

Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1888.

National Democratic Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT:

GROVER CLEVELAND,
Of New York.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:

ALLEN G. THURMAN,
Of Ohio.

FOR CONGRESS 7TH DISTRICT:

JOHN S. HENDERSON,
of Rowan.

State Democratic Ticket.

FOR GOVERNOR:

DANIEL G. FOWLE, of Wake.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

THOMAS M. HOLT, of Alamance.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE:

WILLIAM L. SAUNDERS,
Of Wake County.

FOR STATE TREASURER:

DONALD W. BAIN, of Wake.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:

THEO. F. DAVIDSON, of Buncombe.

FOR AUDITOR:

GEO. W. SANDERLAIN, of Wayne.

FOR SEPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:

S. M. FINGER, of Catawba.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF SUPR. COURT:

JOSEPH J. DAVIS,

of Franklin County.

JAMES E. SHEPHERD,

of Beaufort County.

ALPHONSO C. AVERY,

of Burke County.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS AT LARGE:

ALFRED M. WADDELL,

of New Hanover County.

FREDERICK N. STRUDWICK,

of Orange County.

The Secret Conclave.

A forcible reminder of the dark days of 1868 was the gathering at the Mt. Vernon Hotel, in this place, on Monday night, of a few old moss backed Republican leaders, interspersed with a sprinkling of negroes and white renegades.

Among the number present were Dr. Mott and Judge Furches of Statesville, Rawlins and Cummings, of Asheville; a white negro, Coleman, from Concord, Daney of this place, John Nichols, member of Congress from Raleigh District, and a mysterious personage from New York, who probably for good reasons did not put his name on the hotel register. He might have been a representative from the house of Morton, Bliss & Co., and he might not. At any rate he was in close communion with the faction aforementioned.

The boys want "hoodie" and they would not hesitate to entertain a representative from any republican source having it at their disposal. Nor will they be slow to make the necessary pledges to obtain it; and it is very certain that money bags, Morton, who is now endeavoring to enforce the collection of the fraudulent, repudiated bonds of the State, will exact of them pledges of a substantial nature in that direction.

We warn the people of this mischief, adding to the warning the assurance that it is a matter that should claim their most earnest attention. Our elections have heretofore been fair and uncorrupted, and every effort should be employed to resist the influence of those who now seek to debase them to personal and party ends.

General Sheridan Dead.

Gen. Phil. Sheridan died at Nonquitt, Mass., last Sunday. His remains were transported to Washington in a special car Wednesday, and the funeral service will be held in St. Matthew's Catholic church either tomorrow or Saturday. General Sheridan has repeatedly expressed a strong dislike of display in funerals, and in accordance with his wish and those of Mrs. Sheridan, the ceremonies in Washington are to be made simple as possible. The funeral however, will, of course, be a military one. The interment will be made at Arlington, Va., as the assurance can be readily obtained that his wife and children may be given a resting place beside him.

The Michiganders worked a miracle on President Cleveland's country seat near Washington while he was absent on a pleasure excursion. They built him a beautiful cottage, 27x30 almost in one night, complete throughout. The Labor Association of Michigan are almost unanimous for Cleveland.

The Cotton Bagging Monopoly.

If things continue like they are at present, the farmers will be putting up their cotton this fall in white sheeting, instead of the old time bagging. The reason for this is the advance in the price of bagging. A syndicate, with head quarters at St. Louis, has got control of the bagging industry of the United States, and has run the price of bagging up to ten cents per yard. Bagging that could be bought last year for 6 cents, cannot be procured for than less than ten cents. It is merely an example of the evils of monopoly. The farmers will do well to take the matter in hand at once and devise an acceptable substitute for bagging, so as to protect themselves from the exorbitant demands of this monopoly. It is out of the question for our merchants to make any profit whatever, on the sale of bagging, and the farmers should not abuse them for the high price demanded. The blame lies alone with King Monopoly—*Charlotte Chronicle*.

Our numerous cotton factories can head this monopoly if they will, or at least we think they can. Can they not run a part of their spinners and looms on a very coarse but strong article of cotton fabric, made of spot and inferior cotton, and undersell the monopoly? Or, rather than be imposed on, let the old time cards and spinning wheel come to the front again, as they did during the late war. Men and women will fight rather than submit to a gross personal wrong. Let them resolve to work rather than be enslaved by greedy monopolies.

