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ADVERTISING RATES. Advertisements will be inserted in the Daily Sentinel at the following rates...

LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS ON 4th PAGE.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. YARBROUGH HOUSE, G. W. Blackhall, Proprietor...

NORTH CAROLINA.

The Clinton Fair opens on the 26th inst., and continues during the week. It will doubtless be a success.

THE FAIR.—Arrangements have been made with every road running into Charlotte, to bring visitors to the Fair in the morning and carry them back in the evening.

THE STATESVILLE INTELLIGENCER.—The last number of this excellent weekly paper, announces that Mr. F. H. Pendleton will hereafter be the Associate Editor.

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Tobacco Exchange. The offerings of Tobacco on Change today were 35 bales and 3 tiers. The offerings at auction were 4 packages, of which one was sold at \$2.

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HOME AFFAIRS.

J. W. Hartley. This gentleman, from New York, will give recitations at Metropolitan Hall on Thursday and Friday of next week.

More Sheriffs. Wm. R. Becton, sheriff of Lenoir, and P. C. Riley, sheriff of Montgomery, scolded their State taxes at the Public Treasury on yesterday.

A Furnished Room Wanted. A gentleman wishes to rent by the month a comfortably furnished room in some private family, or over some store.

The Jostle Bonds. Col. Humphrey who is as curious in searching into old bills as Judge Pearson says Judge Dick is into old learning, has discovered that the special tax bonds did not pass three several readings as required by the constitution.

Destructive Fire. We regret to learn that on Monday evening the grist and saw mill, cotton gin, wool-carding machine and cotton press of W. C. Moore, Esq., in Little River Township, some eighteen miles east of Raleigh, were totally destroyed by fire.

Governor's Message. This document did not reach us in time for the present issue. The Governor allowed the News to copy it the week before it was sent to the Legislature.

No Tidings. Our friend and worthy townsman, John Armstrong, Esq., has returned from New York, whither he went to aid in search of his brother, who so mysteriously disappeared on election day, 4th November.

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The Death of a Soldier.

The soldier whose melancholy death we announced yesterday, was Barton K. Echo, a member of Company F, Fourth U. S. Artillery, stationed at Camp Russell, near this town.

What is Expected. The Monroe Enquirer referring to the assembling of the Legislature says: "The people of the State expect great things of this Legislature; there are many important questions to be considered, and we have no doubt they will be handled with the firmness and decision that the necessities of the hour demand."

The Good Templars. Theo. N. Ramsey, General Deputy, is fast reconstructing North Carolina on the temperance question. He organized a lodge of Good Templars at Yadkin College, Davidson county, Wednesday night, November 5th, with seventeen chartered members; also a lodge at Mocksville, Davie county, Thursday night, November 6th, with thirty chartered members.

Legislative Summary. Considerable energy was displayed in both branches of the Assembly yesterday. Several important bills were introduced and the committees set to work. In the Senate and also in the House resolutions were introduced repudiating the so-called special tax bonds.

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Legislature of North Carolina.

SENATE. TUESDAY, NOV. 19.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment, President Brogden in the chair. Senators Miller, Murphy, Murray, Powell, Smith, Troy and Hyman were in their seats.

Mr. Morehead, of Guilford, introduced a bill to establish an additional term of the Guilford Superior Court. Referred. Mr. Humphrey, a bill to adjust the State debt. [Proposes to issue certificates of indebtedness to the amount of the interest on the debt of the State, 1st of January next, to be exchanged at par for the due coupons, to bear no interest and to be payable at the convenience of the State; also to scale the State debt to a sum not to exceed ten millions of dollars, &c.] Referred to the committee on the State debt and ordered to be printed.

Also, a bill in relation to Special Terms of Superior Courts. Referred. Also, a bill to confine the business of the special term of Wayne Superior Court to be held in January next to criminal cases. Referred.

Mr. Ayers, a bill to repeal chapter 101 of the private laws of 1870-'71. The law proposed to be repealed is that which authorizes the creation of a Board of Trade for the city Raleigh and the appointment of an inspector and weigher of cotton. Mr. Humphrey, a bill to amend sections 13 and 14, chapter 156, laws of 1868-'69. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, a message was sent to the House proposing to raise a joint select committee of three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House on the State debt.

Mr. Cunningham introduced a bill to provide for and cure irregularities in certain executions. SPECIAL TAX BONDS REPUDIATED. Mr. Merrimon introduced the following which was read and referred to the committee on the State Debt and ordered to be printed.

