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STAR IS AS follows :

ved, slavery abolished and its former victims equally and honorably by our sides in this Convention; public faith maintained; undisturbed credit at home and abroad; a currency converted into coin, and the pulses of imlustry throbbing with renewed health and vigor in every section of a prosperous and peaceful country. These are the fruits of our triumph over adverse policies, gained in the military and civil conflicts of the last two may four years. Out of these conflicts has come a race of heroes and statesmenchall, uging confidence and love at home and respect and admiration abroad. Now Henderson, dear reader, is re-

ferring to the Republican party that has betrayed nearly every trust and is his cally rotten from the crown of its head to the sole of its feet. It is honey combed with peculations, frauls, n-orpations and deceptions.

L. The Union preserved." There It is, in Republican parlime , t "Nation" -a consolidated and contralized Government with Sovereign Powers. The States, under their scheme, are Provinces; standing in the same relation to the Centralized Power that the counties stand in relation to the States. "Only that, and nothing more."

2. The negroes standing "equally and immorably at their sides in this Convention." Humbug! Why, then, do you not give the eight millions of negroes the Vice Presidency? Why do you not give them at least two Calmet offices, for "equality" demands no less. That sop thrown at the segroes in the way of temporary chairm an was a bauble. Give them fat offices. Show by your acts that you have more than words or empty compliments. "Equally and honorably!" Catch-words and blarney, Deception and nothing else.

3. "Public faith maintained." There is scarcely anything that ought to be done that the controlling party has not failed to do, and almost all that it has done would have been better left undone if the welfare of the country is considered.

4. "The pulses of industry throbbing with renewed health and vigor in every section of a prosperous and peaceful country." This is said at a time when the factories of the country are either closing, or shortening time, or cutting down the wages of the operatives; when American commerce has disappeared from the high seas; when the whole land is filled with tramps; when strikes are constantly occurring among the laboring classes, and when large classes of goods have so fallen in prices as to ruin mill owners. A year or two ago seventy or eighty really destroying the spirit of the town proper. million dollars in gold was shipped from Europe to the United States- grasping new and extraordinary that being the sum that represented the balance of trade in our favor. Now it is the other way, and the balance of trade is nearly thirty millions against this country.

But Chairman Henderson reserved his best joke for the last. He said without laughing, we may suppose, to the 15,000 ravening office-seekers Who sat before him, that 'this country was now blessed with "a race of heroes" and Republican "statesmen" -for he evidently meant that-"challenging confidence and love at home and admiration abroad." Shades of Washington and John Adams and Jefferson and Madison! Think of this mighty "race" of Republican "statesmen" who challenge "the confidence" of all. There name is of millions that have been stolen by 14 in the 1,000.

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Repulican officials would amaze the country if the list could only be published and the sum be known.

> a Democratic President because they know that in that event the work of exposure would begin and the American people would learn of the utter venality, baseness and unfaithfulness of the Republican party that so readily talks of "reform" and "integrity" and "accountability." This too, in the face of Whiskey Rings and Credit Mobilier and Star Route thievery, and so on, in all of which scarcely one scoundrel was brought to justice. In favor of "purity in legislation" and "integrity" in office and "reform" in civil service. Bah! Arthur has now thousands of men in his employment who are as unreliable and venal as the veriest Star Router. It was only a few days ago that one Col. Burnside was shown up as a Government defaulter. He had only stolen \$40,000, which was so moderate a sum that probably he will be punished. So much for the platform thus far. We will consider other points hereafter.

LOGAN. Senator John A. Logan, of Illi nois, is the Republican nominee for Vice-President as our dispatches of vesterday announced. This selection was doubtless in accordance with the bargain made between Blaine and Logan, Gen. Logan served with gallantry in the war between the States. His age is not known but he is at least 60 years of age, as he was a Quartermaster in the Mexican war. He was graduated at Louisville University, but no one would suppose he was ever a student in a college from his illiteracy. "English as she is spoke" by Logan is something quite marvel lous to hear. It is a cross between Hoosier dialect and Pigeon-English. will this bamboozle the American voter-will this fool the hardy sons Logan is probably as good a choice as the Republicans could have made. of toil? That ascertained the work Like Grant he was a Democrat before the war, and was even much inclined to enter the Southern army. Like men of this type he became intensely Northern and has been bitter against the South since the surrender of the armies. He served two terms in the Federal House before the war and two since. He was elected to the Senate in 1871 and served until 1877. He was reelected

> Blaine and Logan is the ticket the Democrats must fight, What two men will constitute a ticket that can command the confidence of the best class of Republicans and the business centres in the North? Who says that Bayard and Pendleton cannot

> What a tremendous contrast it would be between Blaine, all "ta:tooed" with corruption, and Logan, fierce and ignorant as a Modoc Indian, and Bayard and Pendletonstatesmen, orators, men of unsullied name, of highest probity, of pure and generous impulses, of lofty patriotism, of large experience, of sound political records!

