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CONGRESS.

The Democratic party has control of the next Congress. The majority is not quite so large as was hoped for before the recent elections, but is enough if well handled to perfect much important legislation Political majorities are usually worked in the interests of party. This goes without the saying, for in fact, it would be no advantage for the particular party to secure a majority if that majority should turn round and support the measures of the other party. Having elected a majority, the Democrats of the United States expect Congress to see that the interests of the Democratic people do not suffer. They do not seek partisan legislation, laws made expressly for the benefit of Democrats and no others. They visited, and the work could not be thorhave no right to ask that of their Senators | ough. and Representatives. All that is expected is that in the caucus decisions on questions having a political bearing the good of the whole party should be the end sought, and not the benefit of any one section. The partial rebuke of our party in the Northeastern States should make the Democratic members from those States more willing to abate their pretensions on the financial issue; but no advantage should be taken of this to taunt them with their failure. The press may say some things which a member of Congress in c neus or in his seat should not say. The truth appears to plain people to be about this : The Eastern, Western and Southern sections must harmonize. Divisions on the money question must be compromised on the basis of the moderate g eenback view held by most Southern and some Western Democrats. The party must never again be split up on such - questions. The Democratic party in the country, as a whole is intact. It has no préstige of a national victory in the elections of 1878, it is true. But it has not lost much if any thing, when a full survey of the field is made Talk as sensationalists will about a solid North based on a solid South, the thing can't be worked out unless the Democratic leaders in Congress give up every advantage of position they now hold.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Butler and Kearney had an interview on

Governor of Bengal, is in Charleston.

ADVERTISEMENTS INSERTED IN REGULAR BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION.

Proceedings of the Fourth Day. Charlotte Observer, 10.

The convention met at the usual hour and was opened with prayer by Rev. B. C Covington.

Rev. W. C. Petty was enrolled as a delegate from Sandy Creek association.

The committee on periodicals submitted their report, recommending to the Baptists of the State the Biblical Recorder, Foreign Missions Journal and Kind Words. In reference to the Recorder the committee said that it was meeting the wants of the Baptists of North Carolina'better than at

any time in its history. The report was discussed by Rev. C. T. Bailey, Rev. Dr. McIntosh, Rev. J. B. Hartwell, N. B. Broughton and others in behalf of the publications mentioned. The report of the board of State missions came up as unfinished business, and

was, without further discussion, adopted. The question of the agency came up as the special order. The majority and minority reports made

by the committee to whom was referred the report of the mission board, were read. The former recommended that no agent be appointed, that is, that the recommendation of the board be adopted, and the minority report favored the appointment of an agent.

It was explained that an amendment had been offered to the minority report to the effect that the agent recommended to be appointed by this report, be selected by the board of missions, not by the conven-

Mr. Jno. E. Ray was not in favor of an agent. The work had been done well during the year without one, and the board had come up this year for the first time in years out of debt. It was impossible for the agent to visit all the churches in three or four years: only a few places could be

Rev. Dr. Jeter said he had been studying this question for years; it had been discussed repeatedly in Virginia, and it was his experience and observation that sion the interest of the Church was best advanced by an agent. Of course it was important that the agent should be an active man, of first rate executive abilities and 'attractive talents. Prof. Mills had closely studied the field during the last two years and favored the election of a man who should go to the field which it was proposed to cultivate and see if it was worth it. It was impossible for the board in its office in Raleigh to know where work was most needed. Capt. C. M. Cooke said that the board had a corresponding secretary who was working there. He did not travel around, but the work was done. He had signed the majority report and was convinced that he was right. tutional aspect of the case. Rev. Dr. Pritchard said that he did not oppose the appointment of an agent on general principles, but that the great difficulty now was that the man to do this work could not be found. He should have spe-

lina to be the first State to pay her full Kearney's Game to Defeat Butquota. The subscription asked for could be paid in annual instalments. He would

receive subscriptions at any time. Rev. R. W. Gwaltney introduced a Sir George Campbell, M. P., formerly resolution urging all associations connected with this body to report all their mission work to the mission board, and Frank Rees. "Billy Cotton" of Ethiopian that this would entitle them to representacomedy, fell dead in Cincinnati last Fristion on the same basis as stated in the constitution; also that a summary of the work of the western convention be published in the report of this convention.

