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Do away with your corrupt party organization and a number of democrats have been named for Governor who would honestly and ably serve the people, not only among the people, but from the Col. J. R. B. and from the

It is the most gigantic swindle since the Yazoo fraud. You may aggregate all the frauds imputed to the Hollock administration, and add the computed misfortune of a set of thieves inflicted, will not amount to money of this wild land robbery. I do not care to criticize the conduct of the committee. The committee has partially uncovered the nest of rotten eggs, and the new House committee will probably do its duty thought it is scarcely possible to find the bottom egg in such nests of corruption.

And again on the effect of all this on the democratic party:

Does it hurt the democratic party? It hurts every honest man in the land, and unless the legislature probes to the lowest depths and drags up the last rogue connected with the mammoth swindle and hold him up to the scorn and indignation of an outraged people, the democratic party of Georgia will reel under the weight of the obloquy, and surrender its banners to a new organization in 1880.

WHOLESALE EXEMPTIONS.—The Georgia House, by a vote of 140 to 22, passed a bill exempting from jury duty, regularly licensed and druggists,

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MARIETTA, AUGUST 7, 1879.

Peck's Restaurant.
When you visit Atlanta go to David G. Peck's Restaurant No. 105 Broad St. Atlanta, Ga. I have prepared to furnish you a No. 1 meal for 35 cts. My table will be supplied with the market goods, when in season. I will exchange with any country patron for Chickens, Eggs, Vegetables, meat or any other article that I use on my table. A table is all I ask. Give me a call, for I mean what I say. The following is the Bill of Fare:
Regular Dinner, 25 cts. Oyster Soup, 10 cts. Vegetable Soup, 10 cts. Turtle Soup, 10 cts. Clam Soup, 10 cts. Ham, Eggs, Coffee, Bread and Butter, 25 cts. Steak, Eggs, Coffee, Bread and Butter, 25 cts. Fish, Eggs, Coffee, Bread and Butter, 25 cts. Chicken, Eggs, Coffee, Bread and Butter, 25 cts. Turkey, Eggs, Coffee, Bread and Butter, 25 cts. Roast Beef, Eggs, Coffee, Bread and Butter, 25 cts.
Remember the place! DAVID G. PECK, No. 105, Broad St., Atlanta, Ga.

The Singing Tone of Piano.
To acquire a true legato touch is the most difficult of piano technique. The touch is necessary in order to bring out the true qualities of tone in a piano. A piano however must possess three main and the most perfect mechanical, fine material and skilled workmanship are requisite to insure it. It is the perfecting of all these that should be the grand objective of the piano maker. In this country the best of the piano makers are carrying qualities of tone, which is the greatest power.
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The illumination by the Band will be repeated in about three weeks.

Mr. J. R. Winters returned from Tate Springs Saturday.

The Misses Charlton of Savannah are visiting the Misses McCleskey.

Miss Bettie Gramling of Atlanta is visiting relatives here.

Representative Hall addressed the Murphree, Monday night.

Mr. Benj. Perry of the Georgia Advertiser, came down Sunday.

Mr. J. Chester of Macon is visiting his old home.

Sale day last Tuesday and quite a crowd of horse swappers on hand as usual.

Mr. A. Howell is making some more improvement at his Gin house.

The foot bridge on the Bell's ferry road was washed away by the recent rains.

Hon. Wm. H. Felton passed through the city last Monday to attend the exercises of Little River High School Commencement at Tricium.

Miss Anna Dunklin, after spending some weeks with her sister Mrs. A. Reynolds, Jr., of this place, returned to her home in Alabama last Friday.

Numerous have been the reports regarding the capture of the Deform murder, since our last issue, but of all them have been unfounded, so far as proving the real parties is concerned. The negro, Asa Gunn, seems to be the only one in view and doubtless committed the deed without aid.

Nichols & Smith will run a hack line from Marietta to Marietta Camp Ground, on every day during Camp Meeting. Those who anticipate attending will find it to their comfort to secure seats from the above named gentlemen. Camp meeting begins Friday 8th.

Our correspondent at Lost Mt. in his communication of last issue, hinted that an old negro man who had cheated an old negro man out of a few bushels of wheat, under pretense of collecting cost. As some party, or parties, have attempted to circulate the report that one of the men concerned was Mr. G. F. B. Davis, he wishes to say that his reference to this gentleman was entirely unfounded, and that those who so reported it are entirely of the track. Mr. Davis, it is true, is a Constantine in that district, but a more honest or straightforward man never filled his office.

We have had a long, rainy spell, and at this date have not a full assurance that the cessation will continue for any great while, he crops all around us are flourishing with the exception that the cotton in some localities has begun shedding a little during the wet weather. Our farming friends are informed, will, and are re-planting largely of turnips, those who are so fortunate as to secure a good stand will find by judicious management that nothing will pay better as a winter feed.

WEST POINT C. DEATH.

To be appointed for the Seventh Congressional District.
WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, June 11, 1879.
Hon. W. H. Felton, U. S. C., Cartersville, Ga.
Sir—You are invited by the Secretary of War to nominate at your earliest convenience, a specially qualified candidate, to be appointed as Cadet to the United States Military Academy, from the Seventh Congressional District of Georgia, who must be at least 16 years of age, and whose appointment is required by law to be made as nearly one year in advance of that date as is practicable.

Your immediate attention to the subject and to the terms of the accompanying circular is earnestly requested.

Very respectfully,
E. D. TOWNSEND, Adjutant General.

Vice Cadet Edgar Hubert to graduate June, 1880.

In obedience to the above request of the Secretary of War, I respectfully invite every young man who is a bona fide resident of the 7th Congressional District of Georgia, between the ages of 17 and 22 years, and who may wish to compete for this appointment, to appear before a board of examiners in Cartersville, the first Tuesday in October, 1879.

I will nominate the applicant selected by this board, after a rigid and impartial examination.

The studies in which thorough proficiency is required, are: geography, reading, writing, grammar, English grammar, history, and arithmetic. None need apply unless they are well prepared in these branches, especially arithmetic.

They must be physically sound and at least five feet in height.

I will furnish regulations to those applicants who desire them.

Very respectfully,
W. B. FELTON, BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

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Any five members of the above board shall constitute a quorum.

OUR NEW YORK LETTER.

New York, August 1st 1879.

The fears of yellow fever, which have been in some measure justified, have been the cause of a great deal of trouble, both in Brooklyn and New York, are quite an injury in some quarters in a business point of view. The quarantine regulations are very stringent, and the owners of steamers running to Havana are complaining bitterly. They say it costs them \$500 extra to load a steamer in New York, and they are not required to do so. At the same time, some people are so anxious to distinguish themselves, or so reckless on account of their sufferings by hard times, that applications for the score have been made for the positions of nurses at Memphis and other infected places down South, mainly by

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