THE VARIATIONS OF VITAL STA-

Unless you have studied the vital statistics of a State you cannot conceive of the different degrees of and that these "should be guarded | health that will be found in the towns and cities. For instance, going to New York you will find that for the month of April Troy had a death rate of but 6.6, whilst Albany, a few miles distant, had a death rate of 25.88 in the one thousand. The other cities reported are distributed all along between these two wide points of difference, Kingston and Binghampton report 10.8; Yonkers, 13.09; Rochester, 14.3; Auburn, 15.10; Brooklyn, 19.66; Syracuse, 20.11; New York, 23.96. We omit

An accurate report each month of Cæsar destroyed the liberties of the towns and cities in New York. But such statistics are not accessible. is to say, he kept up the forms of the keep accurate vital statistics. Ra-Government and appeared to res- leigh publishes them but they are

Constitution by steadily and artfully Other towns and cities in the United States for April show the following death rate: Burlington, Vt., 25.0 to the 1,000 inhabitants: Boston 20.2; Worcester, Mass., 22.9; Providence, R. I., 18.0; Paterson, N. J. 27.4; Philadelphia, 18.1; Pittsburgh, 20.8; Wilmington, Del., 17.9; Cincinnati, 21,8; Cleveland, 14.6; Detroit, Mich., 22.5; Evansville, Ind., 20.2; Chicago, 21.2; St. Louis, 16,7; Milwaukee, Wis., 17.0; Omaha, Neb., 13.9; Salt Lake City, 23.0; San Francisco, 23.0; Baltimore, 18.0; Richmond, 20.9; Lynchburg, 58.0; New Orleans, 30.1; Mobile, 27.1; Nashville, 27.1. Jacksonville, Fla., Wilmington, N. C., will compare favorably with these reports. Our total has been utterly and irredeemably average is not more than 16 in the 1,000 and for the whites a little over

the Chicago officeholders' Convention, was Senator from Missouri, was The Republicans will move Heaven one of the seven Republican Senators and earth to prevent the election of | who voted against the infamous impeachment of President Johnson

The six others were Fessenden, of Maine; Fowler of Tennessee; Grimes, of Iowa; Ross, of Kansas; Trumbull of Illinois, and Van Winkle, of West Virginia. Of the seven, Trumbull, Henderson and Ross survive. A rumor comes from Cairo that

Gen. Gordon has escaped up the Nile and is safe on board of an armed Death of Mr. R. W. Chadwick. Mr. R. W. Chadwick, Clerk of the St perior Court of Carteret county, died at the

residence of his son in law, Mr. W. W. Shaw, in this city, yesterday morning, at a quarter to 3 o'clock. He came here about three weeks ago on a visit to his daughter and was at the time in very feeble health, having been afflicted for some time past with dropsy and trouble at the beart. H was soon afterwards attacked with monia, and his feeble fram to stand the combined assault. He continued gradually to grow worse until the hour specified, when he calmly passed away. Deceased was born on what is

known as the "Straits," in Carteret county,

January 31st, 1826, and has at different pe-

riods resided in Hyde county, Wilmington

that year, he entered into partnership with

Telephone, a weekly newspaper, and dis-

played as much ability as an editor as he

had previously done as a teacher. In 1883

he received from Judge McKoy the appoint

ment of Clerk of the Superior Court, to fill

vacancy. It is said that a strange fatality

has attended the clerks of this court, of

late, three of them having died in the last

three years. James Rumley, the first, had

growr gray in the service. He was suc

ceeded by R. E. Walker, who lived only a

few months, when Mr. Chadwick was ap-

pointed to the vacancy, and now he is dead

During his residence in Wilmington our

less life, being able to testify at the supreme

Messrs, L. A. Potter and B. J. Bell, rela-

tives of the deceased by marriage, and the

former his partner in the newspaper busi-

ness, accompanied by Miss Lizzie Chad-

wick, arrived here Thursday night, and

this morning Messrs. Potter and Bell will

take the remains to Beaufort for interment.

Deceased was a member of the Royal

Since writing the above, a friend begs to

R. W. Chadwick is dead! This was the

He was my friend, and I knew him

-knew him as a Christian whose ex-

sad intelligence announced vesterday morn-

ample looms up as worthy of imitation.

Mr. Chadwick was a resident of our city

for years and won for himself a host o

true friends; enemies-none. Truly, a good

man has fallen, and we mourn his loss; but

while this is ours, his is eternal gain. How

peaceful is the death of the righteous man.

God comfort the bereaved ones who have

lost such a true husband and noble father.

"How blest the righteous when he dies."

We are informed that the flig crop in

this section is almost a total failure this

season. It is, therefore, highly important

that any one having any figs should not

fail to furnish the fruit committee with

enough of them to make an exhibit. This

is one of the most important items in

the New Hanover county exhibit. We

are credibly informed that when properly

managed it can be made one of the best

paying crops that can be raised in this

This well known officer of the Revenue

Marine service, who has been on a visit to

his friends in this city during the past

three or four 'weeks, has been detached

and ordered to report for duty to the Reve-

nue steamer Bibb, at Oswego, N. Y. Lt.

R. left for his new station last night, car-

rying with him the well wishes of his

We understand that the members of St.

Thomas' Catholic Church congregation, of

this city, have in contemplation the addi-

tion of about fifty per cent. to the present

limits of their church edifice, on Dock

street, and otherwise improving it. Of this

matter we shall be able to speak more in

detail in a few days. The congregation also

design securing a grand organ, which is

The German barque Erwin, Captain

Laughinrichs, was cleared from this port

expected to be the finest in the State.

