

sparkling eyes and ruby lips and giving her a shy squeeze—beware, my girl, think I or you will find, to your sorrow, that you have been turning the grindstone for a while.

When I see a man hoisted into office by party spirit—without a single qualification to render him either respectable or useful—alas! methinks, deluded people, you are doomed for a season to turn the grindstone for a hobby.

#### A Patriotic Woman.

The *Charleston Mercury*, of the 28th ult., contained the following communication, the substance of which was of actual occurrence, and took place in Orangeburg.

Not long since, while attending one of the Tax Collector's polls in this parish, I was delighted to hear an expression fall from the lips of a lady who happened to be present at the polls, and I think it should be spread before your readers. It was as follows:

When the Tax Collector handed her the amount of her taxes, she exclaimed with astonishment: "Sir, what means all this? This account is double that of last year!" The Tax Collector then went on to tell her of the new law, and finished by telling her that the principle object of the taxes was to raise a sum of money to prepare South Carolina to meet the enemy. On hearing this her countenance brightened as she exclaimed: "If that is the object I care not if it were doubled again." Would that the God of battles would infuse into all our souls such noble patriotism! Then we would be prepared to preserve pure and unimpeached, the unsullied honor of the PALMETTO STATE.

#### Rust in Wheat.

It will be remembered that the wheat crop generally, was very seriously affected by the rust last season, and as present indications are by no means favorable, the following information may prove to be of great benefit to our agricultural friends.

In Western Virginia, where the climate is cold and damp, the wheat crop is never suffered to ripen, it is always cut before the straw turns yellow, the only way to prevent the rust effecting the wheat in that country. We understand a gentleman in Surry county pursued the same course last season, and saved his wheat, whilst crops generally suffered severely. Remember, when the rust strikes your wheat cut it without delay.

#### Georgia.

The following resolution was adopted by acclamation at the Southern Rights Meeting recently held in Scriven county, Georgia:

Resolved, "That in the event South Carolina secedes from the Union of the North, and that the government of the majority should try to invade her from her just right to do so, we the members composing this meeting, do pledge ourselves in the face of the world to support her cause if necessary, with our rifles to the death."

#### For California.

A party of twenty whites, and five servants, on their way to California, arrived in this city yesterday, and put up at the Bryant's Hotel. They are to be joined by another company, to-day, of three whites and four servants, making in all thirty-two.

The emigrants to the gold regions are, we understand, from North Carolina.—They carry, besides eight negroes with them, and several free-willings to test their fidelity in this land of free-soil principles. We wish them success in their undertaking, and hope that they may not be disappointed in their anticipations. They take their departure from our city, in the Isabel, on Sunday next, going by the way of the Isthmus.—*Charleston Sun*.

A correspondent of the *New York Daily Book*, writing from Louisville, Kentucky, the State which Mr. Clay pledged to send a regiment of horse dragoons into South Carolina to subjugate her people, discourses thus:

"They (the Kentuckians) are willing to talk 'Union! every thing for Union!' and this in good faith; but if fate should will their hopes to blast, they will stand as a pillar of the South. They seriously believe that South Carolina is about to withdraw from the Union, and should the North still cling to her Seward and Sumners in this crisis, and the President call out the United States Army to subdue the Palmetto, fifty thousand Kentucky bayonets will face the music of Uncle Sam, and make Carolina's cause her own. Mark this prophecy!"

#### Providential Escape.

Three ladies (Mrs. Osborne, Mrs. Jones and Miss Mary Caldwell) made a very narrow escape on Friday evening last. They had secured themselves in their carriage to take an evening ride, but had not progressed far before the horses, which we learn, had manifested some restiveness before, became frightened at some noise near Mr. Springs' new building, and started off at a fearful rapidity. The driver attempted to stop them by running on to the side-walk near Mr. Kistler's carpenter shop—failing in this, they took the street again. After running a short distance down the street he reined them into a gully, no doubt for the purpose of throwing the horse that was the cause of their running. Here he failed again and was thrown from his seat, but he held on to the reins until he was told by some one in the carriage to let them go. After running a short distance further, they left the street and ran upon the side-walk near our residence, which they left at the next cross-street, darting with their utmost speed into the street, and keeping on until coming to the cross-street south of Mr. P. M. Brown's residence, they attempted to run down it, but they were stopped by the carriage run-

ning against a tree. While the horses were running, Mrs. Osborne attempted to get out of the carriage, and had nearly succeeded when the sudden jar of the carriage against the tree prostrated her on the ground, and it was thought for some time that she was seriously hurt, but she escaped without any serious injury. The other ladies, who remained quiet, did not receive any injury at all. The carriage is a perfect wreck and it is a matter of wonder how any escaped without material injury—nothing but the protecting arm of God could bring them safely through such a peril. The driver when thrown from his seat sustained some injury but he has nearly recovered.—*Charlotte Journal*.

