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The Opening of the Campaign.

The campaign is now about opened. Politics are running high .-Notwithstanding this, prices are the reverse. They are now lower at G. Will. Armfield's than usual. In order to enable candidates of all parties to make a good canvass, he has reduced the prices of his whole line of Clothing lower than ever before; and also to enable the people to go nicely dressed up and feel as well as any of the candidates before the election and a gress. great deal better than about twothirds of them will feel after the result of the count becomes fully known. He now proclaims to every body-candidates, voters, ladies and children-that they can buy more Shoes, Dress Goods, or any thing he keeps, for a little ready cash, than ever before. So do not fail to call in and let him prove these facts to you before you buy. He has reduced the prices of all his Summer Goods, Straw Hats, Clothing, &c., &c., not to cost, but any thing he can get for most of them, in order to clean up to make room for a Fall stock. So remember this when you want to buy.

le who courts and runs away, May five to court another day: But he who courts find will not wed. May find himself in court instead.

Some sure things and some in doubt

It is a sure thing that Grover Cleveland has been nominated for President on the Democratic ticket, and another pretty sure thing is that Blaine has positively refused the nomination on the Republican

It is not a very sure thing who will be the Republican nominee, and another uncertain thing is, af ter all the bustle over nominations, who will be elected; and another deplorable incertainty is whether the candidate elected will, in many respects, please the party that places him in power.

But a sure, certain and fixed fact is, that G. Will. Armfield has one of the largest stocks of Clothing, Shees, Hats, Dry Goods, Car pets, &c., in the State, and not withstanding this is campaign year and people have no great surplus of money, he intends to do his usu al amount of business if prices are any inducement to buyers. You will see by a list of prices of goods in this column, that he means business; so call and see him before you buy.

The highest recorded balloon ascent was by Glaisher and Coxwell from Wolretampton, England, on September 5. 1862. They rose to the height of seven

CHEAP GOODS.

If you want to buy goods cheap, for less than value, now is your time. Just go to G. Will. Arm field's and you will find the followng goods so low that you will be sold so low, which we think below racket store prices:

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A large line of Ladies' Summer Gloves, to be closed at less than

A big line of Ladies' Silk Mits, at 25 per cent. less than cost. A large line of Men's Hats, in cluding two or three lines of drum

for 25 per cent. less than N. York Don't forget the clothing. You can buy a suit for less than cost. -

be closed for \$15. Go and see for yourselves; you will be convinced.

Judge-"Have you ever met the prisoner at the bar?" Witness-"Oh! yes, your honor; that's where I most always met him."

DAILY PATRIOT.

GREENSBORO, N. C .:

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1888.

THE event of this-week in North Carolina will be the Davidson College Commencement.

MAJOR L. C. Latham, of the first district, declines a renomination for his present seat in Con-

THERE are now nearly three hundred indictments against parties in Durham county for failure to list poll taxes as required by law.

PEACE, Commerce and honest friendship with all nations entangling alliance with none, are a few of the principles of Democracy.

THE people generally recognize the fact that the fight this' year is between the Democrats and the Re publicans and "none others need prayer, while the speakers are beapply."

A recent official statement shows that there are many youthful of fenders in our state prison, sever al of whom are under fourteen years of age.

It is expected that the line of extention of the Wilmington and Weldon road, or rather the Coast Line from Fayetteville to Plainview will be let to contract in the next thirty days.

"THE waving of red bandanna has angered Foraker, the little red bloody shirt steer, of Ghio." Of course, it will infuriate and enrage almost any kind of an ani

"THE Republicans in this Stact frankly say that the placing of Thurman on the national ticket has added to its strength in North Carolina." An honest confession is good for the soul.

THE young mens' Democratic club of New Berne, recently or ganized, gave Judge Fowle a grand reception as he reached that city yesterday on his way to the Teach ers' Assembly.

IT is a mistaken idea to suppose for a moment that Dockery is waiting to see how the "cat jumps" at Chicago to determine his action in regard to the nomination for Governor on the Republican ticket. He is waiting for the nominee to tap that barl.

THERE are petitions for the commutations of the death sentence of William A. Potts, of Beaufort almost compelled to buy them .- county, the murderer. The peo Here are some of the goods to be ple of the Aurora section, where he killed Paul Lincke, have filled nominee for Vice President. In counter petitions against any commutation. All hope for Executions clemency in Potts favor seems to be languishing.

MR. John S. Wise is reported by the Washington correspondent of the Alexandria Gazette as saying that Mahone is "a dead cock in the pit and that unless the Republi cans at Chicago shall recognize that fact and disencumber the party of Mahone's dead weight, he (Wise) wiil make common cause with the democrats against him."