Foreign Exports.

many friends in this city.

Church Improvement.

from the Dexter, of the Newport station,

Lt. John U. Rhodes.

North Carolina State Exposition.

SORROWING FRIEND.

add his testimony to the worth of the de-

Arcanum in this city, and retained his

membership after he went to Beaufort.

ceased, as follows:

moment that "all was well with him."

and Beaufort. He graduated at Emory and Henry College, Virginia, and the early part of his manhood was passed in teaching school. He was principal of the Male Academy at Beaufort for many years, and most of the resident of the town have at some period in their lives been under his tuition. He continued to teach until the occupation of Beaufort by the Federal troops in 1862. The last twenty years of his life have been spent in the public service; first as Collector of the Customs at Portsmouth, N. C., which position he held until the abolishment of the office, when he was made Inspector of Customs. We should have said in the proper place that in 1857 and 1858 he was Clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret county. In 1867 he came to Wilmington and took the position of Deputy Collector of Customs under Denard Rumley, who was at the time Collector of the port, and was continued in the same office under Rumley's successor, Gen. J. C. Abbott, until 1880, when the latter died. He taught school here one year and returned W. would suit him, and he further states to Beaufort in 1881, where, in the fall of

Mr. L. A. Potter in the publication of the for fruit and grape culture.

and a great many others will be there.

friend had the confidence and esteem of the entire community. He was truly a good ment of Delegates to Conventions. man, in whom there was not the slightest approach to guile. He was a consistent communicant of the Methodist Church, being an official member both here and at Beau-Congressional Conventions fort, and adorned his profession by a blame-

> nittee, who stated the object of the meet ing. G. T. Farnell was requested to act as emporary secretary

> of the following gentlemen: J. W. Spicer, ville; C. Thompson, Richlands; A. B. Carroll, White Oak; D. J. Sanders, Swans While awaiting the report of the commit

The above resolutions were unanimously adopted as a whole. Then came appoin nents of delegates, which resulted as fol

picer, Abram Sandlin, R. W. Ward; Jacksonville—G. W. Taylor, G. Scott, G. W. Blake, Sr., B. L. Kellum; Richlands—David E. Sandlin, E. L. Franks, Sr., C. Stephens, S. B. Taylor; White Oak—Geo. D. Mattocks, G. W. Smith, A. B. Carroll, Wm. H. Mills; Swansboro—Sol. Gornto, Major Russell, E. W. Ward, A. F. Farnell, Jr.; County at Large-A. C. Huggins,

On motion, the secretary was requested to send a copy of the proceedings to the New Berne Journal, Goldsboro Messenger and There being no other business before the

Pender County. BURGAW, N. C., June 2d, 1884. The Democratic Executive Committee of Pender county met here to-day in pursuance of the call of the chairman, and decided to call the County Convention for the purpose of electing delegates to the State and Con-

Keeping a Gaming House Declared a The Township Conventions were called to meet at the respective voting places on Friday, the 18th day of June, to elect dele-MEMPHIS, June 7.—The Supreme Court this morning rendered a decision in affirming the verdict of the Criminal Court of gates to the County Convention, and also to elect a Township Executive Committee this county in the case of the State vs. Garvin, in which the constitutionality of the of five for each township.

The proceedings were ordered sent to act passed by the late Legislature, making the keeping of a gaming house a felony was being tested. Garvin was sentenced to one

FIRST SENSION.

Senate Not in Session-A Few Bills Considered and Passed by the House. [By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] WASHINGTON, June 5 .- The Senate no

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House passed the bill providing for the sale of real estate owned by the United States at Harper's Ferry, Va., and also the Senate bill authorizing the mayor and city council of Nashville to construct a free bridge across Cumberland River. Also, bill for the relief of Ellen Call Long and Mary K. Brevard, next of kin to R. K. Call, of Florida. Also, a bill forfeiting lands awarded the California & Oregon R. 3. June 14th and 17th were set apart for onsideration of the bill to amend Thurman sinking fund act. Also, bill forfeiting the land grant to the St. Louis & Iron Mountain R. R. In consideration of forfeiting, the Iron Mountain R. R. Co. is relieved from obligations of and grant railroads. Mr. Lewis, of Louisians, then called the

bill for forfeiture of the New Orleans Baton Rouge & Vicksburg land grant. This was opposed by Mr. Ellis, of Louisi-ana, and Mr. Belford, of California, who contended that a question of this impor-tance should be considered by a full House. They raised the point of no quorum and interjected motions to adjourn over, and were supported by a majority of e Republicans, which drew forth a serk from Springer that while the

SENATE.

mittee of the Whole on the private calendar.

