JUMPED THE FENCE.

Col. J. R. Winston, of Caswell, two years ago became wild over the greenback craze. He has been riding his hobby ever since. Those who knew him best marvelled at his infatuation and untempered zeal. Those who knew him only through the papers thought him certain to end either in a mad house or in the lap of Radicalism. For a few weeks he has been very abusive of the Democratic party. That was regarded near his home as a bid for Radical favors. He has got his reward. He is now the Radical nominee for the U.S. House against Gen. Alfred M. Scales. His Greenback craze had method in it. It was so fashioned as to adapt itself to Radical exigencies.

It was manifest that Jim Leach would not answer for an opponent of the gallant and popular Scales. Jim is a dead-weight on the wings of aspiring Radicalism. So some other Democratic traitor must be found. The Caswell Greenbacker was bungry and lonesome. He stood like Barkis of old, hat in hand, and with "watering mouth." If Scales does not beat Winston as much as he would have beaten Leach, then we are a false prophet. The people of the Fifth District have far more respect for open, square-out Republicans, like Keogh and Ball, than they have for political sneaks, who seek Radical pastures under the cover of a disguise that neither adorns nor conceals. If a true-blue Radical could not defeat Scales, what chance is there for a fellow who goes back on his entire record, betrays his friends and sells out to the enemy? Gen. Scales said pointedly some weeks ago that he was "not afraid of an army led by deserters." So Winston's coquetting ends and the nuptials have been duly performed. His Greenbackism has been wedded to Radicalism. An unholy and unpromising alliance.

A GOOD EXAMPLE.

The Georgians have set the Democrats of North Carolina an example worthy of emulation. After a big beating of the tom-toms and a continued sounding of the Independent hewgags and a loud blowing of the anti-Stephens press the Democrats have marched up to the polls and done their duty. A long tried and honored Statesman-a man of high integrity and unquestioned ability has been elected Governor after passing his more than three score years and ten, and by a very satisfactory majority. The Legislature is almost all one way. In this action of the Georgians we may see an example we should be prompt to copy. Georgians know what their true interests are and they have a memory of the past. We must hope that in November the Democrats of North Carolina will bury all differences, lay aside all prejudices, and as good soldiers in solid array, will march to the performance of freemen's duty with alacrity and determination.

United States Engineers report that the Roanoke River can be made navigable from Clarksville, Va., to Gaston, N. C., for steamers, without very much cost. The railroad from Keysville, on the Richmond & Danville, to Chase City (a little village) in Mecklenburg, Va., will be completed in a few weeks. From Chase City to Clarksville is but fifteen miles. It is thought the road will be extended to the latter place. It is but twenty-five miles from Clarksville to Oxford.

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AN OLD TRICK.

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Every newspaper read er knows of the old Radical trick of employing a "monumental jackass" to bray for the old corrupt party. A dirty fellow, calling himself a Democrat, is paid to edit a so-called Democratic paper and to write all manner of extreme, foolish, censurable things against our form of government, against the North, &c. The trick i very stale. It has been so long used that we did not suppose there was Radical stupid enough to rely upon it any farther. But in this we were mistaken. Jay Hubbell has em ploved the same fellow Kernan who used to howl in 1880 so terrifically, and who claimed to be a Democrat of the most solid proclivities. His present paper is called the Bartlett News. It is printed in a very small village of 307 inhabitants in Tennessee. It says the most wicked and foolish things possible. It will do no harm because the dodge is very

"Believes in the repeal of the Revolu-tionary XIV. and XV. amendments. Believes in the repudiation of the federal Beheves in the Mississippi plan, and be lieves that negro suffrage should be pu down with drawn knives and loaded sho

old and well known. We give a

guns, if the negro persists in voting.
We of the South.
Hate your devilish Union, Hate your damned flag,
Hate your dirty Constitution,
And all the lolly-pop and flap-doodle of
conciliation is false as the false hearts in
which it is spawned. To hell-fire with con-

This Kernan is the same fellow who was employed to edit the Okolona (Miss.) States. Jay Hawk Hubbell is hard up.

