The Raleigh Register RALEIGH, N. C., Thursday, September 20th, 1877.

J. C. L. Harris, Editor, Mrs. M. B. Clarke, Literary Critic. W.M. Brown, Publisher & Proprietor.

THE LATEST NEWS.

The American Rifle Team after two days shooting at Creedmour with the British Team, came off victors by a score of 3,334 to 3,242.

It is authoritatively announced that As-sitant Secretary McCommick of the Treasury Department has placed his resignation in the hands of the President.

The battle at Plevna is still going on. There have been great losses on both sides. The Russians are making desperate efforts to take the place but have met with a determined and stubborn resistance.

Congressman Walling, of Ohio, thinks the success of the Democratic State ticket in that State are assured. He says the Republicans are making their strong offort on the Legislative ticket.

Gen. Raum, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has issued a circular to Collec tors of Internal Revenue notifying them that the issue by his office of stamps for distilled spirits, tobacco, snuff, cigars and fermented liquors will be discontinued on the evening of the 22d instant, to be resumed again on the morning of the 5th proximo. Collectors are directed to make requisitions for such stamps specified, as they will be required to so supply themselves that distillers, brewers and manufacturers will not be inconvenienced by the suspension.

met on the 11th, and after nominating an usuably strong ticket for State officers, adopted the following resolutions:

That most earnestly desiring the pacification of the Southern faction of oar protection of all in every right; by a careful regard for that class of citizens South we recognize a magnanimous purpose to remove every semblance of lawlessness and violence. We hope that the magnanimity will be duly appreciated and the reciprocal pledges made by promif the Southern policy of the President produces the hoped-for results of order and peace, but if these results shall not follow this experiment we demand that secure to all citizens, without distinction time. of race or color, the fullest enjoyment of their constitutional rights. That the determination of the National Executive to render the civil service more efficient and less obnoxious to criticism is legitimate that the people should know meets our approval. The perfection of the exact circumstances under which these our system of government in every detail assaults wre made, so that such credit may of administration is one of the most im- be given and allowed as the facts demand. in that direction should be fairly considered, neither hastily approved nor condemned.

A VIRTUOUS SPASM. THE NEWS of this city has become exceedingly virtuous in the last four or five days, a thing never known before in the history of that paper, and which was totally unex-

pected by the community. We quote from THE NEWS of Sunday last : fice because they belong to its own political party, is worth thousands of dollars to any

community. The certainty of exposure by It keeps many a man honest who would THE NEWS has always been, and it is by reason of its honesty and fearlessness that it has obtained such a hold on the regard and affections of the people."

When nobody will blow your horn it becomes absolutely necessary that you blow it yourself. This THE NEWS has been doing for several months. Whether THE OBSER-ER is cutting away the foundation of THE NEWS as fast as time will allow, and THE NEWS is blowing to keep up courage, is more than we know. Inquiring people must investigate these questions for themselves. But we are digressing.

THE NEWS is not entitled to any credi whatever concerning the attack of that paper on the city officers. The facts which it now uses are obtained from the report of Messrs. Moore and Harris, which was made out in June and was at the disposal of THE NEWS at that time, but no fact contained in that report derogatory to the city officials, was published until Sunday last. In the meantime THE REGISTE had procured a printed copy of the report and had laid the whole facts as contained therein, with proper comments, before the people of Raleigh and the State. -Knowing that the people were talk-The Wisconsin Republican Convention ing about the record of the city administration for the past two years, and that inquirers were being made as to the failure of all other papers in this city to publish the re-

port of Messrs. Moore and Harris, THE Union and its speedy return to material NEWS all at once has a virtuous spasm, prosperity, we are mindful that this can three months after the report of Messrs. be gained only by obedience to law; by Moore and Harris had been made, and Judge of Wake Criminal Court from the \$5 for inserting the above notice once a week till day, on presentation of a receipted bill therefor, comes out with a severe article on the city least able to protect themselves. In the officers. People who have kept posted upon efforts of the present national administra- this subject, will say at once that THE tion to restore peace and concord to the NEWS was driven to attack the city administration, and that it descrives the same credit for so doing that an individual does who refuses to do a certain thing and is made, forced, compelled, and driven thereto inent citizens and officials of the South by physical power or by public opinion. will be faithfully kept. We shall rejoice There are othor matters of delinquency on the part of THE NEWS and other Democratic papers which have failed to reach the public other than through THE REGISTER, other measures be adopted which shall to which attention will be directed in due

