

THE SENTINEL.

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OUR TERMS.

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The Washington Mission.

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Political Parties.

It cannot be successfully controverted, that the untoward and disastrous results which have befallen the country, within the last five years, were the result of the fierce conflict of parties, the one to hold and the other to gain the control of the government.

At the North this same bitter, partisan rivalry still exists. The so-called Republican party will sacrifice political consistency, the Constitution and the country, to retain its power. This is a foregone conclusion, and no stone will be left unturned to defeat, and if possible, to demolish the Democratic party.

It is thus that, between the two, without any intention on the part of the Democratic party to effect that object, the South is to be ground to powder, if help comes from no other source. We say the Democratic party is too weak to accomplish its object, however good that object may be.

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STATE CONVENTION.

ADJOURNED SESSION. MONDAY, June 4.

The Convention was called to order at ten o'clock A. M. Prayer by Rev. J. M. Atkinson, of the Presbyterian Church.

The Journal of Saturday was read and approved. Mr. McGehee, for the select Committee to which was referred Mr. McDonald's resolutions declaring what has been done, and appointing a Committee to ascertain what is necessary to be done, to restore the State to the Federal Union, reported the following as a substitute:

Resolved, That a Committee of seven be appointed by the President of this Convention to proceed to Washington and confer with the authorities of the general Government and report the results of their conference to this Convention at an early day.

Mr. Ward introduced an ordinance to incorporate the North Carolina Petroleum and Mining Company. Referred to a standing committee of five, to be styled the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Phillips moved to amend the Declaration of Rights by adding the following: Sec. 27. All Courts shall be open, and every person for an injury done him in his lands, goods, person or reputation, shall have remedy by due course of law, and right and justice administered without sale, denial or delay.

On motion of Mr. Moore, of Wake, the following section was interpolated in Article II. between sections 13 and 14, viz: "The style of the acts and laws shall be 'Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, as follows:'"

Mr. Moore, of Wake, moved to amend by adding the following section: "Each member of the General Assembly before his taking his seat shall take an oath or affirmation that he is constitutionally qualified to take his seat."

On motion of Mr. Moore, of Wake, section 23, by striking out the words "by one-fifth of the members present" (The section as it stands requires a call for the yeas and nays in the General Assembly to be sustained by one-fifth of the members present.)

For the Sentinel.

Messrs. Editors:—Since the present Convention has thought proper to take some few matters of legislation into their hands, (per se,) we are of opinion they ought so to do, we would very respectfully call their attention, through the columns of the Sentinel, to several matters that we conceive to be of considerable importance to the good citizens of this State.

First, the act to change the jurisdiction of the courts, &c., better known as the "stay law act," is so utterly incomprehensible in many of its provisions, that even the gigantic intellect of our Chief Justice Pearson would be sorely puzzled to give us much light on it; but, in all its obscurity, ambiguity and conflicting provisions, two points are patent, first, that there is no provision made to stay the collection of County Court judgments, obtained prior to 1861, whose number might well be said to be legion, no less than seventy-five or eighty having been revived at the May term of our (Granville) court, the money upon which must be forthcoming at November term.

Secondly, debts contracted since the war stand in the same relation to debts contracted before the war, as to the remedy, when within the jurisdiction of a Justice of the Peace, viz: Twelve months time is had before the warrant can be tried, and then the payments are by instalments every twelve months. It appears to us that there should be no interference about the collection of claims on debts contracted since the war, before any tribunal. The law in regard to debts, before the war, is well enough, provided it stands the test of the Supreme Court, which we are of opinion, it will not.

Again, the Legislature, in its blindness, in order to prevent negro testimony before the Courts in cases alone in which he is concerned, have over-reached themselves and opened as it were the flood-gates to this kind of evidence; and, more than that, there can be no question, we opine, that the negro, under the present status of things, can testify in all cases, whether he is concerned or not, before any tribunal in Law or Equity, orally or by deposition.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of Peace Institute, held in this city on the 4th inst, in accordance to a previous call, a majority of the Stockholders being present, in person or by proxy, Rev. J. M. Atkinson was called to the chair, and T. McGee appointed Secretary.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, TREASURY DEPARTMENT, RALEIGH, June 4th, 1866. Notice to Holders of North Carolina Bonds and Coupons.

I am prepared, in accordance with the provisions of the act of March 10th, 1866, known as the "Funding act," to deliver bonds of this State of the denomination of \$1000 in exchange for past due bonds and coupons of bonds of the State issued under acts passed prior to May 20, 1861.

One of the many startling telegrams relative to the recent movements of the Fenians announces that General Fitzgibbon is to head the cavalry forces of the invading army. This statement should be received with caution.

MARRIED.

On the 28th ultimo, at the residence of the bride's uncle, R. B. Robinson, Esq., near Warrenton, N. C., by the Rev. Dr. Hedges, Mr. WILLIAM C. POOT, of Elizabeth City, to Miss MARY E. STEWART, of Warrenton, N. C.

DIED.

In New York City, June 1st, 1866, MINERVA GRAYHAM, wife of John A. Baker, Esq., and fourth daughter of the late Hon. Will H. Baywood. [The funeral of the deceased will take place from the Episcopal Church in this City to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at 5 o'clock.]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE. The partnership of McGee & Williams having been dissolved, by mutual consent, the undersigned give notice to the debtors of the late firm to call and settle. Either of them will give receipt and do all other acts necessary for the business of the firm.

