

Advertisements, must be addressed to WM. M. BROWN, Business Manager.

RALEIGH, JULY 6th, 1871.

PEOPLE SPEAKING.—Messrs. R. C. Badger, Marcus Erwin and W. F. Henderson will address the people of Burke county, at Morganton, in opposition to Convention, on Saturday the 22d of July, 1871.

There will be a public speaking, to discuss the subject of the proposed Convention, at Samuel Harris' Store, in Wake Forest Township, Saturday, July 8. There will be several able speakers present.

Local, State and General Items.

A friend writing from Ruffin, Rockingham county, says: "I think old Rockingham will lay Gen. A. M. Scales so low this week, that he will never say Convention again."

The dwelling of James T. Ray, in Rowan county, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 28th June. Every thing in the house was consumed. Mr. Ray and family barely escaping with their lives.

The New-Berme Times says: "We are pleased to state, in correction of an error that has been going the rounds of the press, that Hon. Joseph Dixon is the Commissioner appointed to investigate claims against the United States at this place, instead of Mr. James Dixon."

The Charlotte Bulletin of the 1st inst. says: "We are opposed to the Convention plan, regarding the procedure unconstitutional, but must admit that many good and true men think otherwise. We respect their opinions and will not employ bitter invective."

They have a Tobacco Factory in Fayetteville, making a successful run. John L. Allen is the enterprising proprietor. The Fayetteville Eagle cries for "light," "at midnight being as dark as the hidden caverns of the Mammoth Cave."

The Roanoke News says: A proposition has been made to rebuild the Roanoke Valley Railroad. The wonder is, that the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad has not accomplished this long terminating, as this road did, and again, rebuilt, at or near Ridgeway, eight which it would bring from the valley of the Roanoke, would aggregate an important item in the receipts of the R. & G. Road.

WHITOT HABEAS CORPUS.—Levi Worley, charged with being implicated in the murder of Mr. Holt, near Bon Hill in Johnston county, some months since, was before Hon. Samuel W. Watts, Judge, in this city on Saturday last, upon a writ of habeas corpus. After investigating thoroughly the written evidence before Coroner Rose, the Judge decided that the prisoner was entitled to his discharge on bail, to appear at Fall Term of Johnston Superior Court, being the 4th Monday in September. Amount of bail fixed at \$300.

A SWINGING FOOT-WAY.—The N. C. R. R. Company are having erected over their track, at the depot in this city, for the accommodation of pedestrians, a suspension footway, reaching from Mr. Blake's shop to the point of W. N. Andrews' lot on the opposite side. The masonry has been nearly completed, and the structure will be an ornament as well as a novelty. In order to reach the platform from the city end of the bridge, a winding stairway will be necessary. Of course we who have no business on the other side of the road cannot see the necessity of this costly structure. We suppose its necessity has been made to appear, hence its construction.

CATTLE THIEVES are becoming bold and numerous in this vicinity. One day last week, in the broad light of day, one of these villanous, with dog and rope, ran down and captured a cow belonging to Mr. B. Abbott, some six miles from this city. Thief and cow started to Raleigh, and got as far as Mr. Temple's out on the Hillsboro' road, at the forks of "Save Rent," and proposed to sell the "beef" to Mr. T. The price was agreed upon, and while Mr. T. was arranging the needful to pay for the animal, thief spied "a spot in the distance no larger than a man's hand," which caused him, minus the cow, to find a more congenial place in the adjoining thicket. Owner of the beef, in hot pursuit, came up to Temple's store, recognized his animal; but lo, and behold! when the vendor was called to answer, "he was not there," and his exit was effected with such stealth as to elude the observation of Mr. T.

The authorities are after the fellow, and as he is known as one who has been before our Courts on a similar charge before, he will most assuredly come to grief in October.