The committee remained in session for two

hours, but its sitting was devoid of the

slightest interest. The bulletin board in

the lobby was the object which attracted

all attention, and the hum of conversation

among members assembled about it was

borne into the House, making the dull pro-

ceedings noisy and confused. At 2 o'clock,

without the transaction of any business,

the committee and the House took a recess

until 8 o'clock; the evening session to be

No Session of the Senate-Reports from

House Committees-A Bill Passed

Concerning the Jurisdiction of Cir-

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. O'Neill, of Pa., presented the peti-

tion o' J. A. Mower, Past Grand of the

Potomac, for the establishment of a Na-

tional Solders' Home at some point in the

Mr. Curtis, of Pa., from the committee

on Foreign Affairs, reported back the reso-

lution calling on the Secretary of State for

information as to the manner of the ex-

penditure of the money appropriated to defray the expenses of the French and

On motion of Mr. Culberson, of Tex., a

bill was passed amending the act to deter-

mine the jurisdiction of United States

Circuit Courts, and to regulate the removal

of cases from State to Federal Courts. The

bill increases the minimum jurisdiction of

Circuit Courts from \$100 to \$2,000; takes

away from those Courts jurisdiction of

causes in favor of assignees of promissory

notes and bills of exchange; and also of

suits of a civil nature arising between a

corporation and a citizen of any State, in

which the corporation may have been

carrying on business at the time the cause

of action accrued; and restricts to the de-

fendant the right to remove the cause from

Mr. Hoblitzell, from the Committee on

Reform in the Civil Service, reported ad-

versely the bills to repeal the Civil Service

Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania, from the

committee on Appropriations, reported the

General Deficiency bill, and it was referred

Mr. Campbell called up the bill repealing

the preemption and timber act laws and

amending the homestead laws. Several

amendments were adopted, and upon

another vote showing no quorum the

FOREIGN.

Relief Sent to a Disabled Steamer-The

London Times on Mr. Blaine's Nem-

ination-Treaty Concluded Between

LONDON, June 7 .- The steamer Maine,

from New York for Bremen, which broke

her shaft at sea, passed Scilly Island, at 6

o'clock this morning, under full sail-a

fresh wind blowing from the north at the

LONDON, June 7 .- In a leading article

discussing the results of the Chicago Con-

vention, the Times of this morning says:

'Mr. Blaine's nomination will be received with general satisfaction. Not only has he been the most popular candidate from the

outset, but he is beyond all question the most conspicuous and respected politician

in the ranks of the Republican party, which

has done itself honor by the nomination of

a so well known and distinguished man.

If the Democrats could make up their mine

to a definite and reasonable free-trade poli

cy, they would certainly secure more sym-

athy on this side of the Atlantic than has

nitherto been accorded them. In the mean-

time we must congratulate the Republic on

suited as Mr. Blaine to represent and up

hold the dignity of the United States."

Paris, June 7.—The new treaty between France and Annam has been signed.

By its terms the provinces of Ben-Thuan

and Thau-Gea are restored to Annam: a

customs system, similar to that in force in

Cochin China, is established; a French

military occupation of all strategic points

in Annam and Tonquin, may be effected,

if necessary; a permanent French garrison

will hold a portion of the citadel of Hue,

INDIANA.

enator Harrison Thinks Blaine has

Great Elements of Strength as a Pres-

Indianapolis, June 7. - In an interview

Senator Harrison said he was well pleased

with the nominations. He considered that

Blaine had great elements of strength; that

he is strong with the Irish, and will carry

he Pacific Slope, New York and Indiana.

The scandulous stories against him are not

believed. His own State approved him. Garfield gave him his confidence in the

most conspicuous manner possible. His foreign policy is approved by every one con-

ceding that we ought to come in closer re-lations with the States of SouthAmerica, and

have some of that immense trade which

England now enjoys. It is nonsense to

think he would involve us in war, and the

business of the country has nothing to fear

from him. He is sound on all just ques-

tions. Senator Harrison also warmly ap-

proved the choice of Logan for Vice Pres

TENNESSEE.

year in the penitentiary.

the capital of Annam.

idential Candidate.

the choice of a candidate so eminently

time. A tug has gone to her assistance.

act, and they were laid on the table

to the committee of the Whole

House adjourned.

France and Annam.

a State to a Federal Court.

American Claims Commission.

for the consideration of Pension bills.

cuit Courts, &c.

Gulf States. Referred.

But Little Business Transacted in Rither House Yesterday. WASHINGTON, June 6 .- Without trans-

acting any business of any consequence, the Senate adjourned to Monday morning. tege was expected to arrive at Beaufort at HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House at 12 o'clock went into com

Thinking of Settling Among Us. Capt. S. W. Noble has received a letter from Prof. A. C. Cook, of Kittrell, Vance county, stating that he saw the article in the STAR of May 20th in reference to grape and fruit cultivation in New Hanover county, and making a number of inquiries in regard to the business, the possibility of his getting a suitable place for strawberries, melons, early cabbages, etc., in the neighporhood of Capt. Noble, proposing to go into the business of manufacturing wine, &c. Prof. Cook says wine making has been his main business since the war, and he does not propose to quit it; but at the same time he would like to engage in the strawberry and melon business in their season. On account of shipping facilities and a good home market he thinks a small place (about twenty-five acres) near Capt.

Gen. S. H. Manning is in Brooklyn,

ONSLOW COUNTY.

