

The Democratic State Convention of New York nominated Hill for Governor and Roswell P. Flower for Lieut. Governor; the civil service plank in the platform approves of the principle of the law, but condemns many of the rules and the practices which have grown up under them.

and in those particulars is quite unlike the Republican drag-net declarations.

The annexed criticism of Rev. Sam. Jones, from the Charlotte Democrat, is not out of place. It is likely there is some exaggeration as to the language he uses, but the accounts very generally agree that he often transcends the limits of decency and propriety.

T. C. Crawford writes to the New York World from Washington on the 21st: "There is to-day in the Interior Department nearly every one of the officials who have been responsible for the ring rule which has so long dominated this department."

It begins to look like war in Europe. The "bloody Turk" is shedding Roumelian blood on the Balkan frontier. The revolt is extending. It is reported that the Island of Crete is in a state of revolution.

Thomas Thornycroft, a famous British sculptor, is dead. The London Times says of him: "Like most artists of considerable abilities, his mental powers were various; he was quick in mechanical invention, and his hand always readily acknowledged the many valuable hints he received from him."

During August there appeared in the New York Herald 588 columns of advertising; in the World there appeared 898. Two years ago in August there were 772 columns in the Herald, and but 294 in the World.

A new Presbyterian church was dedicated at Highlands on Sunday, 13th inst. Blue Ridge Baptist: Judeon College has between fifty and sixty students. Others are expected this week.

Mr. J. F. C. Fortner was dangerously cut by a drunken negro in Ireland county. The negro fled but was captured. Statesville Landmark: Rev. P. F. W. Stamey has just closed a meeting of great power at Shiloh church, on Mooresville circuit, in which 22 were added to the church.

Mr. James Elliott, Sr., was this morning suddenly stricken with paralysis while transacting a matter of business in the sheriff's office. Durham Reporter: We have just been shown a letter from a gentleman in Lynchburg in which he manifests a deep interest in the proposed road from that city to Durham.

Mr. J. A. Robinson, late editor of the Win. A. Robinson, late editor of the Journal Leader, has purchased a half interest in the bright Argus, at Goldsboro, daily and weekly. He has had a newspaper experience of eight or ten years, is a clever fellow and a good worker.

Gen. Fitz Lee has good parts and has surprised his friends as a speaker. The Richmond State of the 23d says: "Fitz Lee receives an ovation wherever he goes. He is an effective speaker, indeed one of the finest speakers in the State, and never loses an opportunity to be greeted by an immense throng when he comes to Richmond."

meeting at the Baptist church in Scotland Neck has been quite successful under the able preaching of the Rev. Dr. Huffman. Thirteen professed religion and were baptized a few days ago.

Charlotte Observer: Col. Frank Coxe, capitalist, Mr. H. C. Enoch, banker, and Mr. Josiah L. Abner, contractor and architect, left yesterday morning for Asheville, N. C., to settle on the details of a palace hotel to be erected in that place, in consummation of a plan which has long been cherished.

Asheville Advance: We understand that the Western North Carolina Railroad Company charged \$500 to bring W. W. Coles, show train from Warm Springs to this city.

Wilmington Presbytery is in session at Burgaw. Rev. K. McDonald is officiating as Moderator and Rev. A. Kirklands as temporary Clerk.

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Some of the papers in the State have published a statement that Gov. Scates had said that a number of convicts could be supplied for work on the roads, etc., a reporter yesterday made inquiries of the Governor about the matter.

Goldboro Argus: A white woman, whose name we do not know, living in one of the houses in rear of the Great Eastern, left her house yesterday morning and also left a fire on the hearth.

Fayetteville Observer: Last Friday about sixty ladies and gentlemen came down from the West in a special car on a visit of a day and night to our city. They had engaged hotel accommodations for the party in advance, so as to prevent any discomfort.

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No cases for the Mayor's Court yesterday morning. The weather for the past two or three days has been exceptionally fine.

Receipts of cotton yesterday 715 bales, as against 615 bales the same day last year. Miss Louisa P. Way will re-open her school on Monday, October 5th, at 406 Church street.