A gentleman in Franklin, Macon County, N. C., writing to a friend in this place, says:

"The Methodist church in Franklin is reduced to ashes. At day light this morning (June 19th) it was discovered to be on fire, and so completely enveloped in flames that there was no possibility of saving any thing. Seats, furniture, Books, Sunday School Library were all destroyed.

"There is no evidence of any design in the matter, nor is it apparent how the fire could otherwise have been communicated. It is said that the usual care was observed in putting out the lights at 10 o'clock last night.

"The friends are already taking steps preparatory to the erection of another in its place.—*Asheville News*.

#### Look Out.

It is now almost certain that the ladies of this city will adopt the new costume; and if so, the sweeping of the streets will fall as an expense upon the "city fathers." In such an event we should not wonder if they passed an ordinance entitled an "act concerning short dresses," beginning:

"WHEREAS, the ladies who have hitherto worn dresses generally known as 'draggle-tails,' and who therein while traversing the streets have swept them very satisfactorily, to us thereby saving an enormous expense to the city; and whereas, the said ladies are presuming to wear a new style of dress, they denominated 'costume a la Turk,' and thereby, will cause the expense of employing persons to cleanse said streets, a thing not heretofore done in the memory of the 'oldest inhabitants.' They have heretofore been left solely to the cleansing by the 'draggle-tails.' Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we protest against this innovation upon the part of the said ladies as against the 'mud and dust' of the city.

Resolved, further, That we will raise a dust and provide an additional supply of mud, two matters that belong *per se* to us alone, against such an innovation upon long and established usage.

And it is furthermore provided, That if the said ladies insist on the right of appropriation of the 'breeches' to themselves, a committee be appointed from our honorable body, to solicit respectfully from them the discarded 'draggle-tails,' that we may sweep the streets ourselves or appropriate them to such of our friends as may fear an *ad valorem* tax to meet the anticipated expense.—*St. Louis Origin*.

#### Charlotte and S. C. Rail Road Company.

CHESTERVILLE, May 28, 1851.

In pursuance of notice, a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Charlotte & S. C. Rail Road Company, was held in Chesterville, on May 28th, 1851. The following named members present:

EDWARD G. PALMER, Pres't, B. F. Taylor, John Buchanan, James Fagan, James A. Lewis, Adolphus E. Hutchison, Charles J. Fox, John A. Young, and A. B. Davidson.

The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, That the Chief Engineer be requested to have all unfinished contracts put immediately in such condition, as shall secure their completion by such a time as may be necessary for laying the superstructure.

Resolved, That the Engineers be directed to have the Nation Ford on the Catawba, so far as it has been injured by the construction of the bridge piers, put in a good condition as soon as practicable.

Resolved, That the President be directed to call upon the stockholders of North and South Carolina, for the remainder of their subscriptions to be paid by the 1st of November next.

Resolved, That the Engineer be instructed to conclude all contracts for timber for superstructure, necessary to complete the Rail Road to the town of Charlotte.

#### Scrajs for the Million.

"Struck by Lightning," is the cant term used by thieves, &c., when arrested through information, conveyed by telegraph. Such arrests have become quite common.

B. C. Pressley, Esq., has issued a prospectus for a new daily paper at Charleston, which is to advocate a Southern Confederacy, and oppose separate secession.

The Convention of Congregational Ministers at Boston, at the late anniversary meeting, raised a committee for gathering statistics relative to the "pecuniary and moral bearing" of tobacco, whether in the form of smoking chewing or snuffing.

A *Nice Point of Law*.—It has been suggested to our friend, Mr. Briefless, that his opinion would be very valuable on the question whether a man who dies before he has settled with his creditors, may be considered to have shown an undue preference, in paying the debt of Nature before his other liabilities?

