# OBSERVER. FAYETTEVILLE: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1851.

CUMBERLAND AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. A meeting of this Society was held last week, and Judge Strange delivered the first Annual Address, which, we learn, was elered to be published. Other proceedngs took place, but we regret being unable a attend it, and have received no account

THE CAUCUSES AT WASHINGTON. - The under will be struck with the facts develped in the remarkable debate which we n the House of Representatives.

the resolution to abide by the Compromise free trade principles of Mr. Walker. was laid on the table, by the decisive vote withdrew from the meeting.

late President.

Whilst the abolition votes were secured a laving on the table the resolution of Mr. Polk, a dozen or more Southern Leess voted against Boyd, so that he had only 11 majority, though the party majority is declared that they would never appear at or juror. Such doctrine is an appeal to a higher bout 60 in the House.

The course of the parties in this matter s characteristic of both. The Whigs, with aroper independence, adopted their resoluon to sustain the Constitution and the Laws, let who would be offended. The Locos, rather than damage the party, would sink the Constitution and the Laws. or at the least would not avow their resohation to maintain them. It is doubtless are in favor of the Compromise; but they account of it :-know that their only hope of recovering "the spoils," is to perpetuate the coalition with the abolitionists, which has secured New York, &c. They had not patriotism went into election of officers." mough to spurn the Northern disunionists. They blinked the question, so as to Journal "benighted."

seure their alliance. The effect of this coarse was, that the votes of those arch abolitionists, Preston King, Cleaveland, Rantoul. &c. were secured to Mr. Boyd, sional Caucus, by which they kicked the and their co-operation during the session, abolitionists out of the party, the Golds-

These circumstances should open the eves of those Locofocos at the South who lition Whig of Pennsylvania, was nomicontend that their party at the North is nated as the Whig candidate for Speaker the Observer of the 27th ult. in which we promore sound than the Whigs. It is not in opposition to Mr. Boyd," so. Mr. Cabell, who had been deceived This is so far from being true, that Mr. taken on the trial. ]-Observer. by this assertion, so pertinaciously made, Campbell of Ohio, the abolitionist who has discovered that it is not so, and he act. nominated Stevens, expressly declared that LATEST FROM EUROPE .- The arrival of ed accordingly.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE .- Our exchange papers abound with deserved conmendation of this excellent document. And we think no Annual Message ever was so little complained of by the party in opposition. As the Richmond Times defence of the Jury which acquitted Mr. Avery, justly remarks, "To all that Mr. Fillmore says in reference to the Fugitive law and ner," and republished in the "Standard." the Compromise as a whole, patriots of all parties must cordially respond, and there

can be few, we think, who will not praise him in their hearts at least, for the sound wisdom, clear integrity, and ingenuous firmness, that mark the whole of this mes-

WASHINGTON RUMORS .- Among the thousand stories which are born, live their day, and die, at Washington, there are some which come to us from quarters State never had been acquired under such adwhich seem to be reliable. Among these, the House of Representatives. In addition, we learn from other sour-is one, that on the protective policy many build up. The whole argument of the coursel might be that the Locofoco Caucus of S9 was of the Locofoco members of Congress are the scene of much excitement; that when inclined to take a step backward from the had been. But, as duel there was none, the ar-Another, that the Union Locos from ar 50 to 30, about ten or twelve of the par-the South being very sore at the rejection jury, that "in criminal cases they were the judge Southern men, including Messrs. Polk of Mr. Polk's resolution in the Cancus, Jones of Tenn., and Bayley of Va. were talking freely of new organizations and combinations, which may result in the Mr. Polk, who offered the resolution in breaking up of the Locofoco party during the Locofoco meeting, is the brother of the the session, and the formation of a Union party on its ruins.

sage.

A strong Union feeling is said to be expressed at Washington, by nearly all but the South Carolinians, and even they are generally in their seats, though they had duty. It is worthy of imitation everywhere, and by every conservative man, whether judge

the Capitol again. LET THE PEOPLE HAVE LIGHT .- A SYS-

people from seeing the proceedings of the the important debate on the subject in the the fact, that a large majority of the Locos descends to give its readers the following "A very long discussion and squabble

arose between the members of the Whig and Democratic parties, in regard to the compromise measures. After some time the ascendancy in Massachusetts, Ohio, had been consumed in this way, the House Well may we call the readers of the

> SOUTHERN FEELING .- Instead of giving the Whigs in Congress credit for the noble stand taken by them in the Congres-

them by saying .--"Mr. Thaddeus Stevens, a notorious Abo-

the Whig caucus, in which he took no part.

