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Communications, unless they contain important news, or discuss briefly and properly subjects of rea interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld. Correspondents must write on only one side the paper.



WILMINGTON, N. C.: WEDNESDAY ..... August 22, 1877.

EVENING EDITION.

THOUGH DEAD HE SPEAKS. Mr. Jefferson holds the front rank among American statesmen. His political teachings are better appreciated now than ever before. The treatment of the South since the way has made thousands accept his theory of the government who rejected it prior to the war of the States. Hence, it is not without interest that a greatgrand-daughter of Mr. Jefferson, Miss Sarah N. Randolph, should furnish the New York World with a memorandum prepared by the illustrious Virginia statesman concerning a bill to regulate the manner of counting the electoral votes in case of disputes over the result. It is intended to reach just such cases as that which, through the rascality of the infamous Eight, gave the election to Mr. Hayes over his legally elected competitor, Mr. Tilden. Mr. Jefferson's view would have given Louisiana, Florida and South Carolina to Hayes, and Oregon to Tilden, securing the election of the latter, as he says "that the certificate of the Executive of any State shall be conclusive evidence that the requisite number of votes had been given for each elector named by him as such."

The Augusta Chronicle and Sentinel makes the following pertinent comment:

"Mr. Jefferson could hardly have, in the wildest flights of fancy, dreamed that this free republic could produce Kelloggs, Stearnses, Chamberlains, et id omnes genus."

If Mr. Jefferson had lived in our day, and had witnessed the acts of Grant and his party in overriding State rights and trampling down local self-government, he would have had a profounder fear of the concentrating of power in the hands of the President or the Congress than he appears to have entertained, although it is apparent that his view of the finality of a certificate given by the Governor of a Commonwealth was influenced to a great extent by his fears of the encroachments of Federal authority, and by his great anxiety to see preserved intact the reserved rights of the States. The Norfolk Virginian

justly, as follows: "From it will be seen that Jefferson, as State-rights, was not willing that the question whether this or that body of men were properly chosen electors, should go before Congress. It should be dealt with by the State, and whatever might have been the suspicions of bad faith, foul dealing or fraud, if his suggestions mentioned above had become law, Congress could not have enquired into them, so long as the Execu-tive of the particular State was recognized by it, but must have received his certificate as final. Evidently in Jefferson's mind, supposing that the memorandum mentioned expressed his matured judgment on the matter, the fear of injury from fraudulent action on the part of State authorities, was not equal to that he entertained of the danger incurred in remanding the whole question to the General Government. But there was no law passed on the subject; Jefferson kept his ideas to himself, and they only came to light a short time ago. From this, one might argue that he was not fully satisfied with them or considered any action

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CARO-LINA HAS ACCOMPLISHED.

NUMBER ONE

The University of North Carolina as we said yesterday, has performed a most important part in Southern education. Starting with few pupils in 1795, it steadily grew in reputation and influence until the number had swelled to some 450 annually, when the war came on. These students had come from some twenty States, and, but for the war, we have but little doubt that at least six hundred pupils would matriculate during the next term. We are glad to learn that the prospect for a large increase upon the attendance during the second year since it was resuscitated, is very fisttering. It would not surprise us if the number did not equal that of 1845, when the University had been in existence for fifty years. If such result can be obtained in three years after all the disasters and misfortunes to which it was subjected during the destructive Radical rule, it will be a great achievement, and will be extremely gratifying to all its

friends. We wish to show our readers some of the fruits of our State Institution. We wish them to see how many of its former students have been successful in life, in securing more or less honor and fame, and in reflecting credit upon North Carolina and its highest literary institution. We can not give all of the names of those who have been distinguished in public service, as jurists and lawyers, as ministers of the Gospel and as educators, as editors and physicians, or as soldiers and men of science. We will mention some, at least, of the more