Train Wreckers.

If any additional laws for the punishment of this class of offenders are necessary, they should be speedily enacted. Most unremitted efforts should be made to discover such offenders, and the most prompt and terrible punishment inflicted on them when found. It should be regarded as the highest crime on the calendar, and as meriting the swiftest and most fearful doom, especially on persons who possess common sense. A fool or drunken man committing it, should be imprisoned for life.

Mr. Dockery has declared that if Mr. Alexander of Mecklinburg, had got the nomination for Governor instead of himself, that he would have given him a cordial support. And yet it is well known that Mr. Alexander is a life-long Democrat. The *Charlotte Chronicle* says "he is a Democrat of Democrats." It looks odd, to say the least of it, how a republican candidate for Governor can declare his willingness to support a moss-backed Democrat. It is accounted for in the fact that Mr. Alexander is popular with the farmers, and that Dockery is only trying to appropriate that popularity to himself. How else can it be accounted for?

The Republicans were in power in North Carolina for several years after the war. They had everything their own way. Does the reader remember their manner of conducting the affairs of the State? If not, by all means find out. It is a chapter worth reading and remembering. The promises of Republican candidates who may speak to the people are not worth a cent. Individual members may mean to be fair and just, but as a member of a party they count as only one. The party is the same now that it was when in power, and will be the same if put in power again.

The Confederate soldiers' re-union at Pittsboro, of which notice was given in this paper several weeks ago, was a very grand success. It is estimated that 10,000 people were present on the occasion, and that more than 1,000 surviving Confederate soldiers participated in it. Senators Vance and Ransom were there and addressed the people. Col. J. R. Lane, of Chatham, was chief marshal. There were six veterans of two wars present—the Mexican and Confederate. Altogether it was a grand affair and one long to be remembered.

If President Cleveland were to accept all the invitations he is receiving to visit pleasure resorts, and places which crave his company, he would not see the White House once a year. The *Wilmington Messenger* wants him to come down there and go a fishing with the boys next August—August 1889—by way of showing him what a country for good sport he is ruling over. Very good—get him to come, and have boats enough ready to accommodate ten thousand boys from the Piedmont section.

Davidson county held her convention for nominating a Senator and representatives a few days ago, which resulted in the choice of W. S. Owens, for the Senate; and John G. Surratt and J. A. Leach, for the Commons. The Democracy of Davidson will enter the contest with spirit, and will doubtless widen the gap which has hitherto divided parties in that county.

A \$300,000 fire at Portsmouth, Va., last week.

Several cases of yellow fever at Jacksonville, Fla.

Wellington, Kansas, had a terrible cyclone on the 7th.

An epidemic of typhoid fever is said to be in Alexander county.

There was a terrific storm between Lynchburg, Va., and Washington city, Wednesday evening.

John Robinson, the noted life-long Showman, died in Cincinnati, Aug. 4, aged 80 years. He left a large fortune.

Thirteen people were burned to death in a six story building in New York Aug. 31—a number of others were damaged.

The Atlantic Hotel at Morehead has been fitted up with electric apparatus, which connects all the 300 rooms with the office.

Forty men with guns are searching for horse thieves and burglars who have made themselves troublesome in the Delaware River Valley.

Intense heat at Chicago, and other places in that section, Wednesday and Saturday of last week, struck down quite a number of persons.

Dr. Francis H. Glover, a gentleman highly esteemed in Charlotte, died suddenly at his home in that city on the 6th, in the 47th year of his life.

Everybody wants to hear Mr. Sanderlin speak. People are surprised to learn that Hon. Zeb Vance had a respectable rival in the State. Sanderlin is the man.

A strange effect of lightning on the body of a young girl struck by it at Jacksonville, Ind., Saturday last: In a few minutes after the stroke the girl's body turned as black as ebony.

Wednesday was a great day at Spartanburg, S. C. There was an Inter-State encampment there. Senators Vorhees and Butler were there and addressed a large audience of enthusiastic people.