Business is brisking up and our merchants are looking twenty per cent. younger than they did a few weeks ago. The STAR thermometer registered 60 degrees yesterday morning at 6 o'clock, being six degrees higher than at the same hour Thursday morning.

The members of the Grand Jury of the Criminal Court visited the poor-house and the county jail yesterday. One of the number had never been to the poor-house before—nor to jail either, we believe.

The new and handsome residence for some time past in course of erection on the south side of Market, between Sixth and Seventh streets, the property of Messrs. S. and B. Solomon, has been completed and is now occupied.

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Yesterday we were informed that the treasure seekers had been at work on the premises of Mr. John S. Harris, at the John A. Sanders place, about four miles from the city.

The following cases were disposed of yesterday: State vs. Thos. W. Gordon, charged with burglary. Defendant was brought into Court for trial, but the case was finally continued for defendant, on affidavit; by the absence of Dr. F. W. Potter, claimed to be an important witness, and set for a hearing on Monday of the second week of the next term, at which time the witnesses for the State and the defence were recognized to appear.

State vs. Andrew Ross, assault and battery. Continued for defendant, who was required to give security for his appearance at the next term. State vs. D. W. Trask, charged with having an unlawful fence. Case continued and defendant recognized in the sum of \$50 for his appearance.

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Mr. W. N. Harris leaves on the steamship Regulator this morning for New York, whence he goes to Philadelphia and from there will come home on the sch. E. S. Graham. Mr. T. J. Cowan, formerly of this city, but now in the service of the Carolina Central Railroad at Hamlet, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. P. J. Carraway, Presiding Elder of this Methodist District, has been spending a few days with his family here, who have returned from their western trip, and will preside at the quarterly meeting which is to be held at the Fifth Street Church to-day and to-morrow.

A great deal of curiosity was manifested yesterday to learn something about the queer looking structure which had so suddenly assumed a standing position on a pair of very long legs on the roof above the Signal office.

Ger brig Der Wanderer, Strubing, hence, arrived at London, Sept. 23. QUARTERLY MEETING. Fourth Round for the Wilmington District of the Methodist E. Church, South Wilmington, Fifth Street, September 28th and 29th.

Duplin Circuit, at Wesley Chapel, October 24th and 25th. Onslow Circuit, at Queen's Creek, October 30th and November 1st. Bladen Circuit, Windsor, August 29th and 30th.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. A. G. McGIERT, Auctioneer. BY COLLIER & CO. THIS DAY, COMMENCING AT 10 O'CLOCK.

School Notice. MISS LOUISA P. WAY WILL RE-OPEN HER SCHOOL, at 406 CHURCH STREET, on MONDAY, OCTOBER 5.

We Show A VERY FINE LINE OF PLAIN AND BORDURED Handkerchiefs, English and French Hair-Hose, Children and Boys' Clothing, from one of the best factories in the country, and the best shirt for One Dollar sold anywhere.

Notice. THIS MORNING IS THE TIME, AND THE FOURTH STREET MARKET IS THE PLACE, to find the FINEST MEATS IN THE CITY.

ALL RIGHT! I AM NOW ESTABLISHED IN MY NEW QUARTERS, and am anxious to demonstrate to the public that I am offering BARGAINS!

Sale of Oysters to be Confined to the Market House. CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C. MAYOR'S OFFICE. SEPTEMBER 24, 1885.

THE FOLLOWING IS PUBLISHED FOR THE benefit of all concerned: Col. E. D. Hall, Present. Dear Sir:—The Market Committee have decided to require the sale of Oysters to be confined to the Market House.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. For Rent. The most attractive and commodious Store on Water Street. Also, Two Offices, unsurpassed for comfort and convenience.

Fireproof Warehouse. For Rent, a new Fireproof Warehouse, 25 by 95 feet, with cement floor, situated on Water, foot of Ann Street.

For Rent. STORE No. 10 Market Street, now occupied by W. C. Merriam. Possession October 1. Apply to SAM'L DEAR, Sr.

For Rent. Office, Wharf and Yard, corner of Mulberry and N. Water streets. Also, Store No. 228 N. Water street. Apply to O. G. PARSLEY.

