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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

- Election Tuesday, Nov. 4.
- FOR PRESIDENT: GROVER CLEVELAND, of New York.
- FOR VICE PRESIDENT: THOMAS A. HENDRICKS, of Indiana.
- FOR GOVERNOR: ALFRED M. SCALES, of Guilford.
- FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR: CHARLES M. STEDMAN, of New Hanover.
- FOR SECRETARY OF STATE: WILLIAM L. SAUNDERS, of Wake.
- FOR STATE TREASURER: DONALD W. BAIN, of Wake.
- FOR AUDITOR: W. P. ROBERTS, of Gates.
- FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL: THEODORE F. DAVIDSON, of Buncombe.
- FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: S. M. FINGER, of Catawba.
- ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT: A. S. MERRIMON, of Wake.
- FOR ELECTORS-AT-LARGE: W. H. KITCHEN, JOHN N. STAPLES.
- FOR CONGRESS: R. T. BENNETT, of Anson.
- ELECTOR, SIXTH DISTRICT: ALFRED ROWLAND, of Robeson.

Senator Anthony's diet for more than twenty weeks has been Graham bread and sweet skimmed milk. He is under treatment for Bright's disease.

Mr. Hoe, the inventor, hopes soon to give the public an invention in the way of a photographic press that will turn out 900,000 papers an hour.

Moody and Sankey are announced to begin work at Cincinnati in October, after which they will proceed to Richmond and start a campaign at the South.

Major Andre, the spy, drew a portrait of himself the morning of the day on which he was hanged. He stood before a looking-glass and sketched the likeness. It is preserved in the capitol at Albany.

The Philadelphia Typographical Union No. 2, has issued a circular in which it is proposed to "Boycott" the Philadelphia Press. The Press is accused of having turned out the union men from its office and supplied their places with "rats."

The suffering among the residents of Mechanicsville, a village of Chesterfield county, near Petersburg, Va., where reside the operatives of Swift Creek cotton factory, which closed operations several weeks ago, has become so great that an appeal for relief has been made to the County Court.

It is understood that Mr. John Ambler Smith of Virginia, but now a resident of Washington, has obtained a patent for bread making, invented by an old colored woman in Virginia, and that so valuable is it and so desirable will it be to all householders, that he has taken an interest in it himself, and will at once to San Francisco, introducing it here, and then come East with it, dispensing its benefits as he comes.

Eleven years ago the condition of the timbers supporting the dome of St. Peter's was such as to excite alarm for the safety of the structure. Since then repairs have been going on with as much steadiness as the depleted state of the Papal exchequer would allow. The work of restoration has just been completed. The great cupola has been secured with lead which was chiefly the gift of the Spaniards, among whom the Pope numbers his most faithful adherents.

Now is the time to give Smith's Worm Oil.

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Secretary Chandler, United States Treasurer Wyman and Assistant Secretary Coon are regular patrons of a diary in Washington, in which pie can be had for 5 cents, a sandwich for three cents add biscuits for 1 cent.

A correspondent of Bradstreet's, writing from the State of Texas, says the popular idea is fallacious that cotton is a dry weather and a sun plant, and therefore the longer the drought and the higher the temperature the greater the yield. On the contrary, says the correspondent, all the large crops in Texas are made in years of great rainfall in Summer.

France boasts of an electric woman who possesses the power to impart electricity to persons with whom she comes in contact. Young men who have sat on the bench by moonlight with their sweethearts and felt that significant pressure of the hand which a girl in love is said to give, are not prepared to concede to France a monopoly of electric girls.

For his famous Florida plea Webster was paid \$1,000 in to \$100 bills. He was engaged in study as the money was handed him, and after giving a receipt, resumed his work. That night the money could not be found, nor could the most diligent search reveal any clue to its whereabouts. A number of years afterward Mr. Webster, turning the leaves of a book long unused, found a \$100 bill. On turning the next leaf he found another, and so on successively until the entire ten were brought to light from the place where he had absent-mindedly put them as he studied.

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The moon entered on its last quarter last night.

The canteloupe and watermelon season is nearly over with.