THE RUTHERFORD KU KLUX.—In reply to a letter from the Editors of the Rutherford Star, to L. F. Churchill, Esq., an Attorney residing in that place, and a Democrat of the original panel, writes:

MESSRS. LOGAN & CARPENTER: Your note of this date saying that "on the morning of the 19th of this inst. there was a body of men entered this place and abused and maltreated the Hon. J. M. Justice, and also burned the press and materials belonging to the office of the Rutherford Star," which body of men," you charge, "were what is understood to be throughout the country as regular Ku Klux," and asking my opinion in the matter, I received, in reply, I can only say that at the time of the occurrence, I formed the opinion that our town was receiving what is generally known as a regular Ku Klux visit, and nothing has come to my knowledge since to change that opinion. I think this is the almost universal opinion of the citizens here, without regard to party. The account of the affair as published in the editorial columns of the Indicator, of the 19th inst., so far as I know, is correct; and it gives me pleasure to see that the most unqualified condemnation of the outrage in my opinion, is endorsed by all good citizens of the country.

Very respectfully, L. F. CHURCHILL. Perhaps the Sentinel will not believe Mr. Churchill, as he is from New Hampshire. Mr. H. is well and favorably known in Western Carolina—we have known him for years, and his character for veracity cannot be questioned.

Alexander H. Stephens has become Editor. The Work House of New Hanover county, contains 53 prisoners.

Rev. John Powell, is the Convention candidate in Caldwell county.

The first National Bank of Charlotte has declared a dividend of five per cent.

D. C. Pearson, Esq., of Burke, has been appointed United States Commissioner.

The anti-Conventionists of Burke, will hold a meeting at Morganton on the 10th of July.

The Chatham Railroad Company will hold its annual meeting in this city on the 21st July.

The anti-Conventionists of Davidson held an enthusiastic meeting at Rich Fork, on Saturday last.

The Conventionists of Lincoln county have nominated Mr. A. J. Morrison, as their candidate.

Major Andrew Jackson Donelson died suddenly in the Peabody Hotel in Memphis, of cholera-morbus, age 72.

James H. Hendon, Esq., a leader of the Chatham county Conservatives, opposes the majority bill to call a Convention.

Hon. Curtis H. Brogden and J. T. Pearson, have been nominated as the anti-Convention candidates in Wayne county.

Capt. John M. Foote of Plymouth was appointed by His Excellency Gov. Caldwell Notary Public for Washington county.

The Chinese in Massachusetts attend the Methodist Church. The same people, in San Francisco, have a Young Men's Christian Association.

It is proposed to construct a building in New York, with a roof of blue glass for the accommodation of Democratic Conventions. The idea is good.

No TRADE.—From indications and expressions, we incline to the opinion that the Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road will not be sold to the Pennsylvania bidders.

His Excellency Gov. Caldwell has appointed Mr. E. W. Woods of Chapel Hill Notary Public for Orange. Mr. Woods is also U. S. Commissioner of claims.

"Is the Convention Act Constitutional?" From this text, the Salisbury Examiner delivers a sermon of over a column in length, to say yes. The correct answer being No.

A stalk of cotton grown on Mr. John Davis' farm, near Hillsboro', has reached 32 inches in height—pretty good for the season. "How high is that?"—Roanoke News. Four inches short of a yard.

CONFESSES.—Henderson Young, who is to be hung in Mecklenburg county on the 14th of July, makes a clean breast of the perpetration of the murder for which he was convicted.

The subscription price of the Old North State has been reduced to \$2.50 per annum. This is one of the ablest and most dignified Journals in the South, and we wish it abundant success.

One of the Simese Twins is lying at the point of death. The other is in good health. In anticipation of death, arrangements are made for the immediate separation of the living from the dead brother.

The regular meeting of Seaton Gales Lodge, No. 52, I. O. O. F., will be held at their Hall, this (Thursday) evening, at 8 1/2 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as the election of officers will take place.

W. C. & R. RAILROAD.—Col. Fremont says that the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Railroad, will probably be completed as far West as Wilson's Mineral Springs, by the first of August. These Springs are only two miles east of Shelby, N. C.

His Honor, Judge Moore, of the Second Judicial District, has been appointed to hold special terms of Cabarrus and Mecklenburg Superior Courts. The Court in Cabarrus will commence on the 3rd Monday in July, and the Mecklenburg Court on the fourth Monday. Only civil cases will be tried.

To their credit be it said, the Trustees of Raleigh Township have never levied a tax for township expenses. They prefer working for nothing, rather than tax their constituents. They do not choose to build new school houses—which they have a right to, but use such as they have been able to get into possession of, and which have proved ample, and comfortable.

