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The Morning Star

Ry WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, Aug. 8, 1890.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

FOR CONGRESS, SIXTH DISTRICT : SYDENHAM B. ALEXANDER, of Mecklenburg

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES: GEO. L. MORTON, M. J. CORBETT. FOR SHERIFF: FRANK H. STEDMAN. FOR CLERK SUPERIOR COURT : JOHN D. TAYLOR. FOR REGISTER DEEDS JOHN HAAR, JR. FOR TREASURER: JOHN L. DUDLEY FOR SURVEYOR: M. P. TAYLOR. FOR CONSTABLES: Wilmington-C. M. HARRISS. Cape Fear-J. T. KERR. Masonboro-JOHN MILTON Harnett-W. H. STOKLEY. Felera Point-J. DAVE SOUTHERLAND.

A LIGHTLY PRIZED TREASURE.

FOR CORONER:

We hear and read much about the marvelous mineral resources of the South, and they are marvelous indeed. There is no area on the face of the earth of the same extent which bears so many varieties and such inexhaustible quantities of useful minerals, and some that are found in few countries, if anywhere else on the globe. After lying hidden since creation's morn in the bosom of the earth these treasures have only within the life time of the present generation begun to attract attention, and as yet, it might be yet known, and the pick of the miner investments. This great mineral region is becoming known, and its ning to be appreciated.

Nor is there another section of the world which possesses to the same extent the same fortunate conditions for the profitable utilization of these vast mineral deposits that the South does. Generally speaking her great iron deposits lie in close proximity to coal deposits necessary for the working of the iron, of limestone abundance of forest growth to supply all the demands for wood and sweeping, and that practically it neutimber. In addition to this the numerous navigable rivers, with many railroads, being added to every year, furnish the necessary transportation facilities, so that there is nothing to prevent the South in the near future from becoming the great iron and steel manufacturing section on this continent. There are midto see this realized.

so much has not been said nor writ- of liquor nor the sale of the liquor ten, the forest, one of the South's when imported. The Senate bill set- gists.

greatest treasures, though it seems to be prized but lightly, not one person in a thousand giving it a thought or having the remotest conception of its value. In no other section of the world is there an equal variety and an equal abundance of the valuable and useful timbers of commerce. The very abundance of our forest growth has caused our people to set a lower value upon it and to make but little calculation upon it. There are others, however, who are familiar with the timber question, the sources of supply, and the demands upon it. They have come with eyes wide open for investment and have bought, sometimes for a mere song, thousands of acres of this untouched forest. They have prospected all through the South for walnut, hickory, maple and other woods suitable for the manufacture of furniture, carriages, buggies, &c., and have bought thousands

The walnut and hickory supplies of other sections of the country have been practically exhausted so that manufacturers are forced to look to the South for a supply for the future. Of course this means that these timbers will become annually more valuable, and is a reason why the judiclous man should not be willing to sell for a merely nominal valuation, as so many who did not have a conception of its value have done and perhaps some are still doing. We remember reading not long ago of the sale of some waltrees in West Virginia of which brought as high as \$137. This is an exception, however, the rule being that this timber is bought at a trifling price.

But if she didn't have a stick of

of acres of these for almost noth-

any other kind of timber the pine forests of the South are a vast treason in themselves; and are becoming annually more valuable. The sources of pine wood supplies in other sections of the country have become practically exhausted, and in the future the South must be looked to to supply the demand which the inmake greater. It is estimated that there are now in our Southern pine forests 212,937,000,000 feet of amount to the magnificent sum of \$2,129,370,000. The value will increase instead of decrease, for as the population of the country increases the demand must increase, while the supply will decrease, increasing proportionately the price. He is a wise man who holds his pine possessions carefully and cuts and sells judiciously; he is a foolish man who recklessly barters it away for a small price, or thoughtlessly slaughters is for a little present gain.

MINOR MENTION.

Senator Dawes, of Massachusetts, with Ingalls, Paddock and Plumb, voted with the Democrats Wednesday for a reduction of duty on iron ore from 75 to 60 cents a ton. He did this, of course, in the interest of iron manufacturers of his State, to cheapen iron ore, the price of which to the New England iron workers has been a serious obstacle in competition with manufacturers of other sections where iron abounds and is cheap. The Massachusetts iron workers have been besieging Congress for free ore, and they are not only refused that but this small resaid, have only begun, for one-half duction of fifteen cents a ton which the South's mineral resources are not | was asked for and voted down. Like all the New England Senators Dawes has not gone into the hundredth is a high protectionist, but he seems part of them. There is not a day to have discovered that a reduction that does not add to the discoveries of duties on iron ores wouldn't be such made, for scores of explorers are out a bad thing, but as he is a high protecprospecting for capitalists seeking | tionist from interest, not from principle, so in this instance he voted for a reduction of duty on iron ore from stores of buried wealth are begin- interest, not from principle. He voted with the majority against reduction in every other instance on which it was proposed.

