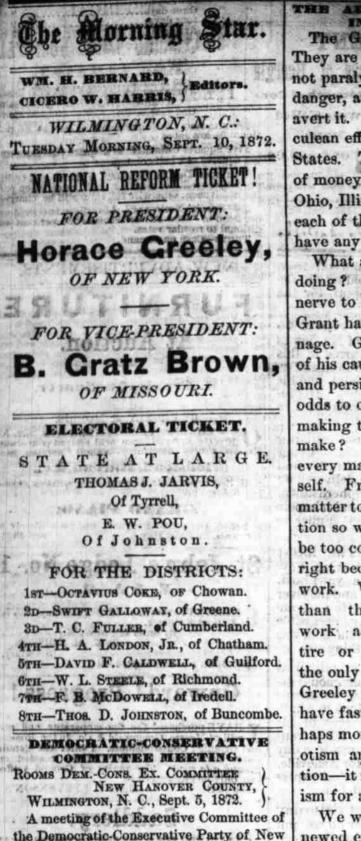
## STATES OF ART FREEM



the Democratic-Conservative Party of New Hanover County will be held at the STAR office, in this city, Wednesday afternoon, ber 11th, at 8 o'clock.

As arrangements are to be made for a thorough and active canvass, and for the organization of a Greeley and Brown Club in every Township and Ward, it is hoped that every member of the Committee will be present. Those members who cannot will please delegate some perattend son from their respective Townships to represent them, instead of appointing proxies in Wilmington for that purpose.

WM. H. BERNARD,

THE ADMINISTRATION STRAIN-G EVERY NERVE. The Grant people are at work. They are hard at work. Fear has not paralyzed them. They see the danger, and they are endeavoring to avert it. They are putting forth herculean efforts to carry the doubtful States. They are spending vast sums of money in Pennsylvania, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, and lesser amounts in each of the other States where they have any chance of success. ley and Brown. What are the friends of Greeley doing ? They ought to strain every nerve to meet the renominationists Grant has Federal money and patronage. Greeley relies upon the justice of his cause and the intrepid courage and persistency of his friends. The odds to overcome are great. Are we making the strongest battle we can tual feast. make? Are we doing our best? Let every man put such questions to himself. Friends, it is not such an easy matter to defeat power and corruption so well intrenched. Let us not be too confident in the triumph of right because it is right. We must work. We must work harder than the Grantites. We must work all the time, and never tire or stop. Horace Greeley is the only hope of the country. Either Greeley must be elected or we shall have fastened upon us four years, perhaps more, of Grant's despotism, nepotism and shameless . maladministration-it may be a centralized despotism for all time. We would stir up our people to re newed exertions. The election is not

very far off. It is time we were up and doing. The enemy is strong in means and shrewd in devices. Let us circumvent all his scheming and outwork him in open, honest efforts. Friends! we call upon you to do a little more for Greeley and Brown, work a little harder to save the country and its republican-democratic institutions. We are not doubtful of the result, because we believe the friends of Greeley and constitutional government will rally from the St. Croix to the Rio Grande in behalf of the grand principles of popular liberty.

gret it, because we the there were at work. But papers to stir them up if they are not their duty. Let the proof Empire sustain its reputation.

## POLITICAL PARA

- Mrs. Swisshelm is for Greeley - The Louisvillians are to O'Conor to become a Sham to-day. - A majority of the Republican papers published in Arkansas are for Gree-

- The St. Paul Pioneer has published over 7,000 names of Republicans who support Greeley.

tised. - The Kansas Republican Convention nominated T. O. Osborne for Governor construction at an immense price. and E. S. Storer for Lieutenant-Governor. some time ago destroyed by a gale - Hon. Carl Schurz and Hon. W. is not to be finished, the Council hav-S. Groesbeck spoke at the same meeting in ing abandoned it. Indiana a few days. That was an intellec-... A young lady-Miss Mary C. Starr-killed a large rattlesnake near

- Hon. J. R. Buckalew and Montgomery Blair addressed a fine audience last Friday at Pittsburg. Pennsylvania will tell a good story.

