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For Treasurer. ELIJAH HEWLETT. For Corner.

E. D. HEWLETT, ForConstable of Wilmington Township. JOHN CLATBORN SMITH.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Messrs, John W. Shackelford and William P. Canaday, candidates for Congress, will address their fellow citizens at the following times and places Fayetteville, Cumberland Kingsbury, " Hollow, Bladen

The speaking will take place at 12 o'clock, M., each day. Other candidates for Congress are invited to attend;

THE CONTINUANCE OF FRAUD. The County Commissioners in every county in this state are solidly Democratic, by an Act of a Democratic Legislature, and not by the election of the people of the several counties. And it has come to our knowledge that the plan of appointing Republican pollholders required by law, is being made with a view to appoint many who cannot read the ballots, which they are re quired to certify as cast at the polls in the coming election, thereby virtually denying to the Republicans in such township an opportunity to examine the ballots given in by the people.

We, therefore, give notice, that, in very instance where such appointments have been or are made, if the same are permitted to stand, that affidavits of such poll-holders, setting forth the fact of their inability to read, will in every case be ta'en throughout the state and the names composing the Democratic Boards appointing them be published.

MAHONE.

The southern Bourbontimplicitly be beves that his state is the nation, the first and superior. Of this class are most of the present members of Congress from the rebel states. The southern Republicans and those who affiliate with them, are national. Of this class General Mahone of Virginia, is a distinguished example, who, though not a Republican, has the genius to consolidate elements, in some respects dissobant, into a solid and compact and manageable whole. He is of the most unique political character whom reconstruction has bred out of the seething and tumultuous mass. His contempt for old conventionalisms and his lofty confidence and audacity is, indeed superb. By it he has made himself master of the situation in Virginia, and is able to dely the ancient ramifications of crustiness

THINGS IN THE EAST.

A friend writes the Post that the

AUGUSTUS M. MOORE.

Augustus M. Moore, Esq., the Republican candidate for Attorney-General was born in Edenton in December 1841, and still resides in that town. He is the second son of the late Hon. Augustus Moore, who was universally recognized as one of the ablest lawyers and best Judges in the state. He attended school at the Edenton Academy and at Horner's School, at Oxford, this state, when in June 1859 he entered the University, remaining until the winter of 1860-61. His pursuit was that of agriculture until the opening of the war, when he volunteered as a private, April, 1861, in Co. A. 1st N. C. State Troops, commanded by Capt. Skinner, under Col. Stokes. He served in Virginia until February, 1862, when he was promoted to Lieutepaut of Artillery. In 1864 he was detached from

the Company and placed on Staff duty. Mr. Moore was licensed to practice law in January 1867, and while devoting his time to his profession he has taken an active part in every movement involving the interests of the people. In 1871 he was a candidate for the Convention, running ahead of his ticket. In 1872 he declined the appointment of Solicitor of the First Judicial District in favor of Willis Bagley. In the same year he was elected a County Commissioner by a large majority and served two years as Chairman of the Board. In 1874 he was a prominent candidate for Congress. In 1875 he declined the nomination as delegate to the State Convention. In 1876 he was nominated for State Senator by acclamation, but declined; and on the 7th inst., at the Republican State Convention at Raleigh he was unanimously nominated for Attorney-

Mr. Moore is a lawyer. Loving the profession, and possessing a peculiar adaptability for it, he has rapidly risen until he now stands at the front among the members of the Bar. With quick perceptions, possessing reasoning facillies strong and clear, and having obtained a thorough knowledge of the law, he is specially qualified for the re-

In politics, Mr. Moore is an earnest, outspoken Republican. He has taken an active part in every campaign since 1872. He has few equals on the stump and as a writer he is able and vigorous. Personally he is very popular and here in the east, where he is known, he will poll a large vote. - Carolinian.

