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OUTLINES.

Gambetta, at a conference of the French Extreme Left, said he felt no anxiety on account of the Republic. The Irish Agricultural Union have resolved to encourage emigration to America in the event the waste lands are not settled upon the people. Thiers will advocate prolongation of McMahon's term in order to command support of the Left Centre and defeat the monarchists. National Tract Company has resumed. Greenbacks reported plentiful in New York by bankers. D. E. Caver's liabilities as a bankrupt in Jersey City are eight millions. Memphis reports 31 yellow fever interments. And the female operatives are striking. An exciting discussion arose yesterday in the Evangelical Alliance between Rev. Messrs. Freeman (of London) and Curry (of Richmond), concerning Union of Church and State. Orton re-elected President W. U. Telegraph Company. At U. S. Assay Office \$244,000 sterling received since Monday. Washington authorities do not credit reports of foul play in the death of Hall. The General Convention of Catholic Total Abstinence Union at New York condemned action of Germany and Italy relative to the Pope.

THE ELMIRA CONVENTION.

The Liberal State Convention of New York nominated a ticket composed of some of the nominees of the Democratic and some of the nominees of the Republican conventions. The composite ticket is as follows: For Secretary of State, Diederich Willers; Comptroller, Nelson H. Hopkins; Attorney General, Daniel Pratt; Treasurer, Thomas H. Raines; Canal Commissioner, James Jackson; Engineer, Sylvanus H. Sweet; State Prison Inspector, M. K. Platt. Messrs. Willers, Raines, Jackson and Sweet are on the Democratic ticket, and Messrs. Hopkins and Platt are on the Republican ticket.

The resolutions adopted reaffirm the principles of the Cincinnati platform, denounce back pay, corruption, perversion of civil government and advocate cheap transportation and return to specie payments.

OUR CALIPH.

Our ruler at Washington is evidently enjoying the Oriental State and the costly expense of the old Caliph of Omar. The White House and its gorgeous occupant, in addition to the \$50,000 a year salary, costs the people, it seems from recent revelations, some \$77,000 per annum. The following is a list of recent appropriations made by Congress: Kurnace keepers, \$720; two policemen, 2,640; one night watchman, \$900; usher, \$1,200; two doorkeepers, \$2,400; steward, \$2,000; messenger, \$1,200; secretary and clerk, \$10,600; contingent expenses, \$6,000; annual repairs, White House, \$15,000; refurnishing White House, \$10,000; fuel, \$5,000; green house, \$10,000; grounds, \$10,000.

Oh, that our autocrat had the simple and austere taste of Cromwell, and especially is this desirable in these days of panic and stringency.

PALMETTO LEAVES.

The Bible Society of Sumter celebrated its forty-ninth anniversary on the 5th.

Martin, Radical, elected State Senator in Fairfield Wednesday by a considerable majority.

A new postoffice has been opened at Tobey Creek, in Marion county, with W. H. Carey as postmaster.

The Columbia Phoenix says that an election writ is soon to be issued to fill the places in the Legislature of those who have been disqualified by holding office.

Henry E. Hayne, the colored Secretary of State, has entered the medical school of the South Carolina University. This event, as is said by the Columbia Union-Herald, "marks an era in the history of the University." It does! It marks the beginning of the end of an institution within whose walls some of the purest and ablest men in the State lived during the quiet years of their student life, says the Charleston News and Courier. For the first time in its history a colored man is admitted to its classes.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Judge J. S. Black has resigned his position as delegate at large to the Pennsylvania Constitutional Convention, on account of professional business in the United States Courts. A Boston correspondent believes that most of the Washburne Republicans will be working with the Liberal Republicans next year. They and Grant are out.

We are told that in most of the counties in Maryland the work of organization has been begun by the Democracy, and is being vigorously pushed to a successful determination by active and earnest laborers for the "good old cause." In other localities, however, the same zeal has not yet been manifested.

THE MORNING STAR.

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ANOTHER HORROR IN GEORGIA.

A Respectable, Hard-Working Old Man Stabbed by Drunken Companion—Fortune Buried in an Unknown Spot.

The Albany News prints the following details of the recent horrible murder in Coffee county, Ga.:

A party of men, composed of Mr. Seaborn Bowen, (the murdered man), three brothers, Solomons, and another whose name we have forgotten, were engaged in blazing a right of way for what is called a "settlement road," which was to lead from Kirkland to the settlement, within a few miles of the station. Stopping to rest for a while, one of the party proposed that they should send to the station for something to drink, to which all agreed, and they soon had a bottle on hand. They partook freely of its contents, and in a little while every man was in high glee. As is usual in such cases, they dropped off work, and all hands went over to the station to renew drinks. They drank till dark, and then left for home. We learn that the person whose name is not given reports that, when at a distance of one mile from the store, the brothers John and David Solomons became somewhat excited, and without the least provocation, one of them fell upon Mr. Bowen, and plunged his knife into him, and was soon followed by the other who did likewise. Mr. Bowen fell and the party left him, with tremendous whooping and hollering. During the night the murderers returned, struck a light and examined the body of Mr. Bowen, whom they found to be dead. The brothers are supposed to be in the swamps of Coffee still, and before our next issue will probably be captured, as there is much feeling in the matter, and a sharp lookout is kept for them. Mr. S. Bowen, the deceased, was a hard-working old man, highly respected by the good people of Coffee county, and had reached the advanced age of sixty-eight. His murders were both young men, the younger only twenty-three. My Bowen had, by hard licks, accumulated quite an amount of money, which he kept hid away. Several months ago, we understand, he offered to loan a friend a large amount of gold and silver. Strange to say, he invested every dollar of his hard-earned currency in coin. His money was buried at the time of his death, and no living person knows where it is. It is said by a few that he was murdered for his money, but the general opinion does corroborate the statement. The affair was one of the most horrible, heinous crimes ever committed in the usually quiet and peaceful county of Coffee. The people are awakened to the blackness of the deed, and not one thing will be left undone that will bring the foul murderers to speedy justice.

