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COMMON MONEY UNIT.

There has long existed a necessity for a unification of currency by which travel and commerce between the United States and Great Britain would be convenienced. A concurrent resolution looking to such a result passed the Senate on Wednesday, and will doubtless be adopted by the lower house of Congress. The details are to be perfected by future treaties and laws, but the general idea to be adopted is to make the American dollar equivalent to onefifth of the English pound sterling, the American quarter-dollar the equivalent of the English shilling, and two of the American cents equal to the English penny. The project has received very careful consideration, and it is believed to be entirely practicable, but even if it is approved by Congress it is not supposed that the necessary preparations can be perfected before three or four years have elapsed. The changes in coinage required will be comparatively slight, and if the new system is ever adopted it will doubtless save travellers, accountants and custom house officials a great deal of trouble.

MANUFACTURE OF GAS IN LON-

The manufacture of gas is conducted in London by eight companies, having seventeen gas works. The aggregate capital of these companies amounts to more than eleven millions or pounds sterling. The illuminating power of the gas manufactured is sixteen sperm candles. The annual consumption of coal used in making gas is one million and a half of tons. The quantity of gas consumed in 1875 was about thirteen millions of thou sands of cubic feet, which would in ke the average about nine thousand cubic feet to the ton. The price of gas at this time in London to private consumers is about one dollar per thousand feet, yet the manufacture is so profitable that the maximum rate of dividend annually de clared by the companies is restricted by act of Parliament to 8.7 per cent. on the total share capital.

And now comes a Democratic paper and accuses Beast Butler of ruining Mr. Blaine. It intimates that he fished up Fisher, and mulled Mulligan with the spice of his Mephistophehan advice.

pears to think that "The Mulligan Guards" is rather too jolly a tune for cause of the hopping ensign of the Blaine's funeral.

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At the reunion of the Army of the Potomac, on Tuesday, at which Gen. Hancock presided, Gen. John A. Dix said, among other things of a fraternal turn: "There is nothing in the "past which should be an obstacle "to the restoration of kind feeling." Gen. Dix, in making this speech, puts himself in his old place of soldier, for honorable soldiers are always generous. But the Republican party, of which Gen. Dix is a conspicuous member, believes none of these things. They will be in favor of fraternity after November, perhaps.

ROBESON COUNTY CAMES. The cases of the Robeson County Commissioners and Gen. W. R. Cox. which were sent up from the United States Commissioner's Court in this city to the Circuit Court at Raleigh, have been dismissed. The prosecution broke down atterly. The United States Judge, though a truly loyal man, couldn't see the justice of the suit. Hence Mr. Norment walks off on his ear, and the band plays "the Dead March in Saul."

publican party leaders in this section have concocted and set on foot this prosecution is the worst. Partisan throughout, in its every stage and phase, it recoils in the disastrous fate it has met with on the heads of the conspirators themselves. They at least have got enough of it. But ter? though the rights and liberties of the people have been vindicated by the decision of the court. last has not been heard of this matter. The people of Robeson will remember the animus which inspired the prosecution. They will not forgive the persons who are immediate ly responsible. They can never for get the outrage by which the suppression of the legal authorities in their county was sought to be ac complished. No, they will think still further over their grievances. They will think on election day that the men who counsel and abet such outrageous proceedings are not worthy of trust, and that the party which upholds these men is dangerous organization to belong to No, the good, law-abiding citizens of Robeson county will remember how gross and wanton assault was made on their rights. They will not forget the wrong and inconvenience to which their Commissioners and large number of other citizens were put in order to meet the trumped-up charges of evil-minded and blackhearted conspirators, leading members of the Radical Republican party

ion will assemble at Cincinnati on next Wednesday, the 14th instant It will be a heterogeneous body, but, motley and miscellaneous as it may appear to the outsider, it will have a purpose, and, having a purpose, it will go to work to manifest it. Usually Republican conventions mean business. They are "on the make." They cut things in private caucus, and dry them in open convention. Simon Cameron probably knows who will receive the nomination of his party, and sends his son, the Secretary of War, to fix the trigger of the dead fall which he (Simon) has been building these many weeks and months. We heathen profane do not know who the man is to be, but a shrewd guess might send an inquisitive person to the Executive office in Ohio or to the hall of the House of Representatives to find the man. When found he might call his name Hayes, or he might tell you that he is known as compromise He is on pretty fair terms with an ambrosial Senator bearing the euphonious surname of Conkling, and is not an enemy of a certain Secretary of the Treasury. He would, if he were strictly honest and confidential, tell you that he is likewise by the grace of Mulligan and Fisher, those bouds and those letters, what he is. No more, no less.