Democratic Mass Meeting-Appoint A mass meeting of the Democratic citizens of Onslow county was held at Jacksonville, on the 2nd inst., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State and

The meeting was called to order by C. Thompson, chairman of the executive com-On motion, A. J. Murrill was appointed permanent chairman, and G. F. Farnell

A committee was then appointed to draft resolutions for the consideration of the neeting, which resulted in the appointment Stump Sound; A. C. Huggins, Jackson

On motion ,the chairman and secretary

S. S. SATCHWELL, Chm'n. A. H. PADDISON, Sec.

GEN. SHERMAN.

He Will not Accept a Unanimous

Nomination-His Reasons Kept to

Himself-What his Friends Have to

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.]

Sr. LOUIS, June 5.—General Sherman was seen at his residence, yesterday, and asked about his acceptance of a nomination

by the Chicago Convention, and about the

rumored telegram to John B. Henderson.

"I sent no telegram to Chicago," he said; "but three days ago I mailed a letter to

Gen. Henderson. He telegraphed me last

to day and I am glad it got there." "You

could not accept then, a unanimous nomi-nation?" "No, I would not." "What

are your reasons?" "I have plenty of

morning, "All this talk about Gen. Sher-

nan not being a candidate is a humbug.'

the General's personal and most confiden-tial staff officer, is in the city, and has been

circulating extensively among the members of the Loyal Legion, of whom there are a great number in the city.

Col. Dayton said, "I knew that General

Sherman had never penned any such dis-

patch, as it was reported he had, saying that he would not serve as President of the

United States, even though he was nominated and elected. The position is this:

General Sherman has attained the highest

nonors which can be bestowed upon

used or whispered. Now it is certain that

John Sherman does not stand the

slightest show of being even more than mentioned in this connection. At

man are in no way antagonizing the inter-

ests of his brother, John Sherman, when

they say if the American people see fit to honor William Tecumseh Sherman

as the candidate for the nomination of

President of the United States, he will

tinued Col. Dayton, "Gen. Sherman is not

seeking the nomination, but his friends

have been assured that a large number of

the delegates will support him in case it is known that he would not decline."

CONFEDERATE HOME.

Auction Sale of Corn at Baltimore for

for Sale for the Same Purpose.

(By Telegraph to the Morning Star.)

the Benefit of the Institution-The

Grain to be Shipped to Wilmington

BALTIMORE, June 5.—Five bags of corn

(about ten bushels), a contribution from

Kansas City, Mo., for the Home of Con-

federate Soldiers, at Richmond, Va., was

sold at the Flour and Corn Exchange to-

day, by auction, and brought \$125. It was

again put up at auction and resold for \$33,

realizing an aggregate of \$169. The corn

will be shipped to Wilmington, N. C., to

purchaser again selling it for \$11-

this juncture the friends of Gen.

not decline the honor.

John Sherman, while he has bed

any man by the American people

by implication, his name to be

Col. L.M. Dayton, of Cincinnati, who was

Say About his Position.

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— Raleigh News-Observer: A gentleman from Halifax county, who was here yesterday, said there was frost in Halifax county last week, which badly damaged the cotton. The older plants are now dying out, particularly on stiff soils. — A large number of persons from this city intend to go to Chicago and see the Democratic National Convention. The fare will be chean, it is said be cheap, it is said.

Spirits Turpentine.

- Chadbourn Times: We are inormed that a colored child about six years old, living near here, drank some concen-trated lye, taking it for water, and it is thought to be in a critical condition. — Mr. Gaston Baldwin has shown us a turnip raised from seed sown in February, that weighs 7 pounds and 10 ounces. Col. Baldwin informs us that he carried two turnips to Wilmington since the war that weighed 21 pounds and some ounces.

- Laurinburg Enterprise: The old weather of the past few days has greaty checked the growth of cotton in this secion, almost killing it in some places. correspondent suggests Col. Rowland, of cumberton, for the Congressional nomination in this District. - Mr. J. A. Muse, night, and I presume my letter reached him one of the shop painters, was kicked on the knee by his horse last Sunday, from the effect of which he has since been confined. - The present incumbents were re-elected as county commissioners and county su-perintendent by the board of magistrates in session at Rockingham last Monday. them, but keep them to myself."

Col. N. A. Reed, of Centralia, said to a representative of the Associated Press, this

- Raleigh Visitor: The State Dental Association meets in this city on Monday, the 16th inst. — On the 2nd inst., we stated that in a difficulty at Swann's Station, Moore county, between Walter Morris and Harrison Graham, two young white men, that the former received a gun shot wound in the hand, which necessitated amputation. We are pleased to announce that our informant made a slight nistake—that the hand was not amputated out is very much inflamed, and some hopes are entertained that it may yet be saved. Harrison Graham, who did the shooting

led, and has not been apprehended. - Correspondence of the Raleigh Register: Caldwell county lies nearly in the centre of a tier of counties known as the nt section" of North Carolina, The d piedmont is fitly applied, it meaning be "foot of the mountain." The renown patless belt or the gentlement the second s county, and a total failure of the fruit is one of the most reliable sections for fruit in America. Thousands of bushels are annually shipped from this county, sellug in markets elsewhere. The apples grown are remarkable for their keeping ualities. It is no uncommon thing for the armers to keep them the whole year round.

