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FOR PRESIDENT: WINFIELD S. HANCOCK, Of Pennsylvania. FOR VICE PRESIDENT: WILLIAM H. ENGLISH, Of Indiana.

Nothing can intimidate me from doing what I believe to be honest and right. Hancock in 1880.

When insurrectionary forces have been overthrown and peace established, and the civil authorities are ready and willing to perform their duties, the military power should cease to exist, and the civil administration resume its natural and rightful position. Hancock in 1867.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. FOR THE STATE AT LARGE: JAMES M. LEACH, of Davidson. FABUS H. BOBBER, of Wake.

FOR CONGRESS: JOHN W. SHACKELFORD, Of Onslow. DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET. For Governor—THOMAS J. JARVIS.

The attendance at the State Fair on the first day was not large. The display is said to be large and gratifying. Everything is well arranged.

It seems a difficult matter to have election tickets printed correctly at Raleigh. Some grievous errors occurred in a part sent out in 1878, and the same thing has occurred again, as we learn from the New Bernian.

THE SAVING OF THE NORTHERN LABORING CLASSES. Talk about negro slavery in the South, or serfdom in Russia, or white slaves in the mines of England, but there is worse slavery in the North at this hour.

Now we are misrepresenting. We are not exaggerating a great and crying evil. Every word we say we believe to be true, and upon evidence that will bear a crucial test.

But let us copy a paragraph or so from an Independent paper that is not afraid or ashamed to tell the truth even in these false and blatant times when men appear to have lost all sense of wrong or justice or honor or truth.

It is extremely important to have the tickets printed correctly. Remember that Gen. Plaiet lost over a thousand votes in Maine because of incorrect tickets. His name was spelt wrongly and variously.

ception of Virginia. This gives 127. We claim the following Northern States as certain: New York 49, New Jersey 44, Add. 127.

Then there are three other States that may be classed as doubtful with the chances somewhat in favor of the Democrats: New Hampshire 5, Maine 7, Nevada 3.

Who does not believe that Hancock's chances are not very much better than Garfield's? He has 171 votes, we think, certain. He needs but 14 more.

John Sherman is well understood. He went to Washington a few years ago not worth \$25,000. His salary is not more than enough to live on decently and in a style commensurate with his position in the capital city.

But there is richness in Sherman's letter nevertheless. We could not read a portion without smiling, whilst our contempt for the graceless falsifier was intense. It is impossible not to be reminded of Satan reproving sin when our eyes fall upon the following delicious bit of meanness.

Let every Democrat in the Third District remember three very important things: First, every vote is necessary. No man can stay away from the polls and thus fail to do his duty without self-condemnation, whether he win or is defeated.

South, and who are much more careful to look after wrongs in this great section of our common country than they are to prevent evils at home and to correct the grossest abuses among themselves.

John Sherman, who helped to steal Louisiana and Florida, and who had more to do with the great frauds of 1876 than any other man with the exception of Garfield—John Sherman to talk about "fair votes and a fair count."

Then think of it: his party has just stolen two States by fraud and bribery and villainy. They sent their thousands of repeaters and loafers and ignorant negroes into Indiana and Ohio from a half dozen States in order "that the manhood and independence of the North" might guarantee to the people of those unhappy States the great, priceless, dear bought privilege of enjoying "equal political privileges," including, of course, "fair votes, a fair count."

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managers in Washington and New York will make a strong effort to capture this Congressional District, and other Districts in the State, and also to place North Carolina in the Garfield column.

Washington, October 18. Secretary Sherman to-day furnished for publication the following correspondence, consisting of four letters which have passed between himself and Senator Hampton of South Carolina.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 21st.—Hon. Wade Hampton.—Sir:—Your note of the 17th inst. is received, in which you inquire whether a copy of the National Republican Committee at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, and you were quoted as having used the following language: "And now you are asked to surrender all you have done into the hands of Wade Hampton and the Ku Klux Klan, and the little segment in the North that is called the Democratic party."

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Spirits Turpentina. Greensboro Beacon: The Faculty meeting of Friends was held this year in August, at Friendsville, Tenn., but they will hold at New Garden this fall a general meeting, beginning at the usual time of holding the yearly meeting, on November 5th. Several ministers from a distance are expected to be in attendance.

Hamlet Argus: About 17,000 bales of cotton have passed through this place via Seaboard Air-Line Railroad since the commencement of the season. A rustic named Marsh, from Union county, who was being carried to the Lunenburg Asylum, escaped from his guard at the depot here, on the morning of the 13th inst.

Kinston Journal: The Annual Convention of the Disciples of Christ met with the churches of Beaufort and Lenoir counties, on Thursday, Oct. 8th, with Dr. J. W. Walsh as Moderator. There were fifty-two churches represented, and the reports showed an addition of four new churches during the year, and an increase of about 900 in members. There are about 100 churches in the State, with a membership of 7,000.