AT CINCINNATI-WHAT?

The Republican National Conven-

MORTON WITH A DOCTOR'S CER-TIPICATE. Some of the Republican candidates for President have busily circulated the impression that it would be dangerous to nominate Senator Morton on account of his health. To counteract-this the Senator has procured a certificate from his physicians that his health has steadily improved for The Springfield Republican ap- two years. This will be used at Cincinnati, but it will hardly help the bloody shirt.

If General W. S. Hancock should be our next President, among the things wherein he will be an improvement on the present incumbent is the very thing, in which Grant, is weak-

HANCOCK AS A SPEAKER.

est namely, public speaking. The very neat and timely little address which Hancock made at the recent reunion of the Army of the Potomac shows him to considerable advantage in this particular. It must be re membered that soldiers are not apt to be orators. Some soldiers, like Julius Cæsar, who were distinguished in civil affairs as well as in military life, have made effective speakers.

BLAINE AND COLFAX. "If the friends of Mr. Blaine really nean to present his name to the Cincinnati Convention as a candidate for the Presidency, they should take the opportunity to do poetic justice to Schuyler Colfax by giving him the second place on the ticket. This would make an intelligent canvass."

The New York Herald, which feels the popular pulse pretty thoroughly Of all the infamies that the Rebefore it speaks, says this. Blaine and Colfax! Sneak and bully-Arcades ambo! It is the only representative Republican ticket. There's brains in it. "There's millions in it," too-bonds, stock, Kansas Pacific, Northern Pacific, Credit Mobilier. Where could the Republicans do bet-

> The Raleigh News names Rev. J. M. Atkinson, D. D., as having been spoken of in connection with the edtor hip of the N. C. Presbyterian, mide vacant by the death of Rev. T. L. DeVeaux. Dr. Atkinson richly merits all the encomiums the News bestows upon him. That paper says in conclusion: "His elevation to the seat so recently filled by Mr. De Veaux, would be hailed with delight by his large circle of friends throughout the State, and especially by the press of

The ablest Republican newspapers appear to regard with disfavor the magnificent display of audacity by Mr. Blaine. The New York Times and Post, the Chicago Tribune, and others of scarcely less prominence, do not speak of the vindication as such an immense thing as to lead to certain nomination at Cincinnation The leading independent papers are of like opiinion.

Hancock stock may be quoted as 'rising" in the Presidential market. It looks now as if the great fight would be between Tilden and Hancock. In such a combat as that it don't make any difference who wins. The victory of either in the Convention is probably the triumph of the Democratic party at the election.

George Sand (Madame Dudevant) fied yesterday at her chateau in France. She was the greatest female novelist of her country, but not much of her brilliant abundance will survive her fifty years.

The Charleston News & Courier says the cry at St. Louis should be, "Anybody to defeat the Radical party." Right.

In a short, graceful and feeling valedictory John D. Cameron, Esq., takes leave of the readers of the Raleigh News.

Wilmington Retail Market.

The following prices ruled yesterday Apples, (dried) 124 cents per pound; dried peaches 25c per pound; walnuts, 25 cents per peck; pickles, 20 cents per dozen; lard, 18 cents per pound; butter, 30@40 cents per pound; cheese, 20 cents per pound; grown fowls 65@70c a pair; spring chick-Wheeler, at his home in York State. ens from 20 to 30 cts a pair; geese \$1 50 per pair; beef 10@16%c. per pound; beef, (corned) 124@15c. per pound; veal, 124@16ic. per pound; mutton, 121@15 cts. per pound; ham, 16@18 cts. per pound; shoulders, 124@ 14 cents per pound; tripe, 20 cts. per bunch; clams, 25 cents a peck; open clams, 20@25 cents a quart; soup bunch, 5 cts; eggs, 16; cents, a doz; sturgeon, 25 cts. a chunk (5 lbs); potatoes, new Irish, 25@30c a peck; fishtrout 25c. per bunch; mullets 10@25c per bunch; turnips, 10 cents a bunch; onions, 5 to 10 cents a bunch; cabbages 16@25. cents a head; bologna 20 cents a pound; parcley, 5 cents a bunch; carrots, 5 cents a pound; rice 10@20c a quart; crabs 15 cts dozen; apples 75 to 90 cts per peck; liver pudding, 20c % Ib; blood pudding, 25 cts % Ib.; Sound, oysters 20 cents a quart; cauliflower, 10@25 cents; celery, 25 cents per bunch; radishes, 5 cents a bunch; lettuce, 5 cts a bunch; strawberries, 10@15c a quart; green peas 20c peck; blackberries 10c a quart; whortleberries 10 cts a quart; saparagus 25c a bunch; plums 10c a quart; asparagus 25c a bunch; plums 10c a quart, beets 124@15c a bunch.

