR DOUGLASS GREAT INTER-OCEAN SHOWS.

TYRO. Friday, Sept. 24. Yadinville, Yadin co. Tuesday, " 28. East End, do Wednesday, " 29.

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Congressional Canvass. Mr. Henderson's Appointments. Tyro, Friday, Sept. 24. Yadinville, Yadin co. Tuesday, " 28.

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Tax Notice AND PUBLIC SPEAKING. The Tax payers of Rowan County are hereby requested to meet me at the following times and places and settle their taxes for the year 1886.

Meroney Hall. POSITIVELY ONE NIGHT ONLY. SATURDAY SEPT. 25th. THE APPEARANCE OF MR. AND MRS. W. R. OGDEN'S Refined Farical Comedy Co.

Executors' Notice. All persons having claims against Philip Owens, dec'd., are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned, on or before the 16th day of September, 1887.

Notice of Dissolution. The firm of P. M. Brown & Co., was (this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. A. Falconer withdrawing. P. M. Brown will continue the business in all its branches.

Land For Sale. The undersigned offers his valuable plantation of 113 acres on Second Creek 9 miles west of Salisbury for sale.

NOTICE!

Lost on Sept. 11th, 1886, between my house and South River church, a pocket book containing one hundred and fifteen dollars in bills, for which the finder will be liberally rewarded.

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A new comfortable and convenient dwelling with six rooms, lathed and plastered. Apply to F. DAVIDSON & CO. 44:tf.

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Order of the Superior Court of Alexander County, N. C. will result, on the premises, on Monday, the 4th day of October, a certain tract of land in Rowan county, lying on the waters of Ed. Creek, adjoining the lands of James Cowan, Henry Burke, and others, belonging to the estate of Edmond Burke, deceased.

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W. F. ELLIOTT. CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, SALISBURY, N. C. I wish to state to the citizens of Salisbury and surrounding country, that I am located at Salisbury, N. C. for the purpose of constructing buildings of all styles and finish.

GERMAN CARP. I can furnish carp work in any style, and in any quantity. For terms, address W. R. FRILEY, Salisbury, N. C.

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FOR SALE.

A valuable tract of land, 193 acres, two miles from Back Creek church, Rowan county, rich bottoms and fine upland. A splendid farm with all improvements. A bargain for somebody. Terms reasonable. Apply for prospectus to J. W. COCHRAN, or write to J. H. HODGES, S. C.

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