There are two Literary Societiesthe Dialectic and Philanthropic. We will state the year they joined the Society, and will designate the Society by the initial letter D. or P., and give the nativity, when possible: Hutchins G. Burton, Governor of N C., 1795, D., Granville; Charles W. Harris, Professor of Mathematics University of N. C., 1795, D., Mecklenburg; Jas. Mebane, Speaker of House of Commons, N. C., 1795, D., Orange; Hon. Ebenezer Pettigrew, member of Congress, 1795, D., Tyrrell; Hon. Archibald D. Murphy, Judge of Superior Court and Professor in University of North Carolina, 1796, D., Caswell; Hon. Robert H. Burton, Judge of Superior Court, 1796, D., Granville; Hon. Daniel Newman, 1796, D., Rowan; Samuel A. Holmes, Professor of Languages University of North Carolina, 1796, D., Orange; William E. Webb, Professor of Languages University of N. C., 1797, D., Granville; Hon. Nathaniel W. Williams, Judge of Superior Court of Tenn., 1797, D., North Carolina; Captain Johnston Blakeley, U. S. Navy, 1797, P., Chatham; Hon. G. W. L. Marr, 1797, P., Rockingham; Hon. John Branch, Governor of North Carolina, U. S. Senator, Secretary of Navy and Governor of Florida, 1798, P., Halifax; Alfred Moore, Speaker of House of Commons, N. C., 1798, P., Brunswick; Hon. William H. Murfree, 1798, P., Hertford; Rev. Andrew Flinn, D.D., 1798, D., South Carolina; Jas. S. Gillespie, Professor of Natural Philosophy, University N. C., 1798, D., nativity unknown; Hon. John D. Toomer, Judge of Superior and Supreme Courts, 1798, D., Wilmington; Hon. Thomas H. Hill, 1799, D., Edgecombe; Hon. Thomas H. Benton, U.

Lemuel Sawyer, 1799, D., Camden. This closes the roll for the last century. The University had been in existence but five and a half years. and in that time it had educated a considerable number of young men who filled in after life high offices with conspicuous ability. Here we see from the small band of students attending our infant University in its day of small things, 2 Governors, 5 Professors in Colleges, 2 Speakers of considers the memorandum quite the House of Congress, 6 Members of Congress, 3 Judges of Superior Court, 1 Secretary of the Navy, 1 might have been expected from his love of Doctor of Divinity-(it required learning and ability fifty years ago for a man to become a D. D.;) 1 Supreme Court Judge, 2 United States Senators, and a very distinguished Naval officer. We doubt if so many men ever became distinguished in our country from so small a number of Collegians. It really appeared that the youth of that day were unusually endowed naturally, their time and opportunities. North Carolina or any State has rarely produced such men as Judges Murphy and

S. Senator from Missouri for thirty

years, 1799, P., Orange; Høn. Flem-

ing Sanders, 1767, P., Virginia; Hon.

most famous Naval officers of the United States. The men before whose name is written "Honorable" were entitled to it by reason of the office they held. They were not members of the Legislature simply, or State officers only, such as Comptroller, Treasurer, &c., but were either Speakers of one of the Houses, or Members of Congress. The bad fashion of cheapening titles and making Legislators, including the ignorant and the wise, "Honorables," came in with the Carpet-Baggers.

We will begin in our next with the nineteenth century, and select the more famous representative men the first half of that period. We counted Gov. Branch thrice as he held several offices, being Governor of two States, U. S. Senator, and Secretary of Navy.

An exchange says:

"Yesterday the Georgia Constitutional Convention decided in favor of a clause iving the Legislature the right to regulate

reights and fares on railways. This is a wise provision no doubt but it is susceptible of being abused We have seen a great deal of absurd regulations in regard to freights, as we have read of an abuse of Legislative power in some of the Northwestern States. The Georgians have an experience of their own, and they are no doubt guarding against an abuse from which they have suffered. Some gentlemen from one of the Northern counties were in to see us a few nights ago. They told us of a large farmer who lived thirty-five miles from a certain town South of him. He shipped his cotton to that place that he might re ship it North and save thereby. That is to say, he could pay the local freight thirty-five miles South, and then pay the freight to New York, over the same route he had shipped already, and get both done for less money than he could ship direct from his own country depot. Does not this sort of freight charges need regulating by some oody? Common sense and common justice would say yes. But let us be careful not to "jump out of the frying pan into the fire."