THERE is victory ahead for the mers' samples, that will be closed Democrats this year if they will organize and work for it. The Republicans are losing some of their strongest men. Colonel Lot W. A lot of \$20 black Diagonals will Humphrey, of Goldsboro, one of the brainiest Republicans in the State, will this year, it 'is stated, without attempt at concealment, support and work for the Democratie party.

LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH.

LATEST from the CELEDRATION.

[Special to the Patriot.] Mt. Airy, N. C., June 20, 3 p. m The Railroad celebration here today is now at high tide, and the crowd is variously estimated at from 8 to 10,000 strong. People are here from every section of the State, rejoicing over the completion of the Railroad to this place as a grand triumph of North Carolina moneyand North Carolina brains. All hail to the name of Julius A. Gray! and his co workers.

The procession was formed at 1 o'clock, consisting of trade displays, mounted men, &c. The cavalry is simply immense, and the wildest enthusiasm prevails. The grand stand is the centre of attraction, having been handsomely decorated for the occasion, upon which is seated several of the State.s most prominent citizens. Rev. B. R. Hall opened the exercises with ing introduced by Mr. Frank Car ter, a rising young lawyer of this place Gov. Scales, J. H. Currie. of Wilmington, Judge Gilmer, and

FIRST DAY AT CHICAGO.

well will follow.

Joyce, of Stokes, have spoken .-

Col. Waddell and Hon. D. F. Cald

Mahone and Wise furnish the Circus .--Thurston Temporary Chulrman.

Chicago, June 19 .- The convention has met with the usual for malities. The hall is a picture to delight the artistic eye. The crowd is immense, the confusion not more than necessary, but the preliminaries very uninteresting, except for the adjuncts and surroundings and for the enthusiasm, which makes the most stupendous lot of people I have ever seen. The sunrise this morning has not cleared away the mists that syrrounded the question of candidacy last night. The Blaine feeling has intensified itself or been intensified, but hobody shows the authority to use the name of the one man who could beyond doubt have the nomination fixed upon him it he would give even forced asset to the use of his name. The assumption managers of the condelaying in the hope of weasing out the enthusiasm for Blaine. It is said that the first ballot on can didacy cannot be taken before

Thursday night, if then. FALSE POLICY AND REAL

SENTIMENT. The question is whether a false policy will conquer a real sentiment. It is significant just now that every allusion to Blaine by the chaplain, secretary and temporary chairman of the convention was received with the only spontaneous applause that marked the proceed

OPINIONS. Everybody has an opinion this

morning. I can only give you mine. New York will be for Depew but temporarily, yet if the suggestion | quired to pay its necessary expen are not entirely agreed, therefore the New York influence will be less potent than formerly.

SHERMAN. Further investigation has confirmed my conviction that Sherman, while a factor in the situation, need not be considered as even a proba ble nominee. It is even said this morning that General Mahone's friends here are declaring their wil linguess te give their support to some other candidate But a move of that nature at this late hour would simply lose to Mahone Suer man friendship without pleasing anybody else.

Allison is growing this morning, but his caucus has no brass bands, and his success is contingent on combinations springing from the real or assumed friendship of the Blaine element. Very shrewd peo ple say here this morning that either Blaine or Allison will be the nominee. If a Western man is ta ken for the place Hawley or Wal-

place. been made temporary chairman

A Warning to Railroad Authorities. St. Paul, Minn., June 19 -In the su preme court yesterday a decision was filed in the case of Fred Hardenburg against the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba railroad company. Hardenburg sometime ago boarded a train at Minneapolis to go to Wayzata. All the seats on the train were occupied and Hardenburg refused to pay his fare unless provided with a seat. The conductor stopped the train and forcibly ejected Hardenburg at a point five miles from the nearest regular station. The supreme court holds that plaintiff had a right to refuse to pay his fare and that he did not thereby become a trespaser on the train for a passenger is entitled to a seat; also that even when a railroad company has the right to eject a passenger from his

Arrested for Insulting Ladies. New York, June 19. Fred May, the well known man about town, was arrested last night for insult-

ing ladies on the street.

train it must be done at a regular

station.

Statesville's Public Building. Washington, June 19.—The House has just passed Mr. Henderson's bill appropriating \$75,000 for a public building at Statesville, N.

President Cleveland to be Notified.

Washington, June 19.-Chairman Patrick Collins has called a meeting of the committeee to notifly Presideet Cleveland of his nominaion for Tuesday the 26th instant, at the Arlington Aotel, in this city.

Thirty Lives Lost.

Bradford, Pa., June 19.—It is reported that thirty lives were lost in the fire at Daboise, Pa., yesterday afternoon.

THE PLATFORM dopted by the Democratic State Convention at Raleigh, May 30, 1888.