FEDERAL INTERFERENCE.

The STAR promptly sounded the alarm when it was given out from Headquarters that the Attorney General and Secretary Chandler would take charge of the Federal bulldozing plans for the Southern campaign. The best sense of the country must always condemn any attempt of the Federal Administration to control elections or shape political matters in the States. Unfortunately, when it is only the South that is thus treated -as in Virginia under the Mahone repudiating scheme-the North has but little to say.

It has been announced within a few days that Arthur favored the Mongrel Combination in North Carolina. This was not news. It had been suspected from the start. Mott was acting under the patronage and promises of the Stalwart Administration. But the announcement is made authoritatively and the object is to try to whip in all men like Billy Smith and ex-Gov. Brogden and Tom Keogh and Mr. Ball and ex-Treasurer Jenkins and Mr. Cozart and others who are not disposed to accept the Mongrel ticket, and who are for standing by the old party. What effect Arthur's interference in our State politics will have remains to be seen. We apprehend that old-line Republicans will not heed the voice of the fellow who "drew the highest prize in the lottery of assassination," and who has so shamefully abused his power since his advent to office.

It is to be noticed in this connection that Arthur's intermeddling in New York politics has not been harmonizing in its effects or well pleasing to the better class of Republicans of that great State. Folger has accepted the nomination that was forced through fraud upon the New York Republicans, and the prospect is that Cleveland, the Democratic candidate, will be elected by fifty thousand majority. Some of the leading Republican papers have poured hot shot into Arthur's camp because of his flagrant interference in State affairs. Several leading Republican papers have roundly denounced Arthur, and they take the sound position that the Government at Washington has no right to med-

dle with the politics of the States. We like this, but it is not very sincere, we apprehend. We do not remember that any Republican papers have complained in the past when the Federal Administration abused its powers by intermeddling in the South and controlling elections. But time has its own revenges, and this is one of them. The chickens are coming home to roost at last. The St. Louis Republican has this timely reminder when it asks:

"Did not the New York Republicans appland when the Hayes administration interfered in Virginia to place the people of that

State under the despotic control of Mahone Did they not applaud again when the Gar field administration continued the policy Did they not look on with serene approval when the Grant administration for eight consecutive years interferred in the local politics of Louisiana, South Carolina, Arkansas, Mississippi, Georgia and North Carolina to force its offensive favorites upon the people of those States?"

Mr. Stephens is elected Governor of Georgia by probably full 60,000 votes. The Mongrel candidate not satisfied with the majority proposes to contest. This is Mott's game. Run a Mongrel for office and it does not matter how far he is beaten the game is to contest. The Radica party has never left anything untried to subserve its own ends however wrong or unjust or mean. Its aim seems to be-success, power, and nothing is to be disregarded that will contribute towards accomplish ing it. Gartrell learns his lessons easily.

Radical States can Beat Democratic States in whiskey drinking. They do this whilst favoring sumptuary laws. Vance said that the difference between him and his brother Bob in religious matters was this: Bob believed in falling from grace and never fell, whilst he did not believe in falling from grace and was always falling. The Radicals clamor in all the Northern States for sumptuary laws to prevent drinking, and still they beat the Democrats out of sight in the guzzling business; the Democrats favor free whiskey, on the other hand, but are far more abstemious than the Rads. The following shows how it is:

"In the States that voted for Garfield two years ago there are 112,915 retail liquor tants. In the States that voted for Hancock there are only 57,276 dealers, an average of one to every 370 inhabitants. In short, the average of retail liquor dealers in the Republican States is 40 per cent. greater than in the Democratic States.

It was clever in Blaine to send that \$50 to help erect a monument to the late Ben Hill, when he must remember how he was pummelled in the Senate by the able Southron.

The constituents of Representa tive Crapo in Massachusetts indorse his vote in favor of the River and Harbor bill.