Prentice, of the *Louisville Journal*, is hard on Giddings, the Abolition member of Congress from Ohio. In noticing the recent upsetting of a stage, whereby Giddings had two of his ribs broken, the *Journal* says he had much rather he had broken his jaw.

Why is the life of an editor like the book of Revelation? Because it is full of "types and shadows," and a mighty voice, like the sound of many waters, ever saying unto him—write.

Short Dresses.—I say Ned, what do you think of that girl with short dress and big trowsers, over there?" "Well, Bill, I think if it wasn't for the big trowsers, she'd just show the *plus ultra*, and nothin' shorter."

The *Panama Herald* says it has seen a native girl wearing twenty-one American double eagles (\$120) linked together, as to form a chain. On the persons of 5000 others we have seen from \$3000 to \$5000 worth of pearls and diamonds, with hundreds of dollars worth of rich lace; and yet all were bare-footed, deeming shoes and stockings unnecessary to complete their costume.

The short dresses have appeared in Green Bay, Wisconsin, worn by squaws of the Menomonee tribe, who, in the anxiety to reach the tip of the mode, carried matters a little too high—the dress not coming below the knees at all. This fashion, it strikes us will not suit married ladies at all times.

The oldest person returned by census takers in the United States is Stacey Wright, a colored woman, in the City of Baltimore. She is 120 years of age, and the Assistant Marshal says there is no doubt of the fact. At the time of the Revolution in 1775, she had a child twenty-five years of age.

The Southern Press completed its first year a few days since. It has been a faithful sentinel on the wall of our political Zion, and its trumpet has never given an uncertain sound on any great question affecting the South.

The Attorney General has decided, that members of Congress have the franking privilege during the whole time for which they may be elected.

If you get in a passion, always get some and give your wife and family the benefit of it. Punching your hat is a good outlet for indignation, but it don't begin with kicking the children or upsetting all the kitchen furniture. Try it on.

The most amusing man in the world is a Frenchman in a passion. "By gar, you call my wife a woman three several times once more, and I will call the watch house, and blow your brain like a candle by dam."

The 94 concerts given by Jenny Lind, are said to have realized nearly a million of dollars, of which Barnum has pocketed fully 500,000—a pretty good nine months work.

Bloomerism.—A man was seen near Broadway this morning in petticoats, and with a bonnet on. When asked by the police why he wore this costume? He replied, "My wife has taken my clothes, and I have taken hers."

Milk is capable of undergoing the vinous fermentation, and consequently, of affording a spirituous liquor. Marco Polo wrote in the thirteenth century, that that liquor prepared from mares milk, prepared by the Tartars, might be taken for white wine.

Near New Hope, in Augusta county, Virginia, there has been lately a grand assemblage of the Tankers or Dunkers, amounting to between seven and ten thousand persons. The exercises were peculiar but interesting, and the Stanton indicator says "a more reverend and respectable body of Christians never assembled in this county."

Christ was born among the poor, grew up among the poor, toiled with the poor, and died for the poor. The cases in which he ever came in contact with rich men are noted with emphasis in the Scripture, as remarkable exceptions.

The Baltimore Clipper says a letter has been received in that City, from New Orleans, which states that the expedition against Cuba has not been abandoned, but will certainly take place, notwithstanding the efforts of the government to prevent it. Great numbers of young men have pledged themselves to the enterprise, and are prepared to embark at the first favorable moment, with confidence of success.

The first pair of boots ever manufactured, were presented to a Mayor somewhere in England, who, after carefully studying their use, came to the conclusion that they were a new kind of basket, and, accordingly, he gave one of them to his wife to do her marketing in, while he kept the other himself for carrying his hymn book and testament to and from church!

Quiz was dining at a hotel, when every body called for peas, peas, until the peas were all gone. Quiz felt uneasy, and throwing himself in the attitude of Patrick Henry, he exclaimed—"Gentlemen may cry peas! peas! but there is no peas!"

"One word more, and I leave you." How we dread to hear this expression from the lips of a speaker at public meetings. It's always a sure sign that he is bracing up for a fresh start!

Look not mournfully into the past, it can not return; wisely improve the present, it is thine; go forth to meet the shadowy future without fear, and with a manly heart.

Peter put up at a hotel which they told him was patronized by big bugs. Peter found it so, and the next morning sloped and found another, as he said he preferred to patronize a tavern where the bugs were not so large.

The Masonic Grand Lodge of Kentucky have sent on a magnificent block of marble for the Washington Monument.