The "original package" question has at last been settled, the House having adopted the Senate bill which applies to liquors only as a substitute for its own previously passed which applied to all articles of comformations, also necessary, and an merce. It was held that the House bill was too general in its scope, too tralized the inter-State commerce law and might in certain cases be used to destroy inter-State commerce. The object of the Senate bill does not seem to have been so much to settle a doubtful question of State jurisdiction, as to get around the difficulty and doubt involved in the constitution of the late original packdle aged people living who will live age decision by the U.S. Supreme Court, some contending that under But there is another great source that decision the State had neither of wealth ,above ground, about which the right to prohibit the importation

tles this question by making the liquor delivered within the State subject to the police regulations of the State, as the House bill also did.

Senator Plumb, of Kansas, seems to be making an honest effort for a reduction of tariff duties, but with very little success so far. The protected manufacturers have the Republican majority, with a few exceptions, in their grip, and the result is an almost solid vote against every amendment looking to reduction, save those offered or accepted by the committee. The motions to reduce are voted down in a stolid, arbitrary way, no effort being made by the majority to show that the rate of taxation proposed is necessary, or that a lower rate might not be safely made. They don't seem to think that the minority nor the people who pay the taxes are entitled to any showing or explanation on this point Between the protected manufacturers and their friends in Congress the people are getting a wretched poor showing on this tariff question.

The inflicting of the death penalty by electricity on Kemmler, in Auburn, N. Y., penitentiary, Wednesday morning, after all the law's delay, settles the fact, which was stubbornly resisted, that this is a sure, and as far as can be demonstrated, a painless way of dispatching criminals sentenced to death. But we don't think it will strike the public with so much favor as to be adopted to any considerable extent in place of hanging. It is too complicated, and too liable to mishaps, even at the last- moment. The fact that there was something wrong in this case after the extraordinary efforts to have everything work smoothly, and that a second shock had to be given to make death sure, shows this. The old method of hanging may not be as scientific nor as artistic, but it is when well done quite as expeditious, effective and probably as painless.

STATE TOPICS.

The completion of the extension creasing population will annually of the North Western N. C. R. R. from Winston to Wilkesboro, which is announced, the first through train from Greensboro to run next Monmerchantable yellow pine, which, at day, is a matter of importance not a valuation of \$10 a thousand, would | not only to that section but to the State. Of course the prospect of the completion of this work gave a stimulous to the town of Wilkesboro, where a spirit of progress has spread itself, which will doubtless result in a town of considerable importance. The country which the road penetrates is a fine agricultural section, rich in mineral deposits, and withal with its rich valleys and bold hills crowned with a glorious forest, attractive to the eye. The road will not stop at Wilkesboro, but will in the near future push on to Jonesboro, Tenn., or some other point, to connect with the Western system of roads, making another great through line for North Carolina.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Between accepting gifts, supporting his wife's relatives and sending anti-lottery messages to Congress while his son is publishing lottery advertisements, Presideut Harrison may exclaim: "Uneasy rests the head that wears a crown."-Cleveland Plain Dealer, Dem.

----President Celman of Argentine seems built much after the model of our own Harrison, in that he charges the opposition with all the latter upon oath." responsibility for recent troubles in his domain. Like President Harrison he finds the people and the world disagree with his views .- Indianapolis Sentinel, Dem.

- Mr. Ingalls has naturally been pained by the freedom with which Senators have recently criticized the House. It is all out of order and does not comport with Senatorial dignity, but it is pretty hard for any American citizen to observe in silence the neglect of the House to transact necessary business after having surrendered itself to the Speaker in order to prevent fillibus-

tering .- Phil. Ledger, Ind. - In the Anti-Lottery bill proposed by the Post Office Department officials no regard is paid to the rights of citizens or corporations as such. If the New Orleans National Bank, for example, should continue after the passage of this bill to act as agent for the Louisiana Lottery Company its mail matter would not be delivered, and none would be accepted from it. Such an act of pure despotism might please fanatical purists who think the carrying out of their whims of more importance than the maintenance of equal rights for the people; but the sober second thought of all enlightened persons would condemn it .- Phil. Record,

Dem.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever, Sores, Tetters, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay is required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Robert R. Bellamy, Wholesale and Retail Drug

THE NEW ELECTION LAW.