At this writing I have luscious apples grown - Charlotte Observer: It seems hat another effort is being made to connect Rutherfordton, with Gaffney, S. C., by ail, Colonels Butler and Johnson, representing the Southern Railroad Construction Company, of Boston, having gone to Rutherford, last Friday, to sign the contract for building the road. They were preparing the papers on Saturday, and they were perhaps signed to day. This company agrees to build the whole line, about thirty miles, and receive in county and township bands \$125,000. They will furnish the balance of the capital. A corps of engineers will be put to work at an early day. - A large convention of the Democratic voters of Davidson county met at Lexington last Monday, every township in the county being represented. gates were appointed to the State Convention and twelve to the District Convention which latter meets in Salisbury. The delegates to Raleigh were unanimously in structed to vote for Scales for Governor and Stedman for Lieutenant Governor. There was some division of sentiment over the instruction of the Congressional delegates, Robbins and Pinnix dividing favors, but at length the delegates were instructed

- Raleigh News-Observer: John

S. Long has been reelected the Superinten-

dent of Public Instruction of Craven coun-

ty. — The Right Rev. T. B. Lyman, D. D., Bishop of this Diocese, will hold an

ordination in St. Augustine's church this

morning, and advance to the priesthood

three of the assistant teachers in St. Augus-

tine's normal school, the Revs. H. M.

Joseph, W. R. Harris and H. S. Hender-

the first in the history of the American

church at which three colored men have at

one time been admitted to priests' orders.

- A correspondent gives us some further

particulars of the late murder in Mitchell

county. Henry and Harrison Lineback

had gone into a mica mine to work it.

Borden, who was from Kentucky, had a

lien on the mine, forbade working it and

ordered them away, upon which high words passed between Borden and Henry

Lineback. Borden slapped Lineback down

and was immediately shot dead by Harri-

son Lineback. The dead-man with his

family were Monday carried to the depot, at Cranberry, on their way home. The

murderer made his escape. The shooting took place on the morning of the 30th May, about 10 o'clock. — CHAPEL HILL, N. C., June 3.—Hon. Henry Watterson, of

Louisville, Ky., who was to have delivered

to-morrow the annual address before the

graduating class at the University, did not

- Raleigh News-Observer: Mr.

Hilliard Yates died at his home near

Green Level, Chatham county, on Tuesday

ast, aged about 65 years. He had many

relatives in Wake county. - A corres-

condent at Halifax writes that Mr. Isaac

Levy, one of the largest merchants of En-field, has made an assignment to Tyler Branch, for the benefit of his creditors.

— Col. Walter Clark told a reporter yes-terday that sixty-one years ago, Rev. Mr. Newell left Halfax county, near where

Littleton now stands, and went to Gran-

ville. He remained there a year, as deputy

sheriff, and in 1824 left for the far West

Two weeks ago he returned to Halifax county from his home in far away Oregon.

- ASHEBORO, June 2, 1884.—The Ran

will be solid for Prof. J. L. Tomlison of

This service, it is probable, will be

to vote for Robbins.

be sold there by auction for the same purонго.

Salvation Army Arrested and Jailed at Cleveland.

(By Telegraph to the Morning Star.) CLEVELAND, June 7 .- A Salvation Army, numbering twenty-four men and women, was arrested last evening for disturbing the peace by parading the streets, singing, shouting, praying and playing musical in-The Army was kept in jail over night, and this morning arraigned at the police court. Capt. Walker and three others were tried jointly and convicted; Walker being fined \$16 and costs, the others \$5. The remaining twenty demanded jury trials and were put under bail. In eassing sentence Judge Hutchins said the Salvation Army has become a nuisance and must be suppressed like any other nuisance. He would impose a light fine as a warning, but if arrested again he would inflict the full penalty of the law every time.

CHICAGO.

The Dreary and Deserted Hotel Corridors-Meeting of the Republican National Committee. By Telegraph to the Morning Star. CHICAGO, June 7 .- A large number o

lelegates left by the late night trains. It is estimated that about half of the entire number have gone, and the corridors of the hotels again look dreary and deserted. The Republican National Committee neld a session to-day and elected John R. Mason, of W. Va., temporary chairman, and George W. Hooper, of Vermont, temporary secretary, and adjourned to meet at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, June 26th. A committee, composed of Lawson, Chaffee, Elkins and New, was appointed to arrange for permanent headquarters in

NEW YORK.

Courtney Fails to Appear for his Race with Ross-The South Carolina Pedestrian's Arrival in New York City Beath of a Veteran Editor.

dolph Democracy met in convention at the court house to day. The convention was a representative body and was largely at-tended. Dr. J. M. Worth was endorsed [By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] OAK POINT, June 7 .- Courtney failed t ppear to-day at the time for starting in his with enthusiasm, and the delegates from ace with Ross, who rowed over the course this county instructed to vote for him first n 23 minutes 594 seconds. Distance, last and all the time. M. S. Robins, Esq. was heartily and unanimously endorsed three miles with a turn. NEW YORK, June 7 .- Capt. Robert W andrews, who has walked from Sumter, and recommended for Congress from this . C., arrived here to day. He goes from district. The delegates to the Congressional nominating convention were instruct-James Watson Webb, the veteran editor, ed in his favor. There were no further instructions but it is probable that the county

lied to-day. PENNSYLVANIA.