Everybody in want of Paints, White Lead, Glass &c., should go to JACOBI'S

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the thermometer in this office registered 79 degrees.

We invite the attention of our citizens to the fact that first quality shirts are being made to order at one dollar at the Wilmington Shirt Factory.

Mr. Geo. W. Huggins owns the store No. 105 Market street which is to be occupied by him next month as a jewelry store.

Every Farmer ought to get a "Boys Clipper Plow," greatest invention of the age. JACOBI is the Agent.

Hon. R. T. Bennett, Democratic candidate for Representative to Congress from the Sixth Congressional District, will speak at Whiteville, Columbus county, on the 8th of September next, which will be the Monday of Court week.

Another large consignment of Sash, Doors & Blinds at Factory prices, just received at JACOBI'S Hardware Depot.

The *Passport* carried but few down the river to-day and these few went well wrapped to preserve them from the cold North wind. But to-morrow it will be much warmer and altogether, according to present promises, a far more pleasant day. Capt. Harper's family excursion is to take place then and the pleasant day will probably draw out a large crowd.

The Onslow Ticket.

At the Democratic convention held last week at Jacksonville, Onslow county, the following nominations were made: For the House of Representatives, Hill E. King; for sheriff, E. Murrill; for register of deeds, Jacob Giles. Dr. Cyrus Thompson was recommended to the Senatorial convention of the tree counties of Onslow, Carteret and Jones, for the Senate.

Personal.

Mr. J. McD French, of this city, is at Hendersonville.

The families of Messrs. J. F. Stolter, John Haar, Jr., John Tienken and F. C. Miller are all at Shelby, where they form a very pleasant little colony among themselves. The "heads," however, are left here. They are inconsolable and in their distress they have formed a little club among themselves, meeting every night at the residence of one of the members where they are engaged until a later hour in condoling with each other over the horrors of grass-widowhood.

The following figures won in the Louisiana State Lottery on Tuesday:—Capital prize won by 15,365; second capital prize of \$25,000 won by 53,833; third capital prize of \$10,000 won by 29,862. Nos. 1,157 and 55,475 drew \$6,000 each. Nos. 20,783, 25,682, 25,803, 45,136, 51,923 drew \$2,000 each.

Criminal Court.

The following were the proceedings to-day:
State vs. Ransom Jones, colored, charged with burglary. This case was given to the jury last evening, who, after being out all night, returned a verdict this morning of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged.

State vs. George Craig et als. The defendant George Hall recognized for his appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court.

Wilmingtonians Moving South.

Mr. J. A. Springer leaves here tonight with his family for his new home at Anniston, Ga., one of the magic towns of the South, where he will embark in the same business, coal and wood, he has so successfully conducted here. Mr. Springer, although not a native of Wilmington, has been resident here since December, 1865, nearly nineteen years, and has made for himself friends of all with whom he has come in contact. We cordially wish him every success in his new home and commend him and his family to the kindly hospitality of those whom they may meet in their new home.

Messrs. F. M. and W. E. King, who are also to remove to Anniston with their families, expect to leave on Monday night.

Fatal Accident.

Mr. W. B. Gordon, a prominent contractor and builder of Hillsboro, Orange county, while superintending work at the Robisell Factory at Rockingham yesterday, accidentally slipped from the scaffolding and was precipitated to the ground, by which several of his ribs were broken and his skull fractured, besides receiving severe internal injuries. He lived about four hours after the accident occurred. The deceased was about 60 years of age and leaves a wife and family. His remains were taken to Hillsboro last night for interment. Mr. Gordon was one of the most prominent contractors and builders in that section of the State, having been engaged in building many of the factories at Rockingham, besides several in other localities.

Wilmington and Onslow Railroad.

