

The Tribune's review starts out with a historical account of the votes at previous elections:

Maine has so often astonished the politicians with its sudden determination, just previous to the Presidential election, its position has grown into one of national im-portance. Falling just before the great Norember crisis; its own Gubernatorial vote has been frequently mistaken as the key-note of the triumph which succeeded in the broader canvass of the nation. After "Maine went for Gov. Kent" in the famous contest of 1840, when Harrison was elected President, people began to say, "as Maine goes, so goes the Union." But the State went Democratic the very next year, and staid so through the election and administration of Taylor, the next Whig President after Harrison. Maine remained hopelessly Democratic until 1854 when Anson P Morrill who ran on the Prohibition and Know-Nothing ticket, was elected, and the State once more autonished everybody by defeating the heretofore dominant party by a vote of 44,565, in a total vote of 90,633; there being four candidates in the field. When the four candidates in the field. When the Know-Nothing organization disappeared, Maine again surprised the politicians by re-electing Morrill on the Republican ticket by a small plurality. In the following year, 1856, though Republicanism was defeated in the nation, Maine elected a Republican Governor, Hannibal Hamlin, by a handsome majority, being content with that notable victory without claiming to have given color to the national election: and so again color to the national election; and so again the Union did not go as Maine did. From that time until the present, the Republican majority in the State has been secure, rang-ing from 10,000 to 18,000 ordinarily, but running up to a much larger figure during the years of the Presidential election. The largest vote ever cast in the State was in 1868, when, under the influence of the combined military popularity of Grant and Chamberlain, the latter was elected Governor by about 20,000 majority, in a total vote of 181,782. In the Presidential election which followed in November of that year, the total vote fell off to 112,953, of which Grant had a majority of nearly 30,-

Referring to the difficulties in the way of the Liberal movement, the Tribune Bays:

Indeed, neither The Tribune nor any oth-er recognized exponent of Liberal princi-ples has ever encouraged the opinion that the new party would be able to do anything more than largely reduce the majority of the Republicans in the last Presidential year; that were itself a substantial victory. year; that were itself a substantial victory. And when the campaign opened and Libe-rals began to talk about a deduction of 10,000 from the old Republican majority in Maine, none of them had made any calcu-lation for the prodigal use of money in cor-rupting the voters of the State, the overpow-ering influence of an army of officeholders, and the terrorism of party discipline. All of these are the appliances of a party securely lodged in power, but not to the extent that they have been employed in the State. Money has literally flowed like water, and, where open and shameless attempt to purchase would not be safe, it has purchase would not be safe, it has been used in the various corrupting measures with which the adroit administration managers are familiar. The men who spent the money, the places where

they spent it, and the purposes for which they used this corruption fund, are known and noted. Notably is this true in the Con-gress Districts of Blaine and Hale, one of whom has behind him a fortune "made in

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Northwest. Generally clear weather for interior of the Gulf States and Tennessee. THECITY

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. DITSON & Co.-Music Books. CAPPS & DOUGLASS.-Western Beef. L. H. DEROSSET.-Notice. HENRY LITGEN.-For Rent. P. HEINSBERGER.-Ebb Tide, &c.

Local Dots.

- The thermometer ranged from 86 to 88 in the STAR office vesterday.

- The time of meeting of the Independ ent Order of Mechanics has been changed from Friday to Wednesday evening of each week.

- Plenty of thunder and lightning, but very little rain up the Charlotte road Monday evening.

- Jerry Forbes, colored, of this county, convicted of burglary, was pardoned out of the penitentiary, on Friday last, by Gov. Caldwell.

- We hear it stated that the Knights of Pythias of this city intend to celebrate the anniversary of the establishment of the Order in the State on the 14th of November. - We are in receipt of the September number of the Masonic Monitor, published at Goldsboro', by J. A. Bonitz, Esq. It is,

as usual, filled with interesting matter to the fraternity.

- Two white and two colored patients were sent to the City Hospital yesterday. One of the former states that he was struck on the head with a shovel about two weeks ago and is suffering severely from the wound.

- A colored worshipper at the shrine o Bacchus was giving the denizens of Macum ber's Alley a test of the strength of his lung about half-past 2 P. M. yesterday. He was a complete success as an unmitigated nuisance.

-Lena Brown, the colored girl alluded to in yesterday's paper as having been struck dumb on Sunday night last, has not yet recovered her speech. She was returning from church when the malady came upon her. A great many persons have been to see her.

- We learn that preparations are being made for another excursion to the Blackfish Grounds, which is expected to come off on Tuesday next. Those who wish to enjoy a fine day's sport should get ready in time. The Waccamaw will be chartered for the purpose.

- A very offensive odor ascends from the debris of the late fire on North Water street, caused by the mixture of burnt meat, molasses, sugar, liquors and other articles which are smouldering in the ruins. A general clearing up should take place in that quarter as soon as possible.

- We learn that the improvements at the

chairman. The bond of Simon Hayes, as Township Constable, for \$2,000, with Owen Dove, Owen Burney, Daniel O'Conner and S. H. Manning as sureties, was offered, but its consideration was postponed until the next meeting. AT HIT & STATE STATE The bond of the Constable of the Town-

> ship was reduced from \$2,000 to \$1,000. The Clerk was instructed to make out warrants for the per diem of the members. The Board then adjourned to meet again on Friday evening next at 4 o'clock, unless sooner called together by the chairman.

