Scraps and facts.

- An extra census bulletin, recently issued shows that the size of families has been steadily decreasing for a number of years. In 1850 the average size of families was 5.50 The Horkville Enquirer. persons, 5.28 in 1860, 5.09 in 1870, 5.05 in 1880, and in 1890 in had gotten down to 4.94. - Times are rather dull about Washington this week. Over 150 Democratic congressmen have gone to Chicago to attend the convention, and there are not enough left to get up a quorum. As the result, business in the capital is at a standstill and will remain so until the convention adjourns.

- Washington dispatch of Thursday : Superintendent of the Census Robert P. Porter gives out that the population of the United States, according to the returns of the eleventh census, was 62,979,766. This includes Alaska and the Indians on reservations. These figures are absolutely final

and are not subject to change. -Georgia is a great State. A rumor is now going the rounds that Hiram Lester, of Mc-Donough, who is said to be 125 years old, and who was married to Mrs. Mosely, aged 80 years, during the last Piedmont exposition, is now suing for a divorce. He and his bride have had a row, and now they want to be separated. He was a father at 110.

-The city of Paris continues very much demoralized through fear of fresh outrages by the anarchists. The trial of Ravachal, a noted anarchist leader, for murder, will come up soon, and in order to prevent the intimidation of the jurors who are to decide the case, it is not intended that their names shall be made public. The jury will be selected by lot, and their names will be guarded with he utmost secrecy until the day of the trial. - A day or two after Mr. Blaine's resignation, a letter reached the White House from an ambitious young man in Iowa, in which "how much the wages were." The correspondent added that if the salary was satisfactory and the labors not too arduous, he

would like to make application for the job. - It is reported that the Mormons propose to establish a colony in Texas. They are trying to get hold of an arid tract in the western part of the State, and propose to make well skilled. An agent of the church says that they will have no trouble with the State authorities, as polygamy is a thing of the past, and they insist upon their people obeying the laws of the State wherein they live. - General John S. Mosby, the famous ex-

Confederate cavalry officer and Republican. said to a reporter the other day: I am a Republican, but will not vote for Harrison. Harrison is a narrow minded, sectional bigot, still believing in hell fire and infant damnation. He is a man whose illiberal character is now known to the people of the United States, and who can carry neither New York nor Indiana, nor any of the Southern States whose delegates have renominated him."

- Emmons Blaine, son of ex-Secretary Blaine, died in Chicago last Saturday night from blood poison, resulting from inflamma tion of the bowels. He had only been ill a few days, and his wife had no idea of the seriousness of his condition until he was dead Young Blaine was at the Minneapolis convention in the interest of his father's candidacy, and he worked hard, early and late. He was not very well at the time, and it is thought that the excitement, coupled with

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metings. With the last few days a large number of telegrams have been received at the personal encounter, even if it should, a personal encounter, even if it should, a fair and square stand up or back down be fair and square stand up or back down be for telegrams have been received at the personal encounter, even if it should, a fair and square stand up or back down be fore Yournam's arraignment are the only all differing more or less in details. We man the residual discussion. On the primary election therein provided fair and square stand up or back down be fore Yournam's arraignment are the only all pien the galleries are protecting themselves motion, General E. M. Law was asked for an apprinters' union is so great and its influence on other labor organizations is known to be some powerful, that the greatest unessiness has been felt, and its understood the Republican national committee, at its meeting here in the pirmary election therein provided from the primary election therein provided from the primaries, and the purpose of the was opposed to the matter elicited considerable discussion. On motion, General E. M. Law was asked for an apprintency union is so great and its influence on other labor organizations is known to be some powerful, that the greatest unessiness has been felt, and its understood the Republican national committee, at its meeting here in the primaries, and the primary election therein provided from the Augusta Chron-provided on the Augusta Chron-provided from the Augusta Chron-provided from the following from the Augusta Chron-provided from the following from the Augusta Chron-provided from the following from the Augusta Chron-provided from the matter elicited considerable discussion. On motion, General E. M. Law was asked for an interested outsider, it is likely to be looked upon a long time to private extentives and content whenever occasion private the plein the galleries are protecting them and the primaries, and the matter elicited considerable discussion. On motion, General E. M. La visability of taking Mr. Reid's name off the ing of the State Democratic executive committicket. It is realized that this would be a tee, a very important resolution was adopted dangerous confession of weakness, but it is a at the request of Mr. S. A. Nettles, representquestion whether it would do more harm ing the prohibition element. The resolution

