eks on the Flats, accompanied the Board of lie Works in their examination, and pointed to them a part of the river where it is now teen feet deep, which, he stated, before the rks were commenced, was uniformly dry at water. The operations of Mr. Fulton in the er between Fayetteville and Wilmington, realso been very successful, and no doubt is ertained, that he will succeed in rendering rver navigable at all seasons of the year. It needless to point out to any one, at all acainted with the subject, the vast importance the state of these improvements; and we hope will go far to convince the incredulous, and who entertain feelings hostile to the system internal improvements, that something, we ight justly say, a great deal, has been done that the funds of the state have not been asted. To have the operations on the Cape ar now suspended, would be most unfortuate to the state-a blow would be inflicted. om which it would not recover for years-the nterprize of our citizens would be checked our wealth would flow, in a more rapid am, into adjoining states, who would profit n curfolly, and grow rich as we grew poor. e do hope that the people will not suffer themes to be deluded by the clamor about econo for what in this case is called economy, a t years would show to be the most imcriding prodigality.

We have been informed,-and certain movents in the legislature corroborate the infor--that strong efforts are making to abol Board of Internal Improvements. Should forts be successful, we may then despair thing done, for half a century to to call forth our resources, to improve stornal condition of the state, and to over by art the obstacles which nature has ind to our commercial prosperity; or at , if intered suprovements be carried on, it he exertions of individuals, whose its can accomplish but little, when with what the interest and respectaof the state require should be done. It is by much to be regretted, that a session of gislature cannot pass away, without an atbeen made on some of our most important institutions or valuable laws; but this always be the case, not only in this state n every other, so long as the people place r confidence in men who are incompeten he duties which they undertake to perform incapable of comprehending the general permanent interests of the state. That are some such men in every legislature, in gress as well as the legislatures of the difnt states, will not be denied-men, who are r busy to render themselves notorious, with the ability to make themselves useful; and s no less true, that men of this stamp freatly acquire an influence in public bodies disproportioned to their actual merits, as it adverse to the enlarged views, liberal senti nts, and manly independence of the enligh ed statesman. The history of every state in Union amply confirms the truth of these re rks; and we only wish the people would proby the lessons of experience, and learn to inguish between hollow professions and real orth: between economy, which is honorable as all as indispensable both to states and indiduals, and pursimony, which is low and destable, wherever it is found.

Mr. Alston has brought forward a resoion in the House of Commons to abolthe Supreme Court. This gentleman ms determined to render himself concuous in some way or others if he cant build up, he will pull down; -and we ally hope he may not be disappointed in quiring a fame perfectly characteristic his extraordinary qualities.

The editors of the Register, it seems ve been re-elected Public Printers. We ink a rotation in this office as necessary. s more important. by during the year in which Messrs. Il & Lawrence held the appoinment, as unusually well executed, and gave meral satisfaction; and we doubt not eir re-appointment would be equally tisfactory.

On Monday last, Messes. J. Gales & were re-elected public Printers of The votes

We take this opportunity of assuring Ir friends in the Legislature, that, alongh unsuccessful in the election, we lly appreciate their friendly disposition ards us, and feel equally as grateful them for their support, as if the result ad been different. -- Releigh Star.

On Thursday last, the Hon. Nathaniel men was re-elected Senator, to repre-nt this state in Congress for six years om the 4th of March next. -ib.

CONTRAST In Quincy, the home of J. Q. Adams, Vote was unanimous in his favor, while immediately gave orders to loose the Salem, the home of T. Pickening, Mr. fore-sait, and get under way. At this ons had 641. Pickering and others had moment, the concerted signal was made

but 224. And what is most curious, in by Mr. Delany, when Messrs. Williams and very inflexible in his opinions, who has always opposed to Mr. Fulton and the Russel, Mr. Adams had 164 and Russel ber made a desperate defence, discharged and others had but 42.

> Speaking of the Presidential Election, Winchester Republican says, "The result of the election for Electors of Pre sident and Vice-President, in this section of Virginia, has resulted in what, from the character of our citizens, was to have been expected. The caucus monster is strangled. The Richmond plan to forestall public opinion, and control the vote of the State, is prostrated. We knew it would be so .-We prophesied it long The friends of Messrs, Jackson and Adams have an overwhelming majority. Neither of them were cancus men; and in voting for either, the caucus principle was opposed. In many counties their triumph is triumphant. If Mr. C. has been saved in any county, it is as by fire. The papal see at Richmond is extinct. The political pope must doff his robes. And, that the Richmond Enquirer, and its Editor, are not infallible creatures, is now reduced to a certainty."