The political pot is boiling in all parts of the country, and the Democratic people, more than the politicians, seem determined to keep the fire up. Let her boil! and don't forget to put in the votes.

Jim Morehead, the Democratic noninee is an old bachelor if not an old man, but the *Dollar Weekly* says if the people elect him to Congress he will get himself a wife—if he can.

Ah! yes. And Hon. D. F. Caldwell ought to get one too.

A young Englishman, William Kimpton, left his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., on Sunday, six weeks ago, with his wife and three children, for Rockaway Beach, to spend the day in fishing. They have never been seen or heard of since. Their home and store in the city remain as they left them.

Some miserable fiend, for whom hanging is too good, maliciously placed an obstruction on the track of the C. C. & A. R. R. about twenty miles from Charlotte last Sunday, by which a passenger train was wrecked, causing the death of one person and the injuring of several others.

The *News-Observer* very justly, and with admirable presentation of facts briefly summarized, protests against Judge Russel's denouncing the negroes of the South as savages. A people who worship the one living and only true God, and make His revealed will the rule of life, is far removed from the savage.

Russia is the model High Protection country after China. China pays its workmen 2 cents a day. Consul-General Way, is back from Russia. He says to a reporter of the *New York World*:

"Russia is the highest protected country in the world. And her laborers receive the smallest wages."

Mr. J. M. Rex, the gentleman who is painting the Court House, while walking out to Mr. W. A. Morris' last Sunday, killed a snake known as the "Coach Whip," which was nine feet in length, and was about 12 inches in circumference. Mr. Rex is from Anson county and says it was the biggest snake he ever saw outside of a showman's cage.—*Montgomery Vidette*.

The Statesville *Landmark* says it has it "upon the best authority that Richmond Pearson, Esq., of Buncombe, certainly will not run as an independent candidate for Congress in the ninth district; that "the full extent of his influence will be given to the Democratic State ticket with the exception of one name on it."

A rumor from Buncombe does not sustain the above as to Mr. Pearson not being a candidate against Mr. Johnson.

The Joint Discussion.

There will be a joint discussion of the issues of the campaign between Hon. Daniel G. Fowle and Oliver H. Dockery, Democratic and Republican candidates for Governor, at the following times and places.

Monroe, Monday, Aug. 27.
Wadesboro, Tuesday, Aug. 28.
Albemarle, Wednesday, Aug. 29.
Troy, Thursday, Aug. 30.
Asheboro, Friday, Aug. 31.
Siler, Chatham county, Saturday, Sept. 1.

Graham, Monday, Sept. 3.
Hillsboro, Tuesday, Sept. 4.
Roxboro, Wednesday, Sept. 5.
Yanceyville, Friday, Sept. 6.
Reidsville, Friday, Sept. 7.
Walnut Cove, Stokes Co. Monday, Sept. 10.

Mt. Airy, Tuesday, Sept. 11.
Elkin, Wednesday, Sept. 12.
Yadkinville, Thursday, Sept. 13.
Winston, Friday, Sept. 14.
Lexington, Saturday, Sept. 15.
Mocksville, Monday, Sept. 17.
Hickory, Thursday, Sept. 18.
Lenoir, Wednesday, Sept. 19.
Morganton, Thursday, Sept. 20.
Marion, Friday, Sept. 21.
Mooreville, Iredell Co. Saturday, Sept. 22.

The local committees will please advertise these appointments by handbills and otherwise.

SPIER WHITAKER,
Ch'm'n Dem. State Ex. Com.

State Association of Democratic Clubs.

To the Democratic Clubs of North Carolina:

A number of important organizations have called conventions to meet in the State at various dates occupying the time from the 14th to the 28th of August. We note especially the assembly of the Farmers, Alliance, the Inter-state Farmers' Association and the Horticultural Society. These will engage the attention of many of our farmers who desire to attend the Club Convention. We recognize our intelligent and most influential element of the State Democracy. Therefore, it is advisable to postpone the assembling of the State Association of Democratic Clubs' Your committee apprehending that the great success already assured for our Convention will be magnified by this course and its usefulness enhanced, announce the time and place of holding the Convention as:

MORHEAD CITY, AUG. 20TH, 1888.

