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Declaration of Purposes.-Profoundly

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To strive to secure the establishment

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ential, unity; in all things, charity."

should set forth our declaration of in-

tentions, we the refore resolve:

WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, JULY 11, 1890.

WASHINGTON.

was held this morning, lasting an hour

and a half. One of the members says

the time was spent as it was yesterday

in general discussion of the financial

noon until Saturday morning. It is

upon some basis of action. One of the

questions upon which the conferees are

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the House and the Senate conferees re-

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

The Celebration in New York by the Tam-

many Braves-Bold Denunciation of the

Republican Majority in Congress-How

the Day Was Observed in Richmond, Va.

New York, July 4.-Tammany Hall

was profusely hung to-day with Ameri-

to join in the celebration of Indepen-

dence Day. The reading of the Decla-

General George B. McClellan. William

whose chief glory it is that he re-

ceived the censure of the Republican

Speaker of the House of Representa-

believe in a nation with a big'N.' They

did not believe that the majority has the

federal election law, the infamous pur-

pose of which cannot be mistaken.

Never in the life of the nation has such a

honestly elected members of the House

of Representatives, they have devised

this scheme to enable them to count out

idea that the Declaration of Indepen-

dence was the protest of honest and

sturdy men against the wrongs

and oppression of misgovernment

Our fathers, in establishing a new go-

vernment upon the will of the people,

and consecrated to their care and 'just

protection, could not prescribe the

cal parties its conduct and administra-

RICHMOND, VA., July 4.—Independence Day was observed here by a gen-

eral suspension of business, the firing

of the national salute at sunrise by the

Henry made his famous speech, "Give

me liberty or give me death," and a

**ASHEVILLE** 

parade of the colored military.

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By Telegraph to the Morning Star,

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### MINOR MENTION.

As was anticipated from the start the Lodge force bill passed the lower House of Congress Wednesday by a majority of six, not a very large majority after the vigorous application of the caucus whip, but large enough for all practical pur-We published yesterday the letter poses. To their honor be it said of Senator Vance to Elias Carr, Prethere were three, and only three, Rerident of the North Carolina Farmpublicans who had the manhood to ers' Alliance, a letter called for by refuse to be whipped in, and who the numerous reports in reference to had the patriotism to oppose this inhis position on the sub-treasury bill, famous measure to the last. Mr. and also by certain events which Lehlbach, of New Jersey, (solitary have taken place in our State since and alone from the North,) Mr. Colethe sub-treasury bill was introduced the Senate by him, at the request man, of Louisiana, and Mr. Ewart of this State, (who was paired on the of representatives of the Alliance and final vote.) Several amendments the Industrial Union, one of which were offered on the last two doubtless was the "demands" of the days to modify the most arbitrary Mance, presented to candidates for and oppressive features of the bill, but all except one were voted down. In this letter Senator Vance pro-There were eight Democrats who hims his sympathy with the aims failed to vote Tuesday on the Lehland objects of the Alliance, but bach amendment providing that the warns its leaders as a friend and law be applied to every district in well-wisher, to keep politics out of the United States. If they had been he organization and the organizain their seats and voted the Demofrom out of politics if they would precrats would have had a majority of serve it and not defeat the very obtwo and the bill would have been practically killed. Senator Vance In an editorial on this subject several days ago commenting upon the is quoted as saying that every one test questions presented to Col. H. of these Democrats who failed in their duty in an emergency like this C lones, and since then to other candidates for Congress, we took should be denounced from one end ubstantially the same position that of the country to the other, and we agree-with him. It was sim-Senator Vance takes in his letter, and ply the most criminal desertion, for we spoke sincerely as one wishing which there is neither justification the Alliance well, and recognizing nor palliation. With its small mathe benefits it had already conferred jority of six the bill now goes to the upon the farmers and the Benefits it Senate, where there is no gag rule, may yet confer if managed with disnor limitation of debate, where the minority have a voice and may be it is a good organization and wiseheard. And they will be heard. In conducted may become a mighty addition to this the Republican Senactor in directing public 'thought adia shaping the public policy of this ators are not as anxious for the passage of that bill as Tom Reed Government, but the day it commits tself as a political organization that and his lieutenants, and there are some of them who are not averse to tay the seeds of discord and of quick nipping that young man's pinfeathers, and the probabilities are Originally the organization was that they will avail themselves of not a political one, nor intended to this opportunity to do it. The he a political one, as is shown by the Senate may save the country from following declaration of purposes by the infamy of this outrageous