Conflagration of the Capitol of Kentucky. -On Thursday morning, at half past 7, the cry of fire was heard in the streets. The State-House was on fire! A small blaze was seen issuing forth from near the summit of the building, shooting up above the ball and vane and fast extending itself around the cupola. In a few moments the cupola was wrapped in flames, the roof and sides as yet untouched. For a moment this splendid edifice stood, to compare great things to small, like a vast lighted lamp—the blazing cupola shoot-ing its vivid flame high in the air. In or clear profit to the Commonwealth, of the mean time, the devouring element was 1211 dollars. - Baston Daily Adv. rapidly spreading among the combustible materials of the attic story and beneath the roof, through which it barst in a hundred places.

In less than half an hour the timbers of the roof began to fall in, breaking thro' the floors and coilings and falling into the apartments below. The whole interior soon resembled a roaving furnace. In iess than two hours all that was combustible, with plastering, bricks and stones, was

reduced to a pile of smoking rubbish.

The walls, which were of brick, the chimneys, and the four columns of the portico are left standing. A small part of the north wall, only where the windows were thick, fell down.

The Public Offices—the Auditor's and Treasurer's on the left—the Secretary's and Register's on the right, though very near the main building, were saved and not injured.

A considerable portion of the furniture, many books, and some papers and a quanof muskets were destroyed.

This was among the finest edifices in the Western country. Its dimensions-100 feet front by 65 deep, with a correspondent height. It was built in 1816, and dred bales, at 144 cents; but the principal cost about 30,000 dollars, chiefly raised by sales of the week have been at 10 to 12 the voluntary contributions of the citizens of Frankfort and its vicinity.

[Commentator.

In Waterbury, Salem society, about 10 days since, at a shooting match, whilst a young man, aged 20, by the name of William Hoadly, jr. was tying a fowl, a rifle in the hands of another person, pointed towards the spot, accidentally went off, and the ball struck the young man just above the hip as he was stooping down, and passed through his liver. He lived two days and expired. No blame is attached to the person in whose hands the rifle was, except for carclessuess. On such occasions too much caution cannot be exercised .- New-Haven Register.

Daring Attempt .- A man calling him self John Late, alias John Tardy, was arrested between 9 and 10 o'clock on Thurs day evening, in an attempt to run away with the new pilot boat Cora, and the N groes belonging to her; examined this morning before J. H. Mitchell, Esq. and committed to jail, to take his trial at the next Court of Sessions.

We learn the following particulars of his laring act:-It appears that Messrs. Delany, Williams, and Corpes, branch ni lots, proprietors of the Cora, about ten days since, by some means became acquainted with the fact, that a man was tampering with the Negroes composing the crew of the Corn, for the purpose of inducing them to join him in carrying her off-tempting them with promises of freedom, &c. as a reward for their treachery to their owners. The necessary steps were immediately taken by these gentlemen, which resulted in a full disclosure or J. Gales & Son, 99; Bell & Lawrence, of the plan by the Negroes themselves; and means were taken for watching hi movements, in order to arrest him in the very act. Several nights had been fixed spon between him and those who were to assist him in carrying his villainy into effect; but from one cause or another, it was deferred until Thursday evening, then a strong northwardly wind favoring nis views the attempt was made. Messe Williams and Copes had secreted themselves in the hold of the pilot boat. while Mr. Delany was stationed on board an adjoining vessel, to keep watch. At the appointed hour, he was brought from another wharf, along side the pilothoat, in the skiff, with his trunks, charts, &c. an

a pistol at them, without effect; when he was brought to the deck by a blow given him over the head with a sabre by Mr. Copes. Mr. W. had previously fired a pistol at him, which missed. The assistance of the City Guard was then obtained, and he was safely secured until the morning.—Charleston Courier.

Massachusetts State Prison.-From the late annual report of the Warden of the State Prison, it appears that the present number of convicts now in the prison is 298, of whom 86 have been received with-in the last year. There have been 96 dis-charged within the year; 6 by death, 10 by pardon, and 80 in the completion of their sentence. Of the present prisoners, 54 are blacks, and 59 white foreigners— 222 have been convicted for store break ing and theft, 26 of having counterfeit money with intent to pass it, 16 for built glary, 11 for forgery, and 23 for other of fences-121 are employed as stone cut-ters, 30 as cabinet makers, 27 as lump-11 as brush makers, &c.