Resolution concerning the so-called Special Tax Debt of North Carolina. The acts of Congress, commonly called "The Reconstruction Acts," and the military orders made in pursuance thereof, authorized and brought into existence the convention held in this State on the 14th day of January A. D. 1865, for the purpose of establishing a Constitution and Civil Government.

Sec. 1. The General Assembly shall levy a capitation tax on every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under fifty years of age, which shall be equal on each to the tax on property valued at three hundred dollars in cash. The commissioners of the several counties may exempt from capitation tax in special cases, on account of poverty and infirmity, the State and county capitation tax combined shall never exceed two dollars on the head.

Sec. 2. Until the bonds of the State shall be paid, the General Assembly shall have no power to contract any new debt or pecuniary obligation in behalf of the State, except to supply a casual defect, or to suppress invasion or insurrection, unless it shall in the same bill levy a special tax to pay the interest annually. And the General Assembly shall have no power to give or lend the credit of the State to any person, association or corporation, except to aid in the completion of such roads as may be authorized at the time of the adoption of this constitution, or in which the State has a direct pecuniary interest, unless the subject be submitted to a direct vote of the people of the State and be approved by a majority of those who shall vote thereon.

Sec. 3. The taxes levied by the Commission of the several counties for county purposes shall be levied in like manner with the State taxes and shall never exceed the double of the State tax, except for a special purpose and with the special approval of the General Assembly. The main purpose of these provisions of the constitution is to prohibit and prevent any increase of the debt of the State except to supply a casual defect or to suppress invasion or insurrection unless the same could be increased within the limitation and in the way thus prescribed.

The estimated value of the taxable property of the State at any time within the period last mentioned, has not exceeded \$100,000,000 as approved by the law levying the same in the Auditor's Office. So that it will appear, by simple calculation, that at no time since the Constitution went into operation, could the Legislature increase the debt of the State, unless there had been a casual defect, or for the purpose of suppressing invasion or insurrection.

Nevertheless the Convention, exercising powers not conferred by the "Constitutional Act" of Congress, undertook to pass an act authorizing the raising of large appropriations of money in favor of railroad corporations, and directing that the bonds of the State be issued to pay the same. The members of the Legislature that favored the same, after the ratification of the present Constitution and subsequent amendments, "the Legislature of 1868-'69" were not elected in pursuance of the Constitution, and a large percentage of the voters of the State under the Constitution were not allowed to vote at the election. This Legislature is in flagrant violation of the plain provisions of the Constitution herein set forth, as well as its whole spirit and policy, undertaken to pass many acts in

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MARKETS.

Noon Report.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18. Cotton easier but not lower; sales 10,000; speculations and exports 2,000; to arrive steady, no transactions.

LATER.—Uplands not below ordinary shipped Nov. and Dec. 8 3/16. LATER.—Sales include 5,400 American. New York, Nov. 18. Gold opened at 91 1/2; cotton quiet; sales 1,200; Uplands 15 1/8; Orleans 15 5/8; futures opened for December 14 1/16, January 14 7/8 to 15 1/16, March 15 1/16. Flour firm; wheat 1 to 2 cents better; Corn 1 cent better; Pork quiet and steady—new 14 5/16 to 14 7/8; Lard scarce and very firm—steam 7 1/16 to 7 7/8; Turpentine quiet at 41; Rosin quiet at 2 5/8 for strained.

Stocks quiet; Gold, 91 1/2; Money 6; Exchange—long 9 3/4, short 8 1/4; Governments dull and strong; State bonds dull.

Midnight Report.

New York, Nov. 18. Cotton firm; sales 5,745 bales at 15 1/8; 415 5/8. Southern flour firm at 65 3/8; common to fair extra 67 5/8 to 70. Corn 1 1/2c better; 67 1/2 to 70c for prime western mixed white. Pork steady, new mess 14 5/16. Turpentine quiet at 40 1/2 to 41. Rosin steady at 42 3/8 to 43. Money active at 7; Exchange quiet at 8 3/4; gold 169 7/8 to 170; governments dull and strong; State quiet and nominal. Cotton—net receipts 1,184 bales gross 3,297. Futures closed weak; sales 12,400 bales—December 14 1/16 to 15 1/16; January 15 1/16 to 16 1/16; February 15 5/16; March 15 7/16; April 15 1/16 to 16 1/16.

Wholesale, Nov. 18. Spirits turpentine easy at 37. Rosin steady at 42 3/8 for strained; Grade turpentine unsettled at 41 1/2 for strained; 42 3/8 for yellow dip. Tar quiet at 42. BALTIMORE, Nov. 18. Cotton quiet and firm, middlings 14 3/4, low middlings 14 1/8 to 14 1/2, strictly good ordinary 15 1/8; gross receipts 250 exports coastwise 125, sales 550, options 250, stock 9,233.

