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## EDITORIAL ITEMS.

The discussion upon Evolution in the Presbyterian General Assembly, last wich, shows that a large majority of its members are opposed to Dr. Woodrow's views; and in the vote which followed, anti-Woodrow resolutions were adopted by a vote of 137 to 13.

The health of Ez-President Arthur continues very critical. He rode out several times last week, and the prostration incident to even that gentle exercise has confined him to his bed ever since. His friends have but little hope of his recovery.

Gladstone's Irish Home Rule Bill is still under fire. The margin of the majority, either for or against the bill will be small; and in all probability Parliament will be dissolved in a short | ly hope that second thought will inwhile, Gladstone preferring to give the people at large an opportunity of voting on this important question, for it will be the prime factor on which will hinge the choice of the new Parliament.

declared for prohibition, and whiskey men are prophesying all sorts of disasters to the State as the result of the cessation of the liquor traffic, and then inclinations and interests; and now that they will turn around and in the next his second term is almost out and a breath declare that prohibition does not new deal will in all probability relieve prohibit. It is one of the mysteries that him from official cares, he should not only a whiskeyite can solve : that Pro- hesitate to accept an offer such as that hibition does not prohibit, and still made in Washington w! ... will afford brings so many disasters in its train. The Bartholdi Statue is being put department for which he is so entirely together and placed upon its pedestal fitted-Education. be Bedloo's Island, and it is thought ! that it will be in place and ready for unveiling by Sept. 3rd; when President Cleveland will perform that ceremony. The most remarkable thing in connection with the building and erection of evening by Rev. Mr. Sunderland, the this statue was the miserly stinginess President's pastor.

# THAT APPOINTMENT. It is said that Governor Thompson gates.

has been offered the important position of Commissioner of Education by the

all the candidates ; they are personally President, but has declined to accept beinterested in having county officials cause he does not wish to surrender the office he nows holds, and which was given to his hands by the people of

South Carolina. We admire Governor Thompson's unselfish patriotism in this connection, but

think he is doing himself a wrong while not benefitting the State. If any complications, political or otherwise were to for Judicial, Congressional or State arise from his resignation then he would be doing wrong to resign but there is machinery for the same would be too no probability of any such occurrence. The Governor's official life from the present time until his successor is inaugurated will be most uneventful. The Lieut. Governor who would quietly succeed him would perform all his duties with entire satisfaction, and the administration would continue without a ripple of rouble.

The office to which it is said the President wished to appoint the Governor is one for which we think him peculiarly fitted. We doubt if a better selection could be made, and we sincereduce our Chief Magistrate to change his mind and accept, if the offer is still open, the position above named.

There is another consideration which strengthens the opinion that Governor Rhode Island by a popular vote has Thompson should not refuse an offer

simply because of his duties as Governor. When he was first nominated four years ago, it was certainly against his bim the opportunity of working in that

THAT WEDDING.

President Cleveland and Miss Frakie Folsom will be married in the blue parlor of the White House Wednesday

Last Wednesday evening Messre. N. of New York millionairs evidenced by The long agony is over; reporters who B. and W. W. Barrow, father and son, their refusing to contribute money to have been dogging the footsteps of every were travelling the road leading from assist in its completion. Any one of a man, woman and child for news of the Manning to Midway just after sundown, dozen could have met the entire outlay impending event, during the last three some five miles from the former place. without the least inconvenience, but the months will find their occupation gone. When Messrs. Thos. E. Shannon and money had to be collected in driblets, It is true that for the remainder of the W. T. Rose overtook them. Each couweek their brains and their pens will be ple were riding in a buggy. As soon The Supreme Council of the Knights fully occupied in detailing the events of as they were near enough to be heard, of Labor is in session in Cieveland, the wonderful wedding. The bride, her Rose made use of an offensive expres-Ohie, and the meeting is expected to jewels, her clothing, her bouquets, her sion towords those who favored opening be most important in its results. The bandkerchiefs-nay everthing connect- the old road. The Barrows stopped erade and imperfect machinery of its ed with Miss Frankie will be written up their herse and N. B. turning around cotts may be ordered by irresponsible "Jenkinses," who will for that time be and what he said. Rose said that he really didn't know what he said, and President Cleveland will be married then Barrow and Rose both dismounted, Gon can be made a most usoful adjunct the nearest relatives of the President Shannon then dismounted, at the same the coatrary it will be a frightful engine and the secretaries with their wives will N. B. Barrow, we suppose. W. W. Barrow then turned around and ordered men, and a menace to all the material Mr. Cleveland will outrage Madame Shannon to cease using insulting lan-Grandy by neglecting to take the cus- guage to his father, and sprang out of The Pan Electric Telephone investi- tomary wedding tour; intending, so it the buggy. Shannon advanced, and gation, which has been drawing its slow is said, to remain at his work in the fired twice, one ball missing and the length along for several months, is ap- White House, just the same as if Miss other piercing his right breast, and parently coming to a close. We see Frankie was still in Europe. It is said, ranging obliquely to the left, killing and that has or can come out of the and this will comfort society, that Mr. him instantly. Barrow was unarmed. Investigation. Those who believe that Scott a Maryland millionaire has offered Shannon retraced his steps to Manning Bell stole Gray's metent will continue to the President the use of his yacht for and surrendered to the sheriff. believe it. Those who believe that a week's tour next week, as a sort of The above is the substance of the Secretary Garland is a dishonest specn. insipient honeymoon to be completed in evidence before the Coroner's Jury; July when the President and Mrs. and their finding was to the effect that President will spend that month in the W. W. Barrow came to his death from Adirondacks. a gunshot wound from the hands of