A Partial Synopsis of Amendments Passed in 1887.

Raleigh News and Observer.

We publish for the benefit of those who may not have carefully examined them, a partial synopsis of the amendments to the Election Law passed at the session of 1887.

1. Registrars must be appointed by the first Monday in September preceding the election. 2. Registration books must be

opened thirty days before the day of closing them and must be closed on the second Saturday preceding the election.

This renders it necessary that new registrations shall be ordered by the various Boards of County Commissioners by the 24th of August, in order to give the required thirty days' notice thereof.

A new registration is necessary in every county where no registration has been had under the law as amended

The County Commissioners should attend to this at once, if they have not done so.

Section 2676 of the Code is amended by adding thereto:

No registration shall be valid unless it specifies as near as may be the age, occupation, place of birth and place of residence of the elector, as well as the township or county from whence the elector has removed-in the event of a removal—and the full name by which the voter is known.'

The registration books are to be open for inspection and challenge on the second Saturday preceding the election.

Section 2681 is amended to read Upon the request of any elector the registrar shall require the applicant (for registration) to prove his identity, or age and residence by such testimony under oath as may be satisfactory to the registrar."

The register shall record the name, age, occupation, place of birth and place of residence of the elector, and the name of the township or county from which the elector has removed -in the event of a removal-also the date of registration, in the appropriate column of the registration

Section 2682 is amended so that the registrar is to put on his book on the day of election any one becoming of age since the books were closed, rovided he be found otherwise entitled to vote.

Section 2,688 is amended as follows: Each box is to be labelled in plain and distinct Roman letters with the name of the office or offices to be

The majority of the judges of election for the county and State offices may rail off a space or enclosure as a polling place to hold the election for State and county officers. Only one voter shall be allowed to enter at a time, and no one but the judges of election shall be allowed to speak to him or interfere with him while casting his vote, which shall be put in the proper box or boxes by the voter himself or by the judges at the request of the voter.

A similar but separate polling place may be railed off for Congressional and Presidential elections.

In such event the registrar shall appoint a deputy registrar for that separate polling place, to whom shall be furnished the names of all persons entitled to vote, and the judges of election shall appoint two judges or inspectors of election for that polling place, who shall be of different political parties. The registrar and judges so appointed shall be sworn, etc. But if the judges of election do

not see fit to adopt this plan the old regulations are to be observed.

Section 2694, which relates to the board of county canvassers, is amended by adding to it, "Said board shall have power and authority to judicially pass upon all the facts relative to the election, and to judicially determine and declare the true result of the same, and they shall also have power and authority to send for papers and persons and examine

WHAT IT COSTS.

How Congress Shovels Out the Pension Money. New York Sun.

There is no business in Washington so lucrative as the pension business. Those who started in a few years ago comparatively poor, are now rich. Thousands and thousands of dollars are now being lavishly expended for advertising purposes. One attorney, who has a rather small business, has ordered half a million blanks and circulars, and has put all ot his surplus cash into the business of advertising. There is a good deal of money expended every year for the benefit of the soldiers and sailors of the late war. So far during this Congress the following appropriations have been made or will be

Regular Pension act..... \$98,457,461 Eestimated deficiency for 1891..... 50,000,000 Back pay and bounty..... 724,000 Soldiers' National Homes. 2,650,000 Aid to State and Territorial Soldiers' Homes..... 400,000 National cemeteries..... 247,000 Deficiency in pensions pass'd at present session..... 25,300,000 Pension Office administration (clerks, messengers, 2,439,150

in Pension Office..... 636,189 Total expenditure for the benefit of veterans.....\$181,153,800

> surplus is now only \$55,000. - Do not keep in the middle of the road, brother, unless you belong to the procession.—Dallas (Texas) News.

PERSONAL.

- President Carnot is said to be the most tastefully dressed public man in France.

- There will be at Lawrenceburg, Tenn., on August 19, a grand birthday celebration in honor of Davy Crockett, and a great impetus will be given thereby to the movement for a monument to

- John Price Buchanan, Democratic candidate for Governor of Tennessee, is 43 years old and a cousin of President Buchanan. He entered the Confederate army when 16 years old.