Delegations already selected will please take notice. Clubs having delegates to elect will please act accordingly.

ED. CHAMBERS SMITH, Ch'm:
D. PRESTON PARR, Jr.,
THEO. F. KLUTZ,
CLEM MANLY,
B. C. BECKWITH, Sec'y.
RALEIGH, August 4th, 1888.
Democratic papers please copy.

Two Opinions.

Civil-service reform don't stand very high amongst some of our prominent politicians and statesmen. Senator Vance is reported as saying, "No civil-service reform for me. When I fight a man and hitu lick his scap is mine." This recalls a speech made by Mr. David T. Littler, Illinois member of the Republican National Committee, at a meeting of the Illinois Republican State Committee two years ago. Mr. Littler, after congratulating Senator Vance, who had just before denounced the reform said: "I don't believe in civil service reform in any sense, and it is my view that the Republican party ought to take the position that the Civil-Service Reform Law should be repealed, and that all Republicans in office under this administration should be turned out. [shouts of "That's right! That's business?" and applause.] I will sign the petition of any Democrat who wants to get my signature for the removal of a Republican now holding office, on the ground that he is a Republican, and has no right to the loaves and fishes under this administration. [Applause, and a voice, "Amen."] Few Democrats are as candid as Senator Vance, and fewer Republicans are as bold as Mr. Littler. It is very obvious, however that Civil-Service is not in high favor with politicians, and that there is practical unanimity of opinion in both parties, outside office-holders, on the subject. The two opinions we have quoted fairly illustrate the fact.—*Wilmington Messenger*.

The felicities of the Republican situation are touchingly illustrated by the statement of Senator Plumb of Kansas, who is reported in our Washington dispatches to have said that if the best farmers of his State are to accept a 50 per cent. reduction in the duty on sugar, they will insist on free fence wire. If these Senators take their view of the matter, the majority in the Senate will be between the devil and the deep sea. To concede free fence wire to the farmers is to concede that protective taxes fall on the consumer, and that the farmer is equally entitled to free lumber for his buildings, free steel for his plows, free salt for his cattle, free bagging for his grain, free blankets for his bed, free tin for his roof and in short a free chance to manage his own affairs without being taxed at every turn for the benefit of favored manufacturers. Whichever road the Republicans take they will wish they had taken the other.—*N. Y. Times, Ind. Rep.*

Hay Fever sufferers ought to know of its efficacy. Ely's Cream Balm was recommended to me as a preventive to Hay Fever. Have been using it since the 9th of August and have found it a specific for that much dreaded disease. For ten years I have been a great sufferer from August 9th till frost, and have tried many alleged remedies, but Ely's Cream Balm is the only preventive I have ever found.—P. B. Alnoworth, Indianapolis, Ind.

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Land Sale!

ON Monday, August 20th, 1888, at the Court-house door in the town of Salisbury, at the hour of 12 m., I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, that part of the lot now occupied by A. L. Young, in the town of Salisbury, not included in his homestead, heretofore laid out and assigned to him, it being the half of the said lot known as the north-west half, adjoining the lot of Mrs. J. M. McCorkle, on Innis-street in the said town. The lot to be sold includes one-half of the dwelling house on the same.

This sale is by order of the U. S. District Court, and to satisfy certain judgments in favor of M. L. Holmes and C. F. Baker, docketed in the county of Rowan.

CHAS. PRICE,
Assignee in bankruptcy and Commissioner.

Salisbury, N. C.,
July 16, 1888. 33rs

Administratrix Notice.

Having administered upon the estate of my late husband, Mr. Robert A. Knox, dec'd., this is to notify those having claims against his estate to present them to me for payment on or before the 10th day of July, 1888, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. And those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

J. HARRIET E. KNOX,
July 19, 1888.—6t. Administratrix.

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NOTICE TO SETTLE.

All persons having claims against the estate of S. G. Fesperman, dec'd., are hereby notified that they must present them to me for payment on or before the 2d day of August 1888, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate of S. G. Fesperman are requested to settle without delay.

A. F. GOODMAN,
Exr. of S. G. Fesperman,
July 31st, 1888. 41-6t.

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