For Rent. HOUSE, with four rooms and kitchen, good system of water on the premises, all in first class order, on 2nd between Chestnut and Mulberry streets. Apply to W. N. BOWDEN.

For Rent. STORES, OFFICES AND DWELLINGS. Apply to D. O'CONNOR, Real Estate Agent.

For Rent. That desirable BRICK TENEMENT HOUSE, situated on Front between Orange and Ann streets. Said House contains seven rooms. Apply to WM. G. POWELL.

BEEF! BEEF! BEEF! Great War in Prices! FINEST, FATTEST AND JUICEST BEEF, VEAL AND LAMB ON THE MARKET!

Boys & Children's Suits. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A Full Line OF Knee Pants Suits, from 4 to 14 years. Long " " " 10 to 17 years.

Market Stalls for Rent. PARTIES WHO RENTED STALLS NOS. 5 AND 6, Front Street Market, not having complied with requirements of Market Ordinance, we will Rent them, at Public Auction, MONDAY, Sept. 28th, at 12 o'clock, at the Front Street Market House. MARKET COMMITTEE.

Wanted. SEVERAL ATTENDANTS (COLORED), MALE and Female, for the Eastern N. C. Insane Asylum, at Goldsboro, N. C. Must come well recommended, with some education, and must be willing to work. Wages increased according to proficiency and faithfulness. Apply to Dr. J. D. ROBERTS, Sup't., Goldsboro, N. C.

Private Boarding House. I HAVE OPENED A PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE on the corner of 7th and Chestnut Sts., and will guarantee good board at reasonable rates. For further particulars apply to Mrs. R. JONES, Corner 7th and Chestnut Sts.

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Fall and Winter Goods, M. M. KATZ'S, 116 Market St.

An Entirely New Stock. Silks, Rhadams, Ottomans, Velvets, Cashmeres, Tricots, Ladies' Cloth, Henriettas, Flannels, &c., &c.

White Goods. Laces, Edgings, Furs, Gloves, Corsets, Men's and Boy's Wear, Hosiery, Housekeeping Goods, Domestic, Notions, &c., &c.

Terms Positively Cash. I SHALL SELL MY GOODS AS LOW AS THE LOWEST CATALOGUES. ALL I ASK IS THE SAME TREATMENT—

Cash! Cash! Cash! And assure you at the same time, my kind patrons, that I propose to maintain in the future the reputation gained in the past, of having

The Best, the Cheapest, Most Complete Assortment of Goods. Call and be convinced at M. M. KATZ'S, 116 MARKET ST.

Cotton Insurance. PLACED IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING COMPANIES: FIRE. Continental Fire Insurance Co., Northern Assurance Co., Sun Fire Office, Fire Insurance Association.

Gregory Institute. COLEMAN SEVENTH AND NINTH STS., WILL begin its Annual Session on Monday, Oct. 5th. Applications for admission will be received at Memorial Hall, in the School building, on Friday, the 3rd, and Saturday, the 4th.

Georgetown College, D. C., Founded 1759. THE ACADEMIC AND SCIENTIFIC SCHOOLS open Sept. 15th, 1885. Apply to PRESIDENT of the COLLEGE.

JOHN HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, BALTIMORE, MD. Statements respecting the methods and courses of instruction will be sent on application. The next term begins October 1, 1885.

"Fire-Proof Oil" IS BETTER THAN "KEROSENE OIL," on Goldsboro, N. C. Can be used in any lamp or any other burning Oil. For sale by HOLMES & WATTERS, 7 North Front St. HENRY HAAS, 701 Chestnut St. W. E. O'BRIEN, corner 5th and Market Sts. GIBSON & BRO., corner Chestnut and McKee Sts. J. H. SMITH, corner 3rd and Campbell Sts. J. C. STEVENSON & CO., 617 North Fourth St. F. H. J. ABERNETHY, corner 7th and Market Sts. J. C. STEVENSON, corner 5th and Market Sts. H. SCHULTEK, corner 4th and Walnut Sts. J. H. BOESCH, No. 401 North Fourth St. GEO. M. CHAPMAN, No. 23 South Front St. GEO. A. PRICK, No. 39 South Front St. Watch this list and see its growth. mh 25 tf