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## THE CITY.

### NOMINATIONS FOR ALDER MEN.

THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

**FIRST WARD:**  
 JOHN ARMSTRONG,  
 LEN. H. ADAMS,  
 ALFRED UPCHURCH.

**THIRD WARD:**  
 R. H. BRADLEY,  
 P. C. WALKER,  
 J. C. S. LUMSDEN.

**FIFTH WARD:**  
 P. C. FLEMING,  
 J. R. WILLIAMS,  
 H. H. JONES.

### POST OFFICE DIRECTORY.

For the benefit of the public, we publish the following directory of the post-office of this city:

Western mail closes	11:45 a. m.
arrives	3:22 p. m.
Eastern " closes	3:03 p. m.
arrives	11:45 a. m.
Chatham " closes	3:00 p. m.
arrives	9:45 a. m.
R. & G. R. R. mail closes	9:30 a. m.
arrives	3:18 p. m.
Through northern via R. & G.	
R. R. closes	9:30 a. m.
Through northern via R. & G.	
R. R. arrives	3:45 p. m.
Through northern via Golds-	
boro closes	3:03 p. m.
Through northern via Golds-	
boro arrives	11:45 a. m.
Office hours for delivering mails from	7:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.
Money orders are issued and paid from	8:15 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Letters can be registered from	8:15 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Office hours on Sundays from	4 p. m. to 5 p. m.

W. W. HOLDEN, P. M.

### THE WOUNDED MAN.

The Italian arrested at Morrisville for assassination turned out to be an Englishman upon close inspection. He had better keep out of town or he may be arrested for libel.

### BADLY BITTEN BY A BULL DOG.

Mr. Thomas Adams, of the firm of Adams Bros., of this city, was badly bitten by his own dog. He was in the act of playing with the dog, when he was seized by the brute in the face, narrowly escaping with his life. He immediately shot and killed the animal.

### NO BUSINESS IN A SULKY.

Dr. Close met with an accident, and slight injury from the fall of his horse in a sulky. Brother Close is too old to travel in a sulky. A sulky is only fit for a bold, da-ding young man who is courting; when he gets married he should quit the sulky and take to a buggy.

### I. O. O. F.

We are pleased to learn that our young friend, Past Grand Jas. C. Birdsong, was selected, on Tuesday evening, to represent Manlio Lodge, No. 2, in the approaching session of the Grand Lodge of the state, which convenes in this city next month. He is a zealous Odd Fellow and has the good of the order at heart. We are glad to note his advancement.

### WHAT MEANS THIS STIR IN ROME?

The Clark-Howerton-Clark scandal is over and the Howerton-Clark scandal now begins. Judge Watt has made the latter give way to-day for the mandamus case of John C. Gorman and others against the Mayor and City Commissioners. This is what Gorman and the plaintiffs demand and pray for. That a preceptory mandamus is due to the defendant, Basil C. Manly, mayor, and requiring him to appoint three registrars, one for the Middle, one for the Eastern and one for the Western ward of said city as said wards are defined by act of 2d February, 1857.

That a preceptory mandamus issue to the defendants, James McKee and others, exercising the authority of city commissioners requiring them to designate points in the three wards before named where polls shall be opened for a municipal election on the 1st day of May, 1876, under the old law and charter.

And that the city commissioners by strictly enjoined from holding election under the new charter and law.

Haywood, Badger, Toures and Purnell for the plaintiff, and Ewelle, Fuller, A-he, Bue-bee & Busbee and Lewis for the defendant.

In fewer words, Gorman and others seek to prohibit the election under the new charter and laws, and to compel one to be held under the old charter and old laws. Judge Watt is now sitting to hear this case.

### CLARK-HOWERTON LIBEL CASE.

#### MONDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Court met pursuant to adjournment, Mayor Manly presiding.

Cross examination of Col. J. D. Cameron continued.

The evidence of Saturday was read to the witness.

On the following question and answer being read the witness stated he desired to make an explanatory statement in regard to it.

Q. Did not Col. Clark admit to you or in your presence that he was aware of the rumor of this charge, as of a time prior to the 21st of February, 1876, whether such admission was made subsequent or prior to that date? A. Since then I think Col. Clark has spoken of a vague rumor which he had heard, possibly some time in January.