GOVERNOR THOMPSON AND simple reason that the people cannot ately but mediately, in accordance with the general plan involved in the hyget together and vote as can the delepothesis I have been illustrating. Believing, as I do, that the Scriptures are In county matters it is different. almost certainly silent on the subject, I The people know, by reputation at least, find it hard to see how any one could hesitate to prefer the hypothesis of mediate creation to the hypothesis of imme-

diate creation." whom they like, and in whom they Dr. Woodrow declared that as rehave confidence, and will work and vote ards the soul of man, he believed it for them as earnestly in the second as was immediately created. He recognized the methods of evolution as God's the first primary. We think with plan of creation, and as such to inspire proper regulations, the primary system profound reverence, glory and honor to is the fairest by which candidates can he Maker and Giver of all Life. be nominated for County officers, but The Chronicle prints this as a matter

of information to the public at this time .- Augusta Chronicle. nominations it would be a delusion and a spare, mainly from the fact that the

[From our Regular Correspondent.] WASHINGTON LETTER.

cumbersome and expensive, and inci-WASHINGTON, D. C , May 28, 1886. dentally-from the latter cause-be-The President continues his good work of examining, dissecting and the respective Offices; giving special attention cause the people would not give the vetoing private pension bills. If he attention necessary to so important a cannot defend the Government's treas-

ure vaults against avarice and fraud, Still, if the people want primaries ie is at least narrowing the opening to find every office, and Books, and Papers they ought to have them. If they are through which the money is dragged of each Office without an exception neatly. willing to give the needed time and

money absolutely required for carrying For each veto sent to the Senate, the President has given conclusive reasons, them out properly, no man should say them nay-but we are not at all sur insensible to that influence which leads they want them, except for County nom-

patriotic service in the nation's cause. We will outline a plan in our next Yet he did not believe it to be a duty issue which will combine both the primary and convention plan, and which whose benefit the scheme of pensions sonable doubt. will eliminate the more objectionable was provided, to permit the division of

HOMICIDE.

Sometime last year the short section of roadway, reaching from Black River crossing to Midway Church, in Clarendon County, was closed ; and a new road opened, intersecting the Mayesville road, a mile or two above the church. Much ill feeling was caused by this, as it lengthened the road in a round trip to | dent. Manning some three or four miles, to all who lived below Midway and near to the Manning road, East of Midway.

These people were anxious to re-open the section which had been closed, but were perfectly willing that the new road

should remain open for the convenience of those who lived North of Midway. Mr. N. B. Barrow was prominent in feeling was generated thereby.

matter.

inations.

features of both.

organization by which strikes and boy- with variations innumerable, by the in his baggy asked Rose whom he meant proper officers and laws, this organiza- with but little ostentation. A few of and we supposed settled their difficulty. Representatives came into the Chamber white. to the prosperity of the country; with and bride, with Col. and Mrs. Lamont time using offensive language towards galleries. was'an impostor.

Fresentment of the Grand Jury.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF SUMTER.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, MAY TERM, 1886.

To His Honor Judge Cothran Presiding : The Grand Jury hereby respectfully report, that they have carefully considered, passed

upon, and returned to the Court all indict-W .- D. SCARBOROUGH to the voters of ments given out by the Solicitor. Sumter County, as experienced and trust-That through the Committee created at Feb worthy, and competent to represent them, ruary Term of Court, at suggestion of His and hereby nominate him for the State Sen Honor, Judge Pressley, during the interval ate. between the February and present term, visited, inspected and examined the Poor House

and appurtenances, and so far as they could discover or ascertain, found nothing worthy of special notice or mention.