DEMOCRATS AND GARFIELD. While several Democrats in this state are blackguarding Gen. Garfield according to the vernacular of pot-houses let them close their foul mouths and listen to what decent Democrats say of

Judge Jeremiah S. Black. From an interview in The Philadelphia Press, Aug. 30th, 1880,

With regard to the Credit Mobilier transaction I have said, and always will say, that I believe that Gen. Garfield fold me the truth about it. He would not do anything else. I watched the development of the investigation, and saw nothing in that to alter my opinion. I will tell you, Gen. Garfield's hands were clean in that transaction, as ne has always kept them, but he unthose who were guilty and who expected Oakes Ames to swear them through instead of standing on his own true and good defence and leaving the guilty to their fate. There, was his devotion to party. It was urged upon him as a party necessity, and he yielded to that consideration, as he always will. His party demanded the sacrifice, and he made it. For that reason the Credit Mobilier affair has not hurt him with his party, and will not and ought not. believe firmly in Gen. Garfield's personal integrity, and I base my judgement upon an intimate knowledge of his private walk and conversation. Congressman William M. Springer of

Illinois From a Speech to his old neighbors is

June, 1880. My friends, the Republican party has nominated as its candidate for Presideut James A. Garfield of Ohio, (derisive laughter); a man who has been in public service, long been the leader of his party, and who stands to-day the mightiest warrior of them all, reatest Republican member of the ower House of Congress. (Sensation.) know James A. Garfield by being with him in the Lower House of Congress for years, and I know that there is ng Republican of that party abler than he. I see that the newspapers are making charges against his character; but, my friends, I cannot say that they are in any wise true.

Senator Edmunds of Vermont, on hearing that Gen. Fancock did not Hon. J. J. Martin has taken the stump sgree with him in believing that there for Hon. Cyrus W. Grandy for Con- was no law nor amendment to prevent gress in the First District. He also says giving a pension to a rebet soldier said that Judge Buxton is making a splen- a Democratic Congress has only to pass did impression wherever he goes, and a bill repealing the loyalty test of a is winning golden opinious among the claimant to secure an unobstructed by its History", by Emery A. Storrs; is encountering great dissatisfaction of claims which he estimates at "hun- Desere Charnay; "The Observance of is a delegate. and is considered the worst demagogue who ever appeared before our people.

Canaday is getting on first rate and has considered the worst demagogue of the substance of the subs

Latest.

Governor Cornell was scriously ill on Tuesday night at Coney Island of malarious fever, and his physician was called from Albany.

Senator Blaine who has been visiting Concord, New Hampshire, has commenced a speaking tour, and on Saturday night expects to address a meeting of 30,000 in Philadelphia -- the largest ever held there.

It is rumored that Jay Gould is to come into control of the Western

The Irish Republicans are very ac tive in New York.

The Unitarian Conference is in session at Saratoga, composed of Rev. Dr-Bellows, James Freeman Clark, W. H. Channing, now of London, and Rev. of Boston, presided.

Sir William Howe, the British Commander, having bung Nathan Hale, whom Washington had sent into the British lines as a spy, only a few hours after his capture and without trial, when Andre was captured, he was speedily tried by Court Martial on which sat General LaFafayette, Baron Steuben, and American officers, a l of whom were Major-Generals, was sentenced and hung at Tarrytown, October 2nd, 1780. They have just now held centennial ceremonies on the spot where he was captured.

Whoever heard the speech of Abraham Lincoln at Gettysburg, and had been a soldier and remembers that speech, cannot vote for Hancock now, unless he wants, it understood "that these dead shall have died in vain."

If anything could create more surprise than another, it was that our morning cotemporary abould appear with the obituary of Col. John W. Shackleford in its columns It laments sponsible office for which he has been the political demise of Col. Waddell, and exclaims "Apathy -appaling apathy, did it." And then presses the pathetic question, "Do you intend to do as you did in 1878?" "If you preter him (Canaday) to a sound Democrat, you ought to cease to call yourself anything else than a Republican.1 "Are you about to repeat this folly." "are you determined?"