- W. S. Williams, of Cherokee county, Alabama, is the father of twenty-eight children, the eldest of whom is 49 years old and the youngest 6. Mr. Williams is in his 70th year, and is still hale and vigorous.

- The late Dr. Peters, the astronomer, was most unassuming. He never would say "I have discovered so and so, but so and so "has been discovered at Litchfield observatory." He was also a great lover of flowers and trees.

- Mrs. Ira L. Likes, of Hayes City, Neb., has the reputation of being one of the smartest lawyers in that State. She is only 29 years old, but has been an enthusiastic law student ever since she was 17, and likes the business. - Prince George of Wales is not to arrive in Newport, R. I., for a month vet, but there are already arranged enough dinners and luncheons to enable him to stay on the European plan during his visit, and Newport has ceased to care which resort secures the sea serpent this season.

SPARKLING CATAWBA SPRINGS.

Health seekers should go to Sparkling Catawba Springs. Beautifully located, in Catawba county, 1,000 feet above sea-level, at the foot of the Blue Ridge mountains. Scenery magnificent. Waters possess medicinal properties of the highest order. Board only \$30.00 per month. Read advertisement in this paper, and write Dr. E. O. Elliott & Son, proprietors, for descriptive pam-

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For Catalogue address the Proprietors.

June 20, 1890.

CARD FROM SENATOR VANCE. United States Senate, Washington, D. C.,

February 7th, 1885. I take great pleasure in saying that I am well acquainted with the waters of the Sparkling Catawba Springs. I consider them of the greatest value, having witnessed their effects upon many of my acquaintances for the last fifteen years. Situated as they are in the midst of a beautiful rolling country, entirely above the malarial belt, I know of no place in our State more desirable for the health-seeker. Yours very truly, Z. B. VANCE

Office of WITTKOWSKY & BARUCH,

Charlotte, N. C., March 2, 285. DR. E. O. ELLIOTT. Dear Sir:-I have visited a great many Springs i this country and in Europe, among others the "Saratoga" of this country, and the celebrated "Karlsbad Springs in Europe, and am free to say that I find the "Sparkling Catawba" to excel, in their curative pro concerned, I always look forward with pleasure to the time when I can spend a few pleasant days at those Springs.

Yery respectfully,
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 7. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Quoted steady at 38 cents per gallon, with sales of receipts at quotations.

ROSIN-Market firm at 971/2 cents per bbl. for Strained and \$1 021/2 for Good Strained.

TAR.-Firm at \$1 45 per bbl. of 280

lbs., with sales at quotations. CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Distillers quote the market firm at \$2 35 for Virgin, \$2 35 for Yellow Dip and \$1 25 for

Hard. COTTON.—Quiet at 10% cents for Low Middling, 1136 cents for Middling and 11% cents for Good Middling.

RECEIPTS. Spirits Turpentine..... Tar..... Crude Turpentine..... 120 DOMESTIC MARKETS.

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.]

Financial.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.-Evening-Sterling exchange quiet and weaker at 4851/2@4891/2. Money 4@9 per cent. closing offered at 4 per cent. Government securities dull but steady; four per cents 123%; four and a half per cents 103%. State securities neglected; North Carolina sixes 1271/2; fours 100 asked.

Commercial.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.-Evening.-Cotton firm; middling uplands 1214c; middling Orleans 12 7-16c; sales to-day of — bales; net receipts at all U. S. ports 211 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,651 bales; exports to the Continent — bales; stock at all U. S. ports 59,967 bales.

Cotton-Net receipts 2 bales; gross receipts 137 bales. Futures closed quiet and steady; sales 30,800 bales at the following quotations: August 12.11@12.12c; September 11.07@11.09c; October 10.70 @10.71c; November 10.54@10.55; December 10.54@10.55c; January 10.59@10.60c; February 10.63@10.64c; March 10.66@

10.68c; April 10.71@10.73c.

