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WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1888.

members. The Knights of Labor and will not prosecute. seem to be losing strength, and the new order seems to be overshadowthat the Alliance will cut a big figure in politics, and it is apprehended that its members will to some extent cut loose from party trammels.

desire the judicial convention, and be- us. lieve we shall get it. Sumter, Kingstree, and Georgetown have each had it, and now it is time for Manning to have it. We respectfully lay the claims of Manning before the chairmen of the four counties of this judicial circuit.

year, is only a matter of form. We will, therefore, not be at all surprised, should the Convention renominate the present State ticket by acclama tion. This will relieve the people of the unnecessary expense of a second convention.

We hope the next Legislature will take this question in hand, and give the people a chance to vote on a change to four years for electing State and county officers. The result would be decidedly beneficial. As a rule men will be selected with greater care, and it will relieve the entire State of a lot of trouble, worry, and

Although there is no mention in the call of County Democratic Executive Committee, that delegates to the judicial and congressional conventions will be elected at the convention on the 12th, yet it is not at all improbable that such delegates will be called specifically only to elect an executive committee and delegates to He tried various other medicines and the State convention, will have full power when it meets to do what it piezes. It is therefore urgent that This testimony we give unsolicited, every one interested in the Democra- and without the knowledge of the procy should attend his club meeting, prietors." and elect representative delegates to the county convention. It is not improbable that the convention will do all the business before it, to be done this year: elect delegates to the State judicial, and congressional conventions; elect an executive committee; appoint the times for hold primaries, and adopt rules and regulations; and attend to all other business that may come up before it, so that there will be no further need of another convention. The clubs are to be re-organized next Saturday, May 5th; so any one who carelessly remains at home, will, should the convention do any thing contrary to what he likes, please not say any thing about it as he himself will be to blame for not taking more interest in the club meetings.

The farmer's manifesto, on our first page, will be found interesting reading, and fit matter for thoughtful consideration. In many particulars we agree with the suggestions contained therein; in some we differ; in others we go even further. We favor a biennial session of the Legislature, a cutting down of expenses, and a raising of the value of the property of the State to something that appears just and equitable. We believe the county equalization board guilty of a fraud when they cut down to three or four dollars the price of land returned at much higher figures, when they know that land to be worth three or four times what they agree to assess it at. And so it is with personal property. All over the State, there is a disposition by the equalization board to assess property at a value far too low. We favor quadrennial election of State and county officers, and a thorough discussion of all questions in connection with the office sought by the cardidate, and we favor education and natural intelligence as the basic qualification for every office. We believe that so many experimental stations (costly experiments to the State) will cost far more than they will amount to. We believe that a more efficient government in this State can be obtained at a less expense-at least twenty-five per cent. less. We believe that "demagogues and fence straddlers and weak-kneed individuals" should be left out of the Legislature, but we also believe it to ing his sermon to-day, made the following be a hard matter to convince a ma- personal statement: jority of the votes of such a necessity.

The President has nominated M. W. Fuller, of Chicago, U.S. Chief Justice.

Fragments from Foreston.

FORESTON, April 30 .- Dull, duller, dullest. Ap Frierson still lives, and is apparently better to the wonder of not only his friends but of the medical profession also.

Mr. W. T. P. Sprott's store was again robbed last week of about \$1.65 worth of The Farmers' Alliance entered bacon. This time by the boy Joe Troy North Carolina about a year ago. It who was sent to the asylum as insane a has now 686 sub-alliances in the State, year or two ago. Owing to these circumcomprising a membership of 32,000 stances Mr. Sprott accepted a compromise

The Rev. J. W. McRoy, of the Methodist Conference, is visiting his brother, L. ing everything. It is now thought M. McRoy, our estimable townsman. Mr. McRoy preached for us on Friday night an excellent sermon on Charity, and again last night he gave us a splendid one on the Resurrection of the dead. He leaves to-day to Linning is very modest in her de- visit friends at Cades, S. C. The Rev. J. sires, seldom asking for a convention, C. Counts, former pastor of this church, and when such a request is made we is also on a visit to friends here. He preachthink due consideration should be ed for us on yesterday, his subject being given it. A judicial or congressional Magnifying Christ. Mr. Counts is a favorconvention has never been held in ite with all of us, and we are glad to welour beautiful town, but this year we come him and his estimable family among

A Remarkable Remedy for Blood Poison.

(Editorial in New Orleans Picayune, May, 1887.)

S. S. S .- Those whose blood is poisoned will find a very interesting article on another page from C. E. We had hoped State officers would Mitchell, West Twenty-third street, be nominated at the May convention, New York, who had been suffering but since the Executive Committee from this complaint ten years and did not specifically include this in was completely cured by the use of the their call, it may not be done. But, S. S. S. There is nothing on the top on the other hand, the convention, of the earth better than this remarkwhen it meets, is free to do as it able remedy for blood poison. Repleases, and its action is supreme. It member, in buying, to see that you is generally conceded that the election get the genuine, as so many imitaof State officers should be for four tions of this great medicine are on years, and that the renomination of the market. Write to the Swift Spethe old ticket, at the end of the second cific Company, Atlanta, Ga., for a Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases, which will be mailed free to anyone.