- The Missouri Grant Republican Convention nominated a State ticket, headed by John B. Henderson for Governor, and J. H. Stover for Lieutenant Governor. -The question of the day, for the time eclipsing "Is Henry Wilson a forger?"

or, "Was Henry Wilson a Know Nothing?" is, "Who are the Louisville candidates?" - Mr. Greeley is going to visit Cincinnati after the Maine election, and on

the 10th inst. will leave New York to fulfil engagements at the Rhode Island and Vermont agricultural fairs.

- Of the Grant electors from Illifinger off a burglar. nois in 1868, the following have declared for Greeley and Brown: Gustavus Koerner, serenades at Madison, Ind. James McCoy, Thomas G. Frost, Samuel C. Parks and John D. Strong. in Stewart county, Ga.

- The Tennessee Republican Con-- "Synagogue parties" are a nov elty in New York society. vention last week nominated a full State ticket as follows : A. A. Freeman, Gover-- Every year the Mormons are nor; Horace Maynard, Congressman-atmore strongly intrenched. Large; Hon. Alvin Hawkins, late of the - It is said that there are three

Supreme Bench, Elector-at-Large, - Gen. Don Carlos Buell, whose

genius and bravery saved Grant from annihilation at Shiloh, has declared for Greeley. It is a singular fact that nearly every officer of prominence, says a Virginia paper, that served under Grant opposes his re-election.

Kernan, the joint nomince temor of the State, is one of the men in the common wealthable lawyer, and county sportsmen with large experience both in Con-and as a member of the Constitut al Convention, in both of which bound tiger shark was re ged off Charleston. tions he took a conspicuous part. Ite has great talents, the highest integri-... The Laurensville Herald report ty, and rare eloquence. He will honr the State, as the State will honor ... The physicians of Camden, six him by a triumphant election in Noin number, certify to the unusual healthy condition of that flourishing vember. The first choice of both

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ng fine deer.

and had 8 rattles and a button.

STAR BEAMS.

- Cargoes of slaves continue to be

- Papers with long names don't

- A Leavenworth (Kan.) cat bit a

- Young ladies do the midnight

- The cork tree is being cultivated

thousand Americans in Paris.

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often get credited.

Conventions was Sanford E. Church; but the first choice of Judge Church was Francis Kernan. Mr. Kernan, if .. During a recent revival ato the less popular in the State than Mr. Bethel Baptist church, Edgefield Church, will make quite as good a county, sixty-four persons were bap-Governor.

onstitution-

Some fanatical people are endeav-... The Columbia market, under oring already to make capital out of the fact that Mr. Kernan is of the Roman Catholic faith in religion. So he is, but no sectarian. In the Constitutional Convention he introduced an article absolutely forbidding all appropriations of public funds for the her father's residence in Aiken on support of sectarian schools. While at home he insisted that each mem-Thursday. He was 37 inches long ber of his family of children should .. On Wednesday, the 28th ultimo, enter the common schools and pass the turpentine still of Mr. J. W. through all the various grades. All Holliday, at Galivants Ferry, Horry his children have thus been educated county, together with about 900 barat the common schools, and by regular steps have reached the Free Acadrels of rosin and crude stuff, was conemy. These facts are perfectly well sumed by fire. The fire was occaknown through Central New York. sioned by a leak in the still. Loss No Protestant will oppose Francis Kernan on account of his conscientious faith.

For Lieut.-Gov., Chauncey M. Depew, Liberal Republican, has been Secretary of State in New York, and for years a well known politician. He was in the Assembly in 1862 and 1863, and Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means. In 1865 he was appointed Minister to Japan, a position which he declined. He is fluent and eloquent, and will preside over the State Senate with dignity and ability. Few men in the State better understand its polities or public affairs, or in the past have had more influence in the Republican party.

Samuel S. Cox, Democrat, for Congressman at Large, was born in Zanesville, Ohio, and graduated at Brown University. He was appointed Sec-retary of Legation to Peru, in 1855, - A Detroit man 105 years old is and was elected from Ohio to the losing his eyesight. Smokes too 35th, 36th, 37th and 38th Congresses, and in this city to the 41st and 42d - A lady named Post has brought from the 6th District. His present suit for the site of the town of Menomination makes sure his election .---N. Y. Evening Express.