Adopted. The finance committee submitted a report of the following contributions in cash at the present convention. which was re-

ceived and adopted : For foreign missions. \$227, 29; State missions. \$80 51; education. \$16: Sunday schools, \$32 50; domestic and Indian missions, \$20 10; Rome chapel, \$6 45; making a total of \$382 85. The committee on obituaries reported the death of Rev. Smith Ferguson, of

Caldwell county, in March, and Phillip Warlick, of Warlick church, Burke county, with appropriate notices of the lives and characters of the deceased members.

Reb. N. B. Cobb. offered a resolution expressing the hearty sympathy of the convention with the home mission board of the Southern Baptist Convention and ordially commending it to the Baptists as worthy of their confidence and support; also a resolution expressing concurrence

with the desire of the corresponding secretary of the home mission board to 'secure the services of Rev. J. B. Hartwell, as missionary to the Chinese in California, pledging contributions to the work, should Mr. Hartwell accept the appointment to

the same The resolutions were adopted. The following resolutions, introduced by Rev. N. B. Cobb, were unanimously adopted :

Resolved. That the thanks of the convention are hereby tendered, first to the brethren and pastor of the Baptist church and other brethren and citizens of Charlotte for their hospitality extended at its present session ; second. to Messrs. Yates, of the Democrat and Jones. of The Observer, for copies of their papers presented to the convention, and especially to J. L. Chambers, reporter of The Observer. for his accurate reports of the proceedings ; third, to the railroad companies for the favorable rates of transportation allowed dele, ates to this body.

Adjourned with prayer by Rev. Dr. Je ter.

Rev. J. S. Purefoy discussed the consti- talk specially to Baptist farmers. If their

ler.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 10 .- Carl Brown, Dennis Kearney's private secretary, read a speech at Sand Lots to-day, in which he stated that, Kearney designedly defeated Butler by incendiary speeches in Western Massachusetts. Kearney decided three weeks before the election to beat Butler, but thought he could accomplish more by seeming to be Butler's friend than by coming out against him, so he staved with him until the week before the election, when he made his very incendiary speeches.