- A dispatch of last Thursday from Wytheville, Va., says that the supreme court has decided the celebrated Bettie Lewis-Thomas case, in favor of the plaintiff. By this a colored woman, who is a resident of Richmond. ored woman, who is a resident of Richmond, jority of the voters declared for or against becomes possessor of an estate valued at probabilities the condidates aleated to represent the must close, as there was one man who about \$200,000. Her father, William Thomas, who was a white man, died in 1889 at the home of his daughter and left no will. The relatives of the deceased, as well as Bettie, engaged some of the ablest legal talent in the State and sought to obtain possession of the property. The chancellory court decided in favor of Bettie, and the supreme court affirmed that decision. The evidence showed that Thomas had nothing to do with his white relatives for years; that he had been living at the home of his colored daughter, whom he had always acknowlply provide for her at his death. The decisply provide for her at his death. The decision gives to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heirs at law the real estate of single specific to the heir specific to the specific to

instead of 30 as under the present arrange- in a few days.

ment. Quay's friends say that his proposition to change the basis of representation is not an idle threat; that a majority of the members of the national committee are his friends, and he will push the matter through.



YORKVILLE, S. C.: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1892.

- A dispatch of Monday from Chicago says that the South Carolina delegation has de- Broad and Meeting streets. The crowd was cided to cast 12 votes for Boies on the first by far the largest that has yet turned out to ballot. Of the other six votes, it is likely that 3 will go to Hill, 2 to Gorman, and 1 to get a correct idea of the number of people in their places. Cleveland. On second ballot, in case there should be a second, 17 votes will go to Boies throng of 5,000;" The Register says "Altoand 1 to Cleveland.

ting restless and are ready to go home, but vided between each faction.' the whole body is not yet in that humor. A resolution was introduced last week by Mr. journment. The members, however, will the writer asked for information about the soon leave and go home to look after their duties required of the secretary of state and fences, and it is not likely that the session will extend much further into the summer.

- The nomination of Harrison at Minneapolis is no doubt a great disappointment to He was also received with prolonged ap- deliver it behind his back. party. The record shows that he could never have been nominated by the vote of those it fertile by irrigation, in which they are States that are usually carried by the Republicans; but the South, which is a nonentity on election days, voted for Mr. Har-

he was tired, and also had some gubernatorial duties to discharge before leaving for Chicago. Under ordinary circumstances these reasons would have been accepted as satisfactory, and nothing would have Tillman had promised that for a \$3,500 sal-fended Governor Tillman's action in their — Juage Bright Morgan, of Hernando, Miss., a delegate to the National Democratic convention, was shot and killed on the Illinois railroad while on his way to the convention last Saturday. The killing was done by a lawyer named Henry Foster. It seems to convention as successful and the second base in the second base of the morgan oversight of the under the second base, but the umpire's back was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band obtained was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band of the umpire's back was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band of the umpire's back was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band of the umpire's back was through an oversight of the umpire. The runner was put out on the second base, but the umpire's back was through an oversight of doubt have a ready sale among the band of the umpire's back was through an oversight of the under the un

of a receiver for the Richmond and Danville railroad company, was granted by the United States court last Thursday. Ridskooper, of Washington, and Reuben Foster, of Baltimore, were appointed. It is understood that it is a friendly proceed-like and the friends of Colock and the friends of Colock, p. m., on Monday, August the 8th, 1892, by which glose at 6 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, August the 8th, 1892, by which glose at 6 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, August the 8th, 1892, by which glose at 6 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, August the 8th, 1892, by which glose of f.

