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### THE CONVENTION OF THE REPUBLICANS OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, WILL MEET IN THE CITY OF RALEIGH, ON THE SEVENTH DAY OF JULY, 1880, FOR THE PURPOSE OF NOMINATING TWO ELECTORS AT-LARGE, AND STATE OFFICERS.

### BY ORDER OF STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

### Late General News.

It is probable that John Brougham will die very soon. He is one of the first actors of his time in some lines of acting, and a man of wonderful literary genius. He is a native of Dublin, Ireland, is 70 years old, and was a graduate of Trinity College of Dublin.

LATER.—It is now said that Brougham is improving.

The Winstead (Conn.) *Herald* puts at the head of its columns—Ulysses S. Grant and Joseph R. Hawley of Connecticut, and adds significantly, "But candidly—wouldn't a Grant pill set pretty well on the Republican stomach if sugar-coated by General Hawley?" There are over the country a great many quiet friends of Gov. Hawley who recognize him as one of the safest and best statesmen of the day.

The Sherman Club of Cincinnati, about 200 strong went to Chicago, with a brass band of 36 pieces, and were received at the Palmer House by the Ohio delegation with brilliant festivities.

## WESTERN UNION BULLETIN.

### By Telegraph From Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 5th.

It is possible that the Convention may finish to-night, but the probability is that it will not reach a final adjournment before Monday.

11:45 A. M.—Convention called to order at 11:45 a. m. The contestants from Illinois districts are in their seats.

Question of Kansas contestants taken up.

The Illinois question is settled in favor of contestants at 2:15 this morning.

### CHICAGO.

At 2:30 yesterday morning the committee on credentials concluded its labors by voting to report in favor of the sitting delegates from West Virginia and Utah, and contesting the delegates from the ninth district of Pennsylvania, and the thirteenth district of Illinois. It refused to interfere with the delegates at large, or those from the second district of Illinois. A resolution declaring that the Springfield convention was a legally constituted body and in selecting delegates to the National Convention acted in good faith, was rejected by a vote of 27 to 17, two not voting.

Mr. Conkling rose to offer a resolution in the hope there would be no objection to it. If there should be any objection he should ask the roll to be called. The following is the resolution:

Resolved, as the sense of this convention, that every member of it is bound in honor to support its nominee, who ever that nominee might be, and that no man should hold his seat here who is not ready so to agree. [Cheers and applause.]

The resolution was adopted, yeas 716, nays 3.

Mr. Conkling said he wanted to offer another resolution, which he would reduce to writing in a moment, as follows:

Resolved, That the delegates who have voted that they will not abide the action of the convention do not deserve to have, and have forfeited their votes in the convention. [Subdued applause and some hisses.]

After a somewhat earnest debate, in which Messrs. Campbell of West Virginia, Hale of West Virginia, Bragg of Conn., McCormick of West Virginia, Young of Tennessee, and Gen. Garfield, participated, Mr. Conkling withdrew the resolution.

Mr. Garfield, from the committee, reported the rules recommended for the government of the convention. The rules were read by sections. One which forbids any unit rule was received with applause. Mr. Garfield said he did not understand that these rules were now up for discussion, but only for information. The only change from the rules of 1876 were verbal merely, or effected their arrangement in a more convenient order, except that the committee had added to what was now numbered as rule 8, a provision clearly and explicitly embodying the uniform precedents of all previous National Republican conventions, as to the manner of taking votes of states that are divided.

The committee on Credentials reported, recommending the admission of contestants from the Seventh Alabama District; also, of the contestants from the First, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Thirteenth, and Seventeenth Districts of Illinois, and the contestants from the Second and Third Kansas Districts. They also report against the contestants in the Ninth and Nineteenth Pennsylvania Districts and recommend that the delegates from Utah retain their seats.

Mr. Raymond, of Cal., said he never before knew a man referring to Logan as his own father. The gentleman seemed to think that the report of this committee insulted the state of Illinois. His reply to that was that a citizen of Illinois was too apt to confound himself with the state of Illinois. [Loud laughter and cheers, half the audience rising and shouting.] It had been stated in the papers presented to the committee that as to the Springfield convention it was hard to tell whether it was the state of Illinois or of John A. Logan that held that convention. [Renewed laughter and applause.]

Mr. Logan said he could not be affected by innuendoes picked up in the slums of Chicago. He defied the men who undertook to assail him, and was ready to meet them anywhere. He then proceeded to explain and defend at considerable length his action in the Springfield convention.

After some further remarks by Mr. Raymond, who denied having made any attack on Mr. Logan, a motion by Mr. Sharpe to strike out the majority report so much of it as implied that there was any contest regarding the Illinois delegation at large was adopted.

9:47 P. M.—Conkling finished at 9:45 when there was loud and prolonged applause for Gen. Grant.

When Ohio was called Gen. Garfield took the platform to nominate Sherman, and was cheered for some time.