We again congratulate the peo ple of North Carolina on the con tinued enjoyment of peace, good government and general prosperity under the Democratic administra tion of the affairs of the State, which has now been unbroken for so many years; upon the just and impartial enforcement of the law; vention have organized a system of upon the increasing efficiency of our common school system, and the progress made in popular education; upon the improvement and enterprise manifested in all parts of the State. We again challenge a comparison between this state of things and the outrages, crimes and scandals which attended Republi can ascendancy in our borders .--We pledge ourselves to exert in the future as in the past our best efforts to promote the best inter ests of the people of all sections capital, seeking to crush out all of the State. Affirming our adhe rence to Democratic principles as heretofore enunciated in the platforms of the party, it is hereby

Resolved, That no government has the right to burden its people with taxes beyond the amount reshould live, Harrison will be the ses and gradually extinguish its public debt; and that whenever the er, it is the duty of the legislator the empire State Platt and Miller revenues, however derived, exceed as a direct benefit to the workingthis amount, they should be re- man, to keep the expenses of our duced, so as to avoid a surplus in | public institutions at the lowest the treasury. That any system of limit consistent with wise and eftaxation which necessitates the pay- ficient management. The Demoment of a premium of \$270 by the cratic party opposes any competi government on each \$1,000 of its tion between free and convict labor, bonds, taken up with the millions but it insists that convicts shall that would otherwise lie idle in its not remain idle at the expense of vaults and paid to bondholders who honest labor. purchase, in many instances, at less than par, is undemocratic, oppressive and iniquitous, and should be well as our pleasure to promote resisted. The course of our Dem- any and all legislation that is best ocratic representatives in Congress, calculated to advance the interests in their efforts to give relief to the of agriculture; and that in sorloing people from burdensome internal we will most effectually advance revenue and tariff taxation, meets the interests of mechanics, minawith the approval of the Demo cratic party of this State, and we respectfully recommend that if they of North Carolina cordially ap find it impossible to give to our people all the relief demanded, they Hon. Alfred M. Scales as honest, support any just and practical measure presented in Congress that existing burden.

which the representatives of our and his re election.

people at the national capital must be trusted to adjust, we think the customs duties should be levied for the production of public revenue, and the discriminations in their adjustment should be such as will place the highest rates on luxuries and the lowest on the necessaries of life, distribute as equally as possible the unavoidable burdens of taxation, and confer the greatest good on the greatest number. Resolved, That we, as heretofore,

favor, and will never cease to demand, the unconditional abolition of the whole internal revenue system, as a war tax, not to be justi fied in times of peace; as a grievous burden to our people and a source of annoyance in its practical operations. We call the atten. To tion of the people of the State to the hypocritical pretensions of the Republican party in their platforms, that they are in favor of the repeal of this onerous, system of taxation, enacted by their party, while the Republicans in Congress are taxing their energies to obstruct all legislation inaugurated by the representatives of the Democratic party to relieve the people of all or a part of this odious sys-

Resolved, That the course of the Democratic party, in furtherance of popular education, is a sufficient guaranty that we favor the education of the people, and we will promote and improve the present educational advantages so far as it can be done without burdening the people by excessive taxation.

Resolved, That to meet an exist. ing evil, we will accept, for educational purposes, from the Federal government, our pro rata share of the surplus in its treasury; Provided, that it be disbursed through State agents and the bill for the distribution be free from objection able features.

Resolved, That the United States being one government and ours a national party, we denounce the efforts of the Republicans to force sectional issues in Congress and elsewhere, and to promote dissen sion and ill will between the peo ple of the different sections of our common country.

Resolved. That it is due to the people of our castern counties, who have so cheerfully borne their share of our common burdens, that the present or some equally effect ive system of county government shall be maintained.

Resolved, That the Democratic party is opposed to any further extension of the "No fence" law, unless such extension shall have first been authorized by a majority of the territory to be affected thereby

Resolved, That the Democratic party has ever been the party of the workingman, and has never fostered monopolies, nor have "trusts" or "combinations" or "pools" ever grown up under laws enacted by it. The contest in this country being between aggregated competition, and the individual laborer, the Democratic party is, as it has ever been, against the monopolists and in favor of a just distribution of capital, and demands the enactment of laws that will bear equally upon all.

bears most heavily upon the labor- kinds.)

Resolved, That ours being an agricultural State, it is our duty as facturers and laborers.

Resolved, That the Democracy prove the administration of the patriotic and conservative.

Resloaed. That the ability, wiswill afford practical relief from such dom, honesty, patriotic independence, faithfulness to duty and man-Resolved, That while the details ly courage of President Cleveland ter Phelps will have the second of the methods by which the con- have won the administration of all stitutional revenue tariff shall be good men, and the interests of the J. M. Thurston, of Nebraska, has gradually reached are subjects country demand his renomination

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