Nonam, Nov. 18. Cotton quiet and unchanged, low middlings 13 3/4, net receipts 1,491, export chestwise 2,028, sales 993, stock 6,741.

Raleigh Market.

OMAHA, DAILY, BY W. C. STRANDBERG & CO., Manager Speculations. November 7. COTTON YARN, per bale, 1 1/2. LEATHER SOLE, 50c. LEATHER UPPER, 50c. LEATHER BLANKETS, 50c. GOLDEN SYRUP, 25c. PEACHES, 1 1/2. PORK, 10c. CHICKENS, 10c. EGGS, 10c. FEATHERS, 10c. FLAXSEED, 1 1/2. HAY, per 100 lbs., 10c. HIDES, per lb., 10c. FITZGERALD, per lb., 10c. TALLOW, per lb., 10c. RICE, per 100 lbs., 10c. BUTTER, 10c. FLOUR, per 25 lbs., 10c. MEAL, per 25 lbs., 10c. CORN, per 25 lbs., 10c. RACON, per 25 lbs., 10c. HAMS, N. C., 10c. MULLERS, 10c. HERRINGS, 10c. LARD, 10c. OATS, 10c. PODDER, per 100 lbs., 10c. CANDLES, 10c.

CITY COTTON MARKET.

OMAHA, DAILY, BY W. C. STRANDBERG & CO., Manager Speculations. BALTIMORE, N. C., Nov. 18. Cotton—sales 10 bales, at 15 1/16 to 16 1/16.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE "SHARPLESS" HOUSE.—While V. City has been enjoying its interest in the Palace and Hotel Bowers, the "Sharpless" House, (the Prairie Old Stand), the business has been conducted by Messrs. Jones & Miller & Capt. John W. Hunt. Unlimited capital, enterprise and experience will be brought to bear in the management of the establishment under the present proprietorship. Open at all hours and, everything consumable at a first class restaurant and bar promptly furnished.

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WATSON'S FINE ART GALLERY.—Watson has received Patent Manufacture of the new Process of Artistic Photography. For the past three years, call at the gallery and see the best collection of Photographs in the country. His plates, frames, albums, &c., to give a variety. Not 20 1/2.

ON THE BREAKFAST LUNCHEON, DINNERS

JOHN DUNCAN'S RESTAURANT, New York. Agents for the United States.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. THE PARTY WHO TOOK AN UM BRELLA, at the Baptist Church Sunday, leaving it at the residence of T. H. BRIGGS & BONS', nov 19 1873.

PEOPLES BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION. The 4th regular monthly meeting of the Peoples B. & L. Association will be held at the office of the N. C. Home Insurance Co., on Friday evening, Nov. 22, at 7 o'clock. Doors must be paid promptly. nov 19 1873.

NOTICE. RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 18th, 1873. The Firm of W. H. Jones & Co., is this day dissolved by the withdrawal of C. T. Morel. W. H. JONES, C. T. MOREL, nov 19 1873.

FOR SALE. A House and lot in the Eastern Ward corner of North and Person streets. The house is new and built with an eye to convenience. It contains five bed-rooms with a closet and wardrobe in each room; also a large Parlor 8 x 10 connected with dining room and is very convenient in every respect. The lot contains a well fenced garden, all necessary out-houses and the best well of water in Raleigh. Terms easy. Address: R. F. JONES & CO., nov 19 1873.

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TEY YEARS. Beware of many of the so-called non-explosive oils. JULIUS LEWIS & CO. Sole Agents, Raleigh, N. C. nov 19 1873.

PRIVATE BOARDING. Gentlemen and Lady can be accommodated with board on reasonable terms and a pleasant well furnished room. For particulars address: S. J. STEVENS, nov 19 1873.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE N. C. Masonic Temple Association in Raleigh, on Thursday the fourth day of December. By order of the President: JAMES W. TAYLOR, Sec'y. J. E. HAYWOOD, Pres't. nov 19 1873.

AMUSEMENTS. TUCKER HALL. WEDNESDAY EVENING 19th. Retains of TREMAINE BROS. JOHN G. PIERSON. In an entirely new program of CLASSICAL AND HUMOROUS SONGS. BILLIARDS. DUFFS. MR. PIERSON'S LECTURE ON Circumstances. For net receipts consult with W. O. Tremaine's.

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