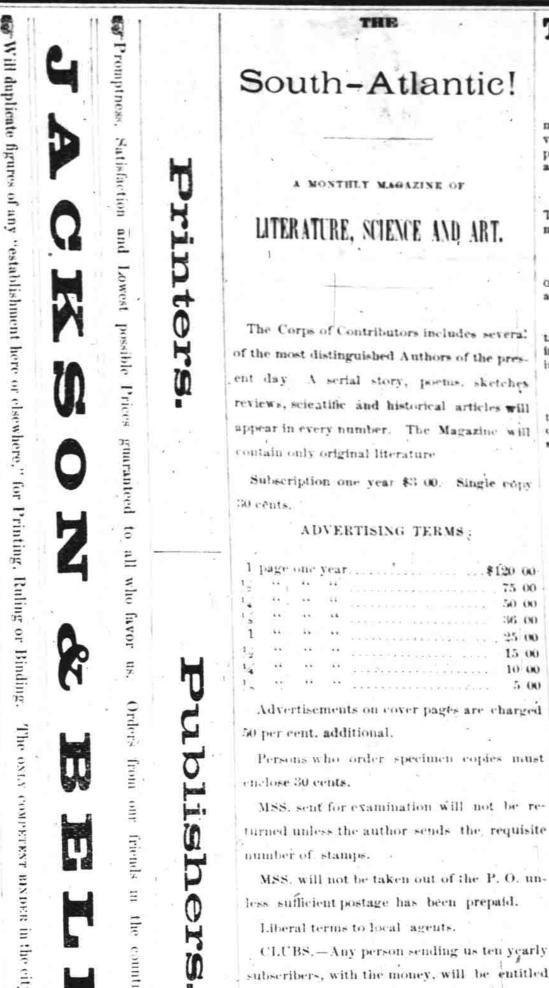
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SENATE. Pitt-E. A. Moye, Dem. Wilson, Nash and Franklin-W. S. Harris, Franklin; R. W. King, Wilson; Dems. Jones, Onslow and Carteret-John W. Shackelford, Dem. Wayne and Duplin-W. T. Dortch, Wayne A Bryan, Duplin, Dems. New Hanovor and Pender-R. K. Bryan, Dem Bladen and Brunswick-Asa Ross, Repubicau. Sampson-Robinson Werd, Republican. Columbus and Robeson-D. P. McEachern, Democrat. Cumberland and Harnett-Neill S. Stewart, Dem. Johnston-L. R. Waddell, Dem. Wake-George H. Snow, Dem. Warren-Isaac Alston, (col.) Rep. Granville-E. E. Lyon, Dem. Chatham-A. H Merrit, Dem. Rockingham -J. P. Dillard, Dem. Alamauce and Guilford-J. I. Scales, of Juilford, Dem. David F. Caldwell Guilford. Dem. Rutherford and Polk-J. B. Eaves, Ret. Richmond and Montgomery-George A Graham, Rep. Anson and Union-Culpepper Austin Dem. Cabarrus and Stanly--J. M. Redwine, Ind. Mecklenburg-S. B. Alexander, Dem. Rowan and Davie-John S. Henderson, Dem. Catawba and Lincoln-W. A. Grabam. Iredeil, Wilkes and Alexander-T. A. Nicholson, of Iredell ; J. P. Matheson, of Alexander, Dems.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC.CONSERVA Caldwell, Burke, McDowell, Mitchell and Street, Baltimore, Md., General Agents. Yancey-A. M. Erwin, Dem., J. G. Bynam, TIVE PARTY OF NORTH CARO. Currituck, Camden, Pasquotank, Hertford, NOTICES OF THE PRESS. LINA Gates, Chowan and Perquimans-Rufus White, George H. Mitchell, Reps. (WILMINGTON STAR.) Edgecombe- Willis Bunn, col., Rep. The State Executive Committee congratu There is steady improvement. Moore and Randolph-W. M. Black, Rep. lates the Democratic-Conservative party of Tetal-Democrats 34; Republicans 16. North Carolina upon the result of the recent (NEW YORK WORLD.) **Daily Democratic Newspaper** Congressional elections at the North. These Democratic majority 18. Deserves the support of all Southern readers. elections clearly indicate three things which are of consequence to us : First, that the peo-(NEW YORK SUN.) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. ple of this country are dissatisfied with the We wish success to this interesting enter-Republican party and are unwilling for the Alamance-Dr. B. F. Mebane, Dem. Republican leaders to afflict us longer with prise. Alexander-Dr. J. M. Carson, Dem. their ruinous measures and fraudulent prac-(WELDON NEWS.) Alleghany-E. L. Vaughan, Dem. tices. Second, that the Nationals do not meet Anson-J. A. Lockhart, Dem. It is a magazine of merit and we wish it with popular favor, and, as a separate organi Ashe-Ed. Foster, Dem. much success. zation, have utterly failed to impress them-Bertie-Wm. C. Etheridge, Dem. THE SUN HAS SUFFICIENT CAPITAL selves upon the country ; and lastly, that the (CHRONICLE AND CONSTITUTIONALIST.) Beaufort-J. C. Osborne Rep. star of the Democratic party is still in the Bladen-Jno. Newell, (col.) Rep. It richly deserves the cordial support of all ascendant, and the people are looking to that Brunswick--A. C. Meares, Deni. our people. party as the only one capable of restoring Buncombe--Nat Atkinson, M. E. Carter. prosperity to the country, and able to admin-(BIBLICAL RECORDER.) Dems. ister the government on those Constitutional Burke--B. A. Berry, Dem. and just principles, which are essential alike It is printed in large, clear type and is a for all its purposes, and it will use its money Cabarrus-W. H. Orehard, Dem. redit to the State. to the happiness of our citizens and to the Caldwell--Edmund Jones, Dcm. perpetuity of our institutions. Thus in the freely in furnishing the people of North Camden-- S. J. Forbes, Dem. (GREENSBORO PATRIOT.) elections held in eight States the Republicans Carteret - A. H. Chadwick, Dem. It is ably edited, handsomely printed, and Carolina with the latest and most reliable have lost twelve members of Congress; the Caswell-Wilson Cary, col'd., Thomas gives promise of being a very, very interesting. Nationals