The expenses of the year, including 14,446 dollars, the amount of stock remaining from the last year, 9,521 dollars paid officers at the prison, 2,535 dollars paid officers from the state treasury, together with all expenditures for provisions, clothing, medicines, and mate rials for labor, amounted to 57,622 dollars. The receipts, including 36,274 dollars paid for stone, 4,706 dollars for labor by contractors, and allowing 16,124 dollars for stock on hand, amounted to 58,-

MARKETS.

Fayetteville -- Cotton was selling in this market, at our last dates, at 10 and 124 cents. Groceries, in general, abundant, and at fair prices. Coffee, prime green. 18 to 21 cents; 2d and 3d quality, 18 to 20; molasses, 28 to 30; sugar, prime, $10\frac{1}{2}$ to 111; common, 9 to 91.

Cheraw. - Cotton, inferior to fair, 8 to 10 cents; good prime, 101 to 121; coffee, 22 to 25; molasses, 35 to 45; sugar, Jamaica, 10 to 13; New-Orleans, 9 to 12; brown, 8 to 11.

Charleston .- The Courier, of Nov. 22.

"Some small sales of good new Sea Istands have been made at 25 cents, and Santees at 19 a 21. We do not alter our quoters at 19 a 21. tations of Uplands, as there has been no actual change in the market-although some very fine old Cottons, and some of the best of the new crop have met purchasers, to the extent of two or three huncents. Inferior lots, of which description is a considerable portion of that which is now coming in, is selling as low as S or 9 cents.

Groceries .- Coffee, prime green, 19 cts. inferior to good, 15 to 17; molasses, 30 to 32; sugar, Muscovado, 8 to 91; New-Orleans, 7 to 10; brown, 8 to 81.

MARRIED.

At the seat of Joseph Wilson, Esq. near this place, on Thursday last, by the Rev. Mr. Caldwell, WILLIAM J. ALEXANDER, Esq. to Miss CATHARINE E. WILSON.

DIED,

Of Typhus fever, at the seat of Col. Jame Porter, in this county, on the 26th ultimo, Miss ISABELLA HARTT, daughter of the late Gen. David Hartt, in the 17th year of her age. In the death of this pious and worthy young lady, a brother and two sisters, with a numerous and respectable connexion, are bereaved of a most indearing young relative, and her acquaintance of a truly amiable friend.

Oh! may she shine before thy throne,

In all thy beauty, Lord,

And the short race which she has run Meet a divine reward. [COMMUNICATED. In Charleston, on the 29th October, at the age of sixty-six, the Hon. Changes Penckney, a cit izen who devoted his life to form, improve, and custain the institutions of his country

Leghorn & Straw Bonnets. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Abijah Whiting

KEPS constantly on hand a complete as sortment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Leghorn and Straw Bonnets.

Gentlemen's Leghorn Hats, and is constantly receiving from New-York, by every arrival, the latest and most approved fash-

A COMPLETS ASSORTMENT OF Fancy Dry Goods,

which are offered as low as can be bought is Charleston, Petersburg, or classification

to cases Leghorn and Straw Bonnets, for a six B on Hoxes, Jo doz. Wood Hats, 15 do. Morocco do.

10 do. Looking Glasses, 50 do. Knives and Forla, &c. &c. Country merchants are particularly requested to cut and examine for themselves.

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Sugar, Coffee, Wines, &c. HE subscriber has lately received the following GOODS, viz:

SUGARS.

75 hhds. prime St. Croix Sugar 30 do do Jamaica do 150 bbls. Muscovado Sugar, various qualities

78 boxes white Havana Sugar, very fine 64 do brown do bright color 20 bbls. Loaf Sugar.

COFFEE.

100 bags St. Domingo Coffee 159 do Rio 200 do Cuba 150 do Jamaica 75 tierces do

BRANDY.

20 pipes Brandy, Seignette's brand 15 do do Otard, Dupuy & Co. very old 20 do do Armagnac.

GIN.

25 pipes Holland Gin, of good quality 5 do do do very superior, impor-ed via London 50 bbls. best Baltimore Gin.