- Col. W. T. Cutlar announces himself as a candidate for the Senate, in opposition to W, H. Moore

Republicant County, Conventioning The Republican County Convention met at the Courthouse in this city, yesterday morning, at 11 o'clock Gen. S. H. Man ning, chairman of the Executive Commit-

tee, called the Convention to order, when,

on motion, Mr. James Wilson was appointed Chairman and H. E. Scott, Esq., renested to act as Secretary.... Considerable wrangling took place in reference to the order in which the nominations were to be made, at the outset of which Secretary Scott took the floor and spoke at some length, counseling harmony of the disorderly proceedings that had characterized former Conventions, and ta-king occasion to submit "a few broken remarks" in opposition to athe Consti tutional amendments, referring bespecially to that in reference to doing away with all secret political societies, citing the "Ku Klux Klan" and the "White League" as instances in which the opp nents of his party, who call for the passage of these amendments, had practiced the very thing that they were now attempting

such societies, whether among Democrats or Republicans. A resolution was offered by Jos. C. Hill to make the nominations in the order in which they appeared in the call of the Executive Committee. After a good deal of discussion and the offering of various amendments and substitutes, the discussion being participated in principally by Manning, Moore, Illl, Hankins, and Brewington, a good deal being said by the latter in regard to "parliamentary usages," a satisfactory understanding was finally arrived at and the balloting commenced. We give

to have abolished, but did not appear to

consider the fact as a good argument in

favor of carrying the amendment in ques

tion and thus putting an end entirely to

the result as follows: For sheriff-S. H. Manning, the present

County Commissioners-E. Kidder, J. G. Wagner, S. VanAmringe, Duncan Holmes, colored, Del. Nixon, colored. Register of Deeds-Jos. E. Sampson,

County Treasurer-Elijah Hewlett, pres-

Coroner-E. D. Hewlett, present incum-County Surveyor-A. B. Lind, colored.

House of Representatives-J. C. Hill, colored, James Wilson. Delegates to State Convention-S. II.

Manning, James Heaton, Wm. II. Moore, colored, Owen Burney, colored. County Executive Committee - First Ward, Henry Brewington; Second Ward, S. H. Manning; Third Ward, Wm. H.

Moore; Fourth Ward, Jas. K. Cutlar; Fifth Ward, Hiram Hankins. At Large-James Heaton, S. Van Amringe, J. C. Hill. Delegates to Congressional District Convention-L. E. Rice, James A. Lowry, R. C. Myers, Alfred Howe.

A Smithville Genius. An occasional correspondent at Smith

ville sends us the following: The citizens and visitors of this place were agreeably entertained last night at the Courthouse by an exhibition of paintings, executed by that promising young artist, Master Willie I. Legg. It was a series of paintings representing the principal events of the revoolution, from the battle of Lexington to the surrender of Lord Cornwallis. The young artist deserves great credit, as he has never received instructions either in drawing or painting.

The hall was tastefully decorated with flags and evergreen. Above the opening in the centre was a very large picture of Washington, encircled by an evergreen

The description of each painting as it came in view added not a little to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The excellent brass brand from the garison discoursed sweet music throughout the evening, playing all the national airs. Truly it was a Centennial gathering.