The witness made the following statement:

Upon reflection I am satisfied there is an error, that the matter occurred as follows: On the last Saturday in February I was at the store of Mr. Jas. H. Ennis. I found Mr. Ennis and Mr. Armstrong in earnest conversation about a matter that struck me as entirely new, which were irregularities in the secretary of state's office. I obtained what information I could from them relative to the matter, and immediately thereafter went down to Col. Clark's room and informed him of what I had heard. He remarked that it was something entirely new to him. I then consulted him as to the publication of the rumor as being of great public importance. Col. Clark advised me that the publication of the rumors would be libelous, and moreover unless we knew they were correct would be unjust to Dr. Howerton. The conversation ended then on the subject. Later in the afternoon, about 5 o'clock, I think, I met Col. Clark at Harrison's corner and asked if he had heard further of the rumor. He said that since seeing me he had seen a gentleman who had some previous knowledge of the rumor of the irregularities, which information was obtained some time in January.

Q. You stated that you had the columns of the News uncontrolled by any one, but yourself. State whether you had a right to change the policy of the paper without consulting the managers? A. I took charge of the News as a perfectly free agent. The only understanding as regards the policy being that it was to be a Democratic Conservative Journal. As regards that policy I know I would violate faith with the company to part from it. In regard to matters of general public policy I would feel perfectly free and untrammelled.

Q. Did you have any conversation with Col. Clark on or about the 21st of February, in relation to obtaining from the secretary of state the printing of the insurance report? A. I think not. Those are business contracts that I have little or nothing to do with. They are left exclusively to Mr. Jordan. I knew that negotiations had been made for them. I may or may not, I don't recollect, having asked Col. Clark whether they had been obtained for the News or not.

Q. If you did ask him, what is your best impression as to his answer? A. I do not remember the conversation. I cannot recollect an answer. I had a general impression that the printing would be given to another party.

Q. I will try to refresh you. Did not Col. Clark tell you that the printing of the insurance report had been given to the Christian Advocate? A. I think that information came through Mr. Jordan. I don't think Col. Clark told me, same time it is possible that Col. Clark might have told me.

Q. Did not Col. Clark inform you that he had had an interview with the secretary of state with regard to the printing of the insurance reports? A. He did not. I was not aware of that till after the publication of Dr. Howerton's card, when such interview was said to have been had.

Q. Who was present on the 20th of Feb. at Ennis' book store besides Mr. Ennis, Mr. Armstrong and yourself, during the conversation referred to by you? A. I think Mr. Emsey Ennis was the only one in the store.

Q. State what are your best impressions of the conversation on that occasion, giving what was said by Mr. Armstrong and what was said by Mr. Ennis? A. I have no recollection of the details of the conversation whatever at present. I only remember general impressions.

Q. Give us the substance, if you can, of the conversation? A. That is also impossible. I only remember about the general impressions of the irregularities in the secretary of State's office, which were then new to me.

Q. Had you received any written or verbal communication whether of distinct facts or of a rumor concerning the irregularities in the secretary of state's office prior to the 21st day of February last, which were communicated to, received from, spoken of, or heard spoken of, in the presence of, or by, or from Col. Walter Clark? A. (With irony.) I did not, had not, heard not.

Q. Have you had any conversation with, or in the presence of, Col. Walter Clark since the 21st of February, 1876, of or concerning any statement of facts or rumors about irregularities in the office of the secretary of state, which referred to a knowledge on his part of such alleged irregularities either as matter of fact or rumor prior to the 21st day of February last? A. I have not.

Q. Who were present when you had your conversation with Col. Clark on the 20th of February last, after you had been at Mr. J. H. Ennis' store? A. I think there was no one present.

The prosecution here closed its case.

Question. Did not some person connected with the Biblical Recorder also threaten you with proceedings in mandamus if you did not give the publication of the insurance reports to that paper? Answer. I do not remember of any one threatening me with the mandamus who was connected with the Biblical Recorder.

Q. Did you not tell Col. Clark in the conversation referred to that you had been threatened with proceedings in mandamus at the instance both of the Christian Advocate and the Biblical Recorder? A. Do not remember of saying anything about the Biblical Recorder connected with the mandamus, but was told by Col. Harrover, the attorney general, I gave the printing to the News and if the Christian Advocate sued out a mandamus Col. Clark would pay the expenses of the suit, providing I give the News the advertising of the report. I have no recollection of any one connected with the Biblical Recorder, or for them, mentioning the mandamus to me. Do not remember mentioning the mandamus to Col. Clark in connection with the Biblical Recorder.

Q. When and where did you tell Attorney General Harrover that you had been threatened with mandamus if you did not give the publication to the Christian Advocate? A. I do not remember to have told Col. Harrover that matter.

