

grinds the cane of his neighbors, of which a paying business of it. He says that the growing of the sorgnum cane does not ex haust the land, as it it generally thought.

King Killing.

still more "uneasy." The latest attemapt at moved. assassination was made upon KingHumbert. the King of Italy, by an Italian cook named

inflicted any serious wound. An unsuccess ful attempt upon King Alfonso, of Spain, was made last month, and three attempts. during this year, have been made to kill the old Emperor of Prussia, who seems to

Capt. John W. Taylor, while walking in his farm recently with his gun unloaded suddenly started up a partridge, and before it could fly out of range, he had loaded the gun and killed the bird! Who can beat that? This gentleman has killed with an ordinary rifle a horse-fly while flying. Now, what chance would a prisoner have to escape from such a sheriff? When the Western Railroad was completed to Jonesboro, four of the best sportmen of Cumberland and four from Chatham had a competitive bird hunt at that place and sheriff Taylor (who was one of the Chatham four) killed twice as many birds as all the Gumberland men together 1

The Chatham Trade.

The trade from this county is worth more to Raleigh, than that of any other county in the State, and especially at this season of the year. Scarcely a day passes now but a long line of wagons may be seen going through this place, on their way to Raleigh, all loaded with the varied products of this county, such as cotton, flour, oats, bacon, pork, poultry, eggs, &c., while droves of cattle and flocks of sheep frequently accompany them. And this will continue almost uninterruptedly until spring. Of course after selling their produce, our farmers trade out most of their money before leaving Raleigh. It is very natural then, that the enterprising business men of that city should endeavor to compete for that trade by advertising in the RECORD, the only paper published in Chatham, and which is read by nearly every man in the county. It is thought that much of the Chatham trade will be diverted from Raleigh to Fayetteville, as soon as the Railroad is extended from Egypt to the Gulf, so that there will be quite a comgood markets.

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