BUSINESS CARDS. SPECIAL NOTICE. AUTOMA IL VOLLERS 115 MB 4 ADRIAN & VOLLERS. the Liver and "Toning up" the provide the worst forms of Scrofula, Dyspepsia, rematism, Liver Complaint, Kidney Disease, aptions of the Skin, Nervous Prostration, &c., has used it to become a sundard remedy. It is now acribed by physicians and recommended become t citizens. the Live Corner Front and Dock Sts., WILMINGTON, N. C. WHOLESALE GROCERS IN ALL ITS BRANCHES. Country merchants will do well by calling on u. c 7-D&W&Fly ent STREET. ng our stock. nov 19-tf BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE. MOFFITT & CO., This superb Hair Dye is the best in the world-perfectly harmless, reliable and instantaneous. No disappointment. No riducalous tints or unpleas-ant odor. The genuine W. A. Batchelor's Hair Dye produces IMMEDIATELY a splendid Black or Nat-ural Brown. Does not stain the Skin, but leaves the hair clean, soft and beautiful. The only safe and perfect Dye. Sold by all Druggists. Factory 16 Bond street, New York. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. North Water Street, WILMINGTON, N. C. Will give prompt personal attention to the sale etc., etc. Also to receiving and forwarding goods. Sep 23-tf feb 7-codly ent Tu Th Sat MISCELLANEOUS. S. NOBTHROP. | W. H. NORTHROP. | WM. A. CUMMING AN APPEAT NORTHROP & CUMMING OMMISSION MERCHANTS. - TO THE -- And Proprietors of the -HUMANITY OF SOUTHERN PEOPLE WILMINGTON STEAM SAW MILL. Wilmington, N. C. LEE CAMP, No. 1, LEE CAMP, No. 1, SOUTHERN CROSS BROTHERHOOD, Richmond, Va., July, 1872. O UR ORDER IS COMPOSED OF CONFEDER-ord during the war. Its objects are to perpetuate the memory and heroism of our fallen comrades, to aid the families of our former brethren in arms who Cargoes of Yellow Pine Lumber for any market furnished. Special attention given to the purchas or sale of Corn or Peanuts. Oct 4-1v ALEX. JOHNSON, JR. S. R. BIRDSEY JOHNSON & BIRDSEY. aid the familites of our former orethren in arms who need assistance, and to try and preserve the truth and purity of history. We are now specially engaged in the sacred duty of raising funds to assist Hollywood Memorial Associa-tion in removing the remains of our noble dead from Gettysburg and other points where they are neglect-ed and mistreated; to Hollywood Cemetery near this eity, where, through the untiring efforts of our ladies, an honorable resting place is provided, and an endu-ring monument erected to their memory; and where, protected and cared for, they can early receive the COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Wilmington, N. C., Will give prompt and personal attention to the sale or shipment of Cotton and Naval Stores. sept 7-tf day protected and cared for, they can early receive the honor bestowed on our "Memorial Day," in deco-rating their graves with flowers. There are yet at Gettysburg the remains of near ONE THOUSAND BODIES; they are from nearly all the States; and B. F. MITCHELL & SON OMMISSION MERCHANTS And Dealers in ---when we say, in some instances, the heartless wretches of the vicinity where they fell and lie are ploughing their bones about as if they were dogs, it is enough to make the blood of decent humanity Grain, Flour, Hay, and also Fresh Ground Meal, Pearl Hominy and Grits. boil, and the pocket—of all who are not false to feel-ing—false to principle—false to a cause once dear— open to remove these heroes from such indignity and inhumanity. Nos. 9 and 10 N. Water st., Wilmington, N. C. Proprietors of the Merchant's Flouring Mills, nov 25-tf and inhumanity. Some of these men are from your State; some of them may have been your dear friends or your own kin; all of them lost their lives in your defence. You professed to love them while living; you pro-fessed to love the cause for which they died. Shall their remains he dishonored when they lost their lives for you? Will you aid us to remove them to a safe and sacred anot where the warm noble hearts J. & H. SAMSON. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

safe and sacred spot, where the warm, noble hearts and gentle care of Virginia women can watch over them? Into whatever hands this appeal falls, we beg you to aid us in this cause, in which our whole soul is enlisted. Ask your friends to aid you. Do STAPLE AND FANOY DRY GOODS Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c. not hesitate because you cannot give much; remem july 16-tf 43 MARKET STREET JO. DICKSON PEARSALL.