Q. I ask you if you are not sure you did tell this to Col. Harrover at his office in the capital? A. Do not remember but may have done so.

Q. What is your best recollection about that? A. Can not remember whether I told him or not.

Q. In the conversation you say you had with Col. Clark, was not Col. Clark acting as attorney at law representing his client, the News Publishing company? A. Col. Clark told me during the conversation that he was acting as attorney for the News Publishing company.

Q. When you say Col. Clark threatened you, did you not at that time understand that he was threatening to take legal proceedings against you, if you should give the publication to the Advocate, in the same way that Mr. Gray, attorney for the Advocate, had threatened you if you should give the publication to his client, the Christian Advocate? A. I understood nothing of the kind.

Q. If you understood nothing of that kind, what did you understand by what you called his threat - open his batteries upon you. Counsel objected to question, objection sustained.

Q. Why did you mention the conversation you say you had with Col. Clark to the persons you have named in your direct examination? A. I mentioned it to Maj. Nethery for the reason that he spoke to me about getting the advertising for the Biblical Recorder soon after this conversation occurred. Mr. Bailly also used his influence for the Biblical Recorder. I mentioned it to him in the same way. I also mentioned it to Mr. Thomas in an ordinary conversation, speaking of the publication of the reports.

Q. How many bills for stationery have you as secretary of state ever bought under the new law? Counsel objected to the question. Objection overruled. A. I could not tell you the number of bills, but we buy annually, endeavoring to buy enough each time to last twelve months. The last bill purchased was the second annual bill under the new law. I have only purchased two annual bills under the new law.

Q. From whom was the first one of these bills purchased and at what time? A. The greater part of the first bill was purchased from Brown & Warner. Some of the blank books were purchased from Mr. Armstrong. I think the first bill was purchased in October or November, 1874. The books ordered from Mr. Armstrong were bought at nearly the same time, but the bill was not sent in until December or January.

Q. Look upon the paper now handed you and say what it is? A. A bill purchased from Brown & Warner by myself in 1874. Bill was handed to Clark for copy, marked C 1.

Q. Were you at any time, are you now, or have you ever been directly or indirectly, or in any manner whatsoever interested in the profits, prices charged, or otherwise, in the bill and the articles furnished, or the prices to be paid, or the prices which had been paid, or either as stated in the paper marked C 3? A. I have never expected to receive a cent directly or indirectly either in the way of money, gifts or any other way have I received a cent and never expect to receive directly or indirectly a cent, nor did not at the time expect to receive anything.

Q. From what individual did you make the purchase of the articles contained in this bill of C 1, J. A. Brown, of the firm of Brown & Warner?

Q. With what individual did you agree as to the price charged in C 1? A. With Mr. Brown, of the firm of Brown & Warner. Before going to New York, I had printed a list of the articles needed, with of some of the papers with a price marked for prices, those papers I sent to 15 or 20 of the largest first class houses in New York and Philadelphia, after adding up the bids of the different houses, I found that I could do better with Brown & Warner than any firm that I tried, consequently purchased from that firm. I have the one of the bills referred to, C 3.

Q. Do I understand this answer of yours, as refusing to what you did prior to the purchase of the bill marked C 1? A. Before I made the purchase of Oct. 1874, I also purchased the same course in the purchase of 1875.

Q. To what building houses in New York did you send your list and apply to for prices before Oct. 1874? A.

Lawrence & Co., on Maiden Lane. I could not tell you the name of the other houses without looking at the list. I have with me the list with the names marked C 3; this list contains all that I recollect.

Q. When was this list made out? A. I mean this paper? A. That is a memorandum that I have just made out, since I left the court house, during the adjournment of 10 minutes.

Q. From what date or memorandum did you make out this list marked C 3? A. Partly from cards that I had from the houses, partly from letters, partly from my own recollection.

Q. Do you say distinctly that you furnished your estimates of quantities with a view to make a purchase of stationery to each of the houses mentioned in the list C 3 before the 20th of October, 1874? A. I furnished some of the houses by mail, some I furnished individually, which names I am prepared to call over: E. A. Kingston & Co., No. 3 Pine street, N. Y.; George Washburn & Co., No. 47 & 49 Pine street, N. Y.; Nathan Lewis, No. 6, Wall street, and 91 Beaver street, N. Y.; Appleton & Co., Broadway, N. Y.; Olney & Paine, 41 South street, N. Y.; Robert & Garrison, 174 Fourth street, N. Y.; B. B. Collins, 234 Pearl street, N. Y.; Elmwood & Hay, 33 Liberty street, N. Y.; Brown & Warner, 63 Leonard street, N. Y. Other houses, but I do not remember their names. The other names on list C 3 were furnished in 1875. The following were furnished by mail: E. A. Kingston & Co., and Robert B. Collins. The balance of those given above were applied to by me individually. I also furnished with a list E. J. Hale & Co., but do not remember whether they put in a bid or not.