We did not learn what the receipts of the evening were, but from the number present it must have been very fair; at east, we hope, sufficient to keep the youthful artist in paints and canvas for some time to come. He is a youth of great promise, not only in his genius for painting, but in all other things, an entertaining companion and a good, moral young man. The writer has known him very intimately from his earliest childhood, and can heartily recommend him to all.

A pelican, not a frequent visitor in these parts, was shot and killed, by a gentleman t the Government works, a few days since. The weapon used was a Smith & Wesson pistol, and the bird, which was shot flying, at an estimated distance of one hundred and twenty-five yards, measured seven feet from tip to tip of its wings.

Bockery and Canaday. We learn that resolutions endorsing O. H. Dockery for Governor and Mayor Canaday for Congress were prepared for introduction in the Republican County Convention, yesterday, but owing to the hurry in which the Convention adjourned they were not presented. It is said that a majority of the delegates to the Convention are for Dockery, and that one of the number at least prefers Settle.

Floral College Commencement. The annual commencement sermon will be delivered at Floral College Tuesday evening, 20th inst., at 71 o'clock, by Rev. C. M. Payne, of Wilmington. Literary address, Wednesday 91st, at 11 o'clock, A. M., by Platt D. Walker, Esq., of Rocking-

Concert on Wednesday evening, at 8

Penadeope mary, Jestifed and se

At a recent meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Pender county, the tollowing lists of jurges were drawn for the approach-ing term of the Superior Court, which convenes on the second Monday in July : " Int West Week E. All Hawes .. Winslow Nixon, Kelly Herting, John J. Gurganus, R. T. Brown, John J. Wilson, Robert W. Pridgen, Thomas J. Lee, Amos Wheeler, Stepney Carr, C. P. Moore, Sr., A. R. Davis, George D. Larkins, Francis Smith, James R. Larkins, Charles White, Amos Marshbourti, Moseph V. Dancian, Airchie beld Proples Samuel Melatire A. il. Matland, Thaddeus Bordeaux, John H. Squires, William Powers, Jas. T. Bland, Sr., Luke H. McClammy, Spicer Padgett, Edward D. Walker, Lewis M. Charles, Obarles Foy, J. L. Pigford, Christopher liowe, William Robitsch, Archibald Mc-Millan, Henry Hall, James B. Williams. Second Week-Lott W, Anderson, Casar Dudley, Thomas Hill, Samuel Marshall,

cut, Jerry H. Murray, Timothy J. Bludworth, John H. Bryant, Moses . Williams, W. D. Holly, Alexander Herring. Brought to the City. Brown, the colored man who was so badly injured by a blow on the head, while engaged in an altercation with another colored man by the name of Scipio Koile, at Magnolia quarry, twelve miles up the Cape Fear river, on Tuesday morning, brief mention of which was made in our last issue, was brought to this city yesterday morning, on the steamer North State, and

subsequently sent to the County Hospital

at the Poor House. Brown is said to be

W. J. Herring, Richard Costin, T. J. Her-

ring, Joseph Dupree, Patrick Newton, J.

K. Bannerman, H. W. Mason, Lemuel Ho-

very badly hurt, and his recovery is considered somewhat doubtful. Koile has not yet been arrested.

Moore's Creek. We are requested to state that the Executive Committee of the late celebration of the "Centennial of the Battle of Moore's Creek" will meet at the old battle ground, at 12 o'clock, on Monday, the 12th inst. The committee consists of Messrs. S. S. Satchwell, C. W. McClammy, Jr., F. H. Bell, W. W. Larkins, James P. Moore, R. P. Paddison, George F. Lucas, and Jas. A. Harman. It is contemplated to improve the grounds and erect an iron railing around the monument. We are also informed that it is proposed to have a celebration of the 4th of July at the monument.

A Large Shark. A very large shark, of the man-eating species, we learn, was caught from the wharf at Smithville, early yesterday morn ing, by Mrs. Stuart, Miss Kate Stuart and Mrs. Pinner. He measured six feet in

For the Star. BLAINE AND KNOTT.

Blaine arose from his seat and asked leave to explain, His heart filled with madness, his cheeks flushed with pain; He raved and ranted till he talked himself Then was badly used up, as a matter of He bullied the committee for uncarthing And thought the Chairman was scared, but he said, "I am Knott!"