WINES

5 pipes genuine Madeira Wine, G. M. N. & S. brand; 2 butts old Sherry, imported via London 10 qr. casks extra prime Port Wine, of the most 10 qr. casks entra prime Fort Wine, of the most approved brand, warranted genuine; 10 do of good quality; 50 qr. casks L. P. Teneriffe Wine; 29 half do do do; 50 qr. casks cargo do; 50 do Sweet Malaga do; 25 do Malaga Sherry do.

SUNDRIES.

500 pieces Cotton Bageing, best Baltic hemp, 42 meh; 100 kegs best White Lead, ground in Oil; 8 cases fresh London Mustard; 30 bags Off; a cases fresh London Stosada; 37 Juga fresh Ginger; 50 do Sunatra Pepper; 20 bags Jamaica Pimento; 20 casks Shot, assorted; 10 do Lead do; 100 do Nails and Brads, assorted; 200 fron Pots, assorted; 100 tons Swedes Iron, assorted; 30 do do Axe Bar; 30 do do do New Sable; 5 do Plough Moulds, made to pattern; Liverpool Salt in sacks and barrels.

Blankets and Domestic Goods, &c. on

consignment.
50 pieces London Dufil Blankets; 10,000 50 pieces London Bunt Bankets; 10,000 do blue do; 5:00 do grey-do 5:4; 5,000 do Domestic Negro Cloth; 1,6:0 do do Satnetts; 6 exses Steam Loom Shrting; 10 bales do do Sheeting; 5 do Ticking; 50 bales brown Shirting; 20 do do Sheeting, made of New-Orleans cotton; 20 cases do PLS Howen do Plaid Homespuns; 2 cases Domestic Cover-

The above Goods are offered for sale at the very lowest market price, on long credit for approved notes.

JOS. T. WEYMAN, Corner Vendue Range and East Bay. Charleston, S. C. Nov. 11—4113

Hogs! Hogs!

THE subscribers will have in Charlotte, dur I ing the present week, a drove of 3 or 400 HOGS, first rate pork, to be disposed of on favorable terms, probably at a credit of 30 or 60 days. They will also have, during the same time, near Cox's store, a drove of 100 head; and the same number at Concord, on Friday and Sat-urday next. Provided the hogs are sold on a eredit, notes, with good security, will be required.

DAVID TATE,
SAMUEL NEWLAND.

December 6, 1824 .- 1ve

Valuable Property.

ON Monday, the 50th of December next will be sold at Public Sale, at the late dwelling-house of Frederick Dinkins, deceased, ten or twelve valuable NEGROES, (men and women,) amongst which are a good blacksmith, two shoemakers, and a weaver. Also, all the crop of

makers, and a weaver. Also, all the crop of corn, fodder and oats, a number of borses, hogs, and cows, together with all the bousehold furniture, which is valuable. Sale to continue from day to day, until all is sold.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold, four Negrees, a horse, bridle and saddle, and other property, belonging to the estate of John Dinkins, ir. dec'd., and at the close of the sale, will be let the land and negroes, for one year, belonging to the heirs of Frederick Dinkins, dec'd. Due attendance and a reasonable credit will be given.

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JAMES DINKINS, Adm'r.

The editor of the Western Carolinian will give the above two insertions in his paper, and forward his account to this office for payment.

Notice.

ON Friday, the 24th instant, at the late dwelling-house of Heary Cathy, dec'd, will be sold, at public sale, all the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of four Negroes, viza fellow, a negro woman and child, and is boy; horses, eattle and hogs; cotton, corn and folder; a pluration, waren ferming clarks househald. a plantation, wagon, farming utensils, household furniture, &c. &c.
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Also, at same time and place, will be some a blikely negro boy, and a quantity of joiner' tools, the estate of Abraham S. Hayes, dee'd. Attendance and a reasonable credit will be given by D. M'DONALD, Alam'r. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock.

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Die. 1, 1821.—3112r

All persons indebted to either of the above estates, are requested to make payment immediately; and all having claims against said estates, to present them, properly authenticated.

Will be Sold.

On Thursday, 16th December, 1824, of the late dwelling-blooms of William Walling dee'd, about fourteen or fifteen indee north-case of Charlotte, on the waters of Charlotte, on the substitution which he lived, of five hundred and live acress at a credit of one, two and three years, equal payments. The land is of a good quality with a good well in the yard, and a good moudow of about five or six acres. Also, the following property, at a credit of 12 months — one negro box, and the stock of the mosts, hogs, cows, and sheep. Also, a quantity of corn and folder. Attendance will be given by MATTHEW B. WALLACE, Exist.

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NOTICE.