Useful Cement.—To fix knives and forks in their handles, use cutler's cement, made of equal weights of resin and brick-dust melted together in an earthen pipkin, and applied hot.

The hope of future happiness is a perpetual source of consolation to good men. Under trouble it soothes their minds; amidst temptation it supports their virtues; and in their dying moments enables them to say, "O Death! where is thy sting? O Grave! where is thy victory?"

John E. Lord, a member of the bar whose amiable character endeared him to all his acquaintances and rendered him an ornament to the sphere in which he moved, died at his residence in Salisbury on the 10th instant.

The price of a wife in Maryland, under the existing constitution, is perfectly enormous! Four dollars and a half! Just six times as much as it is in our good old State. No wonder that many of the people of Maryland have been so clamorous for reform.

Mosquitoes are very small insects, but one has been known to move a man weighing two hundred pounds, and keep him moving all night.

We learn, from reliable source, that Adam Crooks, of abolition notoriety, was committed to Montgomery jail on Sunday last. He was urged to leave the State and, upon refusal, was committed.

An Old Maid.—A lady who has attained the age of twenty-four or five without having married a fool, a knave, a gambler, a drunkard, or a loafer.

Rust.—To take rust out of steel, cover the steel with sweet oil well rubbed on it and in forty-eight hours use unslacked lime finely powdered, to rub until all the rust disappears.

"Semper Paratus!" as the Irishman exclaimed when sitting down to dinner. He had not concluded the repast, however, when he took occasion to observe, "If they were *melior* they would be better."

The Tadpole Dress is the title given to the new female costume by the anti-reformers. The "Tom Boy Habit" is also one of the elegant designations. The *New York Sunday Times* speaks of it as a sort of "union and compromise" costume, half Turkish, half Yankee, with a little touch of the circus.

Numbers of Cotton blossoms (says the *Newberry Sentinel*) were observed on the plantation of Mr. John Sumner at Pomaria on the 12th inst. The variety of cotton was that known as the "Hogan."

The Legislature of Minnesota have passed a law that the use of Latin words shall be abolished in the laws of the State.

#### FOR THE LINCOLN COURIER.

##### To Cure a Cancer.

Make a powder of brimstone and melted lead, which apply to the Cancer. Dress it twice a day with salve made of soap and the ashes of burnt Holly leaves. To be kept free from water until the roots are killed.

If your case is a bad one, first apply a writing pen full of corrosive sublimate, which is to remain four days if the patient can bear it. Then wash it off with warm water and dress it with a plaster made of tallow, bee's wax and elder bark, sage and plantain, first wetting it with sweet oil and honey, and the sore with a wash of corrosive sublimate. To be applied twice a day until the Cancer is cured.

##### To Cure a Tumor.

Take sweet apple tree bark, sage and elder bark, beat to a powder and make a salve of it with honey, then dust the plaster with burnt alum and apply to the Tumor.

#### FOR THE LINCOLN COURIER.

##### Acrostical Enigma.

I am composed of 27 letters.  
My 1, 9, 13 and 27, is the name of a man who by sinning brought death into the world.

My 2, 8, 4, 21, 6, 22, 20, 24, is a man in form, but a brute in principles and actions.  
My 4, 25, 4, 23, 4, 10, was the founder of an ancient city.

My 4, a part of a drunkenness and ruin but not of temperance.

My 5, 17, 20, 26, an Emperor of Rome, who set the city on fire merely to see it blaze.

My 6, 21, 15, 19, is a part of the human frame.

My 7, 4, 20, 25, 12, 13, is the fabled goddess of the morning.

My 8, 26, 27, 15, an ancient city, where the mind, in its wanderings over past ages, stops in wonder and amazement.

My 9, 15, 21, 27, 7, 12, 6, a country in Europe.

My 10, 25, 2, 26, 27, is a city mentioned in the Bible, as being destroyed by fire from Heaven, on account of the wickedness of its inhabitants.

My 11, 22, 4, 23, a distinguished phrenologist of the 18th century.

My 12, 25, 4, 10, 10, 15, 13, 4, a celebrated French writer and a good delineator of human mind.

My 13, 5, 2, 8, 25, 27, 15, 9, 1, a constellation in the Northern Hemisphere, lying between Pegasus, the Fishes and Perseus.

My 14, 17, 10, 18, 22, one of the planets.