OFFICE OF THE A. AND N. C. R. R. COMPANY. The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company will be held in the town of Beaufort, N. C., the 2nd inst, being the last Thursday in June.

FLOUR AT AUCTION. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1866. Owing to the weather the sale advertised for Saturday will take place at Twilley's Auction and Commission Store on Wednesday.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS & PLANTERS. Having made arrangements with the best manufactory in Baltimore and other places, I can furnish, at their prices, with transportation only added, an assortment of the most improved FINEST POWERS Wheat THRESHING FANNING MILLS, Cotton Gins, Cotton Pumps, Corn Cultivators, Harrows and Plows of all kinds.

WHAT A PRETTY PLACE! LADIES ICE CREAM GARDEN. ELM GROVE, CORNER DAVIE & BLOUNT STS., RALEIGH.

Cream left at Your Door. June 5-1t. HILLSBOROUGH COAL-MINING AND TRANSPORTATION CO., OF N. C.

FOR SALE. 25 Bales first rate Cotton, on the R. & G. R. Road, PULLIAM, JONES & CO. June 2-1f

FOR SALE. Almonds, Raisins, Peas and Filbert nuts by the box and barrel. June 2-1f PULLIAM, JONES & CO.

COMMENCEMENT AT TRINITY COLLEGE, JUNE 14. Round Trip Excursion Tickets to Trinity Commencement will be sold for one fare, full fare going and return fare, from all Stations to High Point, Good from the 11th to the 14th of June inclusive.

FOR SALE. Flour, and Candles, Adamantine, and Sperm, just received. PULLIAM, JONES & CO. June 2-1f

FINE OLD WINE. 40 Gallons old and delicious Sappanone Wine by the gallon. B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO. June 1-1f

BRANDY: BRANDY: BRANDY! 10 Cases Fine French Brandy, 50 Gallons Southwestern. B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO. June 1-1f

TOBACCO, TOBACCO, TOBACCO. 50 Boxes Manufactured Tobacco, all grades, 20 lbs. each, and other smoking tobacco. B. P. WILLIAMSON & CO. June 1-1f

LYON BROTHERS. No. 33 Courtland St., New York. IMPORTERS & JOBBERS OF FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS, TRIMMINGS, CUTLERY, HOSIERY, FURNISHING GOODS, WOOLEN GOODS, JEWELRY, FIRE WORKS.

AND ALL GOODS IN THESE LINES. We have greatly enlarged our house and now offer one of the finest stocks in this city. With our long experience, cheap retail, cash purchases, we offer extra inducements.

\$10 REWARD. I will give Ten Dollars for the apprehension of JOHN BANE, alias JOHN EVANS, a free negro, whose complexion, long hair nearly straight, about five feet 10 inches high, wears on his right hand and arm, and on his neck, a scarred by being blown up by powder, silver built, weighs about 150 pounds. Who stole from the State of California, on Saturday night, 25th inst., a BAY MARE, roan color, with a white spot in her forehead, out of her hind feet and ears, (her halter lower than the left.) I will give the above reward for her delivery to me or my confidential agent, or if I can get her, my Post office is New Hill Wake County N. C. June 2-21f W. B. WOMBLE

JOHN B. ROGERS, Raleigh, N. C. JOSEPH B. BATCHELOR, Warrenton, N. C. ROGERS & BATCHELOR, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Raleigh, N. C.

June 4-3m Standard and Progress copy.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified, as Administrator of Thomas Jones, deceased, of Wake County, I give notice to the debtors of the estate to make payment, and to the creditors to present their claims within the time specified by law.

CALENDAR RIGHT SECURED. A Calendar for the Christmas Era, containing the Julian and Gregorian modes of reckoning time, by James Mumley, of N. C.

Goods! Goods! Goods!!! NEW ARRIVALS. FOURTH SUPPLY THIS SEASON. WONT BE UNDER-SOLD. CONE AND LOOK, BEFORE YOU BUY! JUST RECEIVED 4000 Yds., Calico, at 15 and 20c. ALSO HOOP SKIRTS, Ladies' Trimmed Straw Olive, Trimmed Derbys. UNTRIMMED PEARL STRAW SEA SIDES, &c., &c. STILL THEY COME, AND STILL THEY GO! My Motto is Quick Sales and Small Profits.

THE FACT OF THE BUSINESS IS CREECH'S IS THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR GOODS. YOU MAY LOOK ROUND, But You Cant do any Better.

CALL AT R. SMITH'S CORNER, where you will always find me ready and willing to give you the worth of your money. June 1-2w A. CREECH.

TO Young Men

THE PRACTICAL BUSINESS COLLEGE FOR YOUNG MEN. CORNER OF BALTIMORE AND CHARLES STS., BALTIMORE, MD.

BREITNER, KELLOGG & CO. SUCCESSORS TO KELLOGG & BREITNER, BANKERS, BROKERS, AND INSURANCE AGENTS, GREENSBORO, N. C.

GOLD AND SILVER EXCHANGE, BANK Notes, Stocks and Bonds bought and sold. Deposits received subject to sight checks or with the Bank. Collections made on all accessible points. Will transact all business promptly and on reasonable terms. April 5, 1866, and 1867. NOTICE. Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of Capt. W. T. Poole, deceased, to come forward, at once, and make settlement with me. Those having claims against said estate are also requested to present them within the time prescribed by law. D. W. LEWIS, Agent for Mrs. Catharine Poole.

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