

THE STANDARD.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1888.

NATIONAL TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT

Grover Cleveland,

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

Allen G. Thurman.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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DANIEL G. FOWLE.

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For State Auditor:

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For Presidential Electors at Large:

ALFRED M. WADDELL,
of New Hanover County.

FREDERICK N. STRUDWICK,
of Orange County.

THE JOINT INSTITUTE.

Stanly and Cabarrus counties have arranged for a joint Institute to be held at Misenheimer & Lentz's Springs from July 9 to 20 inclusive. The exertions of the Superintendents of Public Instruction for these counties to bring about this assembling together of those who have in charge the educational advancement of our children for a mutual exchange of ideas, cannot be too highly spoken of. We have no doubt but that a rare treat is in store for those who avail themselves of this meeting together, and we believe it will be of vast benefit to every one present. We trust that success, in its broadest sense, will attend it.

In this busy working age, when the accumulation of houses, lands and bank stock accounts engross the minds, the thoughts and acts of every one, let us not forget that education is the stepping stone to all success, national or state, public or private. The influence of our teachers on the general tone of moral and mental improvement is becoming more marked each year. Our schools and colleges are to decide the status of a new generation, and our present system of education has become almost a national academy. The majority of our colleges and higher schools are under the supervision of clerical teachers, whose moral influence is brought to bear on those under their charge. This same influence has entwined itself around our common schools so that our whole educational course is almost assimilated to a common standard. As a people we are, through our educational progress, encouraging and building up a reputation for intelligence that will be felt in the nations, halls and in the private parlor. The influence of our educational institutions is lifting the whole people to a higher plane of moral and mental culture. The mind brightened by intellectual advancement realizes more fully the bright and beautiful in creation; the woods and fields, the hills and vales have a sweeter charm—and looking upward to the azure blue above, man realizes that an omnipotent hand fitted him, in the creation, with mental faculty to study and enjoy his handiwork.

Let us give to every educational enterprise our full and undivided support, and by our aid make Carolina, intellectually, the model state, and let Stanly and Cabarrus, by their presence at this Institute, endorse the course of those at the head of their common school system, and thereby give a greater impetus to progressive education.

Richmond, Va., has a population of 100,000 and is growing rapidly.

THE NATIONAL TICKET.

No ticket that either party has presented to the people for their suffrages since the war has commanded such universal respect, or embraced so many elements of popular strength as the present Democratic slate for President and Vice-President.

Whatever faults Mr. Cleveland has exhibited—and neither he nor his friends claim perfection for him—have been trivial and even his enemies admit that they have come from the head and not from the heart. The great striking characteristic of the man is his unflinching, unbending desire to do the thing that is right, and he never fails to define his position on any given subject so clearly and so sharply that there can be no mistake as to where he stands. He is not a favorite with the average politician, nor has he ever been the politicians' candidate. His nomination four years ago was made in forced obedience to the direct and loudly-expressed wish of the people, and this year it was even more so. For the people with that intuitive sagacity that never errs recognize in him their friend, and they know that whatever contests may arise, or whatever issues may be presented, he will always be found on their side and battling for their rights. And it takes a man with more than ordinary nerve and backbone to brush away the mists and fogs in which so many measures are enveloped when they are brought before the President and sternly, unwaveringly do the thing that is right. Many of his own party and his own friends have to be offended, and he has to bear much undeserved reproach and abuse. Mr. Cleveland has been through all this, and he stands to-day before the American people as the type of everything that is great and ennobling in national politics, and the bravest and most fearless President since the days of Andrew Jackson.

And if ever there was a nomination made that just suited everybody, and everybody wanted, it was the nomination of the second man on the ticket, Allen G. Thurman. He has been so long a great figure in national affairs, and his record is so grand, so simple, so stainless, that the rank and file of the Democracy positively love him. It will be like voting for an intimate friend to deposit a ballot for Thurman next November, and about six millions of his personal friends will avail themselves of that privilege, no matter what the weather is. It must have been an inspiration that brought out his name and sent it through the convention with such a whoop and hurrah, and the wisdom of it will be very clearly set forth when the returns come in next November.

Anyhow the ticket is invincible, and the struggles of the dying Republican party would be laughable if they were not pitiable.

UNSER FRITZ.

A pall of gloomy sadness again hovers o'er the Fatherland. National grief at the death of their beloved Emperor, Frederick the Third moves all Germany.

In less than a year this great home-loving people have been called on through the dispensation of a wise providence to mourn the loss of two great rulers. Kaiser William, who by a just administration knit the hearts of Germany together as one man is no more. Unser Fritz, as he was wont to be called by his soldiers who followed him with confidence and love o'er many a bloody battle field, is cold and dead at the commencement of his reign. A nation mourns.

