WHOLE No. 670.

SKETCH OF STEVENSON.

The Nomination Joyfully Approved at Washington-The Story of his Life and Career-He Comes of Good Old North State Stock.

Washington, D. C., June 23.—The nomination by the Chicago democratic convention of Adlai E Steven-son as the candidate of the party for vice president was received in Washington with every manifestation of approval. It is not too much to say that Mr. Stevenson has as many warm personal friends here as any official who ever held public ed by all who knew him. . office in the district. He was while in Washington equally popular with both parties and possessed the confidence and friendship of President Cleveland and every member of his cabinet and had the regard and esteem of democrats and republicans n congress alike. At the post office Sprinklers 38 and 58cts. department where he was first assistant post maste general under the Cleveland administration many of the employees today expressed their gratification that this great honor had been conferred upon their former chief.

Mr. Stevenson's administration of post office affairs was able and thorough, and he gained for himself an enviable record for efficiency and executive ability. The democrats of this city consider him an exceptionally strong candidate.

Mr. Stevenson was born in 1834 in Christian county, Kentucky, near the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln Friday. Count the letters. His parents removed from North Carolina to Kentucky, one of his ancestors being a signer of the Mecklenburg declaration of indenpendence. At twenty years of age Mr. Stevenson; graduated from Centre college, Kentucky and married Miss Lettie Green, daughter of the president of that institution. Among his class mates were Senator hast borne the blame for many er-Blackburn, Senator Davidson, of Flordia, exsGov. McCreary, and many other distinguished men. Soon after graduating, Mr. Stevens son moved to Illinois, where he studied law with the late David Davis, and was admitted to the bar at Bloomington. He rose rapidly in his profession and was elected prosecuting attorney of McLean county. He was a presidential elector in 1864 and was twice elected to the house of representatives as a democrat from a district largely republican.

Tom Dixon Held for the Grand Jury Charlotte News.

In New York Wednesday Justice Grady rendered his decision in the case of Rev. Thos. Dixon, Jr., who was arrested on the complaint of Excise Commissioner Joseph Kerch, who charged him with criminal libel the Rev. Mr. Dixon is held for the grand jury T. He was, however, paroled in the custody of his lawyer, Col. Abner. Justice Grady said he failed to find during the examination that Kerch was indivdually responsible for the delay of the excise hoard in giving its decision upon saloons that were open on election day.

It is Dangerous.

It is dangerous for a girl to bepossesed of the curing art in Mixico for she runs the risk of being condemned as a witch and put to death. That's what happened to Teresa Urres, of Colheora, who had remarkable powers in this respect and drew hundreds of people to her. They from two and one half to three milcalled her a saint but the judges lion dollars. He leaves three called her a witch and condemned daughters and thirteen grand chilher to be shot, and her father to im- dren. prisonment for life. Not long ago they struck a girl who was a powerful predictor of lurid events and in order to prevent these things from coming to pass over there they shipher to this country.

50c. The Racket.

An Attorney Dead.

a brother of Mrs. J L Crowell, of our town, died Thursday, in Salisbury, at 11 am. Mr. Mauney was secretary to Congressman Henderson on the Postoffice Committee. Several months ago Mr. Mauney contracted consumptian, which rapidly wasted his life away.

Mr. Mauney stood high in his profession and was honored and respect-

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Is This Any Sign?

It requires just thirteen letters to spell the names of Harrisson and Reid, the Republican nominees for president and vice-president. To add to the unlucky affair, the nomination was made on Friday.

If this doesn't beat the gentlemen, what can?

The Republicans are in a fearful condition: confronted by the unlucky number, 13, and unlucky day,

Mosquito Nets 48c. per piece of yards. The Racket. d 1

How It May Be.

An editor died and slowly wended his way downward. The devil saw him and said: "For many years thou rors the printers made in the paper. Thy paper has failed. Alas! For subscriptions were never paid. Thy printers have deviled on Saturday eve for wages when thou hast not a red to thy name. Men have taken thy paper without paying a cent :yea, vearily and cursed thee for not issuing a better. All these things (thou hast borne in silence. Thou cans't) not come in. There will be continual dunning of subscribers (for this place is full of them) and discord will be created in our kingdom. Regone!

Col. Bell in It.

The State undertakers' association met at Morehead Mr. J R Parker, of High Point, was elected shares. And for every 500 shares of president: Mr. John Harvey, of Charlotte, secretary; Mr. Bell, of. Concord, treasurer, and Mr: R T Stevens, of Wilson, delegate to the force; loans to be made within 30 international convention.

Death of The States' Richest Man.

Charleston, S. C., June 23 .- William B. Smith, the richest man in the State, died here today, aged 27 years He was born in this city and was engaged in the cotton business nearly all his life. His faculty for making good and lucky investment and turning over money was extra-

His estate is estimated to be worth

Her Brother's Cigarette.

Burlington News.

The editor of the Concord Stans dard is perfecting an invention of under the laws of Ternessee. Don't his own which promises to be a great help as an adjustment to the Self-basting Steak Broilers for scissors and paste pot—the two great d 2 friends of the country editor. This St. Cloud Hotel, Concord, N. C.

useful invention of Bro. Jim Cook Mr. Jno. W Mauney, of Salisbury, is a poetry machine, and the following soul-striking lines is the first production-the crank being turned by the "devil" of the office while the Concord genius, with specs off poured his soul into his new incuba-

> Like raven'swing her locks of jet, Her soft eyes touched with fond

Doubt and desire her mind beset, Fondling her brother'scigarette, Roses, with dewy diamonds set,

Droop o'er the window's parapet; With grace she turned a watch to

And lit her brother's cigarette. Her puff of smoky violet,

Twined in fantastic silhouette; She blushed, laughed, coughed a little-yet

She smoked her brothe's cigarette. Her eyes with briny tears were wet,

Her bang grew limp beneath its Her brow was gemmed with beaded

sweat-

At this juncture Bro. Cook was called by a visitor who wanted to pay his subscription and give him the latest doing of "turning rock." The imp at the crank saw his opportunity, touched a sympathetic screw in the machine, and with a swift motion of the wheel concluded the poem

[The above may be true of the Salisbury Herald, but utterly false Corrected daily by Cannons & Fetze as applies to this sheet. Really, didn't Mr. J G Lambert have something to do with the slander ?]

Rey. Plink Plank On Faith. Ya'll nebber git to hebben by faith alon, death breddern. Man a man has been obertaken an' scooped in by de devil, jist becuz de wagon ob his belief got stuck in de mud ob indifferenc an' he wuz too lazy to put de shoulder ob good works to de wheel .- New York Herald.

Ready for Business

The Covenant Building & Loan Association will loan in Concord in the next thirty days \$2500 and agree to loan \$100 for every 100 shares kept in force costing \$60 for every 100 stock taken the Covenant Building & Loan Association will loan \$2500 and \$100 for every 100 shares kept in days from date of Certificates.

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CONCORD MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET.

Low middling	610
Middling	7 @
Good middling	74
Stains	41@5

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Correcte daily 'by W. J. Swink.)

Bacon	881@
Sugar-cured hams	@ 15
Bulk m ats, sides	8,00 10
Beeswax	@ 18
Butter	15 @ 20
Chickens	20 @ 25
Corn	67 @
Eggs	12 @
Lard	8 @ 10
Flour (North Carolina). 2	2 30 @
Meal	75@
Oats	40 @ 45
Tallow	4 @ 5
Salt	70 @ 80



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