What is attracting attention lately is the large number of powder-posted, scedy, second hand, played-out nobodies who are going over to Hancock. Hancock will by and by be worse off than Jack Falstaff was, who swore he wouldn't march his rabbie through Coventry. Among the last who have joined the noble phalaux of Hancockonians is the forty days faster, Dr.

Congressman J. C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky wags a loose tongue. At a speech in Batavia, Ohio, the other day he said in his blatant style: "Let the Radicals cease their brawl about a solid south. She is solid, thank God! fortunataly adopted the false defence of | She was solid for Jeff Davis in 1860, and we will be solid for Harcock in

It is a significant fect, as shown by the Tribunc, that while the National Democratic Conventions in 1864, 1868, 1872 and 1876, had in their platforms glowing resolutions pledging themselves to the payment of pensions to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic, they omitted such a declaration entirely at their Convention at Cincinnati in 1880. Well did Betshoover say, under the light of the fact that out of 1,385 bills for pensions introduced in both Houses of Congress only 35 were passed, that pension bills do not have much favor with the present Democratic House" and that the "Rebel General who is at the head of the Pension Committee in the Senate is still more averse to allowing any such bitls to pres.

THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW .-Mr. Thomas A. Edison contributes an article to the October number of the North American Review, in which he states that he has succeeded in making the electric light entirely practicable for all illuminating purposes. He shows the advantages of electricity over gas, and explains how his system is to be introduced. He comments upon the unfavorable opinions that have been passed upon his work, and says that similar judgments were pronounced upon telegraphy, steam navigation, and other great discoveries. Other articles in the October number of the Review are: "The Democratic Party judged road to the Treasury for the payment "The Ruins of Central America", by

Political.

Gen. Grant and Senator Conkling are to visit General Garfield at Mentor. and then Mr. Conkling's first speech will be at Warren, Ohio, on the 28th, General Grant will be present. On the 29th, Mr. Conkling will speak at Cleveland; at Cincinnati October 1; at Richmond, Ind., October 4; at Lafayette October 6, and at Indianapolis Oct. 7.

On his way back Senator Conkling will speak in Pittsburg, the date of his meeting there remaining to be fixed From about the 15th of October to November 2 he expects to devote himself to the state of New York.

The Democratic National Committee are committing fraud upon the Post-office Department by se post all sorts of illicit documents through the mails in big bags under the frank of Sunset Robt. Collyer, while E. Rockwell Hoar | Cox, Call of Florida, and others. Several cords of this rubbish are held up in Postoffices.

The peaceful purposes and cheerful temper of the southern Bourbons is shown by the fact that there has been issued from a Richmond press a "New School History of the United States of America" as full of treasonable lies as the Bible is of truths.

The Tribune:

Senator Wallace said in a speech in Philadelphia on Saturday evening: "No northern Senator or Representative would dare to yote, nor has one ever yet voted in favor of the payment of pensions to southerners engaged in the Rebellion." In the Senate on February 28, 1879, the Arrears of Pensions bill being under consideration, an amendment was offered that no exrebel soldier "shall be entitled to receive any pension under this Act." The vote on this amendment was 24 in the affirmative, all Republicans: 26 in the negative, all Democrats except 2. Of the 24 Democrats, 7 were, from the north, and one of them was Senator Wallace. On the same day it was moved also that Jeff Davis be excluded from receiving a pension under the Act. On this motion, 23 Republicans voted in the affirmative and 20 Democrats in the negative. Mr. Wallace "dodged," but there were 5 northern Democrats who voted in favor of including Davis. In view of this fact, what is the name for the offence Mr. Wallace committed in his speech?

Hancock has begun to dodge important political questions which are no settled in she Cincinnati platform.