THE MORGANTON TRAGEDY. The following postscript to a business letter to the Editors, is from one of the first legal minds of the State, though in private life:-"I feel very much mortified, as a citizen of N Carolina, that any one should have attempted a or of the doctrines of the Counsel who defended

him, as they are stated in the "Mountain Ban These doctrines are at variance with every adnitted principle of the law, as it has at all times been administered in this State. The very first sentance of the defence is an admission that the haw of the land was against the prisoner; and was a bold and unpardonable attempt to withdraw the law from the sphere assigned for its admi istration, in all times past; -an attempt which will never be made where juries are expected to to their duty; and is employed only where there is a hope that they may be found weak enough

to betray the law, when the Judge is too intelligent, firm, and honest, to do so The law-abiding character of the people of the which. State never had been acquired under

ses, like the homicide of Flemming, would utterconsidered an apology for duelling, if duel there gument is an apology for assassinating one who is inflicted on us a grievous injury, at any of both the law and facts," has a recent parallel in a case of great interest to the Union, and essecially to the Southern portion of it--the trial of the violators of the fugitive slave law--where the counsel for the defence boldly assumed that doctrine, with a view that they might appeal from constitutional law to the known and

ightened and inveterate prejudices of the people. The public have seen how patriotically nobly this attempt was met and repelled, and how this artifice of great violators of the law was disposed of, and they have thanked the eminent Judge for his fearless discharge of his public law than the law of the land; and this appeal was made in words by the counsel of Avery, "when God pardons, man dare not punish.

I can and do most sincerely sympathise with tematic effort seems to be made, even by Mr. Avery, and can imagine the intensity of his at Philadelphia for treason. Let us mind Southern Locofoco papers, to keep the lacerated feelings; but every man feels, that, in his case, the law has been grossly violated; and that the example of his impunity, through a jutwo Caucuses at Washington. The Wash- ry and under the favor of such doctrines as were ington Union gives the merest skeleton of advanced for his defence, is a terrible blow on our institutions, which will stimulate the fierce passion of revenge to glut its appetite whenever ry question, and as such, that said mea-House, and the Wilmington Journal con- and wherever-without regard to time or place -the first opportunity may occur. If such examples should be followed on great citizens.

onstitutional questions elsewhere, we have our mouths shut. The fact is, this Governmen cannot exist, if juries are taught that it is right to rebel against the law as expounded by the judges, and set up any rule for themselves whether of reason, caprice or feeling. Safety of life, of property, and of honor, must and wil have nothing but a name. No one, who is out of the atmosphere of the

jury and counsel, and within the atmosphere of the law, can read the account in the "Banner' without feeling that henceforth North Carolina

stands a step lower as a law abiding State than she did on the morning of the 15th of November As a portion of the press have volunteered, in very bad taste, to corrupt our law and its ad-ministration. I think it time the residue of it should be roused to give the public morals a

lication in the Banner and Standard leaves voy no option. [The esteemed writer evidently had not seen

tested against the course which things had Mr. Clay is indisposed at Washington.

that nomination had no connection with the Humboldt, with Kossuth on board,

The news from France is of a most ex-

citing character. The stormiest debate

bly. The project, if carried, would have

had the effect of exciting civil war. The

CONGRESS .- The Senate was called to order, on Monday the 1st inst., at 12 o'clock, by the Hon. Wm. R. King, its President. 43 Senators were present, including seven new Senators, Messrs. Fish, a heavy loss in the decease of Rev. J. B. Wade, James, Geyer, Sumner, and Mallo- Buxton, much distress must take place,

ry. The credentials of all these were presented by their colleagues, except in the case of Mr. Sumner of Massachusetts, who selected Mr. Cass, instead of his colleague, to present his credentials. The seat of effected. To effect that object, I propose Mr. Mallory of Florida was contested by that a meeting of our citizens be held at Mr. Yulce, but the former was qualified, next. after debate, in which Messrs. Clay, Berrieu, Foote, and others participated: and the subject referred to a select committee.

A number of notices of bills, among Mr. Gwin of California gave notice of

eleven bills relating to that State.

Mr. Walker, one to cede the public lands to the States in which they lie. Mr. Foote, by unanimous consent, introduced a resolution to appoint a joint committee of the two Houses, to make suitable arrangements for the reception of Gov. Kossuth, on his arrival in the United States. He stated that he offered it after a conference with the Secretary of State, with the full approval of the President. In the Senate, on Tuesday, Mr. Foote gave notice of a resolution requesting the Tolls. President of the U.S. to appeal to the magnanimity of the Queen of England in favor of Smith O'Brien and Thomas T. Meagher, now in confinement in England

well might the Queen of England appeal however, no bills over the denomination of charge the Christiana rioters, now on trial

our own business.] Mr. Foote also gave notice of a resolu-

F. Spicer, Esq. tion declaring the Compromise measures a definitive and final settlement of the slavesures should be acquiesced in by all good BRAZWELL CARVER, aged about 25 years.