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ber, as drops make an ocean; so many small contri-butions will make a goodly sum. Can't you spare a day or so to canvass specially Murphy, Heyer & Co.

for this purpose? It is necessary to raise several thousand dollars to accomplish our purpose, but we not hesitate to un-dertake it, as we cannot think Southern people will close their hearts and pockets to so sacred an appeal. Remit all contributions to W. C. CARRINGTON, care Piedmont and Arlington Life Insurance Company, Richmond, Va., he being Chairman of Committee. Hichmond, Va., he being Chairman of Committee, Please act promptly; give as liberally as you can, but give something, and let us bring our brothers away from hostile hands and Northern soil. W. C. CARRINGTON, W. ELLIS JONES, R. E. ARMSTRONG, J. H. PATTON, U. W. VOLKMAN

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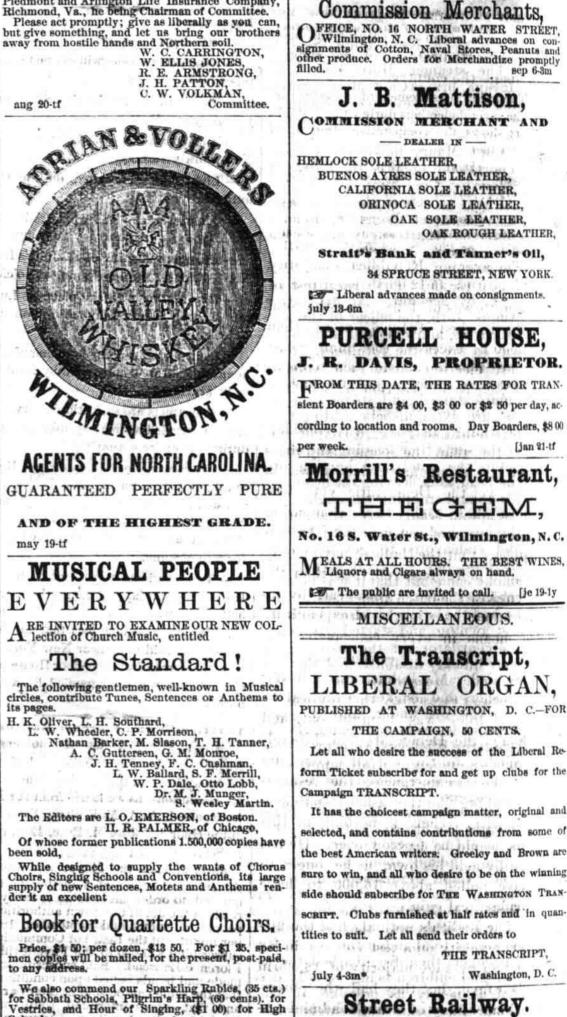
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## THE FAIR OF THE CAPE FEAR AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

Our Fair will take place on the 12th, and last through the evening of the 15th, of November next.

The Fairs of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association have been heretofore pleasant and profitable to the people of this section of the State. Indeed, there exists no good reason why these annual exhibitions should not be more pleasant than any in North Carolina. We have the Metropolitan city and all the advantages that secures. Besides, we have a people to encourage these fairs as liberal and energetic as any in the State.

Let us then resolve to make the Wilmington, the Cape Fear Fair, the very best that shall take place in North Carolina this fall. To do this requires considerable labor and some cost, but no matter, we shall be repaid for our trouble. Let the farmers take more interest in these exhibitions. They are intended to promote agricultural interests. Are they not primarily Farmers' Fairs? Then, agriculturists of the Cape Fear, Neuse and Tar River sections, look upon it as your institution, and foster it accordingly. Let us all go to work to make the next exhibition the best we have ever had and the finest of all the State Fairs.

FORNEY ON HABTRANFT. The Republican candidate in Pennsylvania for Governor is a member of the disreputable Cameron ring. As Auditor he had chances to " turn an honest penny," and he took advantage of his opportunities. He is, of course, a strong Grant man. The Philadelphia Press, Forney's paper, also supports Grant, but it does not support Hartranft. On the other hand, it says some hard things of its party candidate. The Press publishes the affidavits of a ring man, Mr. Yerkes, who now languishes in prison affidavits Yerkes swore that "this deponent did pay to J. F. Hartranft, Auditor General, on the 10th day of December, 1870, the sum of \$2,700. which sum was derived from profits on purchases of loans of the Com-

TIMELY TOPICS.