An Interesting Meeting.

The Eastern Baptist Association has just concluded its Thirty-Eighth Annual Ser sion, which was held at Richlands, Onslov county. A large number of delegates from the churches and large crowds of people from the surrounding country were in attendance. The proceedings are said to have been of great interest and of unusua importance.

The introductory sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. J. B. Taylor of this city. Rev. J. L. Stewart, of Clinton, was elect-

ed Moderator, Col. A. M. Faison Treasurer. Rev. F. H. Ivey, D. D., of Goldsboro, was

appointed Clerk. The annual report of the Executive Board of the Association was presented by Rev. W. M. Kennedy, of Magnolia. The eghibit of work done and results acchieved was regarded as unusually encouragingly. Quite a handsome amount was pledged to carry on the work of Associational Missions committed to the Executive Board. The subjects of Home and Foreign Missions were also considered. Pending their discussion, a number of interesting address

es were delivered. A report on the subject of Ministerial Education elicited much interest. During its consideration the list of the churches was called, and pledges for a large amount of money were secured to aid young ministers who are under the patronage of the Education Board. Rev. Dr. John Mitchell, of Murfreesboro, spoke in behalf of Chowan Female Institute.

Sermons were preached during the meetng in the Baptist and Methodist church houses, by Rev. Messrs. Mitchell, Taylor, Farris, Ivey, Stewart, Stallings, Newton, Britt, Sandling and others.

The claims of the Biblical Recorder were presented by Rev. Mr. Farris, of Raleigh. The hospitality of the community in and around Richland is said to have been un-

It was decided to hold the next meeting of the Association at Bethlehem church, in Pender county.

- The Schr John A. Griffin, Capt. Rice, which went to sea from this port on Friday day on account of continued head winds, and being also short of water. There was wessel off the Bar yesterday, supposed to be the Schr. Jennie E. Simmons, Capt. Grace, from this port for Philadelphia, which went to sea the same day that the Griffin did. The Schr. E. R. Seward, Capt. Tate, from this port for Philadelphia, also went to sea on Friday, the 29th, and as Mr. Geo. Harriss, Jr., was a passenger, and both the other schooners had put back, while nothing had been heard from the Seward, there was naturally some apprehension felt by the family, which was relieved by the unexpected receipt of a telegram by Mr. Geo. Harriss, Sr., announcing the safe arrival of the Schr. E. R. Seward at Philadelphia yesterday morning.

Men Sent to Jail for Applauding in

When the verdict in the case of Rev. A. M. Conway was announced in the Crimi-nal Court, yesterday morning, some indis-creet friends applauded by clapping their hands and making other. approval, whereupen His Honor, Judge Meares, ordered the incarceration of David Spicer and Robert Willey, both colored, in the county jail for ferty-eight hours for contempt of court. There were others implicated in the matter, but their name could not be ascertained at the time.

During the afternoon, or just before the adjournment of the Court, Mr. Marsden Bellamy arose and stated to His Honor that he wished to make a plow for elemency is the cases of the two men, who he was satisfied did not intend any disrespect to the Court, but merely acted as they did on the impulse of the moment and entirely un-

thoughtedly. Judge Meares replied by saying, in substance, that he sent the men to jail to let them known the difference between a court room and other places, and if the parties offending had been intelligent men he would have made their punishment much heavier. He therefore declined to interfere with the order already given.