May the youthful prince who now ascends the throne as Emperor, so rule that, like his father and grandfather, all Germany will love and respect him. America, as a nation, sympathizes with Germany in this loss of her great rulers with a sympathy almost of close relationship, many of the sturdy citizens of this greatest Republic being German or of German descent.

From the St. Louis, Mo., papers we copy the following list of North Carolina delegates to the National Democratic Convention:

For the State at large—Julian S. Carr, Richard Battle, Paul B. Means, Thomas W. Strange. Districts—1st, W. S. Chadwick, John Bond; 2d, A. C. Zollicoffer, W. C. Bowen; 3d, S. B. Taylor, H. E. Eason; 4th, E. J. Parish, Frank S. Spewill; 5th, J. A. Long, Charles N. Vance; 6th, D. A. Covington, R. E. Little; 7th, G. F. Shepherd, D. P. Dick; 8th, G. W. F. Harper, R. W. Saurdifer; 9th, C. M. McLeod, H. J. Sinclair.

In the permanent organization the

following members were honored with prominent positions:

Vice-President, Col. Paul B. Means; Secretary, E. J. Parish; Committee on Notification, Thos. W. Strange; Committee on Credentials, W. C. Bowen; Committee on Organization, E. C. Smith; Committee on Resolutions, Richard Battle.

We are pleased to see that politically North Carolina is recognized by the National Democracy as deserving of a front seat in the synagogue, and we must even again congratulate our own county of Cabarrus on the honor conferred upon her by the appointment of one of her sons to the Vice-Presidency of the National Convention.

Davie Letter.

EDITORS STANDARD: We are now in the midst of harvest and we can hear the ring of the scythe. Wheat is considerably damaged by the scab, and will not be more than one half of an average crop.

On last Saturday, the 10th inst., the corner-stone of the new Methodist Episcopal Church South, to be built at Fulton, in this county, was laid with impressive ceremonies.

Mr. A. C. Cornatzer's distillery came very near being destroyed by fire on last Saturday. His distiller went to breakfast and when he returned about one half of the roof was on fire. Plenty of water and good pluck on the distiller's part saved the wall of the house, but the roof was all destroyed and stills damaged by falling timber.

There are two Mormon Elders, or Latter day saints, as they call themselves, canvassing this county pretty thoroughly. They preached once or twice at Hunter's old mill in this county. They claim they are sent here to enlighten the people in the true way, but we hope the good people of Davie county will give them to understand that they don't want any Mormonism or Latter day saintism mixed with their present religious denominations. We say they are nothing but a delusion, and drum them out and let them return to Salt Lake City, Utah, where they claim to have such a glorious country.

Dr. Geo. H. Lippard has wholly recovered from his recent illness and is now riding as usual.

Oh, how they do squirm and try to find a way out, but we have a Fowle Holt (foul holt) on them, and we know by their looks that the grip is a strong one, and is causing considerable uneasiness in the Radical camp.

Hurrah for Cleveland and Thurman. C. L.

Radical Rule.

Twenty years ago this fall there was an election held in this State, the equal of which had never occurred before, nor can ever be repeated. A large proportion of the vote cast upon that occasion was from a class of people just enfranchised, in fact enfranchised by that vote, while thousands were disfranchised from that high privilege.

The profrigate legislature wasted the diminished resources of the state as if bent on utter destruction. The governor elected then struck out to avenge imagined wrongs that he had received, whom the patriotic people refused three years before to elect him by their votes to a place to which he had been appointed by the authorities at Washington; and as if infuriated, began the use of the position to the utter destruction of the state in all its branches, legislative and judicial.

Bogus bonds were issued to fabulous amounts, and as if determined that the poor children of the State should never be able to read the diabolical acts of the day, the public fund was scoundrelly squandered. Money belonging to that fund invested in well paying stocks, were transferred to an investment in these valueless issues at dollar for dollar, when the same were being hawked around the streets of New York at fifteen cents on the dollar, and proved a loss to those who bought even at that low figure. To finish up the matter the most horrible conspiracy against the rights of freemen was organized that has ever blarneyed the fair pages of American history.

An army was called to the field solely responsible to the government for its acts, composed of men in some cases brought from other States for their achievements in infantry, and from this State in some instances for a like reason, marshalled and equipped at enormous expense, and sent forth to arrest whoever he might designate or their own evil propensities suggest.