The Democratic Convention at Scranton, Pennsylvania, Wednesday, did good work in the nomination of ex-Governor Pattison for Governor and of ex-Lieut. Governor Black for Lieutenant Governor. They are a strong team, so strong that when in 1882 they ran together they overcame a Republican majority ot 40,-000 and were elected. The nomination of Delamater, Quay's man, a ently exercise it for the enactment and few days before at Harrisburg has caused wide-spread dissatisfaction among the anti-Quay Republicans of Il questions involving the interests of the State, many of whom have openly and unmeasuredly denounced To constantly strive to secure entire it as a betrayal of the party. Conspicuous among these is Wharton Barker, editor of the Philadel-To suppress personal, local, sectional phia American, one of the most inand national prejudices; all unhealthful fluential Republican papers in the State, who concluded his ringing ar-To assuage the sufferings of a brother ind sister, bury the dead, care for the raignment of the Convention with widows, and educate the orphans; to exthe declaration that the American would cordially support Gov. Pattison, if nominated by the Democrats, and national issues were not involved others, and to protect the principles of in the campaign. The Democrats, There is nothing in this declaration are united, hopeful and aggressive of purposes that any citizen who the Republicans divided, doubtful loves his country and wishes well to and on the defensive, and on the his fellow men cannot conscientiously while the outlook for the Democrats and heartily subscribe to, whether he

measure.

be a farmer or not. There is nothing in them that Senator Vance, as a To-day is the anniversary of the man, citizen and Senator, could not Declaration of Independence, which endorse, and there is nothing in them will be celebrated to a greater or less that ex-President Cleveland, to whom | extent throughout the United States. the finger of fate again points as the It should be celebrated not simply Democratic candidate for the Presi- with display of bunting, booming dency, the most conspicuous figure cannon, and spread-eagle oratory, in the party, could not endorse and but with ringing protests against the did not endorse when they were infamous election bill which under the spur and whip of the conspiratpresented to him. Such an organization, based upon these prinors who controlled the Republican ciples and actuated by these high caucus has just passed the lower resolves must become a powerful House of Congress. The spirit and factor for good, but the very mo- purpose of this bill is to destroy the who killed his father with a shot gun at it, as an organization, enters liberties for which the signers into the political arena, and mixes of this Declaration contended up in party contentions, it abandons and in defence of which so many of to a great extent its high moral the true men of those days laid down ground, lowers its character, lessens | their lives. If there ever was a time its influence, and is powerful only to when the liberty-loving people of the extent of the votes it may be this country who value the liberties able to control. It would not be which their ancestors won and belong before it as a political organi- queathed to them, and would hand zation, would be on the same plane them down unimpaired to their poswith other political organiza- terity, should get together in countions, and aspiring men with cil and enter their solemn and emlittle and great ambitions, would phatic protest against this infamous be endeavoring to use it to scheme of the conspirators, who are further their ambitions. They would intent upon holding power in spite succeed to a greater or less extent of the people, and ruling with an unless that organization was man- iron rod, it is now. In no more paaged with more consummate wisdom | triotic or appropriate way can this | for Capt. Jas. D. McIver for Judge of than any other political organiza- great anniversary be celebrated. | the Superior Court.

## STATE TOPICS.

The Democracy of Wilson county met in convention at Wilson last Tuesday, and nominated with much harmony a full ticket for the county and the Legislature. A resolution was passed instructing Wilson's representative in the Legislature to vote for the re-election of Senator Vance, and to use all honorable means to secure it. The report in the Raleigh

Chronicle says that at mention of Vance's name the convention went wild with enthusiasm, so much so that W. S. Barnes, ex-editor of an Alliance paper, withdrew his opposition to the instructions, in view of the emphatic sentiment the other way. This convention was doubtless composed of a majority of farmers, and its action is significant on the Senatorship. We venture the assertion here, that there is not a Democratic Convention which will assemble in this State where a similar resolution, if offered, would not be overwhelmingly, if not unanimously, carried. Talk about beating Vance for the Senatorship in North Carolina is simple nonsense. It can't be done. Politicians on the other side of the fence who think they are going to find the Alliance playing into their hands to bring this about were never more fooled in their lives, and will discover if they haven't done so already, that the Alliance isn't that kind of an institution. Vance is solid with the Democrats in the Alliance and with the Democrats outside of the Alliance, and that ought to be solidity

enough for all practical purposes. Mrs. Hendricks, of Indiana, don't seem to have a very towering admiration for Mr. Cleveland, if it be true | Mamie B., Owen Fennell. . . . . . 11 30 00 as reported, that she on the occasion of the recent unveiling of the monument to her husband, said to Gov. Hill that if he let Cleveland beat him for the nomination she didn't want him ever to come to her house again If Mrs. H. controls the Indiana delegation Gov. Hill can doubtless count on that being solid for him

President Harrison is charged with neglecting his grandfather's grave. Perhaps he thinks he has enough to do in trying to fill his grandfather's hat, and that ancestral reverence should not require any more of him.