President Riddle of the Penn Bank Released on Ball-Suits Against Di rectors of the Bank.

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] PITTSBURG, June 7.—The bail of President Riddle, of the Penn bank, was this evening reduced from \$100,000 to \$30,000. R. S. Stevenson, representing depositors, signed the bail bond and he was released. The depositors will now take steps to have Riddle testify against the directors in civil suits, over two hundred of which have been

TEXAS.

One Hundred Thousand Dollar Fire in Galveston. GALVESTON, June 7 .- Yesterday morn-

large two story brick, at the corner of Strand and Centre avenue. The ground floor was occupied by E. J. Beirring & Co., wholesale grocers; Lynch & Penland, auction commission merchants; and Adone & Labit, private bankers and cotton factors. The second story was occupied by cotton firms and the French consular office. Loss \$100,000.

MASSACHUSETTS. Temporary Shut-Bown of a Cotton

SPRINGFIELD, June 7 .- One of seven cotton mills of the Dwight corporation, at Chicopee, has been shut down from four to eight weeks, because of the continued rise in the price of cotton, as compared with the receipts from finished cloth. No em-ployes have been thrown out of work.

London, June 7.—The Pall Mall Gazette says: The Cabinet meeting next Monday will be the most important that has been held since the formation of the present ministry. Earl Granville must explain to his colleagues how he came to invite the Turks to assist in the reconquest of the Soudan. Otherwise there is only one way to allay the storm.

Forsyth, for Superintendent of Public Instruction. The delegation to the State Convention is divided between Gilmer and - Charlotte Observer: We regret learn of the death in Davidson College esterday afternoon of Mrs. J. W. Hood, fter a brief and painful illness Susan A. Brown, wife of Mr. R. H. Brown, died in this city yesterday afternoon. -As the Charlotte bound passenger train on the North Carolina Railroad passed Salem Junction vesterday morning, the passengers saw the mangled remains of a negro mar ying on the platform between the tracks of the Salem branch and the North Carolina roads. The unfortunate man was not known by any one connected with the train, and his body was laid by the track to await the arrival of the coroner. - Since the 20th May celebration, there has been a good peal of talk among our citizens about revivng the monumental association and going to work in earnest in the matter of erecting a monument to the men of 1775, in Independence Square. - About 11 o'clock last night, just after the german at the Pleasure Club's rooms

was well under way, the dancers were startled by the report of a pistol shot. The shot was fired in the dressing room, from which Tom Moore, the barber, who always acts as the club's valet, on occasions like that of last night, was seen rushing from the room with a stream of blood pouring from his hand. He had been fooling with a pistol, and it had accidentally exploded. The bullet tore up the unfortunate barber's hand in a very painful and serious manner. — Mention was made in the Observer yesterday of the effort being made to con-nect Rutherfordton with Gaffney City, S. C., by rail, and now we are able to report the fact that the effort will prove successthe fact that the effort will prove successful. The Boston men who propose to build the line were met by the people of Rutherfordton, and an agreement was entered into between them. All the necessary papers were signed and delivered last Tuesday, and work is to be commenced immediately upon the road. Rutherford county subscribed \$100,000 towards the building of the road. It is to be a narrow building of the road. It is to be a narrow

legion. The following must suffice -Grant, Babcock, Williams, John Sherman, Simon Cameron, Belknap, George M. Robeson, Delano, Akerman, Will Chandler, Garfield, Dorsey, Hayes, Wheeler, Jo Bradley, G. F. Hoar, Oakes Ames, Stanley Matthews, Zach Chandler, E. W. Stoughton, Jas. E. Anderson, Blaine, Arthur, Brewster, and a thousand others of more or less tarnish. These are "the statesmen that are or were so confided in and loved at home and abroad, for some are dead and have "gone to their place." Verily, the Missouri Henderson is, as Artemus Ward would say, "an amoosing cuss,"

THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM. The platform adopted at Chicago by the Republican Convention is worth examining. It is very broad

and sweeping. It is a regular dragnet. It takes in the poor, the rich, the negroes, the Chinese and all. It takes in everything. It is adroitry drawn. The Republicans are always very smart when they set to work to get up a platform. They are experts in adopting planks that meet current issues, and they do not boggle over questions of consistency or past records. The truth is that Republi cans in Convention assembled are not handicapped with conscientious scruples. It matters not what may have been the past history of the party when they go into platform building they select such timbers as they think side soluter. Hear Gen. Henderson, | will hold whether it be Democratic timber or their own. The Republican platform builders are like weather-vanes; they catch the popular breeze. They are as sensitive to veering public sentiment strain. Said the facetious Missou- as the vanes are to shifting winds. rian, as he strained hard to keep They accordingly build to catch down an explosion of laughter on his votes. They would as soon advocate one principle as another. The only question with them is -Will this strike the popular heart-

> begins and the platform is constructed accordingly. Let us glance at some of the leading issues raised in the latest pronunciamento of the Republican party.