A member of the family of Jas. Sharp, colored, on Tenth, between Market and Dock streets, went out Wednesday night, about 10 o'clock, when she discovered a basket on the front piazza, which, upon examination, was found, to her great astonishment, to contain a new-born white babe, of the female persuasion, and with it a note, written in a good, clear hand, requesting Maggie Sharp, the wife of Jos. Sharp, to keep the babe and take good care of it and she would be well paid for her trouble. The basket also had in it quite a variety of apparel suited to an infant, and made up of fine material. Of course not the remotest idea is entertained as to the identity of the inhuman parents of the little waif thus launched out com-paratively friendless and unprotected upon the cold charities of the world, to grow up gnorant of the wealth of a true mother's

Body of An Unknown Drowned Per-

son Found. The body of an unknown person was found face downward in the river between the mouth of Alligator Creek and the rail road bridge at Meares' Bluff, vesterday afternoon. The two colored men who dis covered it did not examine the remains sufficiently to be able to recognize the identity of the unfortunate, or even to as certain whether the individual was white or black, male or female. It is thought by some, however, to be the body of Washington, whose probable accidental drowning on Saturday evening last has already been alluded to more than once in the STAR. Coroner Hewlett was notified, and, though the body is in reality within the jurisdic tion of Brunswick county, he will look after it if it be not immediately taken in hand by the Brunswick authorities, who are somewhat remote from the spot.

The Produce Exchange-Mr. James A

At a meeting of the Managers of the Produce Exchange, held on the 3d instant, the President, Mr. James Sprunt, was re quested to convey to Mr. James A. Willard, who recently removed to Baltimore, an expression of their high appreciation of his past career as one of our leading business men, who has by long and faithful attention to the commercial interests of Wilmington contributed so largely to its prosperity, and to assure him of their best wishes for the success of his new business undertaking in Baltimore; and congratulating the Baltimore trade on its acquisition of a good citizen, thoroughly experienced and capable in his line of business.

Cotton Markets. Our friends of the New Berne Journal compare the cotton markets of Charlotte, Raleigh, New Berne and Wilmington as based on the quotations of Sept. 30th, to show the advantages of New Berne as cotton market. Wilmington as a genera thing courts a comparison with the best of cotton markets, but on the particular occasion referred to want of freight room was working to our serious disadvantage. And then the Journal, unintentionally no doubt, quotes the STAR incorrectly, or one-quarter of a cent below our lowest published quotations for the day, which does our market an injustice.

Dr. David Matthews, engineer of the steam hydraulic press of the Wilmington Compress and Warehouse Company, turned out 800 bales of compressed cotton on Friday last in nine hours and a quarter, and on Monday last he turned out 719 bale, in exactly nine hours, on both of which occasions he was working under disadvantages. He says he can turn out one thousand bales of smooth cotton per day. The Wilmington s are first-class as to speed, throwing some of our large cotton ports into the shade in this respect.

The Body Removed.

Our authorities got notice to those of Brunswick in regard to the body alluded to in our last, and we learn that the body was identified by the wife of Geo. Washington alias Metts and taken in charge of by her, otherwise it would have been interred a the expense of the county.

- We saw yesterday a cluster of six fine pears attached to one stem or twig. They are known by the name of the "Big Cluster," and were plucked from a tree in the orchard of Mr. S. P. Hand, of Burgaw. MARINE DISASTER.

Vessels Wrecked on the Coast of Mexico in a September Gale.

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.]
NEW ORLEANS, October 6.—The Time-s Democrat has a dispatch from quarantine which says: The steamship Atlantic brough which says: The steamship Atlantic brought from Vera Cruz forty-seven sailors from five Norwegian vessels, and four sailors from an American vessel, the Commodore Dupont, all wrecked on the cost of Mexico during the late gale. September 9th seven vessels were riding at anchor off Tampico, Pueblo Nnevo, Mexico. During the night five of them went ashore and were total wrecks, breaking upon the shelving beach. They were the Swedish barque Israel, with a crew of cleven; the Norwegian barque Lawrence, nine men: Norwegian barque Lawrence, nine men: Norwegian ship Mexico, eleven men; Norwegian barque Hesperia, eleven men, and the Norwegian barque Bien, ten men. Barometers began to fall Friday and both anchors were let go on each vessel, but the force of the wind was so great that the vessels dragged on shore in a short time and broke to pieces. Each vessel had a small quantity of ma-hogony on board, having just began lead-ing. No lives were lost. The captains sent the mates and crews to New Orleans while they remain in Frontero to attend

GEORGIA.