Philip B. Downing, of Boston, a young colored man, son of Philip Downing the noted negro abolitionist, has invented a device for switching cable and electric cars, which is said to be a decided improvement on the methods now in use.

Red Springs Fair-Additional Premiums. In addition to the special premiums offered by Wilmington merchants for the Fair at Red Springs, Robeson county, August 15th, and published Friday in the STAR, the following are an-

A. David, clothing manufacturer, wholesale and retail dealer, offers a suit of clothes to the boy from 6 to 12 years old of Red Springs Academy, or the Lumber Bridge High School, for the highest average mark in punctuality. J. C. Stevenson & Taylor, grocers,

Wilmington, N. C., will give \$5 for the greatest quantity and best quality of milk, given by any cow on exhibition at the Lumber River Industrial and Live Stock Association, as a result of the use of "Champion Food," sold by J. A. McRay, Red Springs, N. C.

The North State Oil Co., one barrel best engine oil to the mill in the counties of Robeson, Richmond or Cumberland, that cuts the most lumber in one day, (from sun to sun) capacity of engine and number of hands considered.

The Purcell Under New Management Mr. August, Roder, proprietor of the Purcell House, has sold his interest to Messrs. E. L. & J. H. Hinton, who will take charge immediately. Both of the new proprietors are young men of pluck and perseverance and will undoubtedly do well. Mr. Joe Hinton has had considerable experience in the hotel business, and is a first class hotel man. Mr. Edgar Hinton is well known in this city for his strict attention to business, and both of these young men are of irre-

proachable character. Mr. Roder will continue at the Purcell and will be of great value to the house. The new management will keep up the hotel to the first class standard it has heretofore enjoyed and nothing will be spared to please the public.

Another Onslow Road.

It is with great pleasure, says the Burgaw Herald, that we announce to our readers that the Atlantic Coast Line contemplate building the railroad from here into Onslow county. Col, Garduer and a corps of surveyors passed down the road yesterday and engaged teams to begin the surveys next Thursday.

Avery Butler's Sentence Commuted Avery Butler, the fifteen year old boy victed and sentenced to be hanged July 11th, has been granted a commutation of sentence to life service at hard labor in the penitentiary, on the recommendation of the Judge, Solicitor and others.

Third Judicial District. The Democratic Convention held at Rocky Mount, to nominate a solicitor, on the 418th ballot nominated Jno. E. Woodward for the position. The last ballot was as follows: Woodward 147. Suggs 72, Battle 43, Henry 1.

Moore County Convention.

A special dispatch to the STAR says he Democrats of Moore county, in convention yesterday, instructed delegates to the Judicial Convention to vote solid

### THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

mocks and Ocean View-Crowds of Visitors-The Regatta-Shooting Match -Fireworks, Etc. There was little of the air of a "glori ous Fourth" in the city last Friday, beyond observances customary on a general holiday-the closing of stores and other places of business. The weather was too hot for anything demonstrative; but great crowds of people left the city and sought and found enjoyment and relief from the great heat at the seaside. AT CAROLINA BEACH

There were many visitors, the steamers Sylvan Grove and Passport making additional trips to accommodate the people. There was a fine breeze throughout the day at this pleasant resort and the bathing was splendid. Music was provided for the dancers in the pavilion, and during the afternoon and evening Germania Cornet Band entertained the visitors with some fine selections. At night there was a display of fire works on tde beach which was very much enjoyed.

ON WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH. It is estimated by the Seacoast railroad authorities that fully 5,000 persons visited the Hammocks and Ocean View during the day, the greater num ber making the latter place their point of destination. Two trains of eight coaches each were running all day between Wilmington and the Hammocks, beginning at six o'clock in the morning, and the last train leaving on the return to the city at one o'clock yesterday

The regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club, sailed over the Wrightsville course, began at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and was watched with absorbing interest by hundreds of spectators assembled in and near the Club House. The start was made in the following order, viz:

ij	Francis Marion, W. N. Harriss. 11 30 43
4	Lulic, Willie Atkinson
	Lillian Florence, H. M. Bowden . 11 31 18
	Winona, G. R. French
1	Phantom, J. K. Williams11 32 2
	Pirate, Norwood Giles
	Mascotte, G. D. Parsley
	Peggotty, T. Wright Meares 11 33 49
	The boats came in at the finish a
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	The first prize, a handsome painting,
	was won by the Pirate. The second, a
	silver sugar bowl, by the Lulie, and the

third, a silver cream pitcher, by the Mamic B. Rev. C. L. Arnold presented the

prizes at the Club House, feliciting the winners on their success in the regatta, and was happily responded to by Mr. Norwood Giles and Capt, O. A. Wig-The rifle contest took place at Ocean