Capt. Rod McRae, the engineer who made the experimental survey of the Wilmington and Onslow Railroad, has completed his labors and submitted his report, accompanied by the requisite maps and drawings. From the report we learn that the survey was made from the intersection of Market and Seventeenth streets to Sneed's Ferry, on New River. The distance is 41 1/2 miles with a maximum grade of 31 feet to the mile, and at a standard gauge of 4 feet 8 1/2 inches, there would be 216,838 cubic yards of excavation and embankment—an average of 5,225 cubic yards to the mile. At 15 cents per cubic yard the grading would cost \$783.75 per mile, making \$32,525.70. Two thousand cross ties to the mile, at 20 cents each, would be \$400 per mile, or a total of \$16,600. Steel rails at \$33 per ton, delivered, would cost for the entire distance, \$107,603.27. Spikes &c., \$6,598.50. Laying track, engineering &c., \$11,000; making a total of \$174,327.27. By the construction of a narrow gauge (3 feet) the foregoing cost would be reduced to \$128,190.70. The road could be built to the mouth of Stone's Creek, in a distance of 40 miles, and by coming into Wilmington, near the site of the old Union depot, a short distance might be saved and the cost of construction reduced.

There are, added to the map, several lines heretofore run out towards the Sound, from which it appears that to include the Sound road by the old line, which runs near Hewlett's Creek and crosses Lee's Creek between the church near Mr. Bradley's and the Seaside Park, would make the road 6 1/2 miles longer, and there would be a considerable addition to the expenses for a bridge across the creek. This branch would cost about \$5,200. To cross higher would throw the line too far from Wrightsville, but a branch leaving the main line at a point four miles from Wilmington would reach Seaside Park in three and a half miles and would avoid the creek altogether. This is decidedly the most feasible, most economical way to reach the Sound, unless it should be decided to build the road to the Sound separately.

Vital Statistics.

The reporter of the REVIEW takes exception to some of the strictures contained in an editorial in the *Star*, of this morning's date, upon the importance of vital statistics. The article alluded to claims that the real value of vital statistics is seriously impaired by a tendency to "exaggerate everything and especially population and weather," and says:

A town credited with 12,000 people when it has but 10,000 or less so much impairs the value of health statistics as to make them practically of no utility. The real object ought to be to ascertain the true condition of a community as to health, but reporters seem to think that they must add a tenth or twentieth to the population in order to minimize the death rate.

Now, with all respect to the editor of the *Star*, the reporters of the Wilmington press are not guilty as charged. They are conservative men who take much pains to be correct in their statements, and while they have a warm and earnest interest in the welfare, prosperity and health of the city, they take especial care not to mislead the public, whom they serve. Should they err at all it will be rather to exaggerate the evils with which our city may be threatened than to boast of an immunity from disease which it does not possess. He further says:

All the towns, with but rare exceptions, place the population at a higher figure than the facts justify.

Now, we would respectfully inquire where the editor of the *Star* gets his authority for such a broad statement. Are his means for ascertaining the "facts" better than those of the reporters? or is the statement merely an assertion with no "facts" to sustain it? Again he says:

"We do not mean to insinuate that the reporters purpose to deceive. They accept the exaggerated estimates of the communities as to population, and then base their calculations upon the excess."

We should have taken the first of the above sentences as an act of considerate kindness, had it not been for the broad and damaging assertion contained in the latter. We beg to tell the editor of the *Star* that he is mistaken when he makes such an assertion, as he very frequently is in other matters, for the reporters do not take any report without some guarantee that it is correct. It is not any easy matter, at all times, to get at the facts in a case, and the reporters are frequently put to much labor, inconvenience and trouble to glean from a large amount of rumor the plain facts in the matter. It is the pride and a point of honor with reporters to give only reliable information.

Again he says:

We believe the calculations for Raleigh, Charlotte and Wilmington are based on too much supposed population.