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Stackhouse, pastor. Prayer-meeting this stackhouse, pastor. Prayer-meeting this star convertion, must have filed the prescribed pledge and paid their respective assessment worth, and —." Youmans replied, "I would not be sold to B. R. Tillman for \$1,500 a prised, and some say they are humiliated.

To the laugh against him. Farley started to say "let me buy L. W. A. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. W. M. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. W. M. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. W. M. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. Stackhouse, pastor. Prayer-meeting this say "let me buy L. W. Stackhouse, pastor. Prayer-meeting this say "let me buy L. W. A. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. Askender, R. E. W. M. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. Askender, R. E. W. M. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. Askender, R. E. W. M. McGill, L. K. Armstrong, W. T. Askender, R. E. Ing, and the step is taken for the purpose of getting the affairs of the company on some setting the affairs of the company on some settled basis. The case has been set for a hearing before Judge Bond, at Richmond, on August 16. It is not thought the proposed re-organization by Drexel, Morgan & Company. Orders have been issued appointing Captain W. H.

— A dispatch from Mahanoy City, Michigan, gives an account of the destruction wrought by the breasting of another dam last Saturday. Mahanoy is a prosperous little staturday. Mahanoy is a prosperous little staturday.

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provided that a separate box would be that prohibitionists might express their sencandidates on the question, but as a maprohibition, the candidates elected to repreresent the people in the legislature, should be bound. The Prohibitionists held a convention after this agreement had been arrived at, and adopted a resolution to the concession from the committee. Chairman was an unfortunate occurrence. Irby has granted the concession asked for.

vania, which cast 826,091 Republican votes the South Carolina Railroad company, have for Florence. In the morning I will get to

THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

It Has Now Commenced to Grow More Inter-

The prediction that the State campaign will wax warmer and warmer as it progresses, gives promise of verification. There were three meetings last week, and each one It now begins to look like the battle is between Tillman and Youmans, with Farley as a reserve for Tillman to fall back on. Youmans has resorted to the same tactics used appears to be somewhat restless under the lash. Something or other has developed at each meeting to prevent a decisive battle between the two candidates, but it has already become apparent that the people of the State-both the followers and opponents of Tillman-are going to see the issue between the two men satisfactorily settled before they allow the fight to be called off.

AT CHARLESTON. The Charleston meeting was held on Tuesday night in the open air, at the corner of hear the speakers, but it is rather difficult to present. The News and Courier says "nearly 10,000;" The State says "a resistless gether from start to finish, 7,000 people -Some of the members of congress are get-ta Chronicle says "about 2,500, evenly di-

The meeting was called to order at McMillen, looking to an adjournment on July he was greeted with applause. He began 4. Consideration of the resolution was de- his speech amid comparative quiet, but on ferred, and the probability is that congress will proceeding to attack the administration on looked sharply at Colonel Youmans and left be in session after the proposed date of ad- the various issues that have been brought up, the stand. The chairman, who had been he was subjected to numerous interruptions standing all this time waiting to introduce by the crowd, and most of his time was Colonel Youmans, performed this duty and taken up in answering questions. Sheppard Colonel Youmans was received with apscored several good humored hits on his plause. questioners, and altogether made a favorable mpression on the crowd. Governor Tillman was the next speaker.

the majority of voters in the Republican plause, but there were so many questions from both sides, and so much confusion both sides, and so much confusion, against Governor Tillman's administration, that he was unable to make anything like a unlike his Hampton speech, however, in that connected speech. He roundly abused the it was not nearly so personal. entity on election days, voted for Mr. Harrison. Of course the president will be strong
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He said that Governor Tillman was dead
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hall have been decided at the ballot box.

LOCAL LACONICS.

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power of the governor the person or the pers and he replied, angrily, "Oh! yes, I made cotton go down, too, and did all the rest of it." At the conclusion of his speech, Till
Till manites openly condemned the goveror true cause of his action this: That he has a late to those offices will not be counted.