It is at the most the old story of the Dutch taking Holland. What crumbs of comfort the Grantites can pick up from the returns fom the Green Mountain State, we are at a loss to imagine. Yet we see them busily making a pretense of finding crumbs where we see nothing but the bare floor. A New York contemporary thus tells how even the great historical feat of the Dutch taking Holland was not performed in Vermont: "The last election was held in 1870. Only 45,000 votes were cast, and the Republican majority was a little over 21,000. This year the contest has been exceedingly animated; the total vote is probably over 60, 000; and the highest majority claimed by the Administration is 26,000. But to make a fair comparison we must go back from the Presidential year to the last one, when the poll was over 56,000; and the Republican majority was \$2,000; that is to say, while the total vote has increased 4,000 in four years, the Republican majority has fallen off 6,000. Call you that a Grant gain?"

The Pennsylvania member of the Grant Republican National Committee has de clared under oath that he wrote the following letter:

"TREAS'Y DEP'T OF PENNSYLVANIA, ( "Harrisburg, March 20, 1867.

"Harrisburg, March 20, 1867. ( "My DEAR TITIAN: Allow me to intro-duce to you my particular friend Mr. Geo. O. Evans. He has a claim of some magni-tude that he wishes you to help in. Put him through as you would me. He under-stands addition, division and silence. "Yours, W. H. KEMBLE. "To Titian J. Coffey, Esq., Washington, "D. C." "D. C."

"Addition, division and silence" is the sublime principle on which the Grant party is run. A plain reading would make it, 'Steal, divide the spoils and keep dark about it." Radical office-holders need no instruction on those points.

The remains of our gallant Sharpsburg dead are being disinterred and removed to Rose Hill Cemetery, near Hagerstown. A the middle of last week the bodies of 347 had been received and reinterted. The new burial ground will be all that is desirable, and will be elegantly and tastefully ornamented. Mr. Henry C. Mumma has charge of the work. It is pleasing to know that for his ring misdeeds, in one of which our dead will repose where wandal ploughshares shall not, disturb their hallowed re-mains, and where fiving hands can perennially strew flowers as a joint tribute and leed of affection.

> A mong the monopolies granted by Charles First, which were oppressive to the people of England, was one conferring the right to

- The Washington Patriot says: The heartiest joke about that joke of jokes -we beg to be excused for writing the word

so often, but the whole Louisville Convention seems to be the jokiest of jokes-is that Blanton Duncan, himself not a delegate, but present by invitation on the Convention floor, should have delicately intimated to George Francis Train that he was not a delegate and could not be permitted to speak. - The Grantites are bent on mis

chief in Arkansas. Pope county has their special aversion, it seems. The murders by Dodson and Hickox, utterly unprovoked as they were, were the cause of the murder of Hickox a few days ago. There was no occa sion to fear that any further breach of the peace would take place. But the Governor has, it appears, been overborne either by Sheriff Dodson or by the Clayton faction in Little Rock, and has sent a small force to Pope county. Dodson has joined Gen. Upham with three companies, and it needs little foresight to predict what he will do when

finds himself in a position to pay off old grudges under the protection of martial law. PROMINENT PERSONALS.

- Froude's new book is to be the

History of Ireland - Signor Mario was entertained by the Lotus Club of New York.

- And now the Ocriman scientist Buchner is to come and lecture. Next.

- Victor Hugo's works are report ed to have brought his publishers to bank

- J. S. C. Abbott, the irrepressible, is getting up "The Lives of Early American Pioneers and Patriots."

- The publishers of Louis Napo leon's "Life of Cæsar" are said to have sued the author for a breach of contract.

- A volume of the shorter poems of Dr. J. G. Holland, entitled The Marble Prophecy, will be one of the issues of the

- There was great enthusiasm Berlin as the two German Emperors, Wi liam and Francis Joseph, rode through the streets

- It is reported that Nathalie Dosne, a niece of President Thiers, will be married to John Stuyvesant Kruger, of New, York city.

- M. Bigot, a well known French advocate was struck with apoplexy while defending a Communist prisoner, the other day, and soon died

- It is rumored that Miss Nellie Grant is to be married to M. Dunergier de

- A St. Joe man is so tall that he has to get on his knees to scratch his head.