A Raleigh correspondent of the New-Berme Times says: "I saw yesterday in Ennis' book store a plaster medalion head of Gen. R. E. Lee by Mrs. Mary Mason, which, like all the works of this lady bears the impress of genius; those who know her to be self-taught, and without the advantages either of artistic instruction or the study of works of art, are surprised at the results she produces."

The Chatham Educational Association meets at Sylvan Academy, on the 21st July, 1871.

The Annual Introductory address will be delivered by Rev. B. York, of Ruffin Badger Institute in Chatham.

Addresses will be delivered by Hon. Jno. Manning, Jr., Jno. Jay, and others.

The Democracy, just now, having accepted negro suffrage, we fear is very much in the plight of the individual whose misfortune it was to win an elephant in a lottery. What to do with his prize was his great perplexity. Keep him he could not, for he was too poor to provide provender. To sell him was equally out of the question, for there was no buyer. Give him away he could not, for there was none to accept the gift. Sad dilemma! The Democracy, it would seem, have an elephant on their hands which threatens to prove the death of them.—Phil. Press.

The Democracy in this State have made very handsome bids for the colored vote. Practice and profession don't correspond; and the colored man, having heard something about the result of an invitation of the spider to the fly, very sensibly declines to enter the splendidly furnished parlor of our Democratic friends.

The Williamston Express assumes the non-committal on the Convention question. Why, does not appear. We direct the attention of the Expressor to Article XIII, Sec. 1, of the Constitution.

The New-Berme Times fixes the death of Henry Clay, the great Kentuckian, as far back as June 29, 1822! If that be true, some of us hereabouts would live to a good old age, for we vividly recollect the sad event.

WHAT THEY HAVE IN WILLIAMSTON.—Upon the authority of the Expressor, we announce that the town of Williamston, in Martin county, has a debating society, a live Superior Court clerk, and weeds in abundance.

The evidences are, that the "No Convention" ballot will teach the sore-headed ones a lesson they ought to have learned long ago, that Revolution and Rebellion will not be tolerated any where in the United States.

The Bee Raiser's Organ has "concluded" the speech of Mr. Jarvis. From last accounts, the Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina was still in our city, enjoying excellent health.

Judge Brooks gives notice that special terms of the United States District Court will be held at Salisbury and Morganton—at Salisbury, commencing on the second Monday of August, and at Marion, commencing on Monday, 21st of August 1871.

A letter from Greene county says: "The crops are not suffering for rain—the seasons have been propitious, and a liberal return promises for the efforts of our people."

"This sterling little county, will snub the Convention revolution by from two to three hundred majority."

We are pleased to know that the successor of Prof. Palmer, as Principal of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, Mr. Tomlinson, has shown himself to be "well fitted for his position." The exhibition Tuesday evening is spoken of as a success.

Cotton holders evince some uneasiness in consequence of the downward tendency in the price of that article. Considerable "moving about" of numerous bags of the staple, has attracted our attention. We can see no cause for alarm. A little "futtering" is a sure indication of life.

MORE NEW DEPARTURES.—Mourning rules in the columns of the Telegraph of the 29th ult., announce the marriage of W. A. Hearne, Esq., Editor of that paper, with Miss Sallie Street, daughter of S. R. Street, Esq., of Beaufort, on the 27th June. May prosperity and happiness attend them.

We note quite a quantity of Northern hay arriving in our city for sale. If there was not a demand for this hay, it would not find its way here. This is wrong; our people can raise their own hay if they would only cultivate a few acres less of cotton. Much of the money spent for Western pork and Northern hay is the same money for which our farmers sell their cotton.

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The deceased was a native of Lexington, N. C., and at the age of 18 enlisted in the Mexican war, and at its termination joined the U. S. army, in which he served until his death. He was a faithful soldier and an agreeable companion, for 26 years.

We wish to see the people of Pitt county rejoicing in the presence of the locomotive and cars, to bear the rich freight of their productive soil to market. We wish to feel the presence and effects of the granaries of Beaufort and Hyde in our midst.—Wilson Plaindealer.