President Hayes is quite like the "busy bee" who improved "a shining hour." He does not make Long Branch the headquarters of the Government, but he puts it on wheels and goes riding around. After he returns from seeing the tombstone of his blacksmith ancestor he is billed for exhibition in Minnesota next month. We are not able to state at this writing which of the company will perform with him. If Sherman returns from his engagement among the provincials, he will take the part of Paul Pry, Junior, in the farce of "Shoulder Straps, or the Louisiana Bull-dozer," written expressly for him by Walt Whitman and Gail Hamilton. "Oh, may we be there to

We will state, in reply to a correspondent, that it is not the intention of the STAR to disparage the claims of Trinity College. In the editorial College should have been mentioned in connection with Davidson and Wake Forest.

Whilst President Hayes is able to 'fire the Northern heart" by alluding to his blacksmith ancestor, Postmaster General Key is quite successful in disgusting the Southern people by his plaintive appeals for mercy from our "Northern cousins."

For a member of the Cabinet to make political speeches is not a good thing to hear when we are reading that civil service order of the President forbidding office-holders such indulgences.

THE PERIODICALS. The At'antic rarely fails to lead its competitors in the variety, finish and interest of its papers. The September number contains another instalment of Mr. Aldrich's entertaining story, "Queen of Sheba;" part third of Mr. Howell's "A Counterfeit Presentment," that is exceedingly well done; an essay by Edwin P. Whipple on Dickens' "Great Expectations;" a critical paper by Prof. Lounsberry, of Yale, on "Fictitious Lives of Chaucer," besides other contributions of interest. Edgar Fawcett, an excellent poet, has a poem entitled "Box." Then there are book criticisms, and the usually enjoyable "Contributor's Club."

H. O. Houghton & Co., Boston. Price \$4 Littell's Living Age is the most valuable periodical in the world. It is published weekly and contains the cream of the best British publications. The last two numbers contained many excellent papers, among them the following: Mortality in Politics, by the Duke of Argyll, Contemporary Review; Life and Times of Thomas Becket. and that they made remarkable use of by James Anthony Froude, part second, their time and opportunities. North Nineteenth Century; Virgil as a Link between the Ancient and Modern World, Contemporary; The Riddle of Death, by Frances Power Cobbe, New Quarterly; The Toomer, Senator Benton, and Cap-First Lord Abinger and the Bar, Quarterly; tain Johnston Blakeley, one of the Ancient Modes of Embalming the Dead, hood.

Sunday at Home; Distances of the Stars, Popular Science Review; Famous English Printers, Globe; with an instalment of "Pauline," from advance sheets, and the conclusion of "The Little Old Man of the Batignolles, a Chapter, from a Detective's Memoirs," translated for The Living Age from the French of Emile Gaborian, and the usual choice poetry. Price \$8. Littell & Gay, Boston. The Edinburgg Review for July comes

freighted with articles of great value and interest. There are several papers of unusual power and originality. The most striking-the most original article is on "The Sibylline Books." It is a paper of exceeding freshness and interest to the scholar, and will attract universal attention among that class of readers. Those who remember that famous article on the Talmud that excited so much attention a few years ago, will find this paper equally singuar and entertaining. There are several papers we have read with profit and pleasure, among them "Life and Correspondence of Kleber," who was one of the leading French Generals before Napoleon, and who commanded the army in Egypt after the First Consul had returned to France; "Copernicus in Italy;" "Venice Defended," contribution well worth reading, as it corrects many errors regarding the government of that famous city, and is very full of curious and entertaining information concerning its strange founding and wondrous progress; "The England of Elizabeth," one of the most enjoyable historic brochures we have seen in many a day. It is a sketch of the times of Shakespeare, full of quaintness and humor, and based upon the chronicles and writings of an English Vicar who was born in 1534, and died at the close of the century. There are other papers of genuine value. This first of the great Quarterlies holds its own admirably, and we commend it to all who relish pure, vigorous literature. Address Leonard Scott Publishing Co., 41 Barclay street, New York. Price \$4 a year.