View in the afternoon. The team from the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry won the first prize-\$100, presented by the Seacoast Railroad Co .- and the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry team won the second prize-\$25, presented by the Ocean View Co. The weather was fair, but there was a strong wind, which interfered somewhat with the marksmen. The military teams used the Springfield service rifle, and the "Wild Cat" team an old Spencer rifle, a relic of the late war, that failed to "carry" to the target in most instances. The distance was 200 yards; and the best possible team score 125, The following is the record of the shooting as officially reported by the judges, Col. W. L. DeRosset, Col. W. C. Jones and Mr. W. E. Perdew, viz: Co. E, 2d Regt., Maxton Guards.

1	Sellers, J. B 3 4 4 4 4—19
1	McBride, J
ď	McRae, J. W
	Total score60
	Co. E., 2d Regt., Lumber Bridge Light Infantry.
	Marley, A. J
d	Shaw, A. L 4 2 4 2 2—16
	Little, A. G
	Hall, J. W 4 5 3 4 4—20
	Marley, M. L
	-
j	Total score88
	B. F. White's "Wild-Cat" Team.
1	White, B. F 0 0 0 0 3-
ij	Lilly, E 0 2 0 2 3— '
	Cherry 0 0 3 2 4—
	Wrenn 3 0 4 0 0—
	White, John 0 0 0 0 0—
	Total score

Carter, J. W...... 2 4 3 4 4-17

McKinnon, A. J........ 0 3 0 4 5-12

Co. C, 2d Regt., Wilmington Light Infantry. Moore, Ed...... 3 5 3 4 2-17 Toomer, Whit...... 3 3 2 4 4-16 Morrison, W. R. . . . . . . . 4 2 3 3 3—15 Total score. Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry. Pemberson, A, J. . . . . . 4 4 4 4 4—20 Tomlinson, J. W. . . . . . 0 0 3 4 2— 9

Pemberton, E. L. .....4 3 4 4 4-19 .....4 4 2 4 4-18 Campbell, A. Broadfoot, J B...... 4 4 3 4 4-19 Total score.... Co. D. 1st Regt. Goldsboro Rifles. .....2 4 0 3 3-12 Creech, R. A. Harrison, W. T. . . . . . . 3 4 3 3 0-13 

Hammocks later in the afternoon, but the attendance was small, and but little Col. W. P. Canaday. interest was evinced in it. In the evening there was a grand dis-

play of fireworks at the Switchback station, that was viewed by thousands, and there was also a display at the Hammocks. Prof. Miller's band at the Hammocks and the Winston band and a colored

band at Ocean View played at intervals

throughout the day and in the after-

vilion at Ocean View and in the dining

room at the Hammocks.

Big Day at Carolina Beach, the Ham-There was a fine surf on the beach and all day long hundreds were disporting in the waves. Hotels, eating houses, bars and refreshment stands were liberally patroized, and the "Switchback' and other attractions were in full operation all day long. The crowd seemed to be intent on enjoyment, and to all appearance had it, without disturbance or disorder of any kind.

### RED SPRINGS FAIR.

Special Premiums to be Awarded at th Fair Beginning August 15.

The following special premiums have been offered by Wilmington merchants at the Fair and Live Stock Exhibition to be given at Red Springs, Robeson county, August 15: S. P. McNair, \$5 in gold, for the bes

plow boy (white) under 13 years of age. Alderman, Flanner & Co., one Carolina Plow, for the stalk of cotton showing the largest number of bolls. Growth R. W. Hicks, one box "Challenge Soap," worth & for the best display of

home made jelly. D. L. Gore, one barrel of D. L. G Flour, for the largest and finest display of vegetables, raised by any one person. Worth & Worth, \$5 in cash to the person exhibiting the best lot of canned

