

TO ADVECT

There are but two more issues of THE GARRITE for this year and but one more before Christmas. Those who intend to get their announcements before the public in time to get the benefit of the Christmas trade will find their last opportunity in next

The paper, without unforescen bin-drance, will come out a little earlier usual next week, and we make this request for our mutual benefit: Send in copy for new advertise before Monday noon.

OUR EXPOSETION CONTENT.

Only one week of it remains. The result will be announced in next Thursday's paper. If the contest were to close to-day a club of less them fire subscribers would win that beautiful 58.00 rocking chair at Armstrong's. In it possible that you cannot by a little active work raise a club of five subscribers in your town or neighborhood ? Try it, and let yours be the name heralded to next week's paper from one end of the county to the other as the winner of the prize.

Don't wait another moment. The cliair is worth many days' work. One day's work may make it yours. Rend particulars on fourth page, get up a list of all you can, and report with mimes and money before nine o'clock next Wednesday night.

THE CURRENCY STRUCTSON.

While desirous of substituting Sherman purchase notes and United States Treasury notes with a broader and better money, the people will thunder their desproval of any further contraction.—Ruleigh News & Observer.

Which is better, to contract the nation's gold money or its paper prommen? Under the present system these Sherman notes and greenbacks are used to dig away the foundation of the mustry's credit and the country's enriency. The time has come when this government should have a safe, definite, and sufficient currency system. It has suffered too much already from "cowardly makeshifts" and "long indulgence in Bi-advised Spancial ex-

It will not do to say that the notes above mentioned are floated without interest, and should not therefore be retired in favor of other notes based ra interest-hearing bonds, as suggested by Mr. Gleveland. What has it cost and what is it likely to cost the government to float them without interest? This question is answered in the following words from the Presi-

the following words from the President's recent message:

"When " " " we are reminded that to marry on this estounding financial scheme the government has incurred a bunded indebtodeses of \$95,500,000 in establishing a gold reserve, and of \$192,515,400 in efforts to mulestainly that the annual interest charged on such bunded indebtodeses is more than \$11,000,000, that a continuates in our present policy may remain in further bond issues, and that we have auffaced or are threatened with all this for the rate of supplying gold for alignment or facilitating its hourding at home, a situation is exhibited which cortainly ought to arrest attration and provoke immediate legislative rollet."

If the New & Observer has a better scheme with which to meet the con-

If the Search Observer has a botter schame with which to meet the conditions present than that offered by the President, it would do will to lay its plane before the public for countdention. But we want to autumit that in the solution of so grave a problem that is small encouragement to hope for help from a nource that is hyunted by a morbid fear of the "thender" of the people's disapproval. That is the detail of the deungogue and time server not of a sensitio man of affairs.

Two Bury Salve in the world for old, Brusen, Soren, Ulears, Salt Learn, Peter Store, Teles, Chapped ands, Chilbiana, Corns, and all Phinaption, and positively oness Tibe. I be pay required. It is governable give perfect anisheation, or measy made. Price 35 mats per too. For the by Curry & Ketnedy.

In resty to the request of a correst oudent, the Atlanta Journal resugreet and republishes the famous auti-five pondent, the Atlanta Jeures of a corres-and republishes the famous anti-free coinage lexist of President Chroland, written before his last positiontion, in unswer to an invisation to attend a mosting of the Raform Cipb of New York to disquas the coleans question. It was as follows:

KEW Your, February 10, 1801.

Bloom Andrews, Chabrasa.

Black Stan-1 have the afternoon reading flow and involving out in along the converse eventual the manufact and the conference of the company of vesting the anomaly outled for the company of vesting the appearance of our day to the property of the control of the conference of the conference of the control of t

How any man who favored Cleve-and for the nomination in 1892 in the How any man who favored Cleveland for the nomination in 1898 in the
face of this letter, or who, whether
favoring his nomination then or not,
condoned his opposition to free coinage by voting for him, can have the
face to turn around now and say that
the President has deceived the people
and betrayed the party, is more than
the average intellect can comprehend.
If the Democratic party did not want
a sound money candidate for President
in 1893 it had the foregoing letter before it and it ought not to have nominated Cleveland. If there was any fault
in the matter it belongs to the party
and not to the man. He has never
tried to fool anybody about where he
stood on the coinage question or any
other, ite iso't that sort of a man.