For the Star. ABBATH SCHOOL CELEBRATION

AT ROCKY POINT. The anniversary of the Rocky Point Sab bath School was celebrated here to-day upon the celebrated plantation known as "Strawberry," in the shape of an elegant and enjoyable pic-nic, made up by friends of the school. It was held under the management of its devoted Superintendent Rev. Frank A. Bishop, who is also the pop ular Principal of that excellent institution. the Rocky Point Academy. There was fine gathering from Rocky Point and adjoining townships. In addition to the usual social enjoyments on such festive occasions, the well-trained and useful choir of Rocky Point Church entertained the crowd of ladies and gentlemen with good music, and Rev. Mr. Black, the eloquent minister and very acceptable Presiding Elder of this Methodist district, delivered an appropriate and excellent address by

Rocky Point is on the road of improve ment. While Pender is a competitor for the prize of being one of the most prosperous counties in the State, Rocky Point Township competes for the honor of being the most prosperous and progressive township in Pender, in education, manufactures and agriculture. Soon a table of statistics will be furnished your paper as evidence of this statement, showing the exports of the township, agricultural products, resources, &c. ADVANCE.

Rocky Point, Pender co., June 9th. The Balloting at Wadesboro-Sixth Congress District.

These gentlemen were put in nomination: Hon. Thos. S. Ashe, of Anson, Col. W. L. Steele of Richmond, Z. B. Vance, of Mecklenburg, and W. L. McCorkle, of Catawba.

Wadesboro Heraid.

Ashe-Anson 1145, Montgomery 2374, Robeson 1427, Stanly 646, Union 280, Total 37351. Steele—Cabarras 1161, Montgomery 2374, Richmond 1616, Robeson 204. Total

Vance—Anson 46, Gaston 927, Lincoln 903, Union 748. Total 2621. McCorkle-Catawba 1261. Total 1261. The second, third and fourth ballots were the same, except a change in Union, Lincoln and Catawba in favor of Mr. Ashe. On the first three ballots Mecklenburg voted for Col. W. M. Johnson. FIFTH BALLOT.

Ashe—Anson 1047, Catawba 840; Gaston 309, Lincoln 602, Mecklenburg 125; Montgomery 2371, Robeson 1,427, Stanly 646, Union 1023. Total 62581. Steel—Anson 144, Catawba 4201, Cabar-ras 1161, Gaston 618, Lincoln 301, Meck-lenburg 23851, Montgomery 2371, Richmond 1016, Robeson 204. Total 64861.

Col. Steele received a majority of the votes cast, and was declared duly nominated. On motion his nomination was made unanimous.

At the Grand Chapter recently held in Charlotte, officers were elected as follows: Thomas S. Kenan, of Witson, G.

List of Omcors of Grand Chapter.

C. W. Alexander, of Charlotte, D. T. B. Hyman, of Goldsboro, Grand

T. A. Green, of Newbern, Grand, John Nichols, of Raleigh, Grand D. W. Bam, of Raleight Grand ecretary, . rewinell we'll le braile Rev. Theo. Whitfield, of Charlotte,

C. M. VanOrsdell, of Wilmington, Grand C. of Host, January Testing The Grand High Priest elect app pointed the subordinate officers

E. A. Wilson, of Greensboro, Grand F. M. Johnson, of Davie county,

G. M. 3rd Vail. S. D. Waitt, of Raleigh, G. M. 2d Vailed 17 . administration 1 to Jos. Salomonski, of Elizabeth City, C. M. 1st Vail.

The Wadesboro Convention...

Wadesboro Argus. The Nominating Convention of the 6th Congressional District met in the court-house yesterday, the 7th inst. Col. R. P. Waring, of Charlotte, was called to the chair, subsequently he was elected President of the convention, and John D. Pemberton, John Duckett, of the Courier, McDowell of the Observer, Patrick of the Herald, and Knight of the

Argus, were appointed secretaries. The Convention, after fixing the basis upon which the votes would be cast, proceeded to the selection of a candidate. The names of ex-Governor Vance, Hon. Thos. S. Ashe, Col. Johnson, of Charlotte, Col. McCorcle, of Catawba, and Col. W. L. Steele, of Richmond, were put in nomination, and Col. W. L. Steele received the nomination on the 5th ballot, which stood: Ashe, 6,2571; Steele; 6,487½; making Steele's majority 230. The nomination was then made unanimous.