My 15, 18, 21, 13, is a noted volcano in Sicily where the heathens supposed Jupiter lodged the giants after having struck them.

My 16, an abbreviation of the word and.

My 17, 23, 23, 15, 21, a favorite female name.

My 18, 1, 4, 8, 4, 10, one of the signs of the Zodiac.

My 19, 21, 11, 23, 13, 21, 24, a prince of Great Britain.

My 20, 7, 10, 10, 15, 23, 22, 10, a part of Abyssinia, concerning whom a tale, familiar to many, is told.

My 21, 17, 4, 10, 19, a river in our own "Old North State."

My 22, 23, 27, 7, 27, 7, 18, 17, 20, that which the faithful student leaves with reluctance and revisits with pleasure.

My 23, 26, 5, 2, 25, 21, the richest, most populous, and most commercial city in the world.

My 24, 26, 14, 17, 8, the capital of one of the United States.

My 25, an interjection, expressive of a troubled and dejected spirit.

My 26, 27, 15, 11, 13, the last letter of the Greek alphabet.

My 27, 13, 20, 10, the fourth planet from the sun.

My whole is what, I fear, many citizens of this free and independent Republic, enjoying the advantages and blessings which this "age of all ages" affords, will come to, by treating so lightly the cause of Temperance; which may God in his mercy avert.  
DON C. ROLLA.  
*Lycum, N. C., June 19th, 1851.*

#### FOR THE LINCOLN COURIER.

WHEREAS, the Sons of Temperance have been misrepresented as regards the members & funds of the Order, it was ordered by Lincoln Division No. 55, that a correct statement of the number of members and amount of funds of the Order, be published by the W. P. of said Division.

There are on the American Continent, (exclusive of the States of Mississippi and Missouri, from which no returns have been received,) 5563 Divisions, numbering 232, 223 members. The whole amount of cash received last year, (1850.) was \$749,175 47, of which \$208,461 55, was paid for benefits to members in distress. The total expenses for the year, amounted to \$232,433 56. Whole amount of cash on hand, \$430, 461 05. Per centage due the Grand Divisions 23 in number, amounted to \$33,150 95.

No official returns were received from Mississippi and Missouri—but they are supposed to number 320 Divisions, and 13,000 members.

It will appear from the above, that the average amount received by the Grand Divisions from the subordinate Divisions, is about \$1000. Deduct this from the whole amount on hand, and it will leave an average amount of \$71 42, for each subordinate Division.

The above statement embraces 256 Divisions, numbering 6676 members in Canada West, Nova Scotia, &c., the receipts of which amount to \$32,777 68.

If we take off these 6676 members not in the U. S. we have 225,516—the whole number of members in the U. States, except Mississippi and Missouri, which are set down by the National Division at 13,000.  
JNO. P. ANTHONY, W. P.



## LINCOLNTON:

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1851.

FOR CONGRESS.  
GREEN W. CALDWELL,  
OF MECKLENBURG.

#### Our Town.

Though business is dull at this time, owing to our country folks being busy with their harvest, the mechanical interests of the town are pushed along with increasing energy. Mr. Wm. R. EDWARDS, has just erected a steam engine at his Cupola Furnace, which whistles and snorts incessantly over its hard and useful labors. It is a pretty piece of machinery, and as the first thing of the kind in Old Lincoln, will attract much attention. Mr. C. C. HENDERSON, has an extensive building nearly completed, where he intends tanning leather by steam, his engine being made at the Lincoln Factory, and it is presumed will soon be completed. Such enterprises reflect great praise on the gentleman concerned, and we trust they will meet with ample remuneration for their great outlay. It is such men as these "that constitute a" town.

All other mechanical branches are in successful operation, especially carpentering, there being three private residences now going up; for Mr. W. H. ALEXANDER, by J. P. ANTHONY, and THOS. WELLS, and JAMES TRIPLETT, by themselves, being both mechanics.

The Odd Fellows Hall, is now nearly completed—it is a very neat frame building with an enpola on top, neatly painted; and sets off its neighborhood considerably. It is on the Main street east of the Court House, opposite the Methodist parsonage, and has been built with the assistance of our citizens, who subscribe quite liberally when applied to, for all such purposes.

The Messrs. HOKE & HOUSER, are progressing as fast as water will allow them in the building of the town bridge—the last pillar is nearly completed, and as the frame work is in readiness, we presume it will not be long before we can again cross the South Fork, without danger of a ducking.