Chapelton Observer: Two countrymen named Wm. Potts and C. A. Dullin got into a quarrel at a bar room yesterday evening, when Potts drew a revolver and fired a deep gash around Dullin's eye, leaving a very ugly and painful wound. A car load of cotton caught fire on a Carolina Central train a few days ago and was completely destroyed. The South Fork bridge on the Chester & Lenoir and the Fork Gauge Railroad will be completed the first week in November. The masonry has already been finished. The bridge will be 300 feet long.

Raleigh News: Just before 3 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, the fire alarm was sounded, on account of the burning of the gin built by B. Watson, at W. Watson, about a mile south of the city. The stock department, we were informed by the Secretary, is larger and better than ever before. He had to erect thirty additional pens for the sheep and had to erect a shed in the premium list of sheep presented. We met Mr. James Norwood, the proprietor of Poplar Hill farm, who showed us fifty-two entry tickets for stock and products in his farm. Horses for trotting and running have been entered at the following places in our State: Washington, Tarboro, Weldon, Kinston, Henderson, Litleton, Winston, Hillsboro, Wilmington and Apex, and five from New York.

Charlotte Press: It is Coup's circus that is coming next month on their return from the South. The London circuit will cover no farther South than Danville. With the Connecticut troops last night were quite a party of civilians, among whom were several editors, two or three hotel-keepers, and also a group of ladies. I was anxious to meet Gov. Vance. He was seen for a few moments when he appeared was introduced with evident pleasure on the part of both. A train hand of conductor Everet, of the Carolina Central Railroad, named Sandy, while the top of the train was on the day night arranging, was struck by a covered bridge near Lumberton and knocked down senseless. He was discovered at the next station on the car, his legs hanging over the side and in an unconscious condition with a rope in his hand. It is feared he is fatally injured.

Lumberton Robinsonian: A negro woman was killed yesterday near Mr. Nathan Alford's by attempting to jump from the cart while the mule was running; her dress caught, she was dragged some distance, fell in front of the wheel, which went over her, breaking her neck and shoulder. The body was buried in the morning. There was received in this market for the week ending Saturday, October 16th, 340 bales of cotton. Total receipts to that date 2,328 bales. The total receipts in the last issue should have been 1,838 bales.—Presbytery of the South met on Thursday, Oct. 15th, at the residence of Mr. Joseph Evans, preaching the opening sermon, which was an intellectual treat, a literary gem. The Rev. D. D. McBryde was elected Moderator. Revs. McQueen, Hill, Fairly, Alexander, McBryde and Jacy preached the sermons during the week. Rev. Dr. Heppner, President of Davidson College, submitted a very gratifying report from the trustees of that institution on Friday, accompanying the report with an interesting statement.

The following interesting items we take from the Lenoir Progress's account of the celebration at King's Mountain: He (Maj. J. D. Bly) had a him a tall goblet of claret punch from which he occasionally sipped. Its color was that of rosin. During one of these sippings a plain North Carolinian, full of the subject and the speech, called out in a clear voice: "Drink your wine and eat your foot and give us some more." This was a great compliment to the orator and the speech, and shows how deep the subject and how deep he impressed his hearers. After the speech Vance was loudly called for. He rose on the stage, but he came not—he was not on the programme. It was noticeable, however, how little North Carolinians had to do with the day, except to furnish the crowd of men and women for the occasion. South Carolina, Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia and Tennessee spoke; but North Carolina, "like the poor man at the ball," had no place assigned her. Gov. Jarvis was present and on the stand, and he of all others should have been introduced to the large crowd of his constituents.

Littleton correspondent of Raleigh News and Observer: There was not a church edifice completed in the town of Littleton. We now have a Presbyterian church finished, neatly fitted up with a nice organ, &c. Its pastor, Rev. Mr. Primrose, preached his farewell sermon last Sabbath. The church is in a prosperous condition. The Baptists also have a neat and comfortable edifice, well furnished. Rev. Mr. Glenn is the pastor, and the interest in the congregation is increasing. The Methodist Episcopal Church is now building a very large edifice. The corner stone was laid last Monday with Masonic honors. There are now six steam cotton gins in Littleton, and the country seems filled up with them. They are all of the latest and best make, and seem to be doing well.

Mrs. C. P. S. Chapel Hill letter: President Battle followed in one of his happiest home speeches. It was pleasant to see his boys greet him with hearty applause when he came forward to give a pleasant hearing to the remarks that accompanied his remarks. He took the career of Hinton James, of Wilmington, the first student on the ground when the doors of the University were opened in 1785; gave a very humorous sketch of what he feels may be presumed to have been scenes in his glory, state freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior, all in one; Adam alone of Partridge will no more be in prospect. What a feast he had running for office; no rivals to fear, no constituency to propitiate; chief marshal and all his subs; representatives; ball managers and bus; all centered in him. Mr. James was a good and useful citizen, and his name is yet held in honor on the Cape Fear. Mr. Battle called upon his boys to mark his example, and to remember that the University kept an eye upon her sons and preserved their records.