The N. Y. Herald correspondent at Indianapolis says of that skinflint W

It is an undeniable fact that bright and keen and successful as Mr. English unquestionably is he is far from being popular with his townspeople or with the workers from out of town. He seems to have no social relations here, and although he has a comfortable and accessible house he has yet to invite any of the distinguished guests who are here working for him to share its hospitality. As one world known gentleman said to day, "He treats us as if we were here asking for employment.' The fusion saints in Maine who don't knew when they are besten have agreed

on a fusion cheteral ticket of 3 fusion to 4 Democrat, all on one ticket and to be voted solid by fusiondom. The rag-baby ticket in Maine, which

Hancock thought had been successful, be telegraphed to the whispering Plaisted was "a glorious result." What say the hard money Democrats? But James B. Weaver, the Greenbacker candidate for President, telegraphs Plaisted: "It is most amusing to see the Democratic leaders masquerading behing the Greenback party and calling our victory a "Democratic boom." The Newbern Times says

Capt. Kitchen, M. C., the man who was counted in by the most outrageous frauds ever perpetrated in this city, and Congressional District," was in the city | and John Roberts, Stewards and made a stock clap-trap speech to the Hancock and Jarvis club Tuesday orthodox even.

President of the Philadelphia National Republican Convention in 1872, says that the Republicans of that state are making even a more vigorous canvass than they made in 1876, and are confident of the state giving Garfield and Arthur the electoral vote.

Hon, L. F. S. Foster of Connecticut is dead. He was 12 years in the Senate from that state and Vice-President protem in Audrew Johnson's time. Lately he has been on the bench in Connecticut. He was a good man and a good

The Pan-Presbyterian Alliance, which is to be in session in Philadelphia soon will be a great body of learned men and Theologians of that class from all parts | The Linning Republican mentions that Theologians of that class from all parts of the world. Dr. J. R. Wilson of the of the twenty-one applicants for the pairs will be made by hands under the ined in that city last week, less than

Brunswick Republican Ticket.

The County Convention met at Town Creek on the 21st day of September, 1880, and was called to order by E. W. Taylor, Chairman of the Executive Committee, after which Hon. S. W. Watts, was elected to the Chair, and John W. King was elected Secretary. Judge S. W. Watts made a very brief speech, and was followed by Mr. H. E. Scott of New Hanover, and he was followed by Mr. Sykes of Bladen county, the nominee for the Senate to represent Bladen and Brunswick.

After which the following nominations were made for Brunswick county: For Representative-John H. Brooks. For Sheriff-Edward W. Taylor. For Register of Deeds-H. K. Ruark.

For Treasurer-R. M. Wescott. Fer Surveyor-Asa Ross. For Coroner-James Tharp.

This ticket will cause old Brunswick to roll up a majority such as has never been heard of in that county.

The following 'gentlemen were elected as the County Executive Committee | brating the birthday of LaFayette. of the Republican party :

Waccamaw township, J. L. Innman Shallotte township, William Grissett. Lockwoods Folly township, P. M. Bryant.

Smithville township, R. M. Wescott. Town Creek township, Edward W. Taylor. North West township, Benjamin J

Watters.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES IN

ROBESON. LUMBERTON, Sept. 21, 1880.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE POST: The Democrats of this county held their convention on the first day of the present month. Among the nominees were Alfred Rowland, a young lawyer, who when a member of the legislature four years ago, voted for the change in the county governments, depriving the people of the right of electing their Magistrates, County Commissioners, School Committees, Overseers of Roads, and others. He is as unpopular as he can be on account of that vote. Bu he also voted for the odious privilege tax of \$10, making an old woman who sold peanuts on the street pay the same tax as a merchant doing a business of \$50,000 annually.