WYILL be exposed to sale, in the twen of Charlotte, on Wednesday, the 5th day of January next, all the effects belonging to the late firm of Coway & Vari, consisting of a large and elegand assestment of household and kitchen Furniture, among which are one large Side Board, one set of Duning Tables, one set of Card Tables, one set of Card Board, one set of Daing Tables, one set of Card Tables, one set of Tea Tables, all of the finest mahogany and most fashionable mechanism;—also, one of the best mahogany eased eight day London Clocks, one plar of large gilt iramed parlour Looking Glasses; about twenty-five beds, bedsteads and furniture, composed of the finest and best materials; several sets of Windsor Chairs, and a variety of tea ware and table furniture. All kinds of kitchen furniture in common use, a good Horse, two Mich Cows, the quantity of corn, hay and fodder, that may then be on hand, together with a number of other articles too tedious to mention.

The sale will be on a credit of twelve months.

The sale will be on a credit of twelve months. The sale will be on a create of tweive monose, Bonds and approved security will be required, for all sums over five dollars; for purchases under that amount, Cashiers, JAMES COWAN, Surviving Partner, J. Compa. See Early

of the firm of Cowan & Vail.

N. P. The Sale will continue from day to day

At Private Sale.

THAT valuable and well known of Char-House and Lot in the town of Char-lotte, occupied for the last six years by Cowan & Val, as a house of en-tertainment. Its central situation in the town and vicinity to the Court-House; its complete order and convenient arrangement for the entr-tainment of travellers and country custom; its tainment of travellets and country custom; its capacions, well framed, two storied stable; its highly improved garden; its neat and convenient two storied kitchen; its seeme framed smoke hoase and lumber room, with its large cellar, secure and dry at all seasons of the year, together with a never failing-well of excellent water, convenient to the house and kitchen, will afford a many skidner to the house and kitchen, will afford to many skidner to the house and kitchen, will afford to many skidner to the house and kitchen, will afford to many skidner to the second many skidner to the second many sec to one wishing to keep a public house advanta-ges not surpassed by any in the state. Any per-son wishing to purchase, is requested to view the premises, that they may speak for them-

Also, about forty acres of valuable land ad-

Also, about forty acres of valuable land adjining the town lands, thirty of which are inclosed and well adapted to the culture of all the products of the country.

I am disposed to self the above premises upon reasonable and accommodating terms, which can be known by applying to John Irwin, merchant, of Charlotte, or Thomas L. Cowan, of Salisbury.

JAMES COWAN.

Charlotte, Dec. 3, 1824.—5114

The editor of the Western Carolinian will give the shove three insertions in his paper, and forward his account to this office.

61 Cents Reward,

WILL be given for apprehending a runaway apprentice, named John Maxwell, and delivering him to the subscriber; but no charges paid. All persons are forbid harboring or employing him, under penalty of the law.

ALLEN BALDWIN.

Charlotte, Dec. 3, 1824.—3112

Shoe Store and Grocery, At M' Quay's old stand, below Mrs. Vail's Tavern.

THE subscriber has just opened a small assortment of SHOES, HATS & GROCEHER, selected in Fayetteville, expressly for retailing purposes, and which he now offers for sale hae, for Cash.

The following articles comprise most of his present stock:
SHOES, assorted sizes and qualities.
Morocco, Wool and Water Proof HATS,
Loaf and Brown Sugar,
Jama et and St. Domingo Coffee,
Now Frednal and Lamore Pure New-England and Jamaica Rum, First quality Molasses, Northern Gin, Cogniac Brandy,
Malaga Wine,
Prime Northern Cheese,
No. 3 Mackersh,
Hyson Tea and Chocolate,
Muscatel Raisins,
Cranish Segars, Maccoboy Snuff,
Cranish Segars, Maccoboy Snuff, Spanish Segars, Maccoboy S Dupont's FFF Powder, Ber Lead and Shot, Cut Nal's and Cotton Cards, Manufactured Tobacco, Shaving and Bar Soap, Fayetteville Mould Candles,

Bengal Indigo, Madder, &c. Gig Whips, Dog Skin Gloves, Basket Sait, Copperas, Basket Sait, Cop Liquid Blacking, and Cork CONFECTIONARIES, &c. JOHN H. NORMENT. Charlette, Nov. 25, 1824.—3111

STEAM BOATS

Pec Dec and Columbia, TO RUN BETWEEN Cheraw and Georgetown.

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