T. D. Love, one barrel of Ambrosia Flour, to the widow who exhibts the best specimen of corn bread, made by her-

Gleaves Hardware Company, \$5 in gold for the finest girl baby over six nonths and under two years old. I. Shrier, a fine umbrella worth \$2 50 to the young man 21 years of age, resi can flags, and was filled with Braves, and

dent of Robeson, Richmond or Cumresonant with patriotic music. Grand berland counties, N. C., or Marlboro Sachem Tappan opened the proceedings county, S. C., who can show the highest mark of punctuality in 1889 in Sunday by arising with his silk hat on his head. School; any denomination. as a token of his rank, and bidding wel-C. C. Covington & Co., one barrel o

come to the Braves who had assembled 'Fancy Royal Patent" flour for the best fruit cake to be made by a young ur married lady. Cake to be theirs. ration of Independence was intrusted to George R. McClellan, son of the late Sneed & Co., a handsome rocker worth \$6, to the oldest competitor (must be at least 50 years of age) who has never D. Bynum, of Indiana, was introduced,

used tobacco. R. M. McIntyre, \$5 to the young man of 21 years of age who has never used or indulged in any kind of intoxicating drinks. Evidence satisfactory to the committee will be required before pay

S. H. Fishblate, a fine stiff or soft ha o the ugliest looking man. Hall & Pearsall, \$5 in gold for cow giving the largest quantity of milk. Must be native and not over eight years

Thos. C. Craft, a nice rocking chair to the mother of the finest baby exhibited.

C. B. Mallett, \$5 for the finest display f farm products of 1890.

CLARENDON COAL FIELD CO.

Meeting of Stockholders in this City Officers Elected, Etc.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Clarendon Coal Field Co. was held in this city on Wednesday. Mr. A. P. C. Bryan, of Raleigh, was

called to the chair, and J. Bryan Grimes, majority, first proceeded to unseat a sufof Pitt county, was requested to act as The report of Dr. J. D. Bellamy, the

done this, they proceeded to pass a bill designed to intrench the Republican parreasurer of the company, was read and A majority of the stock being repre-

sented in person and by proxy an election of officers was had, with the fol-President—A. P. C. Bryan.

Treasurer-Dr. J. D. Bellamy.

Board of Directors-Paul C. Cameron, Raleigh, N. C.; George G. Loddell, Wilmington, Del.; Dr. J. D. Bellamy, Wilmington, N. C.; J. Bryan Grimes, Washington, N. C.; W. A. Wright, Wilmington, N. C.

An application of the Egypt Railroad & Coal Co., for a right of way over the lands of the Clarendon Coal Field Company was favorably considered. Howitzer battery, special service at old St. John's Church, where Patrick

This company was formed about the year 1854 and owns about two thousand acres of the best coal and timber lands of Chatham county, N.C. It is thought it will be soon developed, and in the near future we hope to see both oil and coal delivered from this company's property at this port.

## THE MACUMBER PROPERTY.

Purchased by a Syndicate Who Propose to Drain and Improve It.

The "Macumber property" has been purchased by a syndicate of capitalists of Richmond, Va., who propose to make improvements thereon that will add very much to the city in many ways. The purchase comprises a number of

acres of unimproved land lying within the city limits, east of Thirteenth and north of Market streets. It is proposed to thoroughly drain and clear the ground, lay off a portion for a park with walks and drives, and erect a number of neat residences with all modern improvements, to have the advantage of electric lights and street cars. The property is well located and can be drained and improved at moderate cost.

### THE BLACK HIGHWAYMAN. Reported to Have Been Seen on the Little

Bridge Road Three Miles from Town. Mr. C. H. Heide, whose farm is on the Little Bridge road, some three miles from the city, called at the STAR office yesterday. A few days since he saw, standing near the platform on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, immediately in rear of his farm, the bold negro highwayman who has been creating such consternation in that neighbor-

hood. He is thoroughly satisfied, after reading the description given in the STAR, as to the identity of the fellow. While here Mr. Heide invested largely in fire-arms and ammunition, and is now fully prepared for business. He says he could have captured the robber when he saw him near the railroad if he had been armed with a gun, as the black highway-

a short piece of scantling. Col. W. P. Canaday, for eight years

Sergeant-at-Arms of the United States Senate, retired from that office last Monday by resignation. He will remain in Washington and enter upon the practice of law before the Departments and Congress. Monday evening the employes of the Senate on the roll of the Sergeant-at-Arms gathered at Mr. Canaday's residence and presented him with a gold watch and chain with handsome noon and evening furnished music for dancing, which took place in the pa- the pages.