The Message was received and read, and 10,000 extra copies ordered to be printed. On Wednesday, the Senate engaged in a long debate on Mr. Foote's resolution relative to the reception of Kossuth. The resolution was opposed by Messrs. Dawson and Underwood, and supported by Messrs. Foote and Cass. The opposition was on the night of the 23d ult., on his way home the ground that it would be better to attend to the legitimate objects of legislation than to waste time in a useless discussion like this; and whilst all sympathised with the efforts of the Hungarians for liberty, and had done enough to show that sympathy, it was doubtful whether it was proper and her competation during the analysis out of the party, the contract should be and yours, allow me to say, will for the Senate to take this step. Mr. Foote eulogised Kossuth as the most illustrious for the Senate to take this step. Mr. Foote man of the present generation,

On Thursday, Mr. Badger appeared in

his seat. Mr. Foote withdrew his resolution relative to Kessuth, in consequence of the opposition to it, and of the long debate to which it would lead. Adjourned to Monday.

& Shortridge, R Henderson, Rowan Factory, J TIVES was called to order by the Hon. Richard M. Young, Clerk of the last FJ Kron, J Utley, Williams, Haywood & Co, J House. 218 Representatives (out of 231,) Weirman. and 4 Delegates from Territories answered to their names. All the North Carolina members were present.

FOR THE OBSERVER. Fayetteville Prices Current. MESSRS. EDITORS: The approaching inclement season is likely to bear heavily upon the poor, and persons of small means, and as that class of persons have sustained BACON-

Shoulders. and calls for action on the part of our citi-Western, zens to provide against it. I am confident REESWAXthat our generous and charitable citizens | COFFEEwill provide ample means if a proper and Rio, Laguira judicious medium of distribution could be St. Domingo. OTTON-Strictly prime, the Fayetteville Hall, on Saturday evening Frime, Fair, OTTON BAGGING-A whig meeting was held at Smithville. Gunny,

Hams.

Sides.

on Monday evening last, and resolutions Dundee, Burlaps, COTTON YARNSpassed nominating Fillmore and Graham for the Presidency and Vice Presidency. No. 5 to 10. No recommendation, we understand, was DOMESTIC GOODSmade for Governor -- Wil Journal. Brown Sheetings. Osnaburgs, Another Three Cent Case .- The Circuit FEATHERS\_

Court of Washington county (Md.) decided, FLOUR-Superfine, a few days ago, that no one has a right to Fine. pass round a toll-gate, with a view to Scratched, evade the payment of the toll; and that GRAIN\_ nothing but absolute business can be plead Corn, Wheat, justification for such a violation. C. Oats. Hildebrand, the defendant in the case, was Peas, fined \$2 and costs by a magistrate, for Rye, going round the toll-gate to avoid paying HIDES\_

three cents toll, and the Circuit Court sus-Dry. tained his decision. Green. IRON-Look out, ye who evade Plank Road Swedes, common bar, Ditto, wide, English,

The Columbia South Carolinian and LARD-Telegraph cautions the public against a LEAD-MOLASSES\_ ounterfeit which has made its appearance. It is a well executed \$100 bill on the Cuba. New Orleans, (none.) Merchants' Bank of Cheraic, and resemfor treason. [We regret to see this. As bles the bills of that bank. It issues, OILS-Linseed Tanners' to the President's magnanimity to dis- \$20's. One of the counterfeits was offered SALT-

Liverpool, (suck,) to a merchant in Columbia last week. Alum, (bu.) SEED-MARRIED, Flaxseed. In Onslow county, on the 20th ult., Dr. E. W. Clover, (none.) WARD, to Miss ELIZABETH, daughter of J. SHOT-Common, per bar.

Buck.

Apple

Peach Brandy

Northern "

N. E. Rum,

Jamaica Rum.

French Brandy

American Gin

Holland Gin.

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10 x 12.

St. Croix.

WINDOW GLASS-8 x 10.

N. C. Whiskey,

SPIRITS-

DIED,

In this town, on Saturday the 6th inst., Mr. In this town, on the 17th ult., Miss ELIZA-BETH ANNABELLA, youngest daughter of Edward and Mary Evelyn, aged 11 years. In this county, on the 28th ult., Mr. D. W.