Hotice to Collegie pland Plain Dealer.

The champion acheme to biuff collectors has been discovered in one of Clewland's big office buildings. It was invented by its owner, who is engaged in professional pursuits, and consists of a neutly framed sign, bearing tistse words:

NO BILLS PAID UNTIL APTER THE 10th OF BACH MONTH.

..... It is a reversible affair, and the only ectors who call on the 18th of the month or later are confronted with this *************************

NO RILLA PAID APPER THE 10th OF EACH MONTH.

Surprised at Bror Bland.

Lousville Courter-Journal.

When Mr. Bland arrived in Savannah Thursday, and found that only one seat had been sold for his free-eliver lecture that night be cancelled his engagement. We are surprised at Brer Bland. A man who can make aixteen cumoes of silver equal to ne ounce of gold can surely make one seat equal to sixteen seats, and a man who can make one seat equal to sixteen seats, can of course, make sixteen seats, can of course, make sixteen seats equal to sixteen hundred exats. Why did not Magician Bland wave his flat wand over that one seat, and lecture to a packed house.

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Elopers can get points from a couple in Greene coupty who chose the time when the girl's parents were attending a hanging at Tartopro to run away and get married. It was a rudo shock to the parents to retarn to their home after a day delightfully spent at a public execution and find their daughter had been spirited away by a bold and rude man. Thus it is that pleasure and pain are mixed.

Portland (Me.) Advertiser,

A Portland merchant has recently had illustrated to him, in the person had illustrated to him, in the person of two commercial trayelers, great viciositudes of fortune. One who call d to solicit trade for a certam brand of catcup was at one time one of the leading merchants of Boston, and his residence, when adversity came, sold under the hammer for \$73,000. The other, who had a line of cigara, had been twee elected Governor of one of the largest of the Middle Western States.

> Stightly Better Gal. apolie Journal.

Weary Watkins—Don't you believe the poor is gettin' poorer right along? Hungry Higgins—I hadn't noticed nothins of the sort. I owed \$18 ten years ago and I didn't have a cent. Tarday I ain't got a cent, but them cebts is outlawed; no I guess they is one pore man a little better off.

Started Right if he Did Start Late.

Charlotte Observer. The Old Purnece correspondent of the Gastonia Gazarra writes it of a mas OS years old, in his seighterhood, who a few days ago hought a blue-back spelling book for his own use. He has started right; the only matter for regret is that he has started his education so late.

We know of but one community in the world where dyspopule is prestically unknown, and that to the Shakers of Mount Lebencon, N. To Those good people have been studying the subject of digestics for more than a hundred years, and that they understand is peetly theroughly is evidenced in the foregoing fact. Their Digestive Cordial is the nafest and best reserving to asses of indigestion that we know of. A trial buttle can be indifferently our druggists for the briding same of 10 cents.

The Shaker Digestive Cordial supplies the system with food already digested, and at the name time side the digestion of other foods. It will almost instantly relieve the ordinary symptome of indigestion, and no authors and to be told what these are

LAXOL is the best medicine for bildren. Destors recommend it is Practices wherever his services are manifest.

STRES OF NEWS

Yorkville has two colored culprits in the chainging for stealing turbeys. The Southern Railway will revive The Courseien, Senter Butter's news-paper, is prespering despite the bard times. It is putting in a \$4,000 press. Mr. Frank Jarrett tells the Newton Enterprise that he killed a bug last week, 14 months old, that weighed 348

President Clevebund is spending the week in the centern part of the State along the waters near Hatterns shooting ducks and things.

The Spartanburg Sparton says land bus been bought at Biseksburg for a palp mill. The company intends to make wood pulp for exporting to other

St. Louis has been selected by the Mational Committee as the place for the meeting of the next National Republi-can Convention. The date is June 16,

The Senate on Monday confirmed the nomination of Rufus W. Reckham of New York for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States to succeed the late justice Howeli E. Jackson, of Tennesses.

In Ohio the public funeral of a man who died of small-pox caused an out-break of the maindy. This is one in-stance in which the postponement of the funeral "until a year afterward" might have been strictly proper.

The Farmers' Alliance has purchased from the estate of the late Paul C. Cameron the old mulitary academy at Hillsboro with five buildings and 140 acres of land, the price paid being \$3,500. The buildings are to be fitted up for a tunnery and shoe factory and also for the head quarters of the Alliance. The buildings included in the purchase are all brick says one.