have elected four; and the Demo-Harrison, Reps. Catawba-R. B. Davis, Dem. information on all subjects of current crats have elected twenty-three, and have publication. Chatham- J. M. Moring, J. J. Goldston, gained seven. interest. Above all things it will be a (ELIZABETH CITY ECONOMIST.) These facts demonstrate that the people in-Dems Altogether creditable. Its contributors are tend to invest the Democratic party with the NEWSPAPER. An yet an im-Cherokee-Bruce, Rep. full control of the National Government. The first-class and its mechanical and typographical Chowan-H. H. Hobbs, Rep. execution excellent. Senate of the next Congress will be Democratic portant feature of THE SUN'S Clay-J. S. Anderson, Dcm. by a considerable majority, and it is only Cleveland-L. E. Powers, Dem. (HILLSBORD RECORDER.) necessary for the Democrats of the South to daily issues will be intelligent criti-Columbus--V. V. Richardson, Dem. remain steadfast in their allegiance to our or-Its list of contributors is an an able one Cumberland-Thos. S. Lutterloh, John C and if sustained, will ensure the permanent cisms of the World's doings. North ganization, and our triumph will be complete. Blocker, Reps. Currituck--J. M. Woodhouse, Dem. It is for us to determine whether the banner success of the enterprise. Carolina matters-industrial, commeron which are inscribed Reconciliation, Home Craven-W. E. Clarke, W. D. Pettipher, (WILMINGTON POST.) Rule and Financial Reform, shall trail in the cial, educational, social and literary-will dust, or shall be borne on to victory. It is a first-class literay magazine, and one Darc-J. L. Fulcher, Dem. Every consideration of interest, of policy that the people of this city should be proud of receive particular attention. THE SUS will be a Davie-F. M. Johnson, Dem. and of patriotism then urges us to prepare | and patronize, as well as the people of the Davidson-Julian Miller, Republican, G. immesiately for the approaching political whole state. Franklin Smith, Dem. Duplin-G. W. Lamb, A. S. Colwell, struggle. Be assured, fellow-citizens, that without preparation, it will be impossible to achieve (RALEIGH OBSERVER.) North Carolina Newspaper. It is needless to say we wish it success, and Edgecombe-Clinton Battle, (col'd.,)-Dred that we look forward with pride, as well as Wimberly, (col'd.,) Reps. success. Let us 1 ot by our apathy, our luke warmpleasure, to the r sult of the enterpise as one Forsyth-W. A. Lowrie, Rep. ness and indifference postpone the accession that will reflect honor upon the State. Franklin--C. M. Cooke, Dem. to power of that party which alone has been Gaston-Harley Huffstetler, Dem. (OXFORD TORCHLIGHT.) able to check Republican corruption and to Gates-J. J. Gatling, Dem. arrest the progress of oer government towards The typographical execution of the magazine Granville -J. E. Burroughs, Rufus Amis a centralized despotism. is very fine, and in point of appearance, con-Dems. Let us be steadfast in our devotion to printents, and indeed in all respects it is a publi-Greene-Joseph Dixon, Rep. Guilford-C. J. Wheeler, J. A. McLean, ciple, true to our organization and endeavor cation which must commend itself to the by every means to discountenance those indepublic Dems. SUBSCRIPTION. pendents and disorganizers who oppose our Halifax--J. A. White, Jno. Reynolds, (col.) worthy standard-bearers freely and fairly (GRAHAM GLEANER.) chosen by the Democratic party in Convention . Harrett-C. A. Coffield, Dem. It gives promise of being eminently worthy Haywood--F. M. Davis, Dem. assembled. of public patronage. No commendation of THE WILMMIGTON SUN will be furnished to In particular do we desire to repeat what Henderson-A. J. Bird, Rep. ours would equal a simple statement of the we have so often urged-the necessity of table of its contents, with the names of the Hertford-J. J. Horton, Rep. subscribers at the following reasonable and thorough local organization. It is the town contributors, which