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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 great deal better than about two-thirds 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 anything he keeps, for a little ready cash, than ever before. So do 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 anything he can get for most of them, in order to clean up to make room for a fall stock. So remember when you want to buy.

He enters and runs away,
Gives to court another day;
Enters courts and will not wed,
Marries 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 ticket.

It is not a very sure thing who will be the Republican nominee, and another uncertain thing is, after all the battle over nominations, who will be elected; and another deplorable uncertainty 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, Shoes, Hats, Dry Goods, Carpets, &c., in the State, and notwithstanding this is campaign year and people have no great surplus of money, he intends to do his usual 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 Wolverhampton, England, on September 5, 1862. They rose to the height of seven miles.

CHEAP GOODS.

If you want to buy goods cheap, for less than value, now is your time. Just go to G. Will. Armfield's and you will find the following goods so low that you will be almost compelled to buy them.—Here are some of the goods to be sold so low, which we think below racket store prices:

100 prs. Holland Shades, mounted on rollers, at 25c; former price 50 to 60c; 200 prs. Ladies', Men's, Boys' and Children's low quarter Shoes for any thing near cost.—These goods will be closed out at some price.

A large lot of straw Hats cheap as ever before.

A large lot of Seersucker Coats and Vests, just right for hot weather, at cost and less.

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

A big line of Ladies' Silk Mits, at 25 per cent. less than cost.

A large line of Men's Hats, in finding two or three lines of drummers' samples, that will be closed for 25 per cent. less than N. York cost.

Don't forget the clothing. You can buy a suit for less than cost.—A lot of $20 black Diagonals will 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."

LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH.

SECOND DAY AT CHICAGO.

Chicogo, June 20.—It's hot! Both politically speaking, and actually it's hot. No lake breeze to-day.—No cessation of political work.

It now looks like Friday night before balloting will begin. This is the general impression, and to-day's proceedings lend strength to it.

It was half past twelve when Chairman Thurston called the convention to order.

After prayer by Rev. S. A. Northrop, Baptist, the convention got to work after voting down several motions to adjourn.

It was stated that the committee on credentials would not be ready to report until 8 p. m., and the committee on organization, through Gov. Foster, of Ohio, made the following report, which was adopted:

For chairman—Hon. M. M. Estie, of California.

Secretaries—Charles W. Clisbee, of Michigan; Michael Griffin, of Wisconsin; W. M. Ruell, of Tennessee; M. Lynch, of Pennsylvania.

Assistant secretaries—Thomas J. Crogan, of Tennessee; James Bisby, of Minnesota; Henry M. Cooper, of Arkansas; William Nelson, of New Jersey; A. W. Monroe, of Maryland; J. E. Wiley, of Texas; C. M. Shinn, of West Virginia, and John E. Minor, of Louisiana.

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Official stenographer—Gustavus P. English.

Sergeant at arms—Charles Fitzsimmons, of Chicago.

After a lengthy discussion on the report of the committee on credentials, the Convention adjourned at 8 p. m.

Fist and Skull.

Chicago, June 20.—The *Tribune* this morning publishes a highly sensational account of the proceedings before the committee on Credentials late last night in the Wise-Mahone contest. After describing the scene of disorder of which its reporter caught a glimpse when the door of the committee room was suddenly opened to admit a policeman, the *Tribune* says it learned that the Virginia row started between Wise and Mahone. While a Mahone delegate (Allen) was talking, Brady and Wise frequently interrupted. Mahone and Wise were siting not more than five feet apart on the same side of the table. Wise said something in an undertone to Mahone which no one caught, but Mahone at once jumped up and reached for Wise. The latter let out for Mahone, but the members sitting between them prevented any damage. Both were talking excitedly, but attention was in a moment diverted from them by Congressman Libby, one of the anti Mahone men who struck at Allen. The accounts differ, but most of the members seemed to think that Allen was hit. He was still on his feet and Libby cursing him. Allen struck back and confusion prevailed. Several of the Mahone people went for Libbey and bore him to the floor. All the colored men in the room took part, and the mass of arms and legs in motion was such that the peace making members hardly dared approach. Ex Congressman Brady, who is himself one of the Wise following, was one for whom the Mahone henchmen seemed to feel the greatest animosity. "Don't let Brady get away," yelled a voice that sounded like Mahone's, and a rush was at once made for him. A pair of western men at once closed in and saved Brady from much harm. Peace makers finally succeeded in pulling most of the fighters apart, but it was not until the policeman at the door had rushed in, and cracked several colored heads with his club.