Q. Do you give those names from recollection or have you in your office any memoranda, either copies from yourself or letters to the parties or replies by them to your application showing that you had submitted your estimates to the persons and firms named? A. Partly from recollection and partly from cards. I may also have bids from parties in my office, but cannot positive.

Q. Will you please make a careful search among all your papers, public and private, for any such bids, and produce them before this court to-morrow. This applies to the years 1874-75? A. I will bring down such papers in the morning as I can find.

Court adjourned till Wednesday at 10 o'clock, a. m.

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### AUCTION!! AUCTION!!!

To hold by public sale at the Auctioneer's office, on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1876, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following real estate, to-wit:

### BOOKS, BOOKS!

VALUABLE STAMPS AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS for sale at Auction at the Book store of ALGER, STEWART & CO. 157 N. York street, N. Y.

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5,000 pounds N. C. Bacon, also all kinds of Western meats at

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Mr. J. D. Whitaker is selling good oak wood at \$3.50; pine \$3.00; 25 per cord delivered, provided the cash attends the order. Call on him in rear of Citizens' bank.

B. V. A. W. Mangum, professor at Chapel Hill, is in the city and his many friends give him hearty welcome. He is well known and appreciated by all classes in this city, from the little children to the aged and gray. He is hopeful of the ultimate success of the Univer-ity.

Messrs. A. C. Saunders & Co. have for sale 1,000 bushels of Star phosphate Corn, 10,000 sacks of Star phosphate. 5,000 sacks Maps' Nitrogenized Super Phosphate and 1,400 sacks Acid Phosphate to be used with Cotton Seed or Stable Manure. They have sold since January 13th, 8,000 bushels Corn and 15,000 sacks of guano. Call on them for bargains.

### CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, April 4.-In the senate the chair announced Boutwell, of Massachusetts, Cameron, of Wisconsin, Ogley, of Illinois, Bayard, of Delaware, and McDonald, of Indiana, as a committee to investigate the recent election in Mississippi.

Stevenson introduced a bill concerning corporations engaged in distilling; referred to the committee on finance.

The committee on appropriations have agreed to appropriate \$100,000 for light and fuel and \$99,000 for witness fees in the regular deficiency bill, which they expect to pass this week. They will not report these items in a special bill, so there is no immediate relief for government of fires.

The committee on privileges and elections did nothing.

The house passed the bill extending the time in which indictments may be found to three years. This is intended to reach the burglar conspirators.

A message was received from the senate stating that they were ready to receive the impeachment managers.

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The impeachment managers asked leave to retire to present to the senate in due form and manner the impeachment articles granted.

The correspondence regarding Consul General Howard, now minister to him, was referred to committee on expenses of the state department.

Schlicher, chairman of Frontier Texas troubles, reported a bill for the protection of the Texas frontier on the lower Rio Grande. It authorizes and requires the president to station and keep on the Rio Grande river from its mouth to the northern boundary of the state of Texas two regiments of cavalry in addition to infantry for garrison duty, and to keep each troop up to full strength of 100 privates. It also authorizes the president, in view of the inability of the Mexican government to prevent the floods of lawless parties from Mexico into Texas, to order the troops to cross the Rio Grande, and use such means as may be found necessary to recover the stolen property and to check the raid, guarding however, against unnecessary injury to the peaceable inhabitants of Mexico. The bill was made the special order for the 29th of April, and today to day until disposed of.

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### DISTRICT CONVENTION.

A convention of the Democratic-conservative voters of the Fourth Congressional District will be held in the city of Raleigh on Tuesday, the 13th day of June next, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and a presidential elector, and selecting two delegates to the St. Louis Convention. A full attendance is earnestly desired. Each county will be entitled to one vote for every one hundred voted and fractional part over fifty given for Merrimen in 1872.

By order of the District Executive Committee.

H. A. LONDON, Jr.,  
 Chairman.  
 March 31st, 1876.  
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