MASSEY, aged about 68. In Sampson county, on the 27th ultimo, Dr. GEORGE W. STITH, for many years a resi-SUGARdent of that county. On the 30th ult., Mr. DUGALD McCALL, aged about 35 years. The deceased died from burns received whilst carrying a hand-torch on

Porto Rico. New Orleans. from a neighbor's house. He was an industri-TALLOWous citizen, and leaves a wife and two small TOBACCOchildren to mourn their irreparable loss .- Com. Leaf, Manufactured.

COMMERCIAL RECORD. WHITE LEAD-ARRIVALS.

Dec. 5.-Steamer Gov. Graham, with Gen. McRae in tow, with goods for H L Myrover, C WOOL-Banks, Barnhardt, Hix & Co, W J McConnel, N Gibson, Wilson & Fuller, Murchison, Reid & Co D Murphy, Bitting & Francis, R L Steel, S D Bumpass, E A Vogler, Lawrence & Troy, Blum kinds. Principal sales at about 74. & Smith, D McNeill & Co, Rev C P Jones, T & B G Worth, C Lutterloh, R D McNeill, J T O Wilbar, J A Craven, Gov Iredell, H A London Wall & McDonald, G W Carver, H C McLean each of the qualities. Conx-Continues to be sought for, and sells J H Brooks, W A Lash, Bowman & Donnel, J readily at 80 to 85. McLean, Rankin, McLean & Hanna, Mrs ( RyE-Is in demand, and occasional sales Brown, Hauser & Wilson, T J Patrick, J R & The HOUSE OF REPRESENTA- J Sloan, J D Williams, M A Baker, D & W Mc-Laurin, W S Van Eaton, Carr & Watson, Steel

something over our present marks. PEAS .- Considerable quantities coming inices firm.

Terms per Session \$21.00.

FOR SALE,

Fine Turpentine and Timber Lands,

In Robeson County.

BENJ. R. HUSKE, Principal.

R. S. FRENCH.

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mence on Monday, the fifth of January, 1852. The situation of the school is decidedly healthy, and the course of instruction thorough. To \$ 15 \$ 17 14
16 Board can be had in the neighborhood for six dollars per month, including lights; fuel, and washing. Tuition \$6, \$8, and \$10 per Session. ARCHIBALD RAY, Principal. Dec. 2, 1851. 46-#3t 15 13 ROCKINGHAM ACADEMY. THE next Term of this School will commence on the 12th of January next. Terms, per Session of five months: 71 Classics, \$17 50 English branches and Mathe-12 00 matics, Elementary studies, 8 00 18 Board, including washing and fuel, at \$8 a 16 month. No deduction will be made in tuition for absence during the first two weeks. And half of all charges must be paid in advance. The subscriber, has made arrangements to 62 board a large number of students, with the intention of establishing a permanent School in 33 Rockingham. For further information, he re fers persons at a distance to their acquaintances in this county. GEO. B. WETMORE. Rockingham. Dec. 5, 1851. 10-\*-1t Wadesboro' Argus and Cheraw Gazette copy SCHOOL READERS. W ILEY'S North Carolina Reader; Parker's 1st, 2d, 2d and 4th Readers; McGuffey's Eelectic Readers, 2d, 3d and 4th parts; Pierpont's Young Reader; Grigg & Elliot's Common School Readers, No. 1, 2, 3 and 4; Emerson's 1st, 2d and 3d Class Kender; Village Reader; New York Reader, No. 1, 2 and 3; Parker's Rhetorical Reader; English Reader; American School Reader: Angell's Union Series, 4 parts; Southern Readers, 1st, 2d and 3d parts E. J. HALE & SON. 15 Dec. 8, 1851. 20 FOR SALE -Pure Winter Sperm, Tanners', Linseed, and Neat's-foot OIL in quantities to suit. Apply to B. ROSE & SON. 70 Dec. 8, 1851. 1.50 NOTICE. ERSONS indebted to the subscriber are respectfully requested to settle during the 1 15 present month A statement of accounts due from persons residing out of town will be forwarded by mail. Persons having accounts against the subscriber are requested to hand them in for settlement 55 SAM'L J. HINSDALE. Dec. 8, 1851. 43 THOS. H. TILLINGHAST. 50 BOOK-BINDER, 2 50 Anderson St., Fayetteville, N. C. OPPOSITE MR. W. WINSLOW'S LAW OFFICE. 40 Dec. 8, 1851. 40.10 12 LAND SALE. ILL be sold at the Town House, on Friday the 2d day of January next, at 12 o'clock, (M.) a tract of LAND containing sixty acres, known as the "Shaw Place," on Cape Fear River, joining Haigh, Shaw and others, out the Northern edge of the Town of Fayetteville. Terms, 6 months' credit; bond with approved security. 2 50 ARCHID A. T. SMITH, 212404 Clerk and Master. Dec. 8, 1851 AGts Sale of Valuable Town Property. REVIEW OF THE MARKET. WILL sell at the Court House in Carthage Corros .- The higher grades have not been on the 1st day of January next, a Lot and

LONGSTREET ACADEMY.