But suppose Judge Strong and the Attorneydoings of members of the Democratic party, General are right in their construction of the without any regard whatever to the effect that such exposure might have had upon the law, the fact remains that Judge Strong performed no service for Wake county for two cause of the Democracy. months ending May 12th ; during this time LAUREL

The fact that THE NEWS has taken up the role of THE SENTINEL and is attempt- he was practicing law and making money ing to play the part of Cato, the Censor, re- by his profession. If Judge Strong had ta-

"A paper that speaks out boldly and will minds us very forcibly of the fable in Æsop, not wink at the shortcomings of men in of- of the jackass who put on the skin of a dead lion and brayed through the streets of the village.

otherwise be tempted to err. Such a paper HON. GEO. V STRONG-AN EX. PLANATION ASKED. Under this head The News of this city of Saturday last contained the following editorial article :

"We were pleased when this gentleman was elected Judge of the Criminal Court of Wake County, and have no cause to be dissatisfied with his administration. As a public journal it is our duty to call upon him for an explanation on the following state of facts: Judge Strong was elected Judge on the 12th of March, 1877. The bill establishing the Court forbade the Judge of it from practicing law. In view of that enactment Judge Strong did not accept the position

12th, his first Court being beld the following Monday. During this time he was in full practice of his profession. Lately he drew his pay, and drew back to March 12th, thus getting \$330 of money of the tax-payers for which he rendered no service and two months pay as Judge when he was not Judge. We have no comment to make. It is our duty to ask for the explanation, and we hope Judge Strong can make a satisfactory one. As it stands the Radicals are clapping their hands and making ready to use the facts in the next campaign. The transaction is no secret and we ask Judge Strong at once to make a satisfactory explanation or refund the money. We make this demand in the interest of Judge Strong as well as of the party and the public." lowing letter of explanation :

RALEIGH, Sept. 15, 1877. To the Editor of the News :

SIR-In your issue of yesterday you call

ken the oath of office on the day he was elected Judge, he could not have practiced law after that day; inasmuch as he did practice and reaped the rewards of that practice and rendered Wake county no service until the 12th of May, he was not entitled to demand

and receive pay of the people of this c unty for time which he had spent in attending to his private practice as a lawyer. This certainly would have been equity upon the principle that no man is entitled to receive compensation for services which have not been performed. Upon this ground Judge Strong must have known that he was not entitled to pay from March 12th to May 12th, because Wake county had received nothing therefor. So much for the action of Judge Strong; we cannot pry into his heart and see what his intentions were, therefore, we shall not impeach his motives, but leave and qualify as Judge until Saturday, May the facts to be considered by the people of Wake county, who have been damaged by

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

this transaction.

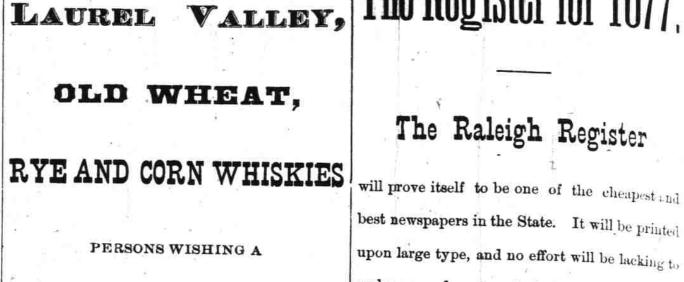
2,713, New York.

VEGETINE.

GREAT BANKRUPT SALE. INITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA. In the matter of THE BANK OF NORTH CAR-At the Court House door in Raleigh, N. C.; on Monday, November 12th, 1877, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., I will sell at public auc-tion to the highest bidder for cash, the open book accounts, notes, judgments and other choses in action, the property of

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We make no objection to the assaults on the city officers by THE NEWS, but when that paper claims credit therefor if

A NEW RADICAL ORGAN.

Speaking of the money drawn by Judge That in the purposes and patriotism of Strong elsewhere referred to, THE NEWS says :

"As it stands the Radicals are clapping THE SEMI-WEEKLY REGISTER will be their hands and making ready to use the

This assertion is not true. The Radicals knew nothing about the charge against will be sent free to any person who may Judge Strong only as they heard it from send us ten subscribers to THE WEEKLY ac- Democrats. The Editor of THE REGISTER knew nothing of the matter until late in the afternoon of Saturday last, and his informa-The State Fair promises to contain the that we have heard speak who does not re Radicals over this matter. There is not one gret that anything of the kind should have

date of my election, instead of that at which day, on presentation of a receipted bill therefor, took the oath of office.