We are glad that he makes the above statement as a matter of belief, for belief implies a doubt of its correctness on the part of the writer of the same. So far as Raleigh and Charlotte are concerned we have nothing to say, for he reasons that we have not paid any attention to the statistics regarding those cities. It is a matter of which the able press reporters of those two cities can take into consideration or not. But we do claim that the reporters of Wilmington have not overestimated the population of this city. We claim a population of about 20,000, based partly upon the census of 1880 and partly upon other indices more patent to reporters than they would be apt to be to the editor in chief of a daily paper. The census of 1870 gave the population of Wilmington as 13,446; in 1880 it was 17,350, a gain in the ten years of 3,904, averaging a fraction more than 390 a year. It is thought by conservative men, among them some of those who were engaged in taking the last census, that the population given was far below the number actually resident in the city. Whether this is so or not, we do not pretend to say, but taking the ratio of increase for the ten years named as a basis for the four years since 1880 and we have a population of 18,910. We think the increase during the last four years has been much larger than that and one of the reasons why we think so lies in the fact that during the year ended June, 1884, there were 178 dwelling houses erected in the city. Of this number 37 were erected South of Castle street; 46 between Castle and Market streets; 43 between Market and Campbell streets and 52 North of Campbell street. This would not be of great significance in itself, but coupled with the fact that there are but few empty tenements and that rents are materially on the increase, it goes to show that the population of Wilmington is "booming."

Fulllest assortment of Fishing Tackle can be found at JACOBI'S.

A Desperado.

At about 11 o'clock last night, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, on Princess, two colored women engaged in a quarrel. Two colored men on their way home, heard the disturbance and stopped to see if they could learn who the parties were. While they were waiting, two other colored women came along and separated those who were quarrelling. After they had separated one of the women went up Princess street, when a colored man, who had been standing under the lamp-post with a gun on his shoulder, started out and with many oaths, wanted to know who the woman was who had given away his sister and that he would shoot her d-n-d head off, and started up Princess street in pursuit. The two first named colored men, who lived in the same direction, started for their homes, when the ruffian turned upon them, and threatened to kill them if they followed him another step, and then went along. He soon returned and, in a cursing, boasting and threatening manner said that he was Pompey Sneed.

This outlaw has been loafing about that immediate locality for several days, and at about 10 o'clock this forenoon he went into a dwelling house on Mr. J. W. Barnes' plantation, just outside the city, and took all the provisions he wanted. The people in that section are in danger and are consequently seriously alarmed for their safety.

Political Straws.

A colored excursion, numbering about 100, came down from Ft. Caswell and intermediate landings on the *John Dawson*, and headed by a band consisting of a big drum and a little drum paraded through some of our principal streets in all the glory of their race. A flag bearing the names of Blaine; Logan and York was borne by one of the party. The flag was of home-spun and hence can be utilized at some future day.

A Martyr's Patience.

For twenty-five years, Mr. Henry J. Noble, of Gouverneur, N. Y., suffered with very painful rheumatism of the hip and says he was cured by a few applications of St. Jacobs Oil, the great pain-cure.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

No Band of Music!

THE DEMOCRATIC BOOM, THE HOODLUM, After Breakfast, Always, Capitolas, Key West and Yellow Leg 5 cents Cigars are so good we do not have to go into the Patent Medicine way of advertising. GOOD PURE WHISKEY, &c., at aug 13 OLD NORTH STATE SALOON

"FRIENDS AND FELLOW-CITIZENS:

HEAR ME FOR MY CAUSE AND BE SILENT, that ye may hear." Cologne, Extracts, Toilet and Sachet Powders, Soap, Turkish Towels, Toilet Cases. Full line of Drugs &c. Prescriptions a specialty. At F. C. MILLER'S, Corner Fourth and Nun sts aug 11

School Books.

SCHOOL BOOKS, ADOPTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION. AND ALL OTHER SCHOOL BOOKS, SCHOOL SLATES, PENCILS, &c. Special Discount to Merchants and Teachers. Orders by mail will receive prompt attention FROM HEINSBERGER'S, aug 12 Live Book and Music Stores

School Books!

SPECIAL DISCOUNT TO MERCHANTS and Teachers. We make a specialty of TEXT BOOKS adopted by the State Board of Education. Prices furnished on application. Small orders by mail will receive prompt attention. C. W. YATES, 119 Market Street. aug 11

1884. Furniture, 1884.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. NEW STOCK arriving every day for the Fall Trade. Merchants and others will save money by placing their orders with me. Please send for price list or call before placing orders with others. D. A. SMITH, Furniture Dealer, N. Front Street aug 11

Specialties.