The people of Pitt, Green, and the whole country on both sides of the Ryeles below Greenville, down to Washington, should have a lively interest in such an enterprise as a Railroad from Wilson to Greenville. To any one familiar with the country, it is quite apparent, that a Railroad from the point designated to Greenville, would open up, and afford a market, for a rich section of country now locked up for the want of facilities for transportation. At all times of the year, boats can run as high up the River as Greenville, and the Washington and Hyde people, by a Railroad running from the head of navigation to Wilson, would be in daily communication with the world. We have in our mind, the route of this Road mapped out, but, until there is some indication of its being built, we can see no good to result in placing it before the public.

The Petersburg Courier professes to know enough of cotton raising to judge of the probable yield by the appearance of the bloom. Remarkable, for an Editor!

The connection of Fayetteville and Raleigh, by Rail is expected to be completed by the 20th inst. This has been a subject of interest to our city for many years, and now that the end has been accomplished, we trust the "fondest anticipations" of both cities will be fully realized.

The Charlotte Observer of the 1st July announces the death of Mr. Joseph Whitmore, citizen of Greenville, S. C., who was in Charlotte under the treatment of Dr. Green for a small cancer of the face, was taken very suddenly and violently ill with congestion of the brain, on Saturday evening last, and died on Wednesday evening.

The Christian Advocate is pleased to learn from a note, that Rev. W. K. Gibbs, A. B., a native of Davie county, N. C., and an honored graduate of Trinity College, was elected President of Hamner Highland College, Virville, Tennessee, at the last meeting of the Board of Trustees. The next session will commence July 19, 1871.

The meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic and N. C. Railroad Company takes place at Morehead City on the 29th inst. A special train will leave Goldsboro on the morning of the 29th at 6 o'clock, stopping at all the stations, arriving at Morehead in time for the meeting and returning on the evening of the same day.

A DISTILLERY BURNED.—The Southern Home, of the 27th inst., says: "The Distillery lately owned by W. C. Richards, at Beaufort Station, was burned on Tuesday night last by an incendiary. It was bought by Mr. Freeks, a Revenue officer, at the government sale. Mr. Freeks went up on Thursday to get insured and found it in ashes."

Newberne Times of the 30th June, learned at a late hour last night that a colored man by the name of James Herring, shot and dangerously wounded Lewis Clark at or near Burns Deep Gully, in Jones County, early yesterday morning, and immediately came to this city. Officer Tucker, of the city force, arrested him last night. He stated that the shooting was accidental and done by Clark himself.

POTENT REASONING.—Charles P. Kimball, the well known carriage-maker of Portland, is the Democratic nominee for Governor of Maine. Ex-Governor Pillsbury should be elected: "Because he paid more money than anybody else to secure his (Pillsbury's) election as Governor for three successive years."

We learn from the Banner, a new Conservative paper published in Shelby, N. C., that the barn of James Withersow was burned up a few nights ago. It is thought that the fire was the work of an incendiary. We hope the perpetrator of this outrage will be caught and dealt with as the law directs. We have no apology to make for any violations of the law, whether committed by Conservatives or Republicans.

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NO CONVENTION—WAKE COUNTY MEETING.—According to previous notice, the delegates to Convention met in the city of Raleigh, on Saturday, July 1st, 1871, to nominate candidates against a Convention.

On motion of T. F. Lee, Mr. E. C. Badger was called to the Chair, and Mr. Albert Magnin and Mr. John E. Williams were appointed Secretaries.

The Chairman very fully explained the object of the Convention. On motion the Chairman appointed a Committee of one from each Township, with directions to recommend to the Convention suitable gentlemen as candidates to canvass against a Convention.

On motion, a Committee of one from each Township was appointed by the Chair to prepare and present Resolutions expressive of the sentiments of the Convention.

Pending the report of the Committee, Gen. W. D. Jones and Col. S. T. Carrow entertained the meeting with stirring speeches in opposition to Convention.

On behalf of the Committee on Resolutions, Mr. J. H. Harris offered the following Resolutions, and urged their adoption in a speech of some length:

Resolved, That inasmuch as the pending proposition to call a Convention was not passed by the concurrence of two-thirds of each House of the General Assembly as required by the Constitution, the movement is revolutionary, and calculated to precipitate into disturbed relations with the National Government—to produce a conflict between the jurisdiction and authority of two sets of County and State officers, and thus lead to a condition of general strife and turmoil, dangerous to the State and the people.