CURRENT COMMENT.

- The President's address at the Bennington celebration the other day indicates that he was not born to shine as a brilliant orator. It was, in fact, greatly wanting in the qualities of a first-rate speech. But there are some things better for a President to have than a power of eloquent utterance, and a few of the best of these things are possessed by President Hayes. - Philadelphia Bulletin,

- The will of the people being the ground-work of our system, it is powerful for good only so far as it is an educated and intelligent and selfacting will. When the public will is against ignorance and violence and crime, then will ignorance, crime and violence be rare. And the public will thus assert itself when publiceducation is as good and abundant as the golden dust of Pactolus. - Courier-Journ al, Dem.

- There never was a moment in the history of the South so full of promise as the present. During the past three years she has learned the great lesson of economy in production. She has learned to grow cotton at a low price, although she formerly became poor in growing it at a high one; she has learned also to grow a large crop, and its position in the world's markets was never more favorable, and she has in a great measure conquered the difficulties of the labor question. All this is so much preparation for the change. Furthermore, in just the extent that she expects to take a position hereafter in foreign commerce, it is for her interest to exchange the present non-exportable currency for one common to all nations. In a word, it would seem to be true that she has on the University of North Carolina, nothing to lose and everything to which appeared Wednesday, Trinity gain by resumption.- N. Y. Commercial Chronicle.

OUR STATE CONTEMPORARIES

Petitions are getting to be a nuisance and humbug. Good people are disgusted with them. Any man can get up a petition. A very worthy man remarked the other day that it was useless to send a man to the penitentiary—the people would have him out if anybody were active enough to get up a petition. We trust all men in power will down their foot on great long petitions signed by Tom, Dick and Harry. They are no sign of public sentiment. Why many a man signs his name and then laughs at himself for it. The best guide to what is right is from the mouth of a few witnesses soberly and carefully given. Reidsville Times.

Let the Democrats of this county look out with unobscured vision upon the whirling elements of excitement all around them. The party of Jefferson was organized as the people's party. Its very name signifies that, and it has grown gray fighting for the people. If now it becomes recreant to its first pledges, its epitaph, like that of the poet Keats, under the Aurelian well at Rome, will be, "Here lies one whose name is writ in water." It must at once take up the cause of the impoverished and suffering masses of this country, the people who vote, who have grievances which deserve redress, not in a reckless or revolutionary spirit, but with a broad political charity, and its future is secure. - Newber

## PALMETTO LEAVES

- Mr. W. A. Moore, who was recently attacked by highwaymen, near Abbeville, is recovering - The Guardian says nineteen-

twentieths of the Ninty-Six voters favor the "new county" movement. - Ninety-Six Township has adopted the fence law, by a majority of forty-

five. The color line was strictly drawn. — Alexander McIver, a staunch colored Democrat, who died on Sunday, was buried on Monday evening. A large crowd attended the funeral.

— Humphey Parks, colored, was beaten to death on Monday, in Anderson county, by a white man named Brice, with whom he had a difficulty. Brice is in jail. - An attempt was made, last Friday, to burn the unfinished residence of Mrs. John W. Witherspoon, of Society Hill. It was under heavy insurance in favor of Geo. Lemoin, the contractor, who has absented himself from the neighborPOLITICAL POINTS.

- The Ohio Republicans are calling Bishop a sardine. Their own nominee what the sailors call a landshark. It's a pretty kettle of fish up in Ohio.