Another was Faulk Floyd, who was nominated for Sheriff. He was one of a party who took a negro from his cabin and shot him to death, for no charge and left him lying in the woods unburied. He was outlawed among the rest, but was pardoned by act of the Democratic legislature of 1875. He had kept out of the way in the meantime. It was the act pardoning all the outlaws, kuklux, &c., of the state except Steve Lowery.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.S The Republicans of Robeson wi

hold a grand meeting at Lumberton on Monday the 25th of October, to beaddressed by Judge Watts and O. H. The Republicans of Pender will hold

Grand Jubilee and Picnic, at the Big Pine, two miles from Leesburg, on the 28th of September, to be addressed by H. E. Scott, Esq., and Gen. S. H. Manning and W. E. Cowan, and others.

The Republicans of North West township, met on Sept. 20th, and after being addressed by Mr. B. J. Watters, organized a Garfield, Buxton and Canaday club, as follows:

Elias Swann, President Nathan Lane. Vice-President; B. J. Watters, Sec. Thos. Hooper, Asst. Sec.; Levi Baldwin, Treasurer; and Robert Williams

The Warsaw Garfield, Buxton and night. The display of ignorance made | Canaday club informs the Post that by him was too much for some of the they are for the above named persons against the whole world. Their officers Thomas Settle of Florida, who was are all elected and their meetings are narmonious.

> Adjutant-General Jones writes to Gen. M. P. Taylor, of this city, that the plan for an encampment of North Carolina troops at King's Mountain has been abandoned, and that there will occasion, as has been announced. Gen. Jones save that this reversal of the programme is because he has failed to secure free transportation for the troops over the railroads in this state.

That the public schools don't teach roperly even the simplest branches is fact which is constantly being proved and reproved to popular dissatisfaction. who ever appeared before our people. Canaday is getting on first rate and has fine changes ahead. Judge Fowle the white feather by refusing the widow and children, to divide time with Judge W. A. Moore to the First District, and with Hon. Augustas M. Moore our candidate for that of Edmunds and Tilden, Augustas M. Moore our candidate for that of Hancock?

The Campaign of 1862", by Judge D. Thew Wright; "The Taxation of Church Property", by Rev. Dr. A. Called an annuity to his widow of proposition in the balance of the estate remains in the writing examinations errors of punctuation and capitalization might be found, and it was by no means uncommon to fined the month of the month of the month of the two Hancock electrics and of the state of Wirginia, having been in common to fined the month of the two Hancock electrics and of the state of Wirginia, having been in common to fined the month of the two Hancock electrics and of the month of the two Hancock electrics and of the month of the mon

CITY ITEMS.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy

Subscribers who do not receive their papers regularly, will please report the same to the office of the Post. See ad. of John Werner, No.

Market street. A great many families are changing

heir residences. New River Ovsters are now being

brought to market. Only one interment in Believue

Cemetery this week. One interment in Oakdale Ceme-

tery this past week. Six interments in Pine Forrest during the past week.

No interments in the Catho Cemetery during the past week.

The French societies have been cele-

For the first time colored men have at on the jury in Louisville, Kentucky. The Register of Deeds issued four marriage licenses during the past

We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to the Second Annual Fair of the North Carolina Industrial Asso-

The double daily schedule of passen ger trains have been replaced over the Wilmington & Weldon and Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta railroads.

Rey. Dr. Burkhead preaches at the

Methodist Church in Smithville to-day, it being the occasion of the tourth quarterly meeting for that station. Col. Chas. R. Jones was in this city on Monday last, soliciting contributions

for the monument fund of Kings Mountain, He raised a nice little sum. The fellow who wants to get 300 negroes to work on a railroad in Georgia

just on the eve of election, got a flee in his ear in this city last week, and has left these parts. Mr. Alex. Sprunt of this city, arrived in New York on Wednesday last, from Europe. Mr. Sprunt will make a visit

to Canada before he returns home, and

will probably arrive here on or about

October 5th. We are under obligations to Sec. W M. Olderman for a "complimentary" to the 18th Annual Fair of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society to be held away along in from the 16th to the 19th of November.

The Rev. J. F. Heitman issues a prospectus for "The North Carolina Educational Journal" monthly, \$1 per annum, 8 page folio, to be published at Chapei Hill. It is under the charge of the N. C. State Teacher a Association.