The chairman and secretary of the county see the job well done. They were just dead certain that they had Clover licked, and that a sufficient number of tickets, containing the certain that they had Clover licked, and that they had Clover licked, and that they had Clover licked, and that a sufficient number of tickets, containing the certain that they had Clover licked, and the county licked licked

the remainder of the canvass. Governor that "half the crowd voted, and two-thirds he should have stayed no matter how fatigued

these reasons would have been accepted Tillman on his unfulfilled promises; said that General McLaurin and General Farley de-

placed at each election precinct, in order the nominee so long as the nominee was not time that there should be no catechising of was a sham and a trickster. His strictures

effect that it was the sense of the convencitement. The governor's friends were tason.—Charlotte Observer, Wednesday.

uon, and Texas, which cast 88,280 kepubl- of the road, and a decretai order to that effect will be issued by the federal court with- private citizen too. I have duties to attend proper low to cannot be way is to cannot be way to as governor tomorrow in Columbia, before Saturday.

I go. I am going to my hotel and I am going to rest. "General Farley and General McLaurin

are here to answer you, sir," (turning to Colonel Youmans in a passion.) "Go on, governor," said severalvoices;

"go and rest. The crowd, however, were against the governor without the shadow of a doubt. of them developed some stubborn fighting. and the cries to him were weak. His friends were surprised. The Tillmanites were largely in the majority in the meeting. There was continual excitement with mingled ejaculations, such as "Go, governor!" from by Tillman two years ago, and the governor a few Tillmanites, and "Run!" from the opposition.

"I am not running," said Governor Tillman fiercely. Colonel Youmans-Governor, I wish you would stay. I do not want to talk behind your back. Governor Tillman prepared to leave.

Colonel Youmans-I have some questions to ask you. Governor Tillman, wheeling around-Well, ask them now; I can answer them.

Governor Tillman turned to go. state house grounds?

Governor Tillman-No, I did not, sir. Colonel Youmans-I can prove it. Governor Tillman, sarcastically-Oh, yes o'clock and lasted until 12. Mr. Sheppard and I bought flowers for the yard of the and a tin pan.

The audience applauded and the governor Colonel Youmans said he would not speak

He proceeded to deliver a strong speech

The political sensation of last week was the action of Governor Tillman in leaving the action of Governor Tillman in leaving the stand at Kingstree under the attacks of Courier says that about seventy-five hands Courier says that about seventy-five hands warmest friends, however, (on the ticket too) of the one that was recently burned. The the stand at Kingstree under the attacks of Courier says that about seventy-five hands bound to have a great deal of significance on the remainder of the canyass. Governor the remainder of the canyass. Governor the remainder of the canyass. Governor the stand at Kingstree under the attacks of Courier says that about seventy-five hands warmest friends, however, (on the ticket too) some fine playing, especially with its important say they never would have left the stand unless they had been dragged off. They say unless they had been dragged off. They say the county executive committee within the presented burned. The bad scared yet. Well, Gastonia did get in the presented by the county executive committee within the presented by the county executive committee, and who fill the county executive committee within the presented by the county executive committee within the presented by the county executive committee, and who fill the county executive committee, the following assessments for the present of the county executive committee, the following assessments for the present of the county executive committee, and who fill the county executive committee, and who fill the county executive committee within the present of the county executive committee within the present

borner 1 imman in a speech, Clonel Votman's moved up and sat at a table by the group of the field, he possessed himself of their being overpowered, he scrap books. The governor made a bitter and the contents of the pocket, feeling very much like a man for the contents of the pocket, feeling very much like a man for the contents of the pocket, feeling very much like a man for the contents of the pocket, feeling very much like a man for the contents of the pocket, and the total despite a protestations, conservatives were for the noninneces so long as the nominee was not a trickets. It is strictures was Inskets. It is strictures was an and a trickets. It is strictures was the contented to try his hand at shooting. He put his hand to the point of the pocket. The strictures was the few tout his finger accidentally was a sham and a trickets. It is strictures was the convolved to hear him. Saying this, he asked for his hat, saying the saw of the convolved to hear him. Saying this, he asked for his hat, saying the wanted to speak (Youmnans), and he wanted to

and a surprise to everybody. The opposition eried: "Running!" The meeting stood still to recover from the shock. Whether necessary or not, the administration friends felt that a mistake had been made, and it was an unfortunate occurrence.