- We quite agree with that Vermont stalwart who said, "Darn your policy," to Mr. Hayes. The Baltimore custom house wrangle tore a very large rent in it, and it ought to be darned forthwith.—Baltimore Gazette, Dem.

- Postmaster General Key speaks of his "erring Southern Brethren." rapidly a man twists over when he begins to twist! Key wore the uniform of a Confederate soldier, and was a Democratic Cal-houn Secessionist.—Mobile Register, Dem.

### SOUTHERN ITEMS.

- One lot of sponge was sold at Key West, Fla., on Monday last, for \$3,700. - An alligator, fourteen feet in length, killed near Pensacola, Fla., is the sensation there.

- The present Legislature of Georgia is functus officio. The convention has provided that the next session shall be held in November, 1878.

- Little Rock (Ark.) Gazette The police are to be furnished with light scaling-ladders, the better to facilitate the detection of gambling in second stories of buildings.

- The street-railway company of Sherman, Texas, will carry school-children at two-and-a-half cents, a half hour before and a half hour after closing of the schools.

There is a tradition that Shake speare played the part of a king with peculiar grace and majesty. It is said that one day, when the Queen was in the theatre, Shakespeare mimicked royalty so well that Elizabeth whispered to her ladies that she would try and see if she could not make this pretended monarch turn into an awkward fellow enough at a moment's notice. Accordingly, at a critical point in the scene, the Queen, who was sitting just over the stage, which was held to be the place of honor, let her handkerchief drop just at the feet of Shakespeare, who was just then standing close below her. Her mischievous majesty expected to see the actor start and redden and lose his cue. Instead of that he finished his speech with all his usual power, and without seeming to notice the handkerchief. Then stooping and picking it up, he gave it back to the Queen with a bow, in which there was an indescribable mixture of dignity and homage, saying, as he did so, these words to his train of stage courtiers: But ere we get to horse and ride away

Let us pick up our sister's handkerchief.

## COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

The official or opening quotations below are posted at the Produce Exchange daily at 1 P. M., and refer to prices at that hour.

STAR OFFICE, August 22-1 P. M. SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 33 cents per gallon for country packages, with sales reported of 45 casks at that price.

ROSIN.-The market was quiet at \$1.50 for Strained and \$1 55 for Good Strain No sales up to the closing of our report. TAR.-Market quiet and firm at \$1 75 per bbl., the receipts of the day selling at

that price. CRUDE TURPENTINE-Market firm and unchanged, the receipts of the day being disposed of at \$2 35 for Virgin and

Yellow Dip; Hard nominal. At 12 o'clock, noon, Capt. Wm. McClelland, Chairman of the State Central Com-COTTON.-The market was dull and mittee, called the Convention to order, and nominal, there being no transactions to re port and no official quotations.

RECEIPTS.

DAILY RECEIPTS. Tar.... Crude turpentine.....

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## Quarantine Notice.

QUARANTINE WILL BE IN FORCE ON THE 1ST OF JUNE, 1877, and will continue until fur-

All vessels from ports South of the Cape Fear, will come to at the Visiting Station for inspection. All vessels having sickness on arrival, or having had sickness during the voyage, will await inspection as above, without regard to the port from whence they sailed.

Vessels not included in the above classes will All persons interested will please take notice that All persons interested will please take notice that Quarantine will be rigorously enforced during the coming hot season, under the penalties provided by law for violation of the same.

W. G. CURTIS,

Quarantine Physician
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Atternoon Reports

WASHINGTON.

The Colored Sugar Question-Troublesome Matter to the Treasury Department-The Importers will Meet the Issue in the Courts. WASHINGTON, August 22.

The colored sugar question is proving to

be a troublesome matter in the Treasury Department. The Appraiser of New York

sugars, now restrained in that city, and

how he can discharge the duties under

authority of law. The importers are pre-

paring to protect their interests from what

they say is unwarranted usurpation of authority, for, if the treasury officials may

subject certain sugars to one process, why

may not all imported sugars be subject to

any process the Department may decide

upon. As to the seizures of cargoes after

October 1st, the importers state they will

meet that issue in the courts. The matter

is evidently one which perplexes all hands.