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An Unavailing Conference on the Silver WASHINGTON, July 3.-Another unavailing conference over the Silver bill

situation; that no proposition was presented and pressed with any particular force. An adjournment was taken at said that previous to that time Republican members of the conference will hold a meeting with a view to agreeing are two of the largest firms in the trade, and are battling in the front rank of the Employer's Association against divided is said to be whether any certificates to be issued in accordance with the bill shall be made a who forbade them with vehement gesticing previous to approval of the bill ulations to enter. Some were frightas well. Mr. Walker, one of the House ened away by the crowd and escaped toms duties to be paid in gold alone, but that was ruled out on the ground that Broadway, for two blocks, was the scene of a dozen running fights, and for a short time the strikers had it all their fore the conference. Mr. Bland, of the House conferees, is quoted as saying that the only serious difference between lates to the bullion redemption clause. worst of it. Around Meyer & Jonassen's shops the

### STRIKING TAILORS. Disturbance in New York with Proba-

bly Fatal Results.

NEW YORK, July 3 .- Abraham Rosenburg and a crowd of about one hundred and fifty other striking tailors, visited Eldrigde street, this afternoon, and began an indiscriminate attack upon Drellett, his wife and the workmen in the shop. Drellett defended himself with his revolver. He fired into the crowd, and shot Rosenberg in the back, inflicting a serious and probably fatal wound Rosenberg was removed to a hospital. and a coroner has been summoned to get Rosenberg's ante-mortem statement. Drellett closed his place against the strikers, but they broke in the shop, and besides beating the inmates they destroyed goods upon which they were working, and threw them into the street. Three or four shots were fired by Drellett, and it is believed that some others of the strikers, as well as Rosenburg, were injured, but so far they have not been found. Eight or nine of the strikers were arrested. There is considerable excitement on the east side of the

of regret, says in part: "The celebra-Lease Acquired from the Louisville tion contemplated by your organization Southern that Will Complete the Syswill fall short in the impressions due to

> By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Louisville to a connection with the Cin-This gives it a northern outlet, both to Cincinnati and Louisville, which is necessary to complete its system. The interest upon \$4,000,000 bonds. The

This lease adds no additional burden to the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad Company, but gives it an outlet to a very important centre on the Ohio river. The stock of the Louisville Southern road is held wholly by business men of Louisville, who have pledged themselves to join the East Tennessee Company to make its new line a valuable connection with the South and divide

The Fourth Celebrated by the Opening of Montford Park-The Populace Turn Out with Shovel and Spade and Open One Mile of Public Drive. By Telegraph to the Morning Star

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 4.—Asheville celebrated the Fourth to-day with a manimity and enthusiasm never before approached in her history. All of the business houses were closed, and the whole population and thousands of strangers gave themselves up to pleasure. The event of the day was the formal opening of Montford Park to the public by Hon. Richmond Pearson. One thousand men, white and colored, formed in columns of fours at the Court Square, armed with picks and shovels, and marched to the Park, three miles distant, and in an hour completed one mile of public drive, for which each man received one dollar. Thousands of spectators witnessed the novel scene.

## CLEVELAND COUNTY.

The Farmers' Alliance Decide not to Nominate Candidates, and to Abide by the Action of the Democratic Convention.

SHELBY, N. C., July 5 .- The annual meeting of the Farmers' Alliance of Cleveland county was held yesterday During the proceedings the question of nominating candidates was brought up, but after deliberation and discussion i was decided not to nominate Alliance candidates for any office, but to abide by the decision of the Democratic primaries, or the convention, which ever may be held in this county. The action of the Alliance mended by all our best citizens.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Three Persons Killed and Others Injured By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, KV., July 5 .- A big furniture van, containing a party of twentyone young folks, returning from a picnic on the farm of Mr. Frank A. King, two miles outside of this city, was struck by the south-bound express train at the Preston street crossing of the Louisville Southern Railroad, about 8 o'clock last evening, and three of the occupants were killed and the others injured. The train, which was going eighteen miles an hour, struck the wagon in the middle, cutting it in two, and scattering the bodies to the right and left, The train a gold watch and chain with handsome charm attached, the latter coming from taken to the Mary and Elizabeth hos-

### THE CLOAK MAKERS.

The New York Strikers Make a Determined Assault on the Men at Work-A Number of Persons Severely Injured-Work Progressing as Usual.

NEW YORK, July 3 .- A crowd of about two hundred striking cloak makers gathered on Broadway, between Leonard and White Streets, this morning at the hour, when the hands in Meyer & Jonassen's shops, at 334, and the Mercantile Cloak Company's place, at 394 Broadway, were going to work. These the striker demand. When the employes tried to enter the shops were surrounded by strikers, while those who persisted in the effort to enter the shops were seized and hustled away by force. In a few minutes own way, but soon the assailed men pluckily lought back, and as a consequence damaged heads among the strikers were plentiful. The working cloakmakers, however, generally got the

battle raged most fiercely. A dozen stri-kers caught Charles Butler, stock clerk, dragged him backward off the steps and maltreated him. Jos. Lerburger, buyer for the house, was beaten. An old operator named Quincey was set upon and so badly beaten that he had to be renoved to his home in a cab. William Wisner, another operator, received severe scalp wounds. He was taken to the Chambers street hospital for treat-

Neither pistols nor knives were used in the melee, the only weapons used beng fists and clubbed umbrellas. When the police arrived in force they had no difficulty in dispersing the mob They used their clubs freely.