Resolved, That the inauguration of so important a measure, the scope and purpose of which have not been previously apprised the people of such purpose, at the election proceeding, say to gather, through the ballot-box some intimations of the popular will, is unprecedented in the political history of the State, except when rebellion and revolution have been proclaimed, and an attempt to hurry the people into ill-considered and unfeeling measures, the scope and purpose of which they have not fully considered and have reason to distrust.

Resolved, That the avowed purpose of removing the present Judges of the State, and of putting in their places other men whose opinions are either unknown or in expressed opposition to the honest and legitimate interests of the people, makes the calling of a Convention a virtual destruction of the benefits now conferred by that honorable body in their own Constitution, and will result in depriving the poor of their homes, for the benefit of heartless creditors, who have refused to release or compromise debts, which the sad results of the war render it impossible to pay without reducing whole families to abject poverty and want.

Resolved, That in the present unsettled state of public affairs, and in view of the frequent adoption, during the past several years, of measures which the people do not understand, and in bad faith to the masses of the people, it is imprudent and unsafe to hazard our rights and the peace and welfare of our country, by placing them in the power of a body of men whose character, views and purposes cannot be known before hand.

Resolved, That if any amendments to the Constitution are desirable, they should be submitted to the people separately by the Legislature made so wisely and considered provided in the old as well as the present Constitution of the State.

Resolved, That we see with regret that the Revolutionary party are still disposed to use force, intimidation and threats to carry out their designs, instead of allowing a free expression of opinion at the ballot box.

Resolved, That candidates for the Convention, (in case it be called), be nominated by the people, and requested to canvass the county against calling a Convention, and that we will exert ourselves by all proper means to defeat such call.

The Resolutions were on motion unanimously adopted. The following Resolution was also adopted: Resolved, That we respectfully request the candidates of the opposition party to meet our candidates and canvass the county with them.

Dr. T. L. Banks, Chairman of the Committee on nominations reported that the Committee recommended to the Convention as suitable candidates to canvass against Convention the names of Samuel F. Phillips, James H. Harris, Robt. W. Wynne and Robert S. Perry.

On motion, the report of the Committee was unanimously adopted. On motion, the Chairman was directed to appoint an Executive Committee of nine gentlemen from Wake county.

On motion, the Executive Committee then appointed the following to fill any vacancy which may occur among the candidates. The Chairman stated that he would appoint the Executive Committee ordered, at his leisure, and the same would be published.

On motion, the Convention adjourned. R. C. BADGER, Chairman. ALBERT MAGNIN, J. O. E. WILLIAMS, Secretaries.

NO CONVENTION MEETING IN PERQUIMANS COUNTY.—At a meeting of the Republicans, and anti-Convention men of Perquimans county, held in Hertford on the 24th day of June, 1871, Hon. Philhu A. White was called to the Chair, and M. W. Speight, and J. Robt. Darden appointed Secretaries.

On motion, a Committee, composed of three delegates from each township in the county, was appointed to nominate a suitable person to represent the county in the proposed Convention. The Committee, after retiring a short time, reported the name of Hon. J. W. Albertson, as the Republican candidate.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATING CONVENTION IN LENOIR COUNTY.—At a large and respectable meeting of the Republicans of Lenoir county, held in the Court House in Kinston on Saturday the 24th day of June, 1871, on motion of Wm. J. Pope, Esq., Wm. F. Loftin, Esq., was called to the chair, and on motion of Wm. A. Croom, Esq., Wm. W. N. Hunter and Chancey M. Davis were appointed Secretaries.

The object of the meeting was explained by the chairman. The townships being called, delegates reported from the following, (being all but one,) viz: Kinston, Moseley Hall, Centurina Neck, Sand Hill and Wink Hill.

All the delegates having declared in favor of Stephen Lasiter, Esq., as a candidate against the present revolutionary and unconstitutional act of the Legislature calling a Convention, on motion, the nomination of Mr. Lasiter was declared unanimous.

The following resolutions were adopted, viz: Resolved, That the Republican party of Lenoir county, hereby protesting that the pending call for a Convention is unconstitutional, recognize that it will be most for the peace of the State that the people shall so decide at the ballot-box; and therefore recommend that an appeal be made them for that purpose, and that such appeal be prosecuted in the usual way by a campaign and candidates.