One man, said to be named Mott, was especially ugly and could not be quieted till sergeant at-arms Smith caught him by the throat, exclaiming, "stop! stop!" and threw him half across the room. When a semblance of order was restored two or three members were standing on the table, the policeman and sergeant at arms had squads of the belligerents under their care, while Chairman Hepburn was keeping a close eye on Mahone and Wise.

Wise expressed regret at the occurrence, explaining how it was. Mahone said nothing. Libbey also spoke half apologetically, saying in the heat of the moment that he thought Allen was striking at Wise, but he did not think he himself had really hit Allen. The committee felt that something of this kind was necessary. Several members had proposed to expel Libbey, and if he had not made this explanation he would undoubtedly have been expelled. The desire to avoid publicity, however, was strong. It was agreed that the row should be kept quiet.

A Terrible Deed.

Pittsburg, June 20.—Early this morning Mrs. Josephine Morike, a Poish lady, residing on Scyamore street, Alleghany, administered a dose of strychnine to each of her three children, aged respectively 8, 5 and 3 years, and took a dose of the poison herself. At 11:15 the mother and the two youngest children are dead, the eldest is dying. The husband and father had left home but a few moments before the poison was administered. He is a mill hand employed at Shoenberger's rolling mill, and can assign no cause for this terrible deed.

Drowned While Bathing.

Charlottesville, Va., June 18.—About 4:30 this evening Benjamin Kidd, aged twelve years, while bathing in the river about half a mile from town; fell from the spring rope on which he was exercising and was drowned. Two other boys were with young Kidd, but they being unable to swim could give him no assistance.

Defeat for the English Government.

London, June 19.—The government sustained a defeat to day in the House of Commons over an amendment to one of the clauses of the local government bill dealing with police regulations. There is little doubt that Stanley, the explorer, is dead.

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

We again congratulate the people of North Carolina on the continued enjoyment of peace, good government and general prosperity under the Democratic administration of the affairs of the State, which has now been unbroken for so many years; upon the just and impartial enforcement of the law; 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 Republican ascendancy in our borders.—We pledge ourselves to exert in the future as in the past our best efforts to promote the best interests of the people of all sections of the State. Affirming our adherence 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 required to pay its necessary expenses and gradually extinguish its public debt; and that whenever the revenues, however derived, exceed this amount, they should be reduced, so as to avoid a surplus in the treasury. That any system of taxation which necessitates the payment of a premium of $270 by the government on each $1,000 of its bonds, taken up with the millions that would otherwise lie idle in its vaults and paid to bondholders who purchase, in many instances, at less than par, is undemocratic, oppressive and iniquitous, and should be resisted. The course of our Democratic representatives in Congress, in their efforts to give relief to the people from burdensome internal revenue and tariff taxation, meets with the approval of the Democratic party of this State, and we respectfully recommend that if they find it impossible to give to our people all the relief demanded, they support any just and practical measure presented in Congress that will afford practical relief from such existing burden.

Resolved, That while the details of the methods by which the constitutional revenue tariff shall be gradually reached are subjects which the representatives of our 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 justified in times of peace; as a grievous burden to our people and a source of annoyance in its practical operations. We call the attention 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 system.

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 existing 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 objectionable 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 dissension and ill will between the people of the different sections of our common country.