That with the aid of an Expert, the said THE LOT-HOLDERS in the Sumter Cem-Committee visited, inspected and examined etery are notified that the annual meeteach and all of the County Offices, Office, ing for the election of President and Trustees. Books, Records, Vouchers. &c., belonging to will take place on Monday, the 14th June, inst., at the office of the Trial Justice, at ! o'clock P. M. A good attendance is earnestly to the bonds of County Officers, and after an solicited. examination as thorough as was necessary to J. W. DARGAN,

fully satisfy them, they were highly gratified properly and correctly kept; and we deem it but justice to the County Officials, and due to

the people of our County, to say, that as far and he added that he was by no means as we have been able to ascertain, or have reason to believe, the County Officials, are, the judgment towards the allowance of and have been, as faithful and efficient in the every claim alleged to be founded upon discharge of their respective duties as Officers

can well be. We regard all the Bonds of the County or a kindness to the worthy citizens for Officers good, and sufficient, beyond a rea-

In general terms, and few words, the Grand the nation's bounty among objects not Jury are pleased to be able to report the financial condition of the County as good. within its scope and purpose. The County Board of Commissioners by History, &c. The Republicans have no intention of

trying to pass these bills against the unforeseen emergencies, fell behind last fiscal reto, but they hope to make some polit- | year a little over \$1,000, (which is to be reical capital out of them. Some of them gretted,) but provision has been made by the have been writing to applicants that it last Legislature to meet said deficiency.

is useless to present their claims to Con-The School Commissioner reports an angress as the President will not let them nually increasing surplus County School become laws. Their idea is that the fund, amounting at this time to over \$5,000, would-be-pensiouers will not be likely and the public Schools in an improved and to vote for another Democratic Presi- progressive condition.

All of the Trial Justices, except two, one This is the way in which the Senate of whom wrote that he was sick, and physi-Pension committee is enabled to report fif- cally unable to meet us, and the other recentty private pension bills a week. Sena- Iy appointed, met the Grand Jury, with their tor Sawyer of Wis. is its most active Books, and we found their Books neatly and member. He employes two men, one properly kept, and as far as we could discov-

an ex-clerk of the Pension office and er, correct, the amounts of their fines and the other a physician, to look over and receipts corresponding with Treasurer's ac- Open to Visitors, May 1 to October 15.

arrange the papers in each case referred counts. to him by the Committee. The Sena-The Foreman of Grand Jury had a confertor only glances at them to decide how ence with the Board of County Commissionthey are to be reported. It is not sur- ers to-day, in reference to minor matters, per- Telephone Line in operation to Spartanburg.

urging this arrangement, and much ill- prising that to some of the pension bills taining to the Pour House, Jail, and recomwhich the Senate passes on Mr. Saw- mendations in late Presentment, which

yer's favorable reports, the President is renders it unne cessary to refer to said minor unwilling to attach his signature. matters in this Presentment. The Grand Jury are prepared to recommend | three story building, with neatly appointed It was during the discussion of a pri-Bed rooms, Parlors, Sitting rooms, Billiard room, Dining room, Ball room &c., there are vate pension bill that Senator Ingalls a change in the Trial Justice system and the took occasion to make a venomous at- Poor House system, but as nothing can be took occasion to make a venomous at-tack upon Gen. Black, the present accomplished before the October Term, they of each Cottage, enclosing a beautiful lawn. Commissioner of Pensions. The Re- bave thought projer so defer recommendations And in addition to these, another building has just been completed with twelve large, ublican Senators and Representatives | till next Term; desiring by this notice to agicomfortable, well ventilated rooms. nave been very desirious of finding tate thought and discussion on the subject, A GOOD BAND has been secured for the fault with the Commissioner since he which may better prepare us to recommend season, and dancing or other amusements, such as musicals, readings, theatricals, proaccused his Republican predecessor. of, the change. gressive euchre parties, spelling bees, &c., are and proved that he used the Pension The Grand Jury sorely regret the shameful enjoyed every night. ffice as a party machine. necessity of presenting to your Honorable Board at private houses can be obtained After Mr. Ingall's had charged that Court, the following named persons of our with free access to the Spring, by paying to the proprietors of the Hotel a reasonable rate Gen. Black was not and never had been County for living in open adultery-with entitled to the pension now drawn by witnessess in each case, to wit: The mineral water is unsurpassed. him, and that he had willingly slander-For rates of board, prices of water and other 1st .- Hull Lint on (col'd preacher,) with particulars, address the Proprietors. ed Col. Dudley, word passed quickly Alice Vassor, (white.) through the Capitol that he was stirring Witnesses-Robert Addison Toney, Jefford



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George Imes, a prominent colored man in Pennsylvania, has announced 'fimself as candidate for Lieut. Governer of that State upon an independent ticket and now we will see an illustration of the hypocrisy of Republican wails over the political wrongs inflicted what arrangements will be necessary in upon the negro. We are at a loss to making this change. understand how an intelligent negro

can de otherwise than look upon a Republican with a feeling of contempt for the shameless exhibition of political trickery which has marked every act of . shat party towards the negro. Their favorite battle flag, the bloody shirt, bas been flaunted to the breeze whenever the cry of proscription by the South to the negro could be raised ; and yet in all this time they have never given the negro one thing which they could grasp with their own greedy kands. Pharisees, kypocrites, liars!