We lave left this much space to announce the result—next week we propose to give the details.

The following gentlemen were nominated delegates to attend the National Convention at St. Louis: Col. B. F. Little, Maj. J. D. Shaw. Alternates, Col. Jones, of Charlotte, and W. Foster French; and R. P. Waring was nominated as Elector from this District.

The Contest in North Carolina. Asheboro Regulator.

Never, perhaps, in the history of this country, has there been an election held in which there was so much at stake as in that which will occur next November. That the contest is likely to be a close one, at least in North Carolina, is patent to the most careless observer. The cause of good and honest government, and the interests of the tax-paying masses, are all involved in the result; which, if it depended upon those who are not interested in perquisites of office, and know what they are doing, to decide, would not be doubtful. But the Radicals start in to the race, with a well lisciplined band of about 80,000 ignorant negroes, who are as subservient to the will of their drill masters as was ever an ox to the yoke, not one in a hundred of whom can read a single name on the ticket presented them by their manipulators to vote, and know no more of the issues involved, and of the substantial interests of the counry at stake, than they do of these names. This band is led on by swarms of Federal and State officials, too unprincipled to care what becomes of the country while they can, by the aid of the ignorant negroes, acuire and hold office, and make their bread n this way. This makes a fearful odds against us to start with; but we can, and vill overcome it if we act with the prudence we ought. This prudence demands that we organize, and organize at once; that in the selection of candidates, all personal friendships be ignored; that the claims of men of capacity, honesty and spotless integrity only should be considred; and of these, and these only, the ones selected who can carry the most votes, without regard to any personal consideraions whatever.

The Democratic State Convention. | Raleigh News.

If we can judge from the proceedings of he county conventions, the delegates will come from every quarter demanding the strongest man for Governor-somebody who can weld factions together by the heat of his eloquence or the power of his genius, and can lead them by the most certain

"By all means let us have for a leader he strongest man, be he from the east of the west or the middle region," seems to be the unanimous desire of the party from Currituck to Cherokee. The Democracy cannot afford to lose in this contest; too much is at stake. If we are beaten this time, may we not as well

"Hang up the fiddle and the bow ?"

Goldsboro Messenger. All political interest in this State just now centres on the Convention to convene at Raleigh on the 14th inst. Who will be the nominee for Governor is the all-absorbing topic. There is no lack of good material toselect from. * * We hope that discretion and wisdom may guide the delegates in all the proceedings. Old party names, and old party predilections, must be buried, and patriotism alone should be the shrine at which we all shall worship. With no view of objecting to any of the nomina-tions to be made, we take leave to express the hope that there never was a time when the exercise of some mature discretion, blended with wisdom, moderation and a little magnanimity, was more necessary. Give us a good and strong ticket, and North Carolina will sound the Democratic bugle of victory with no less than 15,000 major-

- Graphic: "Oystria still insists that the Musselmen shall adopt an unshell-

anon stius correction and Spirits Turpautine

— Mr. B. L. Perry, publisher of the Beautort Eagle has purchased the ma-ternal of the Newbern Journal of Commerce. — The committee of Wilson Coun-y Commissioners reports plan of naviga-ing Contentred creek as leasible.

— H. G. Springs, Esq., of Char-

burg will be scarcage with Rey Followis-Reid as President.

The Rescue Steam Fire Compa-ny of Raieigh have been excursioning to North and all noting readers 139 and and

The Fayetteville Presbyteria mile and affinit from town time in white Mt2 Franki Wooley, t of Montgomery county, contracted the small po-while on a visit to the West recently. N - Married on Wednesday evening

last, at St. Stephen's Church, Goldsboro, Galloway, Esquand Miss Matilda - Mistake about Tar River Bea-

Will stay at Greenville, Democratic as before, with a new editor, Mr. Garner - Nash county Democratic Con-

vention passed/resolutions calling on Cul. S. D. Pool to resign the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction. - The Wadesboro Herald, on entering its seventh volume, says it is on a

better foundation than ever, and indulges in a little excusable boasting? -The Southerner says that a corps of young, handsome, gamesome galoots of

l'arboro' have organized a fraternity called the Tarboro Sporting Club. - Rutherford College Commencement passed off finely, with an address from Rev. R. D. Smart, of South Carolina, and a sermon from Rev. Paul J. Caraway,

of this State. -- Prof. George T. Winston, of the University, has been raised from the rank of Adjunct to be a full Professor of Latin and German, with the same salary as the other professors. Professor Hooper is