we give as an evidence of Hyde-Thos. P. Bonner, Dem. ship committees who are charged with the Iredell-J. R. McCorkle, J. D. Click Dems of the worth of the periodical. uniform rates : most important of all party duties. To them Jackson-Capt. Leatherwood, Dem, is committed the duty of supervising the (FARMER AND MECHANIC.) Johnston, E. A. Bizzell, F. J. Holt, Dems election, and of devising means to bring out Jones-C. D. Foy, Rep. Here we have a rich bill of fare from Southevery Democratic voter to the polls. They ern writers, catered by a Southern lady and Lenoir-W. W. Dunn, Rep. ought to meet frequently and advise and take printed by Southern printers, on Southern Lincoln-B.C. Cobb, Dem, counsel together how best to promote the for-Macon-John Beid, Dem. paper. Ye who bewail the lack of Southern tunes of that party, on whose success depends Madison-B. F. Davis, Rep. literature, and home-fostered talent, shall so largely the prosperity of themselves and of this enterprise live, and expand? Martin-N. B. Fagan, Dem. their posterity. In every township, in every McDowell--J. T. Reid, Dem. neighborhood, there ought to be appointed a Mecklenburg-Jno. L. Brown, W. E. Ar-(WILSON ADVANCE.) committee of active, efficient, and prudent rev Dems The magazine is well gotten up party men, who will undertake to see that Mitchell--Samuel Blalock, Dem. ect matter is varied and entertaining, while every Democrat in the precinct comes to the Montgomery--W. T. H. Ewing, Rep. its typographical appearance is a model of polls and casts his ballot for our nomineee. Moore--Neil Leach, Dem. neatness, and reflects the highest credit upon We therefore urge this upon the township At these rates THE SUN will be left by Nash--G. N. Lewis, Dem. committees; and if in any township it is nethe exquisite taste and excellent judgment New Hanover-H. E. Scott, W. H. Waddell, that suggested and directed its consummation. glected, we appeal to our Democratic friends carrier in the city, or mailed to any address in col.) Reps. there to send their conveyances for all their (NORFOLK VIRGINIAN.) Northampton-J. W. Grant, Dem. his country neighbors who otherwise might not attend the Orange-M. A. Angier, Dem., Josiah Tur-This publication appeals to the people of the South for a staple support. It richly merits it polls. ner, Rep. Let it be clearly understood in every locali-Onslow-C. S. Hewitt, Dem. and we feel will receive it. We know of no ty that he who fails to vote for our Lominee, Pasquotank--Hugh Cale, (col.) Rep. Southern literary venture that has exhibited gives half a vote to the Republican party, and Pender-Thos. J. Armstrong, Dem. so much merit, united with an evidence of ADVERTISING. that the Conservative who casts his vote for Perquimans-J. W. Blaisdell, Rep. management that must win for it a position in an independent is taking the surest means to Person--Montford McGehee, Dem, the ranks of magazine literature and hold it. break up and destroy the only party which Pitt-D. C. Moore, Germain Bernard, can give relief to our afflicted country. We (PETERSBURG INDEX & A Dems warn our fellow-citizens that great ends can-The SOUTH-ATLANTIC has th Polk-Nesbit Dimsdale, Rep. not be accomplished except at the cost of some Randolph-N. C. English, Dem., G. any of its predecessors in the same inconvenience, and often through the sacrifice its contents are solid, though n Bingham, Rep. of our personal preferences; and we appeal Richmond-D M. Henderson, Rep. that no room appears to have be to every man who has the good of the people Robeson-A. Oliver, Dem., R. M. Norit for productions of a trashy at heart to give a portion of one day to his character. While it continues ment, Rep. country, and subordinating his individual Rockingham .- T. L. Rawley and Wm. R. this rule, it will have every clain preferences, cast his ballot for the nominee of and general support, and we Lindsay, Dems. the Conservative party. it will receive it. For the Committee :