Besides the Odd Fellows, we have here a Masonic Lodge, two Divisions of Sons of Temperance, a Section of Cadets, an Episcopal, Presbyterian, Methodist and Lutheran Church, and a Male and Female Academy—the Male is closed at present, but we learn will soon be re-opened by the Rev. THORNTON BUTLER, a gentleman in

every way calculated to give satisfaction.

Under such representations, our distant friends will find that Lincoln is looking up, and we hope soon to tell them, that sufficient is subscribed for the Plank Road, which will enhance the value of property, and prove a new spur to the business of our county and its town.

#### Celebration at Morganton.

The Festival of St. John the Baptist, was celebrated by Catawba Valley Lodge, A. F. Masons, at Morganton, on the 24th inst. A large number of the craft were present, making in their procession quite an imposing appearance as they marched to the Court House, where very beautiful and impressive prayers were read by the Rev. Brother MORRIS, and an able and eloquent Address delivered, by Dr. A. G. MACKAY, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of S. C. It will be published in the *Masonic Miscellany*, of which Dr. M. is Editor.

At two o'clock, the craft sat down to dinner at the Mountain Hotel, where things were got up in Dr. HARVOLD'S usual style. The afternoon was spent in social converse, and the evening was enlivened by the presence of the fair. The ladies turned out in large numbers, and seemed to enjoy themselves greatly notwithstanding the warmth of the weather and the crowded hall. It is seldom we see such an array of beauty as was here presented; and we have no doubt that every man felt that it was a compliment to the Order. It told them that the eloquent defence of its Orator was not lost, but that woman believed, that in the Masonic obligation was to be found one of their surest safeguards against the snares and sorrows that beset their paths. The heart kept pace with the excellent music, while the graceful movements showed the dancing master had been abroad, as many anxious mamma found their daughters were out at three in the morning.

We cannot close this article, without expressing the general delight at the beautiful music, vocal and instrumental, furnished by the ladies of the choir—it was by no means the least important part of the ceremonies of the day. If ever we chance in Morganton on a Sunday, we will try and find out the Church those "melodious" go to.

#### A. F. M.

By virtue of a dispensation from the Grand Officers, LUKE BLACKMER, Esq., of Salisbury, Grand Senior Warden, opened Lincoln Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. The following are the officers elected, until the meeting of the Grand Lodge in December next.

A. W. BURTON, W. M.  
WM. JENKS, S. W.  
THOS. J. ECCLES, J. W.  
J. T. ALEXANDER, Sec'y.  
E. S. BARRETT, Treas.  
L. P. HENDERSON, S. D.  
E. H. MOSS, J. D.  
J. A. JETTON, Tyler.

The form of Installation was publicly gone through with on Saturday, in the Court House. When this was gone through with, Mr. BLACKMER made a short and impressive address, and one well suited to the occasion. The Lodge opened under favorable auspices, and we feel satisfied while it follows the example, and obeys the precepts of its worthy Grand Senior Warden, the craft will resume the high position it had almost forfeited.

The *Charlotte Journal* is rather hasty in stating, that Maj. CALDWELL refused to unite with Gen. DOCKERY in making appointments. If the editor's paper comes out again before the election, he may make the correction. Maj. C. will meet Gen. D. at every place except Stanley, as on the 18th he must be in Cabarrus, where he will address his brother citizen soldiers.—We presume Gen. D. thinks, that Cabarrus county has been transferred to him by Mr. DARGAN; but there is an old couplet—

"Be not too free with him to ent,  
Who offers you another's meat?"

And we have our doubts whether Mr. DARGAN had much to give away, from the applause with which his declination was received. But

"Peace be with him, his untimely doom  
Shall be thus marked upon his costly tomb;  
"Fate cropped him short—for he it understood,  
He would have lived much longer—if he could."

By reference to the advertising columns, our readers will find much property advertised. The Laurel Hill Factory is to be sold on the 14th of July—the negroes of Col. Motz Estate, on the 15th—and JOHN FALLS, Esq., of Gaston, offers his property for sale, as even he proposes to spend the remnant of his days in the far west. Read the advertisements always, you will there find much to interest you.

The Governor of South Carolina has issued his proclamation authorising the managers of elections throughout that State, to hold an election on the 2d Monday of October next, and day following, for Deputies to a Southern Congress.