Justice Woodford was chosen permanent

Matrimonial. Yesterday afternoon we happened in the

Court House just as a marriage ceremony was about to be performed, and we conclude ed to witness the "blending of two hearts that beat as one" in the holy bonds of matrimony. The blushing couple, representatives of "Afric's sunny clime," answering to the names of James Bordeaux and Mary C. Stokes, were just arrived from Rocky Point. The parties were conducted into the office of the Superior Court Clerk and 'Squire Cassidey was called upon to perform the interesting ceremony. He examined the license, when at his request ex-'Squire Harriss placed the parties in proper position, joined their hands and they were speedily launched into the married state and became husband and wife. Up to this point the solemnity of the scene seemed to impress the happy pair and their countenances wore a very sedate appearance, but the ceremony concluded and 'Squire Cassidey having called upon the groom to salute his bride they threw aside their dignity and amidst the laughter of the spectators, he sealed the nuptial tie by a hearty smack. 'Squire Harriss then delivered a brief address to the happy couple on the duties and responsibilities of married life, amidst which the bewildered groom seized his carpet sack. exclaiming "Come on, Mary, let's git out of this," and they went on their way rejoic.

Cure of the Eyes.

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Multitudes of men and women have made their eyes weak for life by the too free use of the eye-sight, reading small print and doing fine sewing. In view of these things, it is well to observe the following rules in the use of the eyes :

Avoid all sudden changes between light and darkness. 10 g Never read by twilight on a very cloudy day. Never sleep so that on waking the eyes

shall open on the light of the window. Do not use the eyesight by light so scant that it requires an effort to discriminate. Never read or sew directly in front of the ight of the window or door.

It is best to have light fall from above, obliquely over the left shoulder. Too much light creates a glare and pain and confuses the sight. The moment you are sensible of an effort to distinguish, that

moment stop and talk, walk or ride. As the sky is blue and the earth green,

Almost a Fatal Accident Yesterday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, small colored boy, who had ventured or the top of the new building in process o erection on the corner of Third and An streets, lost his footing and fell to the ground, a distance of about twenty-five feet. When picked up it was found that he had sustained severe injuries about the hip, while one of his arms was badly bruised and his lip cut. Mr. J. L. Keen in charge of the work upon the building secured a vehicle and took the boy to physician and afterwards to his home north of the W. & W. R. R. It is not be lieved that he is seriously hurt.

ommittee Meeting.

The members of the Executive Commi tee of the Democratic-Conservative party of New Hanover county will meet at the STAL office this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mayor's Court.

The following cases were disposed of yes terday morning:

Sandy Johnson, charged with disorderl conduct, was found guilty and sentence to pay a fine of \$15 and the costs or to g the Work House for 30 days.

Moses McDaniel, charged with disorderl conduct. Judgment for the costs, \$2 25. Eliza Finch, charged with retailing lique without a license, was found not guilty an discharged.

Wm. Myers charged with fighting an quarreling, was fined \$5 and the costs. Fred. Lord, charged with fighting an quarreling, was fined \$10 and the costs, Nelson Kelley, charged with disorder! conduct, was discharged on the payment of costs, \$3 15.

One case of disorderly conduct was con tinued over for a future hearing.

Our Chip Basket.

- Mind your own business, and you business will mind you. - Impolite-for persons to whisper an

write notes in company.

- Never give a man advice unless asks you for it, and then the less you gi the better.

- There are three things a man oug always to keep clean; his shirt-bosom,] face and his conscience.

- A woman at Saratoga, who hasn't la up any treasures in heaven, has \$250,0 worth of diamonds for earthly convenience

- A bachelor friend says he hates t idea of naming everything after you women; he says he bought a Sally-Mand safe ten years ago, and he's been. provok with himself ever since.

- A school girl during her examination repeatedly miscalled patriarchs partridge Whereupon one of the auditors remarke "She is making game of the patriarchs." This, Sidney Smith said, was the most per fect pun he ever knew.

City Taxes

| a n f n e e t e y , , a , | We were pleased to receive a call, during the pas week, from Dr. AYER'S traveller, who was in our town devoting his time and attention to the prepar- afions of the great; medicine man. This call has be- come a pleasant annual to us from the able and re- liable business character of the accomplished gentle- man whom this firm send out to transact their busi- ness. No house is better known or valued by the press for its promptness in settlement than the well- established and popular J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., whose medicines have become a household necessity, and won the confidence and praise of all. Our own acquaintance with them has extended over a series of years, and we have invariably found them, their travellers and their medicines worthy of the commendation they everywhere receive.—Jack- son (Tenn.) Tribune. sep6-codiwD&inW Fr SnWed | sep 11-tf Live Book and Music Store. | REMOVAL. REMOVAL. REMOVAL. Construction of the new and ' Confectioneries and Fruits, Pre- serves, Jellies, Sauces, Gella- time; Flavoring Essences a Speciality; Crockery and Glassware, WM. M. STEVENSON. Parties furnished with Glassware and Confections. ET Your orders are respectfully solicited. |
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| y or d d d y of | New Hanover County Bonds (10 years), 6 % C (Gold Int.) | ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Masonic Hall. Turrion in vocal and instrumental Music will be resumed on Monday, September in the second sector of a sector of the sector where and Spring sessions. The style and method of instruction given has won the approval of the music-loving community generally, together with the steady increase of pupils, justifies the Director in pronouncing the above a permanently established softool of MUSIC, where scholars get private, as well as class lessons, on very REASONABLE remm. Names should be entered promptly ; nevertheless pupils are entered at any time during the seasons. | BY BY BY BY BY BY BY BY BY BY |
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