Col. Youmans begged the governor to remain and hear his speech. His speech would be directed against him and he wanted the tion that candidates should be asked to state their views on prohibition. This was somewhat at variance with the previous agreement, and for some time past Mr. L. D. Childs has been in correspondence with Chairman Irby with a view to securing an additional concession from the committee. Chairman is a unifortimate occurrence.

Son.—Charlotte Observer, Wednesday.

Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of any serious inconstant of the increased production of Irish potato question. Mr. Gordon will be a matter of any serious inconstant of Newberry college on Tuesday night of last week. Mr. Cherry is a member of the class of this section, and as is well known, his talks this section, and as is well known, his talks this section, and as is well known, his talks this section, and as is well known, his talks this section, and as is well known, his talks the section anyway, it constitutes the addition of the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potato question. Mr. W. J. Gordon on the street a few days ago and had another talk with him on the line of the potat

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S. Brice, Committee for W. H. Taylor. Will be sold at Auction.

JUST ONE MORE DAY.

By reference to the advertisement of Su-

pervisor of Registration Gordon in another Colonel Youmans-Well, I do not like column, it will be seen that there is only one burg, are in Yorkville, visiting the family of to ask them in this way. I don't like to ask more day in which voters may obtain their Mr. W. C. Owen. them at the beginning of my speech. I would registration certificates. According to the like to ask them in the course of my speech law, the registration books close on Monday, ci, Aiken county, S. C., is in Yorkville visit-July 4, and all persons who are not proper- ing the family of Mr. Alonzo Rose. Colonel Youmans—Did you not say at Hampton that you never did criticise your labeled the privilege of casting a ballot in the lis in Yorkville visiting Miss Lula Goodrum preceding administrations for beautifying the coming general election. Let every voter at once look up his registration cerhis certificate, let him, under no circumwas the first speaker. Upon his introduction governor's mansion, and a joggling board, stances, neglect to apply to the supervisor of registration on Monday, July 4.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

The monthly report of railroad earnings The monthly report of railroad earnings for the month of April, just published, is no improvement on that for March, published last week. The earnings of the various roads in this section are as follows: Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line, \$54,435.80, against the Clover and Gastonia clubs, and several the speech he had intended. He wanted ta and Charlotte Air Line, \$54,435.80, against the Clover and Gastonia clubs, and several Governor Tillman to hear it. He would not \$61,748.01 for April of last year, a decrease enthusiasts who were present, say that they of \$7,312.21; Charlotte, Columbia and Au- have not seen a finer game this season. gusta, \$43,613.37, against \$55,046.50, a de- There was some unusually fine playing on crease of \$11,433.22; Charleston, Cincinnati both sides, but Clover got the best of it, and Chicago, \$9,877.15, against \$10,752.71, beating the game by a score of 4 to 1. "Charleston ring," saying it was largely on He said, however, that Governor Tillman a decrease of \$875.56; Chester and Lenoir, "I never saw such luck as those Clover account of its existence that he was original- was whipped. He (Tillman) was afraid to \$1,720.24, against \$2,040.14, a decrease of boys have," remarked one of the Yorkville ly induced to undertake the success of the meet him (Youmans) on the stand. He had \$319.90; Georgia, Carolina and Northern, baseballists, to The Enquirer, in telling

- The "Good Luck" band book, composed by Professor R. J. Herndon, of Yorkville, is a Smith and H. E. Neil, the best batters in the pose of defraying the expenses of conducting seven pieces of original band music, arranged run during the game. The only run that for twenty-four instruments, and will no Gastonia made was through an oversight of

Biff.