Mr. J. B. Neathery, formerly Private Secretary of Governors Caldwell and Brogden, and now Treasurer of Wake county, first suggested to me that I was entitled to pay from the date of my election, and that the pay of the Superior Court Judges was not made, by the custom of the State, to depend on the time at which they took the oath of office.

I subsequently had a conversation with Attorney-General Kenan, in which he expressed the decided opinion that my pay began from the date of my election. I afterwards addressed a note to the Attorney-General, which, with the answer thereto, is as follows:

RALIEGH, Sept. 10th, 1877. Hon. Thos. S. Kenan, Attorney-General : DEAR SIR-I was elected Judge of Wake Criminal Court on the 10th day of March, and took the oath of office on the 5th day of May, of this year. Please advise me from which of these dates my salary as such Judge begins, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

GEORGE V. STRONG. RALEIGH, Sept. 10th, 1877.

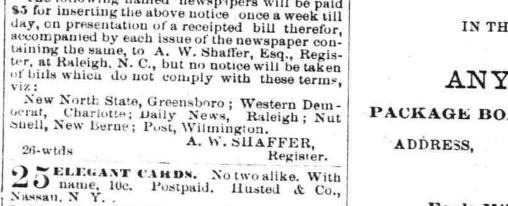
Judge Strong, Raleigh : DEAR SIR-Yours asking my opinion as to when your salary begins, is to hand. I think it begins on the day of your election. The bill establishing the Criminal Court of Wake, (Sec. 6) prescribes that your Mrs. J. A. Drollinger, LaPorte, Indiana, Box salary shall be \$2,000. It is an annual salary, to be paid quarterly, and I think when you hold the four terms of said Court, such a balance will be due you, as will amount to the annual salary.

fects the question. You have performed the duties as prescribed; and up to this tion was derived from a Democrat. There time, have held the May and August terms has been no "clapping of hands" among the of said Court, and therefore one half of said salary is due.

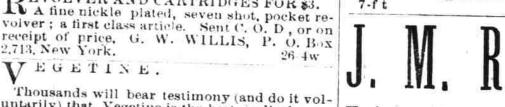
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GEORGE V. STRONG.

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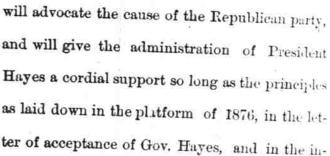
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TERMS;

heretofore received from the good people of Raat any similar gathering in the State. We occurred. Democrats have always been Semi-Weekly, single copy, one year, leigh and the surrounding country, and I hope I thereupon presented my account to the way, New York, or send for his new book, with \$3.10 glad and have "clap, ed their hands", hope every one of our readers will make arphotographic likenesses of bad cases before and by suiting my goods and prices to the wants and county Commissioners, with the above corafter cure. Beware of cheats who pretend to furpockets of my customers, to merit and receive a at the downfall and misleeds of Radicals, rangements to come. To every one who because they were perfectly willing that six months, respondence, and with a full knowledge of 2.00 nish Dr. Sherman's treatment. Very respectfully, J. M ROSENBAUM. does come, we extend a hearty invitation to such things should occur from time to time all the facts they allowed the same. I ing himself Dr. W. G. Crempien, is indicted on ten copies, one year, each, 2.50thought then and still think that the Attorcomplaint of Dr. S. and awaits trial for forgery torney General was correct in his views, and and embezzlement. until the result thereof would be a Demo-WILLIAM SIMPSON, It will be a good opportunity to send mon- cratic victory. They are glad now whentwenty 66 ·· 2.00 that I received only what was due me. ey by hand for THE REGISTER, by persons ever they hear that a Radical has done any-Weekly-single copy, one year, Very Respectfully, 1 50 coming to the Fair. We hope to receive a PHARMACIST thing which makes capital for the Demolarge number of subscribers during Fair In publishing this explanation, The News six months, 1.00 cratic party. Such is the difference between week. makes the following comments : \$ 11 ** three months, 50 the two parties. "We herewith submit Judge Strong's ex-

I do not think the date of qualification af-

Yours truly, THOMAS S. KENAN,