Stephens' Majority Estimated at Sixty Thousand-The Newly Elected Governor Resigns the Office of Congress-

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] Augusta, October 6.—Thirteen counties in this District give Stephens 10,694 majority. Three other counties to hear from will make it 12,000. His majority in the State will be 60,000.

ATLANTA, Oct. 6 .- To-day Mr. Stephen the newly elected Governor, sent to the Governor his resignation of the officer of Congressman from the Eighth Georgia Dis-

trict, which was accepted, and an election to fill the vacancy has been ordered for No-Gartrell, the defeated candidate for Governor, will contest the election; not with the hope of getting in, but to show alleged frauds and intimidation, and he hopes

thereby to keep Stephens out till May next. TEXAS.

Attempted Assassination near Browns ville-A Boy Killed.

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] October 6.—The Appea Brownsville (Texas) special says: Last night a dastardly attempt was made to assassinate William Capel, who lives thirteen miles west of here. He was seated with his wife and two colored boys in a room with an open window, shelling hazel nuts, when a load of shot was fired through the window. One shot struck him in the neck, producing a slight flesh wound. The res of the load tore away a part of the skull of one of the boys, named Denny Berkley, killing him almost instantly. The assassin was evidently accompanied by an accomplice, as the tracks of a horse and man walking were traced to the town as far as the corporation line. Mr. Capel thinks he have the parties. The news created much knows the parties. The news created much

FIRE RECORD.

fwenty-Four Buildings Burned at Warrenton, Fla.-Destructive Fire in New York City. [By Telegraph to the Morning Star.]

New York, Oct. 6.—A fire broke out shortly before 1 o'clock to-day in the basement of the five-story building extending from No. 471 Broadway back to No. 44 Mercer street, which did damage probably amounting to over \$150,000. The principal losers are Stern & Co., Jacob Asler & Co., Kidley & Harley and D. C. Sichir.

PENSACOLA, Oct. 6 .- At 1 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in Mills' drug store, at Warrenton Fla., a village adjoining the Pensacola Navy Yard, ann twenty four buildings with most of their furniture and stock were destroyed. The Catholic church parsonage and convent were also The total loss amounts to thirty thousand dollars. The insurance is light

WASHINGTON.

The Jeannette Board of Inquiry-Approaching Session of the Suprem

WASHINGTON, October 6.-To-day's ses sion of the Jeannette Board of Inquiry was devoted to examination of the log-books of the ship's cruise. Without transacting any other business the Board adjourned until

The Supreme Court of the United States will reassemble for the October term of 1882 at noon on Monday next. All the Justices are expected to be present. The number of cases on the docket to-day is 975; the number docketed at the corespondng time last year was 953.

YELLOW FEVER.

Reports from Infected Points on th Rio Grande.

Telegraph to the Moning Star.1 BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS, Oct. 6 .- One new case of yellow fever was reported to-day and one death—that of a Mexican. Thirty cases of fever ,it is estimated, are in the whole city. There are no new cases in Fort Brown. The few cases of fever in Matamoras are entirely confined to the suburbs. The average number of deaths daily is from 8 to 12. There is no abate ment of the spread of sickness. Fever is now raging in Camargo, but there are no official reports as to its extent and the death rate.

COTTON STATEMENT. Total Receipts at all American Port Since September.

[By Telegraph to the Morning Star.] NEW YORK, October 6 .- The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all the ports since September 1, 1882: Galveston ports since September 1, 1882: Galveston, 100,126 bales; New Orleans, 67,274; Mobile, 33,128; Savannah, 115,117; Charleston, 79,142; Wilmington, 10,390; Norfolk, 38,079; Baltimore, 908; New York, 1,556; Boston, 6,660; Providence, 55; Philadelphia, 1,640; City Point and West Point, 9,852; Brunswick, 1,344; Port Royal, 4,706; Indianola, 4,706. Total, 472,780.