— Prominent Republicans here, says a Washington dispatch to the Baltimore American and substitution is the county and a splendid record as a solider, and has been a splendid succession by the same to the principal tion of Whitelaw Reid for vice president. It is becoming evident that no matter what to most with the m

man and mark in a green, messages and the best as large of the color black and cash in bank, amounting to almost \$8.50, to the best as large of the color black and regarding the regarding the color black and regarding the regarding th The first cotton bloom of the season ways as any crop that I know of. The only Bethesda Church,

there will be lots of potatoes for winter use. follows: In about a month or a little more, it will be RULES FOR CONDUCTING THE PRIMARY. time to commence trying to save them, and if you will print my instructions again, I or in his absence the president or vice-president of the local club, shall appoint three managers

will try and tell the people the best way to liver to one of them, as chairman, a certificate, in do it." We promised Mr. Gordon that we writing, of the appointment. Said managers, writing, of the appointment. Said managers, before entering upon the discharge of their duties, shall each take and subscribe the following pleasure, and those of our readers who are oath:

last Saturday. Mrs. Frazier Bell, of Rock Hill, visited relatives in Yorkville this week. Mr. J. R. Haynes returned to Yorkville from Greenville last Sunday.

Miss Claude Moore returned home from Peace Institute, Raleigh, last Friday. Mr. B. B. Owen and family, of Orange-Miss Amanda Boatwright, of Montmoren-

and other friends.

Rev. J. C. Galloway and Messrs. W. W. tificate and see to it that he is properly Jenkins and W. M. Kennedy are at Due West this week, attending the commencement exercises of the colleges at that place.

Dr. James P. Crawford, of Yorkville, left for Aspen Grove, Rockingham county, N. C., yesterday, and expects to locate at that place for the practice of his profession.

ballots, and shall not again open the same unto the close of the election.

4. The qualification for voting in said election shall be as follows: The voter shall be twenty-one years of age, or become so before the succeeding general election, and be a white Democration in 1876, and who has voted for General Hampton in 1876, and who has voted the Democratic ticket continuously since. The voter must also have been a resident of the State for one year and of York county for sixty days next preceding the qualified to cast his ballot. If he cannot find West this week, attending the commence-

the best I ever saw in this country, and after several amendments, were adopted as districts by the candidates for congress and

1. Each member of the executive committee

pleasure, and those of our readers who are interested in the subject, may look for the publication of his instructions in good time to take advantage of them.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Jugde I. D. Witherspoon returned home

Oath:

I, as the manager of the Democratic primary election at — precinct, do solemnly swear that I will fairly, impartially and honestly conduct this election, and discharge the duties devolving upon me as a manager thereof, according to the rules prescribed by the Democratic executive committee of York county; and according to the provisions of an act of the general assembly of South Carolina, entitled "An Act to Protect Primary Elections, etc." Approved, December 22, 1888.

2. The managers shall take the oath herein prescribed, before a notary public, or other off cer authorized by law to administer oaths; but f no such officer can conveniently be had, if no such officer can conveniently be had, the managers can administer the oath to each other. Should one or more of the managers appointed to hold such election fail to appear, the remaining manager, or managers, shall appoint others in their stead, and administer to them the oath hereinbefore prescribed. Said oath shall, after being subscribed by the managers, be filed by them on the second day after the election, with the chairman of the county Democratic executive the chairman of the county Democratic executive committee, and within five days after said elec-tion, said oaths shall be filed by said chairman in the office of the clerk of the court of York

county.
3. The managers at each precinct shall furnish the ballot box. Before any ballots are received at this election, and immediately before opening the polls, the managers shall open the ballot box to be used in said election, and exhibit the same publicly, to show that there are no ballots in the said box. They shall then close and lock, or seal up said box, except the opening to receive the ballots, and shall not again open the same until

of York county for sixty days next preceding the and make a special report to the county execu-tive committee of their reasons for accepting or rejecting the same, and the county executive com-mittee shall determine whether or not such a ballot shall be counted. Provided, that any ne-gro offering to vote, be further required to swear that he voted for General Hampton in 1876, and has voted the Democratic ticket ever since. This oath must be certified to by one or more reputa-

5. The managers shall keep a poll list, with the name of each voter voting in said election, and they shall also have a tally sheet, and they may

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the solicitorship.