11 P. M.—At the conclusion of Gen. Garfield's speech more cheering in-

## CHICAGO.

The Hon. W. P. Canada of this city, one of the delegates at large from this state, now at the National Convention at Chicago, has been designated by our delegation, as the member of the National Republican Committee for the next four years from the state of North Carolina. The term of the old National Committee expires with the organization of the present Convention, and no longer exists. Mr. Canada was put on the new National Committee in place of Col. Thos. B. Keogh whose term has expired, he having occupied that place for four years. Of course he will no longer be the Secretary of the Committee as it required that that officer shall be a member of it, in order to hold that place.

### CHICAGO.

BURGAW, N. C., June 3, 1880.

EDITOR POST:—In scanning the pages of your valuable paper of last Sunday's issue, May 30th, I notice a communication from Long Creek signed "A Good Republican." His start off is very good and sounds exactly like "A Good Republican," but before closing he leaves too much to the other side of the fence. He says "the present Register of this county, it is well known, has not come up to the requirements of the law in settling up with the county, and now a *rané* Democrat has charge of the office." These words are well and truthfully spoken and a great pity, both for the unfortunate man and the county that such is the case. "A Good Republican" adds further, "and I'll suggest the name of Gratlan Williams, Esq., &c., to fill the office of Register of Deeds." "He is a Democrat from principle I know," &c., &c. I shall feel under many obligations if "A Good Republican" will show me the consistency in the above. A Republican Register of Deeds falls behind in his returns of collections to the county. A Democrat (and the present Probate Judge) is on his bond; this Democratic bondsman and Probate Judge takes charge of the Register's office to save his own pocket, and then our friend "A Good Republican" jumps up and shouts for Republican franchise to make a Democrat Register of Deeds of Pender county, presenting no special claim except that he is a Democrat from principle. This is all right so far as it goes, if there is a principle in it, and I imagine there is one—and a *devilish* bad one for the laboring, hard working honest classes.

Pender is now in a condition and position to elect good, honest and competent REPUBLICANS to fill every office in the county by an overwhelming majority, and if "A Good Republican" and all other good and honest men will come boldly to the front, shoulder to shoulder and push with fearless strength, we will astonish the nations. More upon this and other subjects later.

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## FAST MAIL.

It is now stated that a through fast mail train over the Atlantic Coast Line will be put in operation at an early date. In this event the time from New York to Wilmington will be 17 hours and 25 minutes, unless there are some amendments made to the schedule already mapped out. From Weldon to Wilmington it will be something less than five hours, with but three stoppages on the way. This will be a remarkably fast schedule, 162 miles in less than five hours.

### NOTICE.

Prof. J. C. Hazley of West-Africa, received a business letter a few days ago from Sierra Leone, West-Africa, from a native African merchant, who wants to do business with an American firm for certain American goods, to add to his large stock of English goods as a trial of American goods in the African market, to the amount of \$16,000 cash payment, for which this native African merchant will give a check, payable at sight, on the London and Westminster Bank of London, England. His address is No. 6, State street, Charleston, South Carolina.

### LOCAL MINISTERS CONFERENCE.

The local ministers conference and campmeeting will be held at Rutherford College, commencing July 21st. The local conference is a delegated body consisting of two or more delegates from each elder's district. Rev. Z. W. Heptinstall is the president and L. Branson, secretary. The conference was permanently established in 1870, since which time it has held regular annual meetings. It represents the local ministers in this state—about 300 in number. This is a body of energetic workers, peculiar to Methodism. They do a large amount of missionary work without expense to the church.

The last annual meeting was held at Clayton in October.

### RAILROAD SOLD.

The Carolina Central Railroad was sold on Monday last under a decree of the Superior Court signed by his Honor Judge Avery. The first and only bid was \$1,200,000. The property was knocked off to Messrs. F. O. French, A. V. Graves, D. R. Murchison, James S. Wheabee and Alexander V. Steut, committee, on the part of the first mortgage bondholders. The amount for which the road was sold is 40 per cent. of the amount of the first mortgage bonds. The terms of sale were \$100,000 cash to be deposited in the Bank of New Hanover, and the balance to be paid in thirty, sixty and ninety days with interest at 6 per cent. from date, with the privilege of anticipating any of the payments if so desired.

### CITY ITEMS.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Nany Tobacco. 1y

The Wilmington District Conference of the Methodist E. Church South, will be held at Zion Church, Brunswick Circuit, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., July 22nd, 1880.

An aged colored man named Chadwick was drowned by falling off a fat into the river at Mr. J. W. Taylor's mill on Monday evening last. His body has since been recovered.

The store on the corner of Market and Water streets occupied by Mr. L. G. Cherry was discovered on fire last Monday night. The fire was quickly extinguished. The damage was light and covered by insurance.

EXCURSION TO WACCAMAW.—The Chestnut Street Presbyterian Church, (colored) have an excursion to the beautiful Waccamaw laketo-morrow. Fare for round trip 50 cents. Leave Union Depot at 8:30 a. m. A great variety of amusements and a general happy time.

ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER.—At a regular Annual Grand Convocation of the Royal Chapter of North Carolina, held in Wilson, June 1st, the following officers were elected and installed for the present Masonic year:

C. M. VanOrsdell of Wilmington, M. E. G. H. P.

James Southgate of Durham, D. G. H. P.

Samuel Smith of Winston, E. G. K.

Thomas Daniels of Newbern, E. G. S.

Rev. Theo. Whitfield of Charlotte, G. C.

John Nichols of Raleigh, G. T.

D. W. Bain of Raleigh, G. S.

G. W. Blount of Wilson, G. C. H.

W. R. Kenan of Wilmington, G. P. S.

Isaac Patterson of Newbern, E. A. C.

B. F. Rogers of Salisbury, G. M. 3rd V.

H. M. Strauss of Goldsboro, G. M. 2nd V.

S. D. Waitt of Raleigh, G. M. 1st V.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE TREASURER & COLLECTOR, CITY OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

May 29th, 1880.

**Notice.**

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN THE

**DOG ORDINANCE**

goes into effect on the 10th JUNE next.

Badges can be procured on application at this office.

HENRY SAUSAGE, Tax Collector.

May 30 80.

**TO PURCHASERS OF SHINGLES.**

WE would like to take a contract to get shingles for any person who may be in need of them and willing to pay cash for them when they are delivered. We will fill any order, for any length, width or thickness, at short notice. Give us a chance.

SIBBETT & THOMPSON, may 30, 1880. Whiteville, N. C.

### ESTABLISHED

American.	Tonnage.
Barques,	—
Brigs,	1 344
Schooners,	11 2,665
Steamers,	5 4,378
Total, 17 Total, 7,288	
Foreign.	Tonnage.
Steamers,	—
Barques,	8 2,960
Schooners,	1 294
Brigs,	4 1,033
Total, 13 Total, 4,287	
Total arrivals, 30. Total tonnage 11,575	

### NOTICE.

TOWN CREEK, BRUNSWICK CO., }  
 May 7th, 1880. }

There will be a Republican Convention held at Smithville on the 7th day of June, 1880, to appoint delegates to the State and Congressional Conventions. In accordance with the Republican rules of the state, each Township will hold meetings on the 29th instant to elect delegates to the said county convention.

ED. W. TAYLOR,  
 Ch'mn. Rep. Ex. Com.

### THANKS!

P. G. M. COUNCIL NO. 47, G. U. O. of O. F. E. desire to return their thanks to the Committee of Ladies who so kindly assisted them in making arrangements for their Anniversary festival, held at the City Hall on the 18th May.

W. J. STEWART,  
 E. A. DUDLEY,  
 Committee.

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### Wilmington & Weldon Railroad.

PASSENGER DEPARTMENT.  
 WILMINGTON, N. C., May 28th, 1880.

COMMENCING June 1st, 1880, Round Trip Tickets to the

Mineral Springs and Summer Resorts of Virginia, West Virginia and North Carolina,

will be on sale at the Coupon Ticket office of this Road via Goldsboro, Weldon, Richmond or Petersburg, and also to Summer Resorts of upper South Carolina and Western North Carolina, via Wilmington and Columbia.

For Tickets, Price Lists and Time Cards containing all needed information, call on the undersigned, or Ticket Agents at Wilmington, Wilson, Weldon, Tarboro and Goldsboro.

A. POPE,  
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CHILDREN'S  
 BOYS' AND MENS'  
 STRAW AND FELT HATS.

Prices to suit everybody.

**Come One, Come All,**

and examine our stock, and we will strive hard to merit your patronage, as we have formerly done.

may 23m

**Proposals for Furnishing Rations and Ship-Chandlery for Revenue Vessels.**

CUSTOM HOUSE,  
 COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,  
 May 19th, 1880. }

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, of Wednesday, June 24, 1880, for supplying Rations and Ship-Chandlery (to be by separate bids) for the use of the Revenue Vessels of the United States Revenue Marine Service in this Collection District for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1881. Schedules of articles of Ship-Chandlery to be bid for will be furnished on application: at this office.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, and to waive defects, if deemed for the interest of the Government so to do.

W. P. CANADAY, Collector.  
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### TO BUILDERS.

OFFICE OF ENGINEER SIXTH LIGHT HOUSE DISTRICT,  
 CHARLESTON, S. C., May 19, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, the 21st day of May, 1880, from practical builders only, for a Frame House and Kitchen Dwelling for Paus Island, S. C., and also for a Keepers Dwelling for Little Cumberland Island, Ga.

Plans, specifications, forms of proposal, and other information, may be obtained on application to this office.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids, and to waive any defects.

P. C. HAINS,  
 Engineer Sixth Light House District.  
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### Proposals for Fresh Beef and Mutton

Headquarters Department of the South, Office of Chief Commissary of Subsistence, NEWPORT BARRACKS, NEWPORT, K. Y., April 21, 1880.

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