- A Michigan man's thirty plum trees netted him sixty bushels of plums this season.

- They are putting on airs in Terre Haute. Couples are "nuptiated" instead of married there.

- American green corn is sent during the season in quantities to Liverpool by Atlantic steamers.

- The Fredericksburg News advocates the removal of the capital of Virginia to Fredericksburg.

- Margaret Dykes was son struck and died in New York. The son that

- A train on the Kansas Pacific Railroad was obliged to run back sixty miles, a few nights ago, to find a detached sleeping car.

- A noble colored man in Memphis successfully signalled danger ahead to an approaching train with his wife's red flannel petticoat.

- It is stated that many of the bodies washed ashore from the fated steamer Metis, were robbed of money and jewelry.

- The last man that tried sleeping on the railroad was at Chattanooga. He only lost two legs and had his back broken in three places.

-Col. A. J. T. Wright, one of the first residents of Lake City, Florida, died on the 2d inst., aged forty-six years and eight months.

- Michael Hendrickson was drawn into a threshing machine at which he was at work, in Meeker county, Minnesota, on the 28th ult., and ground to atoms.



Week before last a large mad dog, near Waldron, in this county, bit severely a little child of Mr. Wheeler, living near that place. The alarm was given, and some of the neighbors collected. An onslaught was made on the rabid animal, and he was, it was supposed, killed or left in an expiring condition. Last week, however as Mr. Cox was passing along the highway, in the same neighborhood, this dog rushed, from the woods and furiously attacked him. Mr. Cox was armed with a hewing axe, and as the dog came out he dealt him a severe blow, but by evil chance the axe slipped from his grasp, and the furious animal, but little impeded in his advance. rushed upon him. After a struggle of some seconds, in which Mr. C.'s arms were badly lacerated, he suc-

Greeley and Breckinridge.

"Gath," of the Chicago Tribune, writes as follows, from Louisville: Colonel Thomas, a prominent merchant of this city, when asked to-day what the position of John C. Breckinridge might be on the nomination of Greeley, gave the following anecdote:

"After Greeley's nomination, Mr. Breckinridge was asked if he could afford to support him. Breckinridge replied that he thought he could, and said that after the war had closed he opened his mail one morning, and found therein a letter, in difficult chirography, which required some time struck her was about eighteen years to interpret it. It proved to be a letter from H. Greeley, and was about to the following effect: Mr. Greeley said to Mr. Breckinridge that he was aware that the latter personage in the South had influence, intellect and popularity. "Such persons as you," said Mr. Greeley," "we require to come back to the country, and bring it to its legitimate status. Don't remain away subject to the party spleen which will shortly overwhelm you, but

come back again amongst your friends, neighbors and fellow-citizens, and help us to rebuild the country. If I can be of any influence as a Republican editor I will give you my help to return to the country and take your place again in the ranks, where you legitimately belong, as one of the leaders of the Southern, populace." Breckinridge read this letter. He had nnver met Greeley, and when he came to the city of New York, induced to return to his country by this missive, he thought decency demanded that he should call upon Uncle Horace. He spent an hour with Greeley, and was profoundly touched with the softness of disposition and large magnnaimity of the Liberal candidate. Some time ago-not more than three weeks, perhaps-the B. Duncan Bourbonites of Kentucky endeavored to make some point upon Breckin-, ridge, and he told them the story named above; and when he told it his eves filled with tears, and he said he should support H. Greeley, and was only melancholy from the fact that

any word he might say in favor of that old philanthropist might be quoted to Greeley's injury. -----

Gen. Lee's White Hat. A letter from Rev. J. T. Whitley in the Christian Sun, says:

I was permitted to see a curiosity in visiting an old homestead on the James river. It was the identical old white felt hat worn by General Robt. E. Lee when he surrendered at Ap-Hauranne, author of a work on the institu- ceeded in regaining possession of the pomattox. The aunt of the gentle-



the Street Cars will only run from 6 A. M. until 9% A: M., and from 12 M. until 3 P. M., and from 4 P M. until 8.P. M. The Cars meet the trains as usual. DANIEL KLEIN. Proprietor july 20-ta KENMORE UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL,