THE next Session of this School will com-

DECEMBER 9, 1851.

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so firmly sustained. Very little change in other Store House in the Town of Carthage, situated kinds. Principal sales at about 7½. FLOUR.—We reduce our rates full 25 cts. on each of the qualities. on the North-East corner of the public square, in an eligible place for business. A credit of six months will be given, and bond with good security required of the purchaser. ELIZABETH MCNABB, Ex'x. December 4, 1851.

> LARGE SALE OF VALUABLE

National Intelligencer publishes he official account of the Whig Caucuses. It states that between 50 and 60 were preseat, (out of 70 to 80 Whigs in the House.) It was unanimously agreed, that, as the should be made, but that members would last. vote as they thought proper.

which see debate in the House,) Mr. Ste- dividend of 5 per cent. tens of Penn. (free-soiler,) opposed it .---Mr. Fowler of Mass. (ditto,) moved to lay it on the table. This motion, after some debate, was lost "by a decided majority. Messrs. Stevens and Fowler, and one or two others not known to the officers of the meeting, then withdrew, and the resoluion was adopted with but two or three disming voices.

the Whig meeting.

The N. Y. Evening Post, the ablest paer in the country of the Locofoco-abolition party, bears the following testimony to the true position of parties :----

he measures of the Administration and its friends, and form a part of the Adminisfor the Freesoil doctrine, withdrew from Mexico, if not with "the rest of mankind." be cancus, and, we presume, will not hold remselves bound by its proceedings.

what we could have desired. The responibility of the Compromise is virtually dismeand by the Democrats, and distinctly around by the Whigs, whose proper off- but of course they are defeated. spring it is."

PLANK ROAD TRAVEL .- A gentleman passed through Salisbury on Wednesday S. C.; - a bill to sell free persons of color of office to the Speaker. of the up-country loaded a wagon last last, for which \$8 net was asked. None for debt; -- a bill to provide for the assemweek for this place, and after it had been bought, large engagements having been bling of the Convention called by the act the oath of office by States, beginning with some days on the road, he followed and made for others to arrive at \$7.

overtook it. Inquiring of the wagoner, he The Rutherfordton Banner says that found that he had, with great labor and droves are passing there every day. \$6 worry to the horses, made from 12 to 16 gross asked.

miles a day through the deep muddy roads, The Asheville Messenger says large until he came to the Plank Road, on which numbers are passing that place. \$5 50 9-Messrs. Dudley and Gause, Senators he had that morning travelled 18 miles and \$6 asked. Corn selling on the road from Marlborough and Marion, being of of which 15,000 extra copies were ordered before stopping for dinner, a little after at 62 to 75. mid-day.

## The Wilmington Journal affects to ridi-

AGRICULTURAL PAPER .- Dr. John F cule the idea that it is afraid of the success Tompkins, of Beaufort county, N. C., proof the Whigs at the next Presidential elec- poses to publish a paper devoted to the tion. We shall see. The course of the farming interests of the State. There is President and his Administration is giving no paper of the kind published in the him a popularity and a power which will State.

"T." in our next.

astonish some people before another year shall have passed away. We think the Journal manifests either fear or shame by is convaluent of the doings of its party to succeed Col. Preston, whose bad health concurat Washington-Fear of the Whigs, has compelled him to resign. or shame at the conduct of the Locos.

produced great excitement at New Yorl The Whig party had no candidate, but on Friday last. He was to make his grand members voted for Stanly, Chandler, or entry into the city on Saturday. others, as they pleased. The notorious Lola Montez also arrived

ARRIVAL OF KOSSUTH .- The steamer in the Humboldt. Whigs were in so decided a minerity, no Humboldt, with the Hungarian exile on The King of Hanover, late Duke of nomination of a candidate for Speaker board, arrived at New York on Thursday Cumberland, died at Hanover on the 18th ultimo. By his death the English Govern-

ment saves £21,000 per year, that sum DIVIDEND .- The Bank of the State of having been annually paid him. When the resolution was offered, (for North Carolina has declared a semi-annual Cotton was active, and prices had ad vanced 1d. since the sailing of the Asia.