1. This Union of States is openly proclaimed to be a "United Nation." It is remarkable that it was not resolved that the "United Nation" should be hereafter used as a substitute for the name "United States," for they declare that they are no longer a "Confederacy of States" but a "NATION." This is the only honest part of the declaration concerning the present character of the Government. In as much as there are possibly a half million or a million voters who have not bowed the knee to the National Baal that has been set up by the Republican party for popular worship, and who still hold to the doctrine of the fathers-of Washington, Jefferson, Madison and the patriots of their time-that this is an Union of Independent Sovereign States, a paragraph is added as meaningless as Grant's saying when Babcock and the St. Louis whiskey thieves were about to be caught-"Let no guilty man escape." The Republican Consolidationists, meaning nothing as their past acts show most conclusively, declare that "the States have reserved rights,"

See how they contradict themselves. They have learned the words of patriotism from the Democrats, but they do not understand their import. They write that it is a "United Nation," and no longer a "Confederacy of States," and then, catching up the language of the Democrats, they prate about "faithfully maintaining" the "reserved rights of States" and of preserving "the Union." They ought to read up. They think it is possible to deceive the people by using the language of all of the larger towns in North patriotism whilst claiming the pow- Carolina would show, we may supers of centralization. Augustus pose, almost as wide a difference as Rome by a studied conformity to the traditions of the country. That | Only Charlotte and Wilmington pect the traditions of Rome whilst for the township and not for the

with jealous care," and in order that

the "Union may be kept inviolable."

powers and vet veiling his designs. The Republicans cannot deceive intelligent men whilst trying to consolidate the Government by employing the language of men who believe in a Government of the people and by the people and for the people. So much for the declaration of Con-

2. Another noticeable deceptive deliverance is that in which the Convention pledges itself to leading in "reform," and to "purity in legislation," and "integrity and accountability in all departments." That heats Henderson's funny speech Every Administration since the war corrupt. The millions, the hundreds WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, JUNE 13, 1884. Gen. Henderson, who presided over

Death of John Price, who was Shot by FORTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS. an Unknown Party.

John Price, the colored man who was shot while passing through an alley in the southern section of the city a week ago last Thursday morning, died on Friday after noon at 3 o'clock. It will be remembered that the surgeon failed to find the ball, although he traced its direction. The symptoms pointed to an injury of the kid ney and liver. The wounded man gradu ally improved for a week, and at the end of that time, Dr. Macumber tells us, he wanted to get up and dress himself. Then he was left without any attendant one entire night, and in fact had very little necessary treatment for twenty-four hours, in consequence of which he began to grow worse and worse until he died. A post mortem examination was held by Dr. J. C.

40) had passed through the wight kidney, liver and gall bladder. raken to Beaufort. The remains of the late R. W. Chadwick vere taken to Beaufort for Interment yes erday, being in charge of Messrs, L. A. Potter and B.J. Bell, of that place, who were accomd on their sad journey by the bereaved

Macumber yesterday morning, at 11 o'clock,

when it was found that the ball (size 38 or

lates a large number of the fr sed having asse number also followed the remains to the depot, the following gentlemen officiating as pall-bearers : Dr. W. W. Harriss, Dr. W. W. Lane, Mr. B. A. Hallett, Col. Roger Moore, Mr. W. H. Turlington and Capt. W. M. Parker. The mournful cor-

bout 9 o'clock last evening.

that he has all the fixtures necessary for going into the wine business. We are glad to note that public attention s being awakened to the fact of the adaptability of the soil and climate of this section

being one of the committee to make arrangements for the approaching re-union of the Grand Army of the Republic in that city on Wednesday and Thursday next. Blaine will be there, Logan will be there,

tee, Messrs. C. Koonce, Frank Thompson Jr., and G. W. Smith, were called upon who responded with thrilling speeches. Through Mr. A. C. Huggins, the committee reported the following: Resolved. That the course of our worthy Representative in Congress, Hon. Wharton Green, meets our approval and we re Resolved, That we recommend for the office of Lieutenant Governor Maj. Chas. M. Stedman, of New Hanover, a man in all respects capable, worthy and deserving of the position, and one who will ad trength to the State ticket. Resolved, That whoever the State and Congressional Conventions may nominate we agree to bury all personal preferences

and give to each our hearty and united sup-

STATE CONVENTION. Sound-Hill E. King, Dr. R. W Ward: Jacksonville-John Mashburn, N E. Armstrong; Richlands-E. Murrill Frank Thompson, Jr.; White Oak-C. Gerock, C. S. Hewitt; Swansboro-G. S. Farnell, Major Russell; County at Large-. B. Taylor, E. L. Franks, Jr. Stump Sound-N. N. McMillan, J.

vere added to the list of dele the State and Congressional Conventions.

Wilmington STAR for publication. house it adjourned.
A. J. MURRILL, Ch'm. G. T. FARNELL, Sec'y.

gressional Conventions to meet here on Monday the 16th day of June, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

for Rostrock, Germany, yesterday, by Messrs. E. Peschau & Westermann, with 3,190 barrels of rosin, valued at \$5,050; also the schooner J. P. Wyman, Captain Yorrey, for Port-au-Prince, Hayti, by Messrs. E. Kidder & Sons, with 156,105 feet lumber and 26,850 shingles, valued at \$2,660.62. Total \$7,719.62. the Wilmington papers with the request to publish the same.