MOSQUITO NETS, BABY CARRIAGES, WINDOW SHADES, RATTAN CHAIRS, LADIES' DESKS and WORK TABLES, and a full line of the most FASHIONABLE FURNITURE at lowest prices, at the LADIES' FURNITURE HOUSE. THOS. C. CRAFT, Agent, aug 11

PLEASE NOTICE. We will be glad to receive communication from our friends on any and all subjects, general interest but The name of the writer must always be attached to the Editor. Communications must be written on one side of the paper. Personalities must be avoided. And it is especially and particularly understood that the Editor does not always endorse the views of correspondents unless so stated in the editorial columns.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

A Bargain!

ON HAND AND FOR SALE, FIVE BBL'S SUPP ERNONG WINE ONLY \$1 PFR GALLON. A pure wine, a pleasant wine and a cheap wine. Must be sold at L. G. CHERRY, aug 9 at N. W. cor. Market and Second sts.

Mellins' Food,

TWO SIZES, FRESH LOT. PEARS' SOAPS, POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDERS, LUBIN'S POWDER, WHITE and PINK, ROSE and VIOLET. MENTHOL PENCILS, JAPANESE HEADACHE CURE.

Munds Bros. & DeRosset,

DRUGGISTS, WILMINGTON, N. C. FIG 6

At Cost!

OVER 500 BOXES TOBACCO AT COST to close out. Also, a large stock of Plug and Smoking Tobacco at very low prices, from the Best Factories in Virginia.

Cigars and Cigarettes

By the million, at the Office of CAPE FEAR TOBACCO WORKS, jy 23 at No. 132 North Market St.

Now is the Time

TO BUY GOODS. OUR STOCK IS FULL and articles satisfactory. If you need a No. 1 Cook Stove there is none better than the Golden Harvest. It is complete in all its arrangements. PARKER & TAYLOR PURE WHITE OIL. aug 11

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HARDWARE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, Locks, Hinges, Bolts, Nails, Window Fastenings, &c. Contractors can save money by consulting us. Large stock, good assortment and good goods. W. E. SPRINGER & CO., Successors to John Dawson & Co., aug 11 Wilmington, N. C.

Bargains.

TO MAKE ROOM FOR OUR LARGE FALL STOCK we are compelled to CLOSE OUT some REMNANT LINES of

Gents' & Ladies' Low Shoes

At prices which CANNOT BE BEATEN. Goods that will give you entire satisfaction. Geo. R. Erench & Sons, 108 NORTH FRONT STREET. aug 4

Wagonette

FOR WRIGHTSVILLE SOUND, will leave Southerland's Stables DAILY at 6 P. M. sharp. Returning, will leave SOUND at 7 A. M. sharp June 25 at T. J. SOUTHERLAND.

"Dyed."

AT MONACH'S, 16 1/2 SECOND STREET, between Market and Princess. Ladies and Gentlemen's goods of every description, any color. Also, cleaning, scouring and bleaching. Send me a pair of your old Kid Gloves. new 26 at

Lemons, Butter, Lemons.

JUST RECEIVING BY A. C. LINE and N. Y. Steamer, all of which will be sold low in quantities to suit. 500 bushels V. Meal, 75 Boxes Lemons, 25 tubs Va. and N. A. Y. Butter Michigan Flour, Virginia Flour, Bacon, Lard, &c. E. G. BLAIR, No. 19 N. Second Street. June 19

F. G. & N. Robinson.

WE ARE THANKFUL TO OUR FRIEND for their liberal patronage. Our Stock is all fresh goods, guaranteed, and they can be returned at our expense if not satisfactory. We are daily in receipt of EGGS and CHICKENS, which we sell at the very lowest market prices. SUGARS are advancing, but we are still selling at old prices. Our COFFEES are of best quality and sold at very low prices. All kinds of BASKETS, BROOMS, BUCKETS, &c. on hand. Also, choice stock of CRACKERS and CANNED GOODS. July 8

Cleveland & Hendricks!

Blaine & Logan!!

JACKSON & BELL!!!

THREE TICKETS for the PEOPLE!

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