Maxwell, the hero (?) of the myste-

murder.

# PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

## This question is attracting much at-

we have omitted and which will, when tention at present especially in the brought out at the final trial, change the upper counties. An effort will be made drift of the evidence we have reported. for primary elections, not only in the We will add that whiskey, as is usuchoice of county officers, but for the sually the case, was a prime factor in nomination of Congressional and State determining this terrible tragedy. Our readers can draw their own moral. officials as well, and in some of the

### Districts the Democratic County Chair-What Dr. Woodrow Taught. men have been requested to consider

Thos. E. Shannon.

The theory of evolution which Dr. Woodrow has been condemned for

teaching was substantially explained by We are not sure that the people that gentleman in an address before the would, if the plan were adopted, en-Alumni Association of the Columbia Theological Seminary, May 7th, 1884 dorse it a second time. The machinery In that address Dr. Woodrow said that of elections involve considerable exthe origin of a thing may imply either pense and time, and where, as would that it came into existence just as it is, almost always be the case, two or three or that it passed through a series of would have to be held to decide the changes from a previous state in order nomination, the burden of expense to reach its present condition. He found would, apparently, indicate the will of the people that would not necessarily be or that contradicts the belief that, hav- ing this Senator of disioyalty to the the case. Suppose in the contest for ing originated one or a few forms, He Union. Congressional honors in a district with | caused all others to spring from these in |

What better description could be given ? five counties, there should a candidate accordance with laws which he ordained from ezch one. Nine-tenths of the and makes operative. After exhaustively reviewing the

up the Senate with a sharp personal Addison Toney, Elf. Anderson, colored. R. sneech. Senators hurried to their seats, H. Prescott, A. S. Beasley, Kirvin Wells,

and additional visitors appeared in the 2d .- Wm. McC skill white, with two Philips' women, white,

The Kansas Senator with his charac-Witnesses-Jesse McLeod, Tyre Reynolds teristic recklessness in the use of words. Gabriel Jones, Joshua Marsh, Press Floyd. made one of the most bitter denuncia-3d .- T. J. Jo aes, white, with Mary Brown tions ever heard in the Senate. He and Mott Brown, (whites.)

paced back and forth as if impatient of Witnesses-I evander Elmore, Frank Parliamentary language, and the viens McCutchen, Eli as Davis, Robt. Charles, colorof his forehead stood out as he declared

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tioned that Gen. Black never knew the The Grand Jury have endeavored and wil cessation of pain for a moment; boncs still endeavor to obtain evidence in every case had been removed from both his arms, of this character. reported to them

rendering them unless, and that to this While we have endeavored to condense, and day his wounds had to be dressed daily make brief our P. esentment, we have endeavby a physician. It was in this condition ored to discharge thoroughly our duties, and that Gen. Black was performing his believe this Presentment covers the ground, official duties, and the Indiana Senator and is sufficient for the present.

There are some minor details which thought if the Senator from Kansas felt Acknowledgir g the courtesies tendered, and any pride in assaulting a man who was the aid rendered us by your Honor, and other suffering thus, he should be allowed to | Court Officials, the above is respectfully sub-W. D. SCARBOROUGH. mitted.

Senator Cockrell also defended Gen. Black, who, he said, had allowed more

The American Newspaper Directory for pensions during the first year of his 886, published by George P. Rowell & Co., administration than any other Pension New York, is out. It is a complete list of Commissioner. He suggested that Mr. the publications in the United States and Ingall's ought to have the courage and Canada, together with a description of the towns and cities in which they are published. manliness to introduce a bill for the The Directory is a handsome book of 1,818 repeal of Gen. Black's pension, if he pages. Along with it comes a miniature eally thought it had been obtained directory for the year 1776, size 1 x 11 inches, under false pretences, as he had charged. containing sixteen pages; quite a difference

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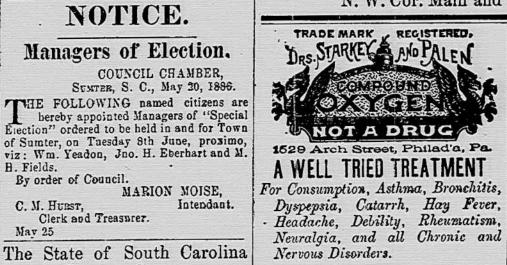
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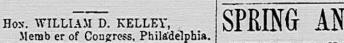
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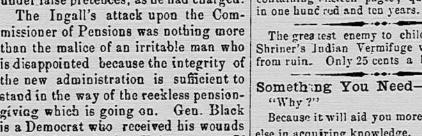
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