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The platform and the candidates of the Cincinnati Convention are before you. The first shows all the great and noble principles of our Government as founded, which have given our country a growth and prosperity unknown before in history.

There is no apparent political activity among the Radical radicals at the capital just yet. The idea seems to be to stave off the Republican nominating convention as long as possible in the hope that the prior action and thus neutralize the efforts of the disaffected Republicans within their own ranks, and consolidate the party and re-establish the Ring. Scott, Moses, and Jones are the most probable candidates for Governor. It is believed, however, that there is a strong opposition being organized against either of them or any member of the Ring. Orr will lead, on the one hand, and allows the treasury, knowingly, to be robbed. To-day we live under a centralized despotism, impelled by the lowest instincts, taste and self-indulgence, which, unlike European despots, shares nothing with the people, but absorbs all their substance for camp followers who are equally corrupt and vicious.

From Edgfield to Columbia and Back. The day-days being upon us, any little notes of travel may prove a pleasant variety. Last week we ran over to Columbia to hear Judge Bacon's address before the University Students. Young Clisby's Dolly Varden, a four-footed being, drawn by a span of powerful boys, took us to the Pine House in a whirl. In truth, under this gentleman's regime, on my travels, I have spoken of the Pine House and back, quite en route de grand seigneur. Pine House Depot does not grow much. Unlike Johnson's and Batesville it seems to be at a stand-still. We found our friend, the Agent, roasting eggs and mashing up Irish potatoes, with which he proceeded to feed about three million vomit-moaning birds, in cases. We assisted him, and looked upon it as quite a new and valuable experience.

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so limited he could not say all he desired. His speech was truly eloquent and well delivered. He said he was a South Carolina, that although he was under the heel of the oppressor, he still gloried in the name, that when she succeeded from the Union, and flung her banner solitary and alone to the breeze, he was among the first to leave the School room, and rally around her flag, that he fought four long years in defence of her rights, and that when that great chieftain and patriot, Robt. E. Lee, surrendered at Appomattox, and delivered his sword to S. Grant, he also laid down his arms, and took an oath to support and defend the Constitution of the United States, and never to take up arms against the Government again, and that he had endeavored to speak this oath. Mr. Ramey did not speak of National politics, but dwelt upon the importance of reforming our own State Government. The old Democratic party, he said, was a dead issue in South Carolina—and there was only one party now recognized in the State, and that was the Republican party, and urged upon all, and especially the young men, to go forward, and, forgetting the past, join hands for a successful and happy future; that if South Carolina was ever saved, and raised from the mire into which she had fallen, the young men of the country were the ones to do it.

master, in slavery time, owned an old woman who was very spiteful, and would never do any work unless she was made so. Her old master always told the overseer that whenever he wanted any work done, to make her mad, said he, that now our leading men have fallen out, perhaps we will get the truth out of them. I concluded the indignation meeting at Pleasant Grove. And, I have to say, I concluded to return home, and defer my visit to the Village until another day. And as I was going along on my return, Lovetook a very drunken negro who was speaking the following orthodox and prophetic words: "When you go out to vote, Go and vote for free! Put on your old white hat and coat, And vote for Horace Greasley." SPECTATOR.

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A Heavy Reduction on the Whole Stock. THE CASH TABLES opened last week...

FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH Dry Goods to be Sacrificed. Commencing this Day and to be Continued Until 1st September Next.

Price List of Brown Goods. Granville SHIRTINGS from 10 1/2 to 12 1/2 cts. per yard.

Price List of Bleached Goods. 20 Pieces of 1 yard wide BLEACHING, excellent quality, without starch, for 10 1/2 cts. per yard.

Price List of White Goods. Checked MUSLINS from 15 to 50 cts. per yard.

TOWELS! TOWELS! Pure Linen TOWELS at \$1.25 per dozen and upwards, worth \$2.00 per dozen.

WHOLESALE GROCERS. POULLAIN & DAIVISON, Broad St., opposite Globe Hotel, Augusta, Ga.

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NEW GOODS! JUST RECEIVED, COATS OF COTTON, all Numbers.

Bargains! I WILL SELL MY LADIES DRESS GOODS AT COST FOR CASH.

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COMMUNION SERVICE. For sale at Cost, at A. PRONTAUT & SON.

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New Furniture! Parlor, Chamber, Dining Room OFFICE FURNITURE!

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