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Receipts of cotton yesterday

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Dr. Gorgas, of Fort Brown, is convalesFOREIGN.

British Troops Charged with Murdering Egyptian Wounded-The Mecce Pilgrimage-Congratulations to the Khedive-The Question of Indemnity to Foreigners Outrages in Ireland -Trouble About the Land League Fund-British Imports and Exports,

By Cable to the Morning Star. London, Oct. 7.—A Cairo correspondent of the Cologne Gazette declares that the Egyptian wounded were murdered by the British in the trenches at Tel-el-Kebir, long after all resistance had ceased. A letter from a non-commissioned officer of the 42nd regiment, published in the Times, says that orders were to spare none of the enemy, and to bayonet every one of them, as they would shoot the soldiers treachously as the latter would pass them.

CAIRO, Oct. 7.—While the annual caravan which recently departed with imposing ceremonies was journeying to Suez for Mecca, the canopy over the Sacred Carpet was caught and overturned by the telegraph wires and the sacred emblem exposed to view. The dervishes in charge were greatly excited over the accident. It is not certain but that the caravan will have to return and the ceremony be performed over again.

London, Oct. 7.—The appointment of Sir Julian Paunce Foote, as Permanent Under Secretary for the Foreign Department to suc-ceed the late Lord Tenterden, is gazetted. ALEXANDRIA, Oct. 7.—Nativa, convict ed of committing terrible atrocities during the massacres of June 11th, was executed

here this morning before an immense DUBLIN, October 7 .- Two land agents. named Scott and Frooma, have been fired at from behind a hedge at Bally Castle, but not hurt. Both men had previously been fired at. A farmer named Hagan has been

was made. The closing of the Land League fund creates much sensation here, many persons demanding an explanation as to how the money has been spent.

shot in the thigh at Bollina. One arrest

ALEXANDRIA, October 7.-The first of the two commissions to fix the amount of indemnity due to foreigners for losses during the late rebellion will examine and decide in regard to all claims. The second commission, which will be appointed later, will decide regarding the means of raising funds, as the Egyptian government insists that the revenues specially assigned shall remain untouched.

CAIRO, Oct. 7.-Congratulations to the Khedive on the suppression of the rebellion are pouring in from all parts of Egypt All the Egyptian ullemas are preaching the doctrine of passive obedience, and prove from the Koran the sin of revolt.

London, Oct. 7.—Professor Goldwin Smith, replying tol E. L. Gadlin, who had written an article in the Spectator criticising Prof. Smith's views of the Irish question from a professedly Amrrican point of view, writes that he has advocated measures of oppression, not because of any hos-tility to the Irish, but because the Parnelites abused their privileges as members of Parliament for the purpose of wrecking parliamentary government in the interests of disunion. There is no doubt, says Prof. Smith, that if a part of the Southern members of Congress had endeavored to wreck American legislation, they would have been put down with as little compunction as was shown in repressing the Irish in the draft riots in New York. It seems to be forgotten, he adds, that in an agrarian reign of terror the murdered as well as the murderers are Irish, while the chief authors of the system are New York Fenians, and their organ, the Irish World, is the property of a Jew, Gadlin, who himsel says he is not a native American.

ALEXANDRIA, October 7.—The prosecu tion of persons guilty of outrages at Tan-tah, of whom 115 have been arrested, was begun to-day. Notables in Tantah have solicited a post

ponement of the departure of British troops from that place. CAIRO, October 7.-Riaz Pasha, Minister

of the Interior, declares that complete tranquility prevails throughout Egypt, and hat public security is assured, BRUSSELS, October 7.—Mr. Henry M. Stanly, the African explorer, left here today for London. LONDON, October 7.—Returns issued by the Board of Trade show that during the

month just passed British imports decreased, compared with that month in the last year, by £55,000, while the exports increased by £22,600, compared with the same month in 1881.

WASHINGTON.

The Right of Chinese to Visit the United States-Report of Inspector

General of Steamboats.