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RUSSIA'S MOVEMENTS.

Reports indicating the adoption by Russia of a peace policy conie by way of Paris. The Paris correspondent of the London Telegraph says that Prince Orloff, Russiam Ambassador to France, has given assurances from the Czar to M. Waddington, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the French Republic, that Russia will observe to the letter all her obligations made at Berlin.

On the other hand, as a possible speck of war between England and Russia, let it be noted that a dispatch is published in the Pesther Lloyd, of Vienna, to the effect that a Russian column eight thousand strong is on the road to Herat, the Capital of Beloochistan.

It looks very much like Russia desires, after she shall have quieted the Bulgarian question, to have a joust with Great Britain. It is evidently the Czar's purpose to avoid a conflict single-handed with any two or three of the Great Powers.

FAIRS.

cial and peculiar gifts. The question was then put on the minority report and it was rejected.

The majority report, which the president explained, left the whole matter of the agency in the hands of the board, was then put and carried unanimously. Rev. Dr. Jeter was granted the privilege

of making a statement in reference to a peal in behalf of the young men of the monument for John Kerr, to whose memory he paid a handsome tribute. He said cation.

that though the great preacher was born gave facts about the new building at the in North Carolina, he had spent most of his life in Virginia, and he expected to apply to the Baptists of that State for help to raise a suitable monument to the memory of one who had done so much for the greatly to the usefulness of the college. cause of religion. Not long ago he visited the grave of the distinguished minister, in

Caswell county, and found only a small stone to mark the place. Many of the people who lived in the neighborhood did not know where it was. He would be glad to receive subscriptions for this purpose.

An invitation was extended the ministers of the convention by the pastor of the colored Baptist church in Charlotte to visit the church and see what the colored Baptists were doing.

The report of the Sunday school board was then taken up and adopted without discussion.

Adjourned till 3 o'clock. AFTERNOON SESSION.

The committee to whom was referred the matter in regard to the violation of the Sabbath by various railroad corporations and employees of the same in the State, with the resolution of the Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina, reported as follows :

"That we believe it to be a great sin thus to desecrate that day which we are commanded to keep holy, and we are glad to know that our Presbyterian brethren are earnestly engaged to prevent such des ecration; that is a cardinal principle of the Baptists of North Carolina to keep and preserve the sanctity of the Sabbath, and we are ready and willing to lend our aid in any lawful way to put a stop to this great evil. We therefore respectfully recommend that the Baptists of North Carolina do earnestly co-operare with their Presbyterian brethren in their endeavors to accomplish this end ; that the Baptists, constituting a large part of the citizenship. of North Carolina, and therefore largely interested and much concerned in anything which is for the good of society, and the preservation of God's honor, do in all portions of our commonwealth, make vigorous efforts, in any lawful way, to prevent the desecration of the Sabbath by these railroad companies." Adopted unanimously. The committee on religious exercises reported the appointments for the various city churches, which are published elsewhere in this morning's Observer. On motion of Rev. Dr. Huffham, the report of the Sunday school board was reconsidered for the purpose of allowing the question to be discussed. Messrs. J. S. Allen, W. A. Graham, Rev. W. R. Gwaltnev. Rev. F. M. Jordan and John E. Ray then addressed the convention on the sub-

Convention called to order by Vice President Cobb, who presided during the ses-

The church was crowded to hear discussed the subject of Wake Forest College, its various interests and education generally. A number of the ablest and most -zealous members of the convention participated in the debate and elicited much information of interest on the subject. Rev. J. S. Purefoy led off, and in a plain, practical and forcible manner, developed a plan by which the college and its influence could be sustained and developed. He specially dwelt upon the necessity of Baptists, in their wills, making some provision for the college, and expressed the confident opinion that the free endowment fund could soon be raised by proper zeal and interest on the

part of the denomination. Prof. L. R. Mills followed, and made a sons are intended for farmers. does it pay to send them to college? The speaker asked this question and answered it in a manner that must have appealed with direct force to the minds of his hearers. He showed how by education the lands of farmers, once nearly worthless, have wonderfully increased in value, and the application of brain power, properly trained, have always told in the cultivation of the soil. His remarks abounded in numerous apt illustrations, which added force to his position that brains are more powerful than bodies. In closing he made an earnest apcountry and their proper training and edu-Dr: Wingate, president of the college,

institution, erected in the interest of science as applied to agriculture. By next commencement another new building will be completed, which will add

The prospect is bright, the outlook is ful. of hope. The number of students has in creased steadily during the past three years Dems.