Flour had advanced 6d. per barrel; and MORE FILLIBUSTERING .- Au expedition wheat a shilling a quarter. Money was has actually sailed from San Francisco, easy. Stocks advancing. The London papers publish fresh details with 3 or 400 men, for the purpose of taof the extraordinary gold mines of Ausking possession of the Sandwich Islands, tralia, where the abundance of the ore is either by suasion or force. said to exceed any thing yet heard of in

LONG DOCUMENTS .- The National In- California. telligencer of Wednesday and Thursday last contained 52 columns, in small type, ever known even in French Parliamentary Mr. Outlaw of this State presided over of the President's Message, and Reports, annals had taken place in the Legislative

&c. from the various Departments of the Assembly upon a proposition for appointgovernment. We have not been able to ing an armed force to protect the Assemread them all, as yet.

We learn from the New York Express, measure was, however, rejected by a mathat the N. Y. Sun "is calling the Ad- jority of 108 votes, and thus Louis Napoleon and his Ministry completely triumpl "The Whig members of the House have ministration all sorts of hard names for reed. The National Assembly has so lost met in cancus, and the resolutions which fusing to plunge the country into a foreign ground by its intrigues against the Presithe Democratic caucus rejected have been war." The Sun is the organ of the Fillident that his position is now pronounced offered. As the Compromise measures are busters; and has for years done all it could by his bitterest foes to be stronger than to promote wars for conquest. The Ad- ever before. Marshal Soult was dangerously ill, and this policy, they were of course adopted. ministration deserves the blessings of manhis decease was hourly expected. "But they were not adopted without kind for resisting all attempts of the kind. intention and dissent. Mr. Stevens, of But for its firmness and energy we could arrived. No news. Cotton as above. Pennsylvania, and several others who fa- scarcely have avoided wars with Spain and SOUTH CAROLINA .- Among the matters before the Legislature are, a bill to give

The Virginia Election, for Governor, "In both cancuses the result is precisely Licut. Gov., Attorney General, and State Legislature, took place yesterday. The tend the charter of the Bank of the State; Whigs seem to have been very confident, -a bill to prohibit the introduction into South Carolina of slaves from any State

Hogs .- A drove of Tennessee hogs lying North, North-east, or North-west of

courts for the collection of debts due to citizens of States in which the action of the fugitive law has been obstructed. The bill relating to the Convention

passed its 2d reading in the Senate, 32 to the Minority. The bill fixes the 4th Mon. to be printed. day in April next for the meeting of the

## Pork is selling in this town at 7 to 74.

Convention. ote for Electors has been lost, 66 to 48. The bill to refuse the use of the courts to recover debts has been discussed and rejected, 82 to 29.

Post Offices.- A new office in Union county, called Oak Grove, Samuel W. Rodgers, P. M. Another in Wilkes, called Rev. Dr. Thornwell has been elected Elk Spur, James Roberts, P. M. President of the South Carolina College,

DISCONTINUED OFFICES .- Cooper's Gap, Rutherford; Jackson Hill, Davidson; Col- British Minister, and has erdered a naval ennmerce. ver; Pinokney, Rutherford.

Before the election of Speaker took place, the interesting debate occurred which will be found in the preceding page.

The vote for Speaker was as follows:-Linn Boyd, of Kentucky, 118 Edward Stanly, of N. Carolina, 21 Jos. R. Chandler, of Penn., 20 Thaddeus Stevens, of Penn., 16 Thomas H. Bayly, of Va., John L. Taylor, of Ohio, Alexander Evans, of Md., Thos. S. Bocock, of Va., Meredith P. Gentry, of Tenn., Junius Hillyer, of Geo., J. W. Howe, of Pa., Willis A. Gorman, of Indiana, Richard 1. Bowie, of Md., David Outlaw, of N. C., E. Carrington Cabell, of Fla., Wm. S. Ashe, of N. C., John Allison, of Pa., Jas. Meacham, of Vermont, Preston King, of N. Y., Geo. W. Jones, of Tenn.,

The Speaker elect was conducted to the hair by Messrs. Disney and Stanly, when he addressed the House nearly as follows:

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives: For the kindness and confidence shown me by your selecting me as presiding officer of this body, I beg you to ac-The America with two days later dates has cept my grateful thanks. Properly appreciating, I trust, the responsibility imposed, as well as the high honor conferred by it, I accept this station with a most earnest desire and a fixed determination to adminthe people the election of Electors of Pre- ister its functions, so far as I may be able. sident and Vice President;-a bill to ex- to the promotion of the end that our deliberations may be pleasant to ourselves, and agreeable and profitable to our common country.

Mr. Giddings being the senior member of the House, then administered the oath

The members of the House then took of 1850;-a bill to prevent the use of the the State of Maine.

For Clerk, J. W. Forney received 129 votes, Jas. C. Walker 72, and 7 scattering. The other officers were then chosen by resolution.