Washington, Oct. 7.— The Treasury
Department has decided to act in accordance with the decision of the Circuit Court at
San Francisco relative to the right of Chinese subjects to visit the United States, under the recent act of Congress. This decision was substantially that the statute must be made to harmonize, with the Chinese treaty, so that the law cannot be construed as forbidding the landing of merchants, travellers, students, &c., they not

The annual report of the Inspector General of Steam Vessels will show that there were 5,117 steamboats in service during the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1882, with a total tonnage of 1,278,564, and with 20,467 licensed officers. During that period 338 vessels were placed in the service against 243 for the previous fiscal year. The increase of tonnage for the year ending June 30th, 1882, was 7,456, against 82,19 for the previous, year and then umber of officers licensed was 2,669; an increase of 1,533 over the previous year. The figures indi-cate a considerable increase of the number of new vessels, but the decreased tonnage shows that they were mostly of small sizes

FLORIDA.

The Fire at Warrington - Almost the Entire Business Portion Destroyed.

PENSACOLA, October 7.—The fire at Warrington, Florida, destroyed almost the entire business pertion of the town. As work in the navy yard had been suspended for several months many people owning property there were obliged on account of hard times to relinquish their policies, and the consequence is that of \$40,000 to \$45,000 loss, not more than \$20,000 is covered by increase. Many heye lest all they more PENSACOLA, October 7.—The are at warby insurance. Many have lost all they pos-sessed. A strict quarantine has been main-tained against Pensacola since the outbreak of yellow fever, and insurance adjusters and others must keep clear of Pensacola while en route to Warrington.

The weekly statement of the Associated Banks shows the following changes: Loans decrease \$4,901,900; specie increase \$1,980,600; legal tenders decrease \$33,200; deposits decrease \$2,447,400; circulation increase \$108,700; reserve increase \$2,559,250; The banks now hold \$421,825 less that legal requirements.

— Durham Recorder: Durham Light Infantry has selected a team composed of Messrs. W. R. Kivett, T. B. Mosely, A. B. Cox, D. A. Albright and P. B. Cheek, to go to the Raleigh Fair. The team is composed of good shots.

Spirits Turpentine.

Henderson Gold Leaf: Mr. George Manning, of Enfield, has become a partner with his brother in the Gold Leaf.

— The building to be used by Col Burgwyn as a banking house on Breckenridge street, is nearly completed and will be opened October 9th.

-Tarboro Southerner: Mr. Dorsch has just been appointed the General Super-indent, and will take charge of the entire indent, and will take charge of the entire management as soon as the construction of the railroad is completed from Tarboro to Williamsten. — The railroad bridge across the river at this place is at last done. — It is estimated that at least twenty-five hundred people were prevented from attending Kchukec Association on account of the recent floods. So many bridges had been washed away and so many washouts were in the roads and had not been repaired that they were really impassable.

- Charlotte Observer: We learn that Rev. T. H. Strohecker, who was last that Rev. T. H. Strohecker, who was last spring installed pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran church in this city, has tendered his resignation as pastor to his congregation. Mr. Strohecker's new field of labor will be in Bowan county. — Mr. J. E. Brady, from Davidson College, passed through this city yesterday for Germany, where he will complete his course of studies. He graduated at the State University a year ago, and took the first prize in Greek, and won distinguished marks in other branches of study. He will spend three years abroad. He sails on the 11th instant from New York. — The walls of the new New York. — The walls of the new Baptist church are going up rapidly and will very shortly be ready for the roof. This building will be an exceedingly handsome one, and perhaps the most attractive feature of the building will be the large Brantley memorial window, which is set in the front, between the two entrance doors.