Resolved. That it is due to the people of our eastern counties, who have so cheerfully borne their share of our common burdens, that the present or some equally effective 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 capital, seeking to crush out all 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.

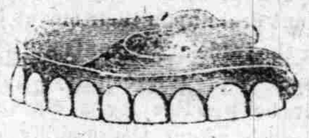
Resolved, That as all taxation bears most heavily upon the laborer, it is the duty of the legislator as a direct benefit to the working man, to keep the expenses of our public institutions at the lowest limit consistent with wise and efficient management. The Democratic party opposes any competition between free and convict labor, but it insists that convicts shall not remain idle at the expense of honest labor.

Resolved, That ours being an agricultural State, it is our duty as well as our pleasure to promote any and all legislation that is best calculated to advance the interests of agriculture; and that in so doing we will most effectually advance the interests of mechanics, manufacturers and laborers.

Resolved, That the Democracy of North Carolina cordially approve the administration of the Hon. Alfred M. Scales as honest, patriotic and conservative.

Resloaed. That the ability, wisdom, honesty, patriotic independence, faithfulness to duty and manly courage of President Cleveland have won the administrtion of all good men, and the interests of the country demand his renomination and his re election.

DR. J. W. GRIFFITH,



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Lv Charlottesville,	3 35 p m	3 00 a m
Lv Lynchburg,	5 50 p m	5 05 a m
Lv Richmond,	3 10 p m	2 30 a m
Lv Burkeville,	5 17 p m	4 25 a m
Lv Keysville,	5 56 p m	5 04 a m
Lv Drake's Branch,	6 10 p m	5 21 a m
Lv Danville,	8 50 p m	8 05 a m
Lv Greensboro,	10 44 p m	9 48 a m
Lv Goldsboro,	3 30 p m	†8 10 p m
Lv Raleigh,	5 35 p m	†1 00 a m
Lv Durham,	6 41 p m	2 37 a m
Lv Chapel Hill,	†5 00 p m	
Lv Hillsboro,	7 20 p m	3 32 a m
Lv Salem,	†7 20 p m	6 30 a m
Lv High Point,	11 15 p m	10 16 a m
Lv Salisbury,	12 39 a m	11 23 a m
Ar Statesville,		12 31 p m
" Asheville,		5 38 p m
" Hot Springs,		7 35 p m
Lv Concord,	1 26 a m	11 59 p m
Lv Charlotte,	2 25 a m	1 00 p m
Lv Spartanburg,	5 36 a m	3 34 p m
Lv Greenville,	6 50 a m	4 48 p m
Ar Atlanta,	1 20 p m	10 40 p m

NORTHBOUND.	DAILY. No. 51.	DAILY. No. 53.
Lv Atlanta,	7 00 p m	8 40 a m
Ar Greenville,	1 04 a m	2 34 p m
" Spartanburg,	2 19 a m	3 46 p m
" Charlotte,	5 05 a m	6 25 p m
" Concord,	6 01 a m	7 23 p m
" Salisbury,	6 45 a m	8 01 p m
" High Point,	7 56 a m	9 13 p m
" Greensboro,	8 28 a m	9 40 p m
" Salem,	11 30 a m	12 30 a m
" Hillsboro,	12 07 p m	†2 34 a m
" Durham,	12 47 p m	‡3 50 a m
" Chapel Hill,	†1 20 p m	
" Raleigh,	2 10 p m	†6 30 a m
" Goldsboro,	4 30 p m	11 20 a m
" Danville,	10 00 a m	11 29 p m
" Drake's Branch,	12 44 p m	2 44 a m
" Keysville,	1 00 p m	3 02 a m
" Burkeville,	1 40 p m	3 55 a m
" Richmond,	3 45 p m	6 15 a m
" Lynchburg,	1 15 p m	2 00 a m
" Charlottesville,	3 40 p m	4 10 a m
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