In the House, on Tuesday, nothing material, except the reading of the Message,

On Wednesday, the House did little besides drawing lots for seats, and author- rounding community, renders it one of the most The bill to give the people the right to izing the Speaker to appoint the Standing Committees.

Adjourned till Saturday.

The Steamer Prometheus was fired at at Nicaragua by a British man of war, in

consequence of her attempting to depart without paying port charges.

The Republic states that the President has demanded an explanation from the

ly Swamp, Bladen; Caintuck, New Hano- force to Greytown to protect American

I Lough H Branson & San W I Pomerov Dr Stafford, W Draughon, Jenkins & Roberts, J A der at 1 25 per hundred.

Trade for the past week has been active Dec. 6 .- Steamer Evergreen, with Lighters enough to satisfy any reasonable man. Lady of the Lake and Averasborough in tow. vith goods for S W Tillinghast & Co. WILMINGTON MARKET. Martine, McDonald & Whaley, J J Gilchrist, D Clark, Hall & Sackett, J & T Waddill, Beaver Bacon dull; Hams 11 to 12, Shoulders 9 to 10,

Creek Co, S J Hinsdale, P F Pescud, B Julian, H A London & Co, G W Leary, W F Moore, Dr B Robinson, F D Breece, Union Co, Fayetteville Mills, R Mitchell, H Branson & Son, E J Hale Son, J H Hawley, A A McKethan, A Carter, at 4 25. J T O Wilbar, T C Pfohl, D McNeill & Co, Hon

At Cheraw, cotton 61 to 8. Sales of the week 546 bales. At New York, on Friday, cotton firm, with-

out change.

Nov. 26.

### PORT OF WILMINGTON. ARRIVALS.

J D Toomer.

At New Orleans, good middling cotton 78 .-Nov 29-Brigs A Blanchard from Matanzas, Molasses 24 to 244. Bacon has declined 1 ct. Sides 74 to 8. Whiskey 18. Buena Vista from New York. Dec 3-Brigs H At Charleston, cotton 6 to 81: middling to Curtis from Boston, Bowditch from Rum Key, niddling fair 7§ to 8g. After the Humboldt's Waitstill and Orion from New York; Schrs A . arrival sales were made at rather better prices. DeRosset and Harriet Hallock from New York, Bacon 81 to 12. Flour 4 50 to 5 00. Corn 60 H P Russell from Baltimore, H Dunster from Portland. 4-Schr Bowditch from Rum Key. Total receipts of cotton 554,210 bales, against

### PLANTS, TREES & SHRUBS.

HAVE just received a large lot of choice PLANTS and TREES, among which are many varieties recently introduced from China, Mexico, Chili, &c.

ary next. ty and quality, to justify me in asking orders for almost any thing in my line. Plants and Trees can be sent any distance

during winter. C. LUTTERLOH,

Dec. 8, 1851. 46tf P. S. Flower Pots always kept for sale. Raleigh Register and Wilmington Commercial

THE undersigned offers for sale his Valua-ble Tract of LAND lying in Richmond timbered, and admirably adapted to the culture vicinity to Floral College, and other numerous facilities for education, together with the intelligence, morality, and sociability of the surdesirable situations in the State. Persons wishing to purchase would do well to call and examine soon, as in all probability the subscriber will retire from the neighborhood at an early day. and the opportunity may be lost. J. G. BLUE.

HEELER'S Historical Sketches of North Carolina, \$2. Wiley's North Carolina Reader, \$1.

Fayetteville, Doc. 8, 1831. 46st

**Real and Personal Property**, HAY .- On Saturday, hay sold at \$1, and fod-Commencing 12th of January 1852.

THE subscribers, as Executors of the late Richard Hines, offer for sale the very valushle

## PLANTATION

He died possessed of, containing about 2700 Sides 10. Corn 58. Lard 12. Soft Turpentine 2 10 to 2 15; Hard 1 10 to 1 15; Spirits 29. Tar 1 60. Four rafts Timber sold—one in a high state of cultivation. This Plantation in a high state of cultivation. This Plantation is situated on the north side of Tar River, in poor at \$5, two ordinary at 9 50, and one prime Edgecombe county, six or seven miles east of at \$10. Flour-A small lot of Fayetteville sold | the Railroad, and nine miles above Tarborough,

adjoining the lands of Richard Harrison and others. There is on the premises a large and comfortable dwelling with eight rooms and all of the necessary out houses and fixtures, of the best kind and in good order.