- Raleigh News-Observer: Death of Gen. David Clark.—This gentleman, father of Col. Walter Clark, of this city died yesterday at his home near Littleton, Halifax county. His age was about sixtytwo years. He was for many years before and since the war, one of the largest farmers in Halifax county. He was an estima-ble gentleman, held in great esteem and of high position in his county. He leaves a large family. — Yesterday Sheriff H. J. Harris, of Pitt, brought up Henry Draper, a one-armed negro, of powerful build, who is under a ten year's sentence for burning a barn. On the way here, as the train was rattling along at a lively rate, Draper jumped out a window of the second-class car. Without a moments hesitation the deputy sheriff jumped out the same win-dow after him, and as the negro rose from the ground Mr. Harris seized him, when a battle ensued, the negro making mighty ef forts to escape. The train was stopped in an instant and passenegers ran out to find the two men struggling on the ground nearly under the wheels of the rear car. ris says he would have escaped if the passengers had not lent a hand just then.

VIRGINIA.

Personal Encounter Between Politiclans-Collision of two Steamers of The West Point and Baltimore Line-Conviction of a Murderer at Petersburg-Indictment of a Readjuster Member of the Late Legisla-

RICHMOND Oct. 7.-Last night, about midnight, during the progress of a Read-juster mass-meeting in this city, an en-counter occurred between Gen. Peyton Wise and Hon. John Ambler Smith, Readjuster candidate for Congress from this District, in which the latter struck Gen. Wise one blow, when friends interfered. Subsequently Smith addressed the meeting, bitterly denouncing Geo. D. Wise, his Democratic opponent for Congress. To-day Capt. Geo. D. Wise was heard to make violent threats against Smith, whereupon a warrant was sworn out for his arrest. He was taken into custody and then bailed No warrant has as yet been issued for the arrest of Smith, and it is not known that there will be.

The steamers Havana and Alliance, of the West Point and Baltimore Line, came in collision this morning, about four miles from West Point, during a dense fog. The Alliance sustained some damage to her bow and the Havana had about ten feet of her bulwarks forward of the starboard wheel smashed and one or two state-rooms stove. No one was injured on either vessel, but the passengers were greatly frightened and many provided themselves with life-preservers, preparatory to buffetting the waves. Everything was soon quieted, however, and after ascertaining that the damages were not too serious, both steamers proceeded on their respective. ceeded on their respective voyages.

PETERSBURG, October 7.-Isaac Booth on trial in the Circuit Court of Brunswic county for the murder of his son, whom he stamped to death, has been convicted of county for the murder of his son, murder in the first degree. Counsel for defence moved for a new trial, which the Court granted, and the November term of the Court has been fixed for the time of rehearing the case.

RICHMOND, October 7 .- James A. Watkins, Readjuster member of the last Legislature from Appomattox county, was to-day indicted by the grand jury for selling, for \$90, his influence as a member to procure for E. S. Britling a place as guard at the

SOUTH AMERICA.

Direct Advices from Ecuador and Pau-(By Telegraph to the Morning Star.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 7 .- The following news of to-day was received by the Central and South American Telegraph Com-Guayaquil, Ecuador, Oct. 7.--A government circular has been published in this city putting in force the law of 1880, which

allows authority to judge by court martial any conspirator or anybody who is found giving help in any way to rebels against the present governme PANAMA, Oct. 7.-Independence day was celebrated with the usual rejoicings throughout Central America. President Soto, of Houduras, advocates a Central American Confederation, and promises as

soon as a conference for that purpose shall be inaugurated, to resign the Presidency of Honduras, and to pledge himself not to ac cept any office under the government of

COTTON.

A Summary of the Crop to Date. New York, Oct. 7.—Receipts of cotton at all interior towns 120,628 bales; receipts from plantations, 210,128 bales; crop in sight, 582,897; total visible supply of cotton for the world is 143,258 bales, of which 696,658 bales are American, against 1,811,726 and 1,367,096 repectively last year.

George Hartington, his wife and four children were capsized in a sail-bost in Plumb Island river, Massachusetts, yester-day forenoon, and all drowned. They re-sided in Amesbury, Massachusetts.

Gen. Butler has accepted the nominations of the Democratic and National Greenback parties of Massachusetts for Governor.