Resolved, That we, having implicit confidence in our candidate, Stephen Lasiter, Esq., cheerfully recommend him as a suitable person to be voted for by all persons opposed to the present unconstitutional and revolutionary act of the General Assembly for the call of a Convention.

Resolved, That we pledge ourselves to his hearty support in defeating the call for said Convention. On motion, Wm. J. Pope, Esq., was appointed one of the Executive Committee of the county to fill the vacancy occasioned by the removal from the county of George Phillips, Esq.

On motion, Wm. F. Loftin, Esq., and Wm. F. Loftin, Esq., being called upon, addressed the meeting in able and forcible speeches, clearly proving the present call calling a Convention, unconstitutional and revolutionary.

On motion, it was ordered that the proceedings of the meeting be published in the Carolina Era, New Berne Times and Goldsboro News.

On motion, the meeting adjourned. Wm. F. LOFTIN, Chairman. WM. W. N. HUNTER, CHANCEY M. DAVIS, Secretaries.

ANTI-CONVENTION MEETING.—An anti-convention meeting was held in the Western portion of Raleigh Township, near this city on Wednesday evening last, a very large attendance was present, in fact, almost every person living in that vicinity. Mr. J. Jeffrey was called to the chair, and Ross Pettiford was appointed Secretary. John R. Caswell addressed the meeting at some length in opposition to the Convention scheme of the Conservative party, and a committee appointed for the purpose of reporting the resolutions expressive of the views of the meeting, which were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That we approve the action of the Republican State Executive Committee in recommending that the Republics of the State as party, and all persons who are opposed to a Convention, go into the Convention campaign and fight the measure in the usual way; that is, on the stump and at the ballot-box.

Resolved, That the Convention Act is unconstitutional, revolutionary, and void. Resolved, That the action of the present Legislature in passing an Act requiring voters to reside ninety days in the Township in which they propose to vote, is a species of Legislation intended to disfranchise the colored man.

Resolved, That we approve the course of Gov. Tod R. Caldwell in refusing to issue the proclamation ordering a Convention election, and that we will sustain him in any further efforts that he may make to prevent the Constitution from being overthrown in an unconstitutional manner.

Resolved, That the party in opposition to the Republican party of the State, known as the Democratic Conservative party, is totally unfit to be trusted with the administration of State national affairs, because said party is the secession party, because the men that compose the party are apologists for the doings of the Ku Klux Klan, because in this crisis of our State none but "Americans" should be put on guard at this time.

Resolved, That we are unwilling to trust our liberties to men who are endeavoring to prescribe educational and property qualifications for voters.

Resolved, That we are unwilling to trust our homesteads to men who are opposed to the decision of the Supreme Court, in the case of Hill vs. Keeler.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Carolina Era and Telegraph.

For the Ed. TOWNSHIP MEETING.—Thursday last a very large number of the citizens of St. Matthews Township, both white and colored, assembled at the Store of Maj. Wilder, for the purpose of sending delegates to the Wake nominating Convention to be held in Raleigh Saturday, the first day of July. The meeting was organized by calling Mr. G. A. Keith for the chair, and appointing Mr. J. O. Crosby as Secretary.

Mr. G. A. Keith, Chairman, explained the object of the meeting in a short and very enthusiastic manner. Messrs. G. A. Keith, J. O. Crosby, S. Revis, R. N. Jeffreys and N. B. Williams were appointed delegates to the Convention.

There being no further business before the meeting the remainder of the day was spent in speaking by Gen. W. D. Jones, J. O. Crosby, S. Rainer, Levi Hutchins, R. N. Jeffreys, Jacob Rogers and others. All agreed to a Convention. The meeting adjourned. G. A. KEITH, Chairman. J. O. CROSBY, Sec'y.

MARRIAGES.—MARRIED, at St. Paul's, Beaufort, Tuesday evening, June 27th, 1871, by Rev. Israel Harding, Mr. W. A. HEARNER, of the Raleigh Daily Telegram, to Miss SALLIE STREET, daughter of S. R. Street, Esq., of the Ocean House. No cards.

DEATHS.—DIED, in Davidson county, on the 15th inst., BLANCH, youngest child of Lewis and Mary C. Hanes, aged one year, eight months and seven days. She was a daughter of the Editor of the North Star, and was a most sweet and amiable child.

Raleigh Markets.

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