Southern flour firm. Wheat weaker with free sellers, and moderately active. closing heavy; No. 2 red 981/2@991/40 at elevator; options fairly active early and 36 1/2 c up, declined 13/4 @21/8 c, and closed weak at 1/4 melow yesterday; No. 2 red August 98%c; September 991/8c; October 993/4c; November \$1 001/2; December \$1 001/4. Corn fairly active, unsettled and lower; No. 2, 55@5614c at elevator; options opened 1/2c up, became weak and sold off 1\%@1\%c, closing 3/6 1/2c under yesterday and weak; August 55%c; September 55%c; October 561/2c. Oats steady, with a fair trade; options fairly active and irregular, closing firm; August 44c; September 421/2c; October 43c; No. 2 spot 44c. Hops steady and quiet. Coffee-options closed steady and dull; August \$17 65; September \$17 00@17 10; October \$16 40; November \$15 85; spot Rio quiet and easier; fair cargoes 2014c. Sugar-raw quiet and firm; fair refining 4%c; centrifugals 96 test 51/2c; refined active and firmer; C 53/8@5 9-16c; standard A 6c; powdered A 6 7-16c; granulated 61/8c. Molasses nominal; New Orleans dull. Rice active and firm; domestic 55/4@71/4c. Petroleum stronger and quiet; refined \$7 25. Wool quiet and easy, Pork more active and firm. Beef firm and quiet; beef hams strong; tierced beef dull but firm. Cut meats strong and active; middles quiet and firm. Lard lower, weak and quiet; western steam \$6 40; city steam \$5 80; options-August \$6 41 @6 43; September \$6 51 bid; October \$6 58 asked. Freights weak; cotton 5-64d; grain 11/d.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Cash quotations are as follows: Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat-No. 2 spring 94c; No. 2 red 94½c. Corn-No. 2, 48%c. Oats-No. 2, 39@691/2c. Mess pork \$11 50. Lard \$6 20c. Short rib sides \$5 25@ 5 30. Shoulders \$5 871/2. Short clear sides \$5 70@5 80. Whiskey \$1 13.

The leading futures ranged as follows -opening, highest and closing. Wheat -No. 2, August 95%, 96, 94c; September 97, 97½, 95½; December 100, 100½, 98%c. Corn—No. 2, August 50½. 50½, 48%, September 51, 51½. 49½: May 55, 55¾, 53¾. Oats—No. 2, August 40, 40¼, 39½; September 39¾ 40, 38%; May 42½, 42% 42½c. Mess pork per bbl—August \$11 60, 11 60, 11 60, 11 60; January \$13 00, 13 00, 12 57½. Lard, per 100 lbs-September \$6 421/2 6 42½, 6 35; January \$7 00, 7 00, 6 80 \$5 60, 5 60, 5 42½; January, \$6 10, 5 15, 5 921/2.

BALTIMORE, August 7.-Flour moderately active. Wheat-southern fairly active and firm: Fultz 91@98 cents; Longberry 92@98 cents; western irregular; No. 2 winter red on the spot 951/6 cents. Corn-southern firm: white 55@ 59 cents; yellow 53@56 cents; western

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Aug. 7.-Galveston, nominal at 11%c: -net receipts 33 bales, Norfolk, steady at 11%-net receipts - bales; Baltimore, dull at 121/2c-net receipts - bales; Boston, firm at 121/4c-net receipts bales; Philadelphia, firm at 125%cnet receipts - bales; Savannah, steady at 11%c-net receipts 6 bales; New Orleans, nomnially firm at 11%c-net receipts 88 bales; Memphis, nominal at 11 5-16c-net receipts - bales; Mobile nominal at 11½c-net receipts 5 bales Augusta, quiet and steady at 11%c-net receipts 2 bales; Charleston, firm at 11%c -net receipts 1 bale.

FOREIGN MARKETS. By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, August 7, noon.—Cotton firm and little doing: American middling 6 11-16d. Sales 8,000 bales; for speculation and export 500 bales. Receipts 3,000 bales, American 2,900. Futures steady—August delivery 6 39-64d; August and September delivery 6 34-64@6 33-64d; September delivery 6 33-64d; September and October delivery 6 1-64d; November and December delivery 5 54-64d; January and February delivery 5 53-64d.

Wheat firm; demand poor; holders offer sparingly. California No. 1. 7s 41/2d. Corn firm; demand poor.

2 P M-Cotton: American good middling 6 13-16d; middling 6 11-16d; low middling 6 9-16d; good ordinary 6 7-16d; ordinary 6 5-16d. Sales to-day included 5,700 bales of

American, 4 P. M.-August 6 39-64@6 40-64d

August and September 6 33-64@6 34 64d; September 6 33-64@6 34-64d; September and October 6 1-64@6 2-64d October and November 5 56-64d, No. vember and December 5 54-64@5 55. 64d, December and January 5 53-64@5 54-64d; January and February 5 53-64 @5 54-64d; February and March 5 54-64@5 55-64d. Futures closed quiet but steady.

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