Mr. Moorcraft, of the cloak firm, said he had no idea that violence would be used. He had supplied the places of the strikers, he said, and work was progressing as usual.

right to deprive the minority of its natural rights. The dangerto our institutions does | the tailoring shop of A. Drellett, of 19 The Republican majority has passed the deadly thrust at its liberties been made. This law was not intended for the South alone. Not satisfied with unseating Democrats before they can attempt to take their seats, With voice, with pen, with sword, the people should rise in their might and prevent the enaction of Chas. F. Crisp said the Republicans finding themselves without a working ficient number of Democrats to give them the majority they needed. Having

## EAST TENNESSEE R. R.

ty in perpetual power. Ex-President Cleveland, in his letter the occasion if it does not emphasize the

> NEW YORK, July 3 .- President Thomas, of the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railroad, says: "The Louisville Southern road, about 138 miles from cinnati Southern, has been leased to the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia. East Tennessee guarantees five per cent. net earnings of the road at the present time amount to about this sum.

business with the Louisville & Nashville road.

## MINING TROUBLES.

of the Strike in the Alabam Iron Works.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. BIRMINGHAM, ALA., July 3 .- For sevuncertainty among the industries of this region, owing to the movement among the miners for an increase of pay. Several thousand miners stopped work July 1st, pending settlement, and the order held a convention at the Pratt mines. The operators decided some ten days ago that they would "stand pat" on the present scale, and would continue to treat with the men only as employes, and not as an order A long struggle seemed imminent with all the miners, and the furnaces elosed but to-day the miners gracefully declined to press their demands. Other miners will follow this lead, and

the threatened trouble is over. All the men will go back to work on Monday.

### CHATTANOOGA. Meeting of Confederate Veterans-Ad-

dress by Gen. Gordon, of Georgia, and

CHATTANOOGA, July 3.-The first convention of the United Confederate that were left in the field. - A Veterans' Association, met in Chatta- strange dog, supposed to be mad, created nooga yesterday. Gov. John B. Gordon | quite a sensation in a portion of Matpresided. The city was gaily decorated. The address of welcome was delivered by Hon. Xen. Wheeler, an ex-Fed-

eral soldier, and was responded to by General John B. Gordon. The question of organizing the Sons of Confederate Veterans was referred to a committee and wiil probably be reported favorably. A memorial from the Woman's Jefferson Davis Monument Association of

New Orleans, asking co-operation, was

presented and several hundred dollars

were subscribed.

-Fayetteville Observer : Ethel Wicker, of this county is doubtless the youngest census enumerator in | day last. He accidentally fell down and North Carolina, and, probably, in the United States. She deserves all imaginable credit for the excellent and painstaking manner in which she carried on her work.

## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

- Goldsboro Argus: Heavy shipments of logs are now being made constantly over the A. & N. C. R. R., from down the line, to the extensive lumber mills of the Enterprise Lumber Company in this city, whose business is simply immense.

- Rockingham Rocket: The County Farmers' Alliance met here on Friday last, but all efforts on our part failed to elicit any official information as to what was done. It is understood, however, that a resolution was unanimously adopted endorsing Alexander for Congress from this district.

- Goldsboro Headlight: The cemetery sexton informs us that there were only two interments made during the month of June, which speaks vol-untimely and sudden demise of Miss Bettie, the 16-year old daughter of Mr. A. L. Sasser, which sad event occurred on Saturday, at the home of her parents in Fork township.

- Lumberton Robesonian: The crop reports from all parts of Robeson are still of the most encouraging character. - The Presbyterian church of Red Springs was organized last June with sixteen members. It now has sixty members. - We learn that a colored man, by the name of Buie, cut another named DeVane, at Red Springs on last Friday night. DeVane is not expected to live, and Buie has been committed to

- Laurinburg Exchange: By law the bar-rooms closed here at 12 o'clock last Monday night, and Laurinburg is to be dry. - Undaunted by their misfortune, our Baptist brethren have immediately gone to work to raise the money to rebuild their church. — The corn had began to twist and the cotton to droop from the effects of the continuous extreme heat of the past ten days, but refreshing rains in this section last Monday evening have given them new life and vigor.