Attention was called to the fact that July 29 had been fixed upon as the date on which the State campaign meeting will be held in Yorkville, and it was suggested that a committee of five be appointed to make such arrangements as would be required by the occasion. The committee was appointed as follows: J. S. Brice, chairman; W. T. Jackson, W. C. Hutchison, L. K. Armstrong,

Perry Ferguson. There was an informal discussion on the question of music for the occasion. A propsition had been received from a band leader who offered to furnish the music for \$30. The committee was of the opinion that this was too much, and a majority of the members expressed themselves in favor of either giving out the contract to one of the local bands, or not giving it out at all. The matter was finally left to the committee of arrangements.

There being no further business, the committee adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

YORKVILLE GRADED SCHOOL. The closing exercises of the Yorkville graded school took place last Friday night, and the occasion was one of great enjoyment to all who participated in it. A large number of the friends and patrons were present. In fact, when the exercises commenced, every available seat in the hall was occupied, and many of the late comers were obliged to stand up. At a given signal, at about 8:30 o'clock, all the pupils who had assembled in the class rooms below, marched into the hall, and the exercises were then opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. English. After prayer, there was a song, beautifully rendered by the school, and then came the reading of the roll of honor for the year by Superintendent Lewis. The scholarship roll was follows :

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1st grade—Lizzie Hunter, 97; Annie Galloway,
2st. 2nd grade—Minnie Holler, 984; Henry
Summitt, 964, 3rd grade—Lillie Goforth, 93;
Thos. English, 914; John Ashe, 914. 4th grade—
Mary Galloway, 98; Moffatt Kennedy, 93. 5th
grade—Julia Galloway, 98; Daisy Griffith, 93.

6th grade—Brainard Dobson, 94 40-70; Annie
Wallace, 94 28-70; John Dayldson, 94 17-70. 7th
grade—Amelia Kennedy, 91; Harvey Withersender, 91. 9th grade—Emma Kennedy, 77;
Mary Hart, 75.

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school days during the session just closed, Mr. Lewis next read the roll of honor for attendance, together with the number of days each honor pupil had been present as follows:

Wesley Bailes, 192; Annie Galloway, 191; Barron Kennedy, 194; Henry Summitt, 187; Lytle Watson, 195, Lindsay Hunter, 194; Moffat Kennedy, 194; Avery Lowry, 189; Louise Ratchford, 196; Lula McClain, 196; Maggie Ferguson, 196; Mamie Moore, 194; Carl Latimer, 194; Amelia Kennedy 195; Willie Moore, 191; Eldred Dobson, 173; Donom Witherspoon, 172; Jessie Latimer, 180; Emma Kennedy, 172. Next in the regular order of the exercises was a beautifully rendered piano duet by Misses Mary and Rose Hunter. The per-formance was liberally applauded by the

Diplomas were presented to the graduating class as follows: Misses Emma Kennedy, Mary Hart and Jessie Latimer. The presentation speech was made by D. E. Finley, Esq., of the board of trustees, and though quite brief, was very appropriate. Then, after the rendition of "Auld Lang Syne" by the school, came an address by J. K. Henry, Esq., of Chester, and the presentation of prizes by Superintendent Lewis. prizes, consisting of handsome books, were given for scholarship to the following

tenants, most prominent among whom are Chas. S. Fairchild and W. C. Whitney, are outspoken in their claims that Cleveland can be nominated on the first ballot. They say he has over 550 votes already, and are confident that the number will be increased above 600-the necessary two-thirds-by the time the ballot is reached; about Thursday The field, as at present constituted, con-

sists of Hill, Boies, Gorman, Gray, Palmer, and several other possibilities. It is the policy of all these aspirants to unite against Cleveland and hold their forces as staunch as

the various Democratic clubs in the county,
Act to Protect Primary Elections," etc., approved almost, if not equal, to professional ball, and

Wednesday, August 24. resolution was adopted authorizing the chair-man of the executive committee to confer man of the executive committee to confer portion about 12,000, and the entire wigness and the various country chairmen in their warm 20,000. The building cost over \$20,-