The Contest in the South. Special Dispatch to the Baltimore Sun.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10 .- The defeat of Mr. Yeates in the first North Carolina district and the election of his republican competitor does not look like there was any intimidation practised in North Carolina. It is very likely that the republicans would have been more successful in the South if they had made the least effort to have it Reps. so. But from the very first the republican campaign committee here confined its work to the theatre of the Northern and Western States. The amount of money that it sent into the congressional' districts of the South was so insignificant as not to merit notice, and it is believed that during the whole campaign not one campaign speaker from the North appeared on the stump in any part of the South except in Petersburg, Va., where the republican candidate was elected. A month ago the chairman of the republican committee of North Caroling came here, went to the rooms of the republican congressional campaign committee, and besought the managers to send some good speakers to North Carolina, mentioning especially Mr. Blaine. All he could get was a promise that perhaps Mr. Stockett Mathews, of Maryland, would come. If Mr. Mathews went the knowledge of the fact has not vet penetrated to this locality. While the republican campaign committee thus deliberately abandoned the South to its opponents the contest all over the North was waged with an earnestness and vigor not often surpassed in presidential elections. Senator Conkling did what he did not even dare do in the presidential contest-went out of his own State to make campaign speeches for his party. Mr. Blaine spoke all over the West and at various points in the East. The most gifted orators of the republican party traversed State after State, speaking from the stump daily. No one will say that there has ever been a more animated or a more intensely bitter campaign in Massachusetts than the one which has just closed.

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The State Fair, the Albemarle Fair, the Weldon Fair, the New Garden Fair, and perhaps one or two smaller exhibitions have taken place in North Carolina in the last few weeks. On yesterday the Fair of the Carolinas, at Charlotte, and the Cumberland County Fair, at Fayetteville, both important agricultural and mechanical expositions, were opened. The Clinton Fair takes place later.

THE SUN is pleased at the success of the fairs, and hopes they may all succeed. When these exhibitions serve other and higher uses than those of mere recreation they have solid claims on a practical public like ours.

LARGE INCENDIARY FIRE.

The fire by which nearly a half million dollars in property was destroyed at Cape May, was evidently incendiary. Shavings saturated with coal oil were found in an attic of the Ocean House, immediately after the alarm was sounded. This great conflagration destroys one of the most beautiful of the Northern sea-resorts. Such vandalism ought to be investigated searchingly, and if the perpetrators can be tent of the laws of New Jersey.

eral indulgence of correspondents. For three or four weeks his labors, day and night, have been unremitting. He seldom the morning.

Rev. R. H. Griffith, agent of the South- the Boston and Albany railroad, and enern Baptist Theological Seminary address- titling the holder to a passage from Boston ed the convention for a half hour in bc- to St. Louis, via the New York and Erie found should be punished to the full ex- half of the seminary, referring especially to and Atlantic and Great Western roads to the importance of the Bible as a study and Cleveland, and thence by the Cleveland, the necessity of an educated ministry. Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis The editor is compelled thus to ask gen- He said that he started out to collect road to St. Louis, have been disposed of \$20,000 for the seminary, and he was glad in New York. The forgers succeeded in to say that over \$19,000 of this amount disposing of several thousand dollars' had been collected. North Carolina was worth of these tickets in that city, and it ahead of all other States in this matter, is believed that the scheme has been leaves his office until past three o'clock in except perhaps Kentucky, and it was in the power of the Baptists of North Caro- Union.

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Warren-L. T. Christmas; Hawkins Carter, (col.) Reps. Wayne-G. C. Buchan; Dem., W. A. Deans,

Wilson-Dr. J. M. Taylor; Dem. Wilkes-Dr. Tyre York, Dr. L. Harrill,

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