Professor of Greek and French - Magnolia Record: Just before going to press we were pained to learn of the death of the estimable wife of Rev. Jas. M. Sprunt, of Kenansville, which occurred on the evening of the 6th inst. We learn that she had been in a feeble condition for

some months, with no prospects of re-- Nash county Democratic Convention, while not instructing its delegates, declared for General W. R. Cox as first choice for Governor, Hon. J. J. Davis for Congress and Captain S. T. Williams for Attorney General. Captain Williams modestly desired that his name be not used, as he desired to fight as a private, but his

wish was not granted. - The Advance says Wilson College commencement will begin on the 26th and end on the 29th. E. C. Woodson, Esq., of the Advance, will deliver the literary address before the Irving Society, Monday morning; Ren. John R. Brooks, of Goldsboro, the baccalaureate sermon, Wednesday evening; and Col. W. F. Green, of

ranklin, the annual oration, Thursday. - Closing proceedings from Charlotte Observer of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons: Standing committees were appointed as follows for the ensuing year: Finance, T. A. Green, J. B. Neathery, S. E. Allen; Foreign Correspondence, James Southgate, A. Wronski and T. J. Sloan; Jurisprudence, W. G. Hill, C. W. Blount and John Nichols. The officers were duly installed by H. H. Munson, of Wilmington. The next assembly of the Grand Council will be held in Newbern, on the first Wednesday in June, 1877.

- The delegation to the Cincinnati Republican Convention from North Carolina are as follows: From the State at arge, V. S. Lusk, Dr. W. Wheeler, Thos. lowers and James H. Harris. From the Congressional Districts, Palemon John, E. H. Page, W. P. Mabson, Daniel L Russell, James Heaton, William Smith, R. C. Badger, A. M. Douglass, Thomas Owen, Pinckney Rollins, and John G. Heap. We do not know the appointees from the Sixth and Seventh Districts. There are twenty in all, of these eighteen are white and two

- Raleigh News of Friday: The nemorial address of Hon. Montford Mcbehee, on the life and character of the late Governor Graham, was delivered last night, in Commons Hall, to a large and appreciative audience, composed of the citizens and bar of Raleigh, citizens of Hillsboro and Durham, several judges of the Supreme and Federal Courts, and many others. The speaker was introduced to the assemblage by Hon. B. F. Moore, in a few short and appropriate remarks. The address was elaborate, and sets out in full detail the leading traits and characteristics of the eminent subject of the memoir. It elicited requent applause.

- Just licensed to practice law: Samuel Strother Alsop, Halifax county; John Lancaster Bailey, Jr., Mecklenburg county; Maurice Bauman, (col.) Cumberland county; Robert Emmett Carr, Orange county; Charles Augustus Carson, Rutherford county; Edward Thorne Clark, Halifax county; Walter Stevens Cushman, Buncombe county: James Franklin Davis, Wilkes county: Rufus Pickens Davis, Umon county: Allison Barnes Deans, Wilson county; Alonzo Jerkens Flanner, Craven county; William Richardson Gordon, Pasquotank county; Edward Phillip Green, Warren county; William Abner Potts, Jr., Beaufort county; William Alexander Smith, Rutherford county; James F. Terry, Orange county; Thomas Brown Womack, Chatham county.

-Charlotte Observer . Last Thursday there was an occurrence in a wheat field of Mr. J. S. Neely, in Steel Creek Township, ten miles south of Charlotte, which cost a little negro boy, eleven years, of age, his life. A number of hands were in the field, cradling wheat, and among these one named Dick Cooper. He was rather behind the others, when his little son, the boy alluded to, ran in frost of the son, the boy alluded to, ran in frost of the cradle to get a partridge's nest, to which his attention had been called by the laborers who had gone before. Cooper has a defect in one of his eyes, and it was from this side that the boy approached. He rushed in and the scythe was swung around, striking him on the leg above the knee, and cutting a long gash and as deep as to the bone. The blood spurted out in a large stream, and before the boy could be gotten to the house, he was a corpse.