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A Voice From Virginia.

(Danville, Va., Times, April 21, 1887.) "S. S. S .- By the way, that valua-

elected. The convention, though ble medicine cured one of our citizens who had upwards of thirty boils. several mineral waters, but nothing else afforded him the desired relief.

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DYSPEPSIA.

Is that misery experienced when we suddenly become aware that we possess a diabolical arrangement called a stomach. The stomach is the reservoir from which every fibre and tissue must be nourished, and any trouble with it is soon felt throughout the whole system. Among a dozen dyspeptics no two will have the same predominant symptoms. Dyspeptics of active mental power and a billious temperament are subject to Sick Headache; those, fleshy and phlegmatic have Constipation, while the thin and nervous are abandoned to gloomy forebodings. Some dyspeptics are wonderfully forgetful; others have great irritability of temper.

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Talmage a Teetotaler.

New York, April 29.—The Rev. T. De-witt Talmage, of Brooklyn, before deliver-

"An infamous falsehood has gone into every city and neighborhood of this coun-We are not in favor of a constitution-al convention. The same end can be accomplished by the Legislature, and newspapers, a report saying that in recently entertaining the officers of the 13th regi-ment at my house I cave them four kinds with less danger of a revolution of wine. There was not a drop of wine or There is no telling what a con- any kind of intoxicating liquor, twenty-live stitutional convention would do.

The same objectionable men would be in such a convention who will prove that one drop of wine was offered or will give that amount to any as are in the Legislature. We have declaritable institution that may be named cided opinions on several other sub- by any respectable clergyman, lawyer, cr jects, and among them, that if the detective, such person being judge in the Farmer's Association and its adjuncts cannot do any better this year than two years ago, that they will be productive of more harm than good.

whole matter. That which I suppose was told as a joke is being used all over the land to give the impression that temperance men are hypocrites. I respectfully ask the newspapers which have been misled by the report to correct it."

HOW DO WE DIG OUR GRAVES?

We must eat or we cannot live.

This we all know. But do we all know that we die by eating? It is said we dig our graves with our teeth. How foolish this sounds. Yet it is fearfully true. We are terrified at the approach of the cholera and yellow fever, yet there is a disease constantly at our doors and in our houses far more dangerous and destructive. Most people have in their own stomachs a poison, more slow, but quite as fatal as the germs of those maladies which sweep men into eternity by thousands without warning in the times of great epidemics. But it is a mercy that, if we are watchful, we can tell when we are threatened. The following are among the symptoms, yet they do not always necessarily appear in the same order, nor are they always the same in different cases. There is a dull and sleepy feeling; a bad taste in the mouth, especially in the morning; the appetite is changeable, sometimes poor and again it seems as though the patient could not eat enough, and occasionally no appetite at all; dullness and sluggishness of the mind; no ambition to study or work; more or less headache and heaviness in the head; dizziness on rising to the feet or moving suddenly; furred and coated tongue; a sense of a load on the stomach that nothing removes; hot and dry skin at times; yellow tinge in the eyes; scanty and high-colored urine; sour taste in the mouth, frequently attended by palpitation of the heart; impaired vision, with spots that seem to be swimming in the air before the eyes; a cough, with a greenish-colored expectoration; poor nights' rest; a sticky slime about the teeth and gums; hands and feet cold and clammy; irritable temper and bowels bound up and costive. This disease has puzzled the physicians and still puzzles them. It is the commonest of ailments and yet the most complicated and mysterious. Sometimes it is treated as consumption, sometimes as liver complaint, and then again as malaria and even heart disease. But its real nature is that of constipation and dyspepsia. It arises

in the digestive organs and soon affects all the others through the ! corrupted and poisoned blood. Often the whole body—including the nervous system—is literally starved, even when there is no emaciation to tell the sad story. Experience has shown that there is put one remedy that can certainly cure this disease in all its steges. namely, Shaker Extract of Roots or Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup. It never fails but, nevertheless, no time should be lost in trying other socalled remedies, for they will do no good. Get this great vegetable preparation. (discovered by a venerable nurse whose name is a household word in Germany) and be sure

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The city council of Sumter has elected the following police efficers: F. W. Crosswell, chief of police: W. H. Epperson, 1st lieutenant; C. H. Jones, 2nd lieutenant; A. H. Weeks and W. H. Commander, privates; L. M. Rembert, superintendent of streets; Moses Harrison, junitor and iamplighter; Philip Bossard, scavenger.

Sumter pays her officers the following salaries: Mayor, \$300 per annum; Clerk and Treasurer, \$000 per annum, with perquisites; Chief of Police, \$75 per month; two Lieutenants, \$50 each per month; one Inspector of Streets, \$50 per month; two privates, \$40 each per month; Lamplighter, \$45 per month; driver of the scavenger cart. \$15 per month; making a yearly total of

NEW YORE, April 26.—General William Henry Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, said to-day in an interview that Cleveland will be renominated by acclamation at the St. Lou-is convention, and the President's latest nessage to Congress will be substantially the platform of the convention. General Lee thinks Mahoneism is dead in Virginia. since Mahone has been deserted by all the men who helped him to power; Wise, Cam-eron and Brady among others.

Fitzhugh Lee's Opinion.

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