The Department is advised that there

have been large orders sent out from Bos-

ton, New York and Baltimore for the sugar

now under the ban of the Government.

There is now in New York in bond a large

quantity, and besides large consignments

are expected the latter part of the month,

which will give the Appraiser's force ad-

POREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Organization of Colonel Valentine

Baker's Turkish Command Com-

pleted-Political Meeting in Dublin

-Heavy Rain throughout the Uni-

ted Kingdom-Petition from the

The organization of the new Turkish

A great meeting was held in the Rotunda

Dublin, last night. Messrs. Biggar and

Parnell were enthusiastically received.

Both members strongly condemned the in-

activity of the Home Rule party generally

A resolution was passed, that this meeting takes occasion to offer its hearty thanks to

those Irish representatives who, in honora-

ble centrast to the tame and spiritless con-

duct of the mass of the Home Rule mem-

bers, supported Mr. Biggar and Mr. Par-

There was a heavy and general rain

throughout Scotland, Ireland and North

England yesterday. It extended southward

last night, reaching London and most of

the home counties. To day the weather is

The London correspondent of the Scots-

man telegraphs that he learns that a peti

tion from the Chinese in Cuba, complaining

of the cruelty of the Spanish planters, has

reached England. It is said to entirely

confirm the statements of the Commission-

ers, whose report on the subject excited so

much horror and indignation in the early

MINNESOTA.

Destructive Fire at Anoka-Loss Es

timated at \$75,000.

The following are the losses by the fire

at Anoka, Minnesota, yesterday: Wash-

burn & Co., three million feet lumber-in-

surance \$30,000; Anoka Lumber Co., two

million feet lumber, planing mill, two warehouses, stable and offices—insurance

\$130,000. Twenty small dwellings of the

mill employes were burned, and eight hun-

dred yards of the St. Paul & Pacific track were destroyed. The aggregate loss is es-timated at \$75,000.

PENNSYLVANIA

Democratic State Convention-Pre

The Democratic State Convention met

in the Hall of the House of Representa-

tives at noon to-day. Many of the most

prominent Democrats in the State are pre-

presented the list of delegates returned to

im, and then handed the Convention over

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

Stocks buoyant. Money 3 per cent. Gold

Flour steady. Wheat-spot firm; futures

@21 cents better. Corn firmer and fairly

active. Pork heavy at \$1325. Lard heavy

-steam \$8 621@8 65. Spirits turpentine teady at 341 cents. Rosin firm at \$1 90@

Cotton dull; middling uplands 11 5-16

cents: Orleans 11 7-16 cents; sales 222 bales.

Futures quiet, with sales as follows: August 11.28@11.31 cents; September 11.01@

11.14 cts; October 10.80@10.83cents; No-

vember 10.70@10.73 cents; December 10.72

PORBIGN MARKETS.

Cotton opened flat and irregular; mid

dling uplands 6d; middling Orleans 6 3-16d; sales of 7,000 bales, including 100 bales for

export and speculation; receipts 550 bales, all of which were American. Futures quiet

at last night's prices; middling uplands, 1. m. c., August delivery, 5 15-16d; September and October delivery, 5 15-16d; October and November delivery, 5 31-32d.

LATER.

Middling uplands, l. m. c., November and December delivery, 5 15-16d; new

crop, shipped November and December, per sail, 5 31-32d.

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LIVERPOOL, August 22-Noon

opened at 104‡ and closed at 104§.

ling exchange—long 483, short 485. bonds steady. Governments weak.

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@10.74 cents.

New York, August 22-Noon

nominate a State ticket.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 22.

EDINBURG, August 22.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.

more settled and favorable

part of last year.

gen d'arme by Col. Valentine Baker has

CONSTANTINOPLE, August 22.

LONDON, August 22.

Chinese in Cuba, &c.

ditional trouble.

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