A number of the first men, in everything that constitutes a gentleman and patriot, were wrenched from their homes, and in the eyes of trembling wives and wailing children were marched off by this horde of irresponsible wretches to dungeons and pens reeking with filth and vermin, too loathsome to mention. An equally irresponsible court martial

was organized to try these prisoners and was in motion to its work of iniquity and blood when the check came.

The wits of haheas corpus from the Supreme bench of the proud old State has been disregarded. "Them papers is played out," was the defiant reply to the officer serving them; the Executive would not demand obedience to them, hence in truth the "Judiciary was exhausted." But light came in the dark period and it came through Democratic unity. United efforts of Democrats broke the shackles from the limbs of these imperiled citizens, and by the mandate of Judge Brooks, of blessed memory, they were marched out into the free air of American citizenship. United efforts of the anti-federal democracy elected a majority of the legislature, and the Governor was impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors. The army of his choice and dependence was disbanded and skulked away to their retreats and once more the light of good old English liberty broke over the Old North State.

The same party under the same leaders confront us now, and would, if they had the power, re-enact the scenes, of that dark and gloomy period. Democrats must remember that united we stand, divided we fall.—Newbern Journal.

Cancer of the Larynx.

A Berlin special says: The post-mortem examination was confined to a dissection of the neck, larynx and lungs. In the larynx, which was found to have been destroyed by suppurative, was a cavity about the size of a clenched fist. Dr. Mackenzie states, in the report which he prepared at the command of Emperor William, that the disease was beyond doubt cancer of the larynx. He adds that the diagnosis was rendered very difficult, as the disease attacked the cartilage of the larynx at the outset and afterwards developed chiefly in the lower part of the cartilage.

The National Zeitung says that the autopsy proved that the larynx was completely destroyed by cancer, and that putrid bronchitis existed. There was also inflammation of the finer ramifications of the bronchial tubes, into which putrescent particles had entered. The whole larynx was in a state of suppurative, and presented a soft, lumpy mass, with scarcely any trace of cartilaginous structure remaining. There was nothing to show the existence of perforation of the walls separating the trachea and oesophagus. The choking sensation from which the Emperor suffered during the last days of his life, which was attributed to such a perforation, appears to have been really due to collapse of the larynx, owing to the destruction of the cartilage. The direct cause of death is given as paralysis of the lungs. The post-mortem examination occupied one hour.

A Bad Accident.

The Richmond & Danville train due here from Washington at 12:35 p. m. last Sunday, did not arrive until 9 p. m. The delay was caused by the wreck of the Louisville express, a train which runs over the Virginia Midland line from Washington to Charlottesville. The train flew the track when rounding a curve near Fairfax court house, and everything went down the embankment, save the rear sleeper. The engine fairly flew into the air and was torn all to pieces; the baggage car was chucked to atoms; the second class car was crushed out of all shape, the trucks and floor of the first class car were broken up, and the forward end of the sleeping car next to the first class coach was crushed in like an egg shell. The rear sleeper remained on the track and was uninjured. Four people were killed outright, and twenty-seven passengers were injured, more or less. The men who were killed were the engineer, fireman, baggageman and a telegraph operator who was riding on the engine. Their names could not be learned, but all, except the operator, were Chesapeake & Ohio employes.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The Funeral of the Late Emperor of Germany.

POTSDAM, June 18.—Prince Bismarck and a number of foreign Princes arrived here this morning. The railway stations at Berlin and Potsdam are closed against the public. A crowd is gathered outside these buildings and soldiers and police are posted all around the stations to keep back the crowd. The Friedrichsbron Palace is guarded like a fortress. At 9 o'clock the bells were tolled and the ministers who were to officiate at the Emperor's funeral took their places around the coffin in the palace. The choir sang the hymns "Soon Thou Callest me to Higher Joys" and "Jesus is my Trust." Chaplain Koegel blessed the corpse and mourners, after which the choir sang the hymn "If I am to Die." The commanders of the twelve regiments of which the late Emperor was the chief officer carried the coffin to the hearse. Eight majors then took the horses by the bridle and the procession started for the church.

A freight train on the Newport News Railroad went through a bridge at Rockport, Ky., and a brakeman, Lum Coleman, was killed.

Death of Col. S. B. Spruill.

In Coleraine, Bertie county, on Tuesday, the 19th inst., Col. S. B. Spruill departed this life, aged nearly eighty years.

During the late civil war he was the first regimental commander of the 19th N. C. troops (the 2d cavalry) and saw much active service with this justly famous command to which he was always most affectionately attached.

INGALLS, too has hopes of being struck by the lightning at Chicago. He has run up his rod. It must be a free for all fight, indeed, if such a disgraceful character as Ingalls can be counted in.—News and Observer.

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