John Williams, who has been living on charity for sometime past, and playing dummy, was arrested for loud and boisterous talking and cursing persons refusing to help him. He will now have an opportunity to play dumb in the city prison for 30 days.

Peter Croom, the confidence man and demijohn thief, had a hearing befere Justice Garder on Tuesday last, in five different cases. In a case in which he was charged with the larceny of three demijohns, he said he was not guilty, he only got two.

In May last, several of our German friends left here on a visit to their Fatherland. During the past week, with one exception, all have returned, and the friends of the absent one are becoming anxious. If he does not return in the coming week, a committee will be sent out to institute a scarch for him. "Ala Franklia."

Mr. Isaac Wells died in this city on Thursday morning. He had been a resident of Wilmington for nearly 50. years. He came here from Compacticonsequently be no sham fight on that cut about the year 1830, and has always made a good citizen. He was never married and had no relations in this city. He was somewhat excentric but Isaac Wells has always born the character of an honest and industrious man.

> The proposals for specified work and repairs on the Marine Hospital Building, were so divirging in amount that the authorities have concluded not to

WATER WORKS .- The joint committee on Water Works have decided to report favorably upon the matter to the Board of Aldermen, and Board of Audit and Finance to-morrow afternoon. The proposition laid down by Mr. Wilkins, who is willing to undertake the contract, is substantially as follows: First the city must agree to take as a minimem number, seventy-five hydrants for which they will have to pay an annual rental of \$80 apiece, or \$6,000 a year. The Company then agrees on their part to begin the undertaking and will guarantee to have the water works in full operation in this city by the 1st of April, 1881, or at the farthest, one menth later. The Company also agrees to give such a force of water that with a hose attached to a hydrant a stream can be thrown over any house in the city. As we understand it there will be no increase of taxation and that in the offstart the Company will have to spend about \$200,000 in construction of the water work system.

AN EYE FOR AN EYE .- Peter Leach. colored, was hung at Lumberton on Friday last for the murder of Sam Townsend, January 6th, 1879. Owing to poison administered by his wife while in jail he seemed to be deprived of the use of his limbs and was hung sitting in a chair. He tried a good many plans to prolong his life or stave off the execution. To illustrate his desire to-postpone the fatal hour, a few days since he indicated to the Sheriff that he knew who were the parties who caused the destruction by fire of a large portion of Lumberton a few years agos Acting upon information which he gave, four colored men, all of whom he implicated, were arrested, but at an examination before a magistrate on Monday last it was conclusively proven that at the time of the fire two of the parties were in South Carolina, and could not by any possibility have been guilty, and his testimony regarding the two others was so conflicting and contradictory and so different from the statement upon which they were arrested, that the magistrate discharged them. His object was to get at least one of them bound over to Court, in which case he would be necessary as a witness, and thus have his life prolonged for a season. He is the third of his family who have been hung within the past five years, and another brother who murdered a man the week that Peter was on trial is now at large.

A two story frame dwelling owned and occupied by the widow of Henry Waddell, on Fifth between Bladen and Harnett streets, was discovered on fire Wednesday morning last. The flames were soon extinguished but not until after considerable damage was done. The house was issured for chough to repair damages.

Mr. P. Nolan, Superintendent of the Wilmington Turnpike Company, has engaged the schooner. Wave to bring shells from the vicinity of Smithville and Fost Caswell. The first cargo, consisting of seventy cartloads was landed by the Wave a few days ago on the wharf foot of Nun street.

Col. John D. Taylor has received the appointment of Deputy Grand Dictator of the Order of Knights of Honor in North Carolina.

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MPORTANT TO AGENTS.-THE LIPE by his personal friend, MAJOR BUNDY, dilter of N. Y. Mail, is the only excition to thick Gen. Gutfield has given personal mo-

and offers his PROPERSIONAL SERVICE