-New Berne Journal: Mr. J. M. Allen, of Aurora, died on last Friday night. We learn that he had an attack of the colic. A doctor was sent for and he gave the patient a dose of chloroform, which brought great relief. Sometime after he left Mr. Allen grew worse again and sent to the drug store for more chloroform. He took a large dose, and the doctor came sometime after, and not knowing what the patient had been taking, gave him another dose of chloroform which caused death.

—Goldsboro Argus: News comes to us of a considerable fall of hail during the storm Monday afternoon in Providence township; but we are glad to know that it was confined to a small area, the only damage to any extent being reported from the plantation of Mr. C. F. R. Kornegay. — The Goldsboro Rifles will send a team of five to Wilmington on the Fourth of July, to compete in the State Guard target contest for the \$100 prize offered by that generous and public-spirited gentleman, Mr. Harry Walters, of the Atlantic Coast Line.

- Lenoir Topic: Mrs. Rachel Stine, wife of John Stine, died Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, of typhoid - Work began Monday on the Boone and Blowing Rock Telegraph line. It is said that the Ashe county people are contemplating extending the line on from Boone to Jefferson. --On Saturday afternoon there was a severe hail, rain and wind storm from the McLain flat on the turnpike to Patterson. The centre of the storm was about

Mr. Coffey's, at the toll-gate, and a mile or so down the river from there, where trees were broken down and uprooted and the corn badly injured by the hail. - Asheville Citizen: A sad case of drowning occurred at Hendersonville this morning, Robert Price, a lad ten or eleven years of age, was in a boat with other small boys, in a deep hole in the old run of Mud creek. One of the boys began to move the boat from side to side. This frightened Robert and he

None of the party could swim. The unfortunate boy sank in a few moments. Peter Stroud, a negro, was put in the lock up Saturday night for being on a drunk. During the night he attempted to escape from the third floor and fell from the window to the ground. His right ankle was broken and he received severe internal injuries.

- Charlotte News: The census of Charlotte has been concluded and the News learns in an unofficial way that the count makes Charlotte's population 11,749. - Mrs. H. E. Sigman, the wife of Leander Sigman, of Newton, N. C., who ran away with a negro man named Noah Robinson, one day last week, and went to Atlanta and were arrested, and allowed to leave on condition that they would leave the State, was arrested in Greenville, S. C., Monday last, at the request of the woman's husband They had rented a house and furnished it, evidently intending to make that place their home for a while at any rate,

- The Charlotte Investment and Improvement Company is the title of an organization that was incorporated today. - Mr. W. N. Falling, who represents a party of Northern capitalists, and who has been here for ten days or more working up options on Charlotte property, got his last option last night, and announces that he has secured options altogether on 426 acres of land east and south of the fair grounds, and on about 50 town lots. - Asheville Citizen: A terrible

shooting affair occurred at Bakersville last Saturday, in which Avery Parker was instantly killed, Bob Young shot eral weeks there has been a condition of | through the arm, sheriff Pritchard shot twice through the hand and Mr. Hambrick, the town marshal, shot through the body. Officers Pritchard and Bambrick were shot while attempting to arrest Parker. Mr. Hambrick was seriously injured. - From private letters received from Mr. Geo. R. Sampers it is learned that the two mad dog patients. Scott and Corpening, are doing nicely 'at Gibier's institution in New York. — Mrs. Wm. Davidson died at her home on the Swannanoa river, ten miles east of the city, yesterday morning. She was 70 years old and died of heart disease. - A cablegram from London announces that the Okesenokee swamp in Georgia and Florida has been sold to an English syndicate. Col Frank Coxe, of this city, and Gen. P. M. B. Young purchased the property, containing 1,500.000 acres, a short time ago, for 26 cents an acre, and it was sold by them for \$1 an acre, a profit of more - Chatham Record: Several per-

sons have informed us that suckers are growing from last year's cotton stalks bit several hogs belonging to Mr. J. W Dark, Jesse Stanley and others, and finally went into the house of Mr. T. R. Lambert, where Mr. Lambert killed it. - There was a mad dox excitement on last Sunday, in the neighborhood of Love's mill, in Baldwin township. A mad dog bit a mule of Mr. Henry Love's, several other dogs, and a negro child, before it was killed, — During a heavy thunder storm one night last week, an old clock belonging to Mrs. Patsey Bray, of Matthew's township, which had not run in several years, began to run again and has been running ever since and keeping good time. — Our venerable countyman, Mr. Henry C. Burns, met with quite a serious accident on Thursdislocated his hip, and has suffered intensely ever since. Such an injury to one of such an advanced age, 85 years, is very serious, and his friends are much alarmed as to his condition.