We will not go into a detailed statement of the superiority of this Plantation, but invite all persons wishing to purchase valuable laud to examine this. A plat of the land, with a survey of the cleared portions, is left in the hands' of Mr. Isaac B. Farmer, on the premises, who is well acquainted with it and will give any information to persons wishing to purchase. We will sell it in one tract or divide it inte two or three. If not disposed of at private sale before the 12th of next January, we will, on that day, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the premises, offer it at public sale to the highest bidder. It has not been necessary for a physician to visit during this year.

We will also sell at the same place, 190 NEGROES,

Of the most valuable kind; among them are three carpenters, (one of these a wheel-wright.) two blacksmiths, one painter, three first-rate house servants, (one of them a seamstress.) a good ostler, and some of the best cotton-pickers in the State.

-ALSO-

270 ACRES adjoining the lands of Jo-seph Smith and William Tyner. The Stock and Crop, consisting of about 1500" stacks of fodder, 200 bushels of rye, 400 bush-700 Acres adjoining the lands of Alexels of peas, 350 fat hogs, 250 out hogs, 68 head of cattle of the most improved breed. Among them are many fine milch cows, and nine yoke of young oxen, large and well broke; one pair of horses, one pair of splendid thorough-bred fillies, three blooded mares. two very fine ponics, 150 head of sheep, the seed from near 400,000 pounds of cotton, two gins, one wheat thresher, three saddles and bridles, forty casks of plaster and lime, eight wagons, ten carts, 36 sides of leather, household and kitchen furniture, and all the farming implements of every description. The sale will continue from day to day until every thing is disposed of. TERMS OF SALE .-- The land will be sold on a

credit of one, two, and three years. Bonds bearing interest from date, with approved seenrity, will be required. The other property will be sold on a credit of six months, for all sums over ten dollars; all under that amount, eash; the purchaser giving bond and security before the property is delivered.

W. R. SMITH. Ex'rs PETER E. HINES, Dec. 1, 1851. 46\*18

miles and ending about 153 miles from the town FRUIT TREES FOR SALE. The estimates and specifications can be seen UST received, a lot of choice TREES, from Lindley's Nurseries. Persons wishing to get them by the hundred, are advised to send in their orders immediately, before the assortat the office, on application to Jno. M. Rose, JNO. A. WILLIAMS, Pres't. 46-2t ment is broken. Peach and Apple Trees, S10 per hundred;-150 casks Thomastown Lime, \$1 50 per dozen. Apricot, 25 cents each. Noctarine, 25 cents each. A few Pinus, of bearing age. Dwarf Feurs, B. ROSE & SON. C. LUTTERLOH, Ag't, Rowan street. 45-3 w Dec. 3, 1851. THE HESPERIAN HARP, TEACHER WANTED. BY William Houser, of Geo. A further sup-ply of this new Music Book, with patent

A GENTLEMAN qualified to teach the Eng-lish, Latin and Greek Languages, will find application a situation with a liberal salary, or to John C. Smith and Brothers, 29 miles North of Fayetteville, or by letter addressed to Fay-Dec. S, itul .-- iu- Los citevillo.

#### ander McIntyre, William H. Grimsley, and An-SALT AND LIME. gus Ray 1500 Acres in the fork of Raft Swamp **300** LARGE bleached sacks Liverpool Ground SALT, and Panther Swamp, adjoining the lands of Jno. 500 bushels coarse Rock Alum Sali, Blue, Arch'd Bine, Arch'd Smith, and Mrs. 50 casks fresh unslaked LIME. Ansley. 1000 Acres, (on which is situate the old Just received and for sale by J. H. & J. MARTINE, Hay st. Fayetteville, Dec. 8, 1851. 46-4t Norment mill seat,) adjoining the lands of Simon Caldwell, R. E. Troy, and Junius Morissey. The above Lands are generally heavily Tim-WANTED, POR which cash will be paid, FIVE young bered, and fine Turpentine Lands, lying on and near Lumber River. They will be sold in tracts, and on accommostrong MULES; one good strong four-horse WAGON. lating terms. J. WADDILL, Jr. Apply to Col. William McNeill, or J. B. BRYAN. Dec. 8, 1851. 46-3t 1200 Acres of Land FOR SALE.

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Just received from Philadelphia, by Dec. 3. E. J. HALE & SON.

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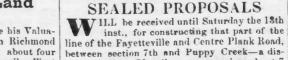
516,938 last year. Increase 37,272. Hillsborough Academy. THE next Session of this Institution will commence on Tuesday, the 13th of Janu-

My stock is now sufficient, both as to quantipacked in boxes, with perfect safety any time

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Lumberton, Dec. 6, 1851.



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Hydraulic Cement.

December 5, 1851.

Plastering Hair, in quantities to suit.

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the Boston Academy's Collection; Carmina Sa-

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