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State Fair at Raleigh Monday next.

John Kincaid, of Barke, aged 81, is dead.

Cattle distemper and hog cholera fearful in Burke.

Central Baptist Association met in Raleigh yesterday.

J. H. Harris writes to a Greensboro paper that he is not dead.

Anson county will have her representatives on the committee at the Cheraw Fair.

The North Carolina colored firemen hold a convention in Raleigh on the 15th.

There are ninety-four granges in the State in operation and five deputies in the field.

The Fall term of Jones Superior Court, Judge Clark, commences on Monday, Nov. 3rd.

Some of the troops stationed here have been behaving so badly as to get in the guard house.

A very severe storm visited the Goldsboro section on Monday last, and did considerable damage.

Press says army worms are destroying the leaves on the cotton stalks and other vegetable growth, in Burke.

The Railroad subscription question was postponed until next meeting of county board in Wayne. Probably killed, says Messenger.

On Friday of last week, says the Messenger, Mr. W. C. Hadley, of Greens county, caught two negroes stealing cotton, and jailed them.

Eight persons were baptized by the Rev. J. N. Andrews, in the Little River near Goldsboro, on Tuesday morning last, says the Messenger.

Gen. Talliaferro delivered the address at the Virginia and Carolina Fair at Norfolk. Large attendance second day, says the Virginian.

The new cotton crop comes into La Grange slowly and the impression, we learn from the Review, is that only two-thirds of a crop will be made.

Rev. Colin Shaw preached opening sermon at meeting of Wilmington Presbytery at Beth-Car Church, Bladen, Rev. D. B. Black presided.

In Wake Superior Court Wednesday, we learn from the Sentinel, Ben King, charged with burning Willie Lynn's saw mills in 1868, was acquitted.

Rev. L. E. Gibson, P. E., reports a vigorous revival feeling in Guilford and Alamance counties of the Methodist Conference. In his district 120 conversions have occurred.

Hickory Press: The railroad tax in Buncombe was voted on last week and carried almost unanimously. The only fear is that a majority of the qualified voters have not been cast.

The Argus says a Presbyterian church will be established in Wadesboro Saturday by organizing Dr. W. C. Ramsay and Cap. J. C. McCallahan to the work and office of Ruling Elders.

Rickman, a colored wagoner for Mr. Martin of Murray county, was overhauled by three colored ruffians at Indian Grave Gap two weeks since, and robbed of \$40 belonging to his employer.

Instead, of commencing on the 18th of November, as heretofore announced, Cumberland Fair will open its gates to the public on Tuesday, the 11th day of November, and close on the 14th.

In 1871, says the Patriot, a man named Wm. Smith, who emigrated from the Greensboro section, in 1838, died, leaving an estate in California worth several thousand dollars in his relatives. Let the Smiths speak.

"Old Whitey," Gen. Zack Taylor's war horse, was native of Caldwell county, says the Hickory Press. John Tucker took him out to Cherokee, and happened to meet Gen. Taylor, who was there on some Indian business, they struck a trade.

The coroner's jury in the case of Harvey Hudson, found between Morganton and Newton, S. C., returned a verdict of "accidentally killed" by falling from his horse. When last seen he was very much intoxicated and riding at a furious speed.

Dr. George W. Blackhall, the celebrated Raleigh hotelier, declined to receive a handsome watch and chain tendered him by the Executive Committee as a token of appreciation of his efforts in behalf of the State Fair, stating that he considered he had only done his duty.

Clinton Reporter of yesterday: At a meeting of the county commissioners on Monday their order for an election to-day upon the question of subscription or no subscription by the county for 1,500 shares of stock in the New York, Norfolk and Charleston railroad was rescinded, and the election indefinitely postponed.

The North Carolina Tobacco Association met at Greensboro on the 7th, Dr. T. W. Keene presiding. There was a full representation. Purpose declared to make it a medium for the transportation of information and a trade union. A committee was appointed to investigate freight rates. Several addresses on special subjects were made.

Yesterday morning, at 9 o'clock, Mr. A. C. Sanders, one of our well known and highly esteemed young merchants, was united in marriage to Miss Olivia, daughter of Maj. W. A. Blount. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Major Blount, on Hillsboro street, by Rev. Dr. Smedes, Rector of St. Mary's School. So says the Raleigh News.

The Hickory Press relates how Marcus Clark, of Caldwell county, tried to steal the "gal," who by the way is a Fox, away from her father. First night failed; tried again, and met the old chap at the gate, who goes into Clark but gets hiked infernally, when, calling for the family to help, the gal Fox seized a club and belated her intended until he quits the field in utter rout and discomfiture. He tried to get his license money back, rightly thinking too much license will kill a dog.

Greensboro Federal Court in session. The Patriot informs us that there are some important cases to be heard among them the case of United States against J. G. Blount, J. T. Dewese and others, charged with conspiracy against the Cherokee Indians; case of John Crane, former collector of the district. The case of the Western N. C. Railroad, which certain parties are trying to force into bankruptcy, was continued. There are 59 criminal cases on district docket, 10 on circuit docket, 4 libel suits, 16 equity cases, and 10 civil suits.

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