Rev. John B. White, pastor of the Edenton Church, was unanimously chosen by the Baptist State convention to succeed the late lumented Dr. C. Durham as corresponding secretary of the convention. He was recommended by a committee econposed of Dr. C. E. Taylor and one member from such association. He is a strong young man of gifts and ability.

what is said to be the greatest auction the world has ever known took place at Topeka, Kansas, Tureday. The entire system of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railway with 10,000 miles of track, 2,000 locomotives, and thousands of cars, and buildings, rights, and franchises aggregating the value of \$350,000.000 were to be sold under order of court.

The November number of McClure's The November number of McClure's Magazine, containing the opening chapters of the Life of Lincoln, was out of print in two weeks after publication, increasing the circulation by 45,000 new subscribers. The first editition for December will be over 200,000 cupies, a further increase of 25,000, and will contain other chapters in Lincoln's early life with 36 nightness four porearly life with 25 pictures, four por-traits of Lincoln. One of the Lincoln pictures and many of the other illus-trations have never before been pub-lished.

It has been said that two piaces on the face of the earth do not change— Damascus and Hillsboro. But soon this can be said so more, if newspaper reports are true. The Alliance shoe factory is to be located at Illilaboro, and this will be one change for the old

\$100 Boward, \$100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded discuss that selected has been able to curn in all its stages, and that is Chiarrin, hall's Caterrin Cure is the only prairies ourse known to the redical fraternity, caterri being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment, Hall's Caterrin Cure is taken internally, sotions directly on the blood and nurse surfaces of the system, thereby desiroying the toundation of the dispoter, and giving the constitutions of the dispoter, and giving the patient strength to building up the constitu-tion and essating nature in doing its work. The propriators have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One trundred Dollars for say ease that it falls to cure. Send for its of testimonies. Address, F. J. CHENEY & O., Tolodo, O.

PHOTOGRAPHS!

All Kinds of Weather.

Yes, and Ferrotypes also-two for a quarter.

That View

you wanted of your house-now is a good time to have the work

Family Groups

are something to be valued in every household. I make them,

SEE ME IF YOU HAVE PHOTOS TO RE ENLARGED.

You Would Admire

a nice framed painting in your dising room or parlor. I have some nice ones that are cheap. Come and see them whether you intend to buy or

Respectfully,

J. B. BEARD.

W. H. HOFFMAN. -DENTIST-

GASTONIA, . . . - W. C.

68 Office over First National Bank.

Wm. H. LEWIS, -ATTORNET-AT-LAW-

Gastopia, N. U.

A CLEAR HEAD:

good digestion; sound sleep; a fine appetite and a ripe old age, are some of the results of the use of Tutt's Liver Pills. A single dose will convince you of their wonderful effects and virtue.

A Known Fact. An absolute cure for sick head-

ache, dyspepsia, malaria, sour stomach, dizziness, constipation bilious fever, piles, torpid liver and all kindred diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

a Audited by the Beard of County Commissioners to the Different Members Thereof, as Required in Section 713 of the Code. NORTH CABOLINA.

GASTON COUNTY. I, John J. Ormand, Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of mid County and State, do hereby cer-tify that the following is a correct statement of accounts audited by the Beard of County Commissioners of said county to the members thereof severally from the first Monday in December 1894 to the 30th day of November 1895 (both inclusive) to wit:

1894.
Dec. 3. Amt. paid J. R. Connell for 4 days commissioner. \$ 96 miles travel at 5c per m.
Dec. 4. Amt. paid J. F. Thomas for 3 days commissioner...
for 36 miles travel at 5 cents.

Jan. 7. Amt. paid J. R. Con-nell for 1 day as comr...... for 24 miles travel at 5c....

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Jan. 7. Amt. paid J. T. Carpenter for 3 days comr.
for 36 miles travel at 5c.
Jau. 7. Amt. paid Caleb Pasour for 4 days comr.
for 21 miles travel at 5c.
for 1 day on Comt. Ex.
Treas. Books.
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Jan. 7. Amt. paid G. A. Patrick for 9 days comr.
for 216 miles travel at 5c.
for 7 days on Bridge comt.
Feb. 4. Amt. paid J. R. Connell for 2 days comr.
for 24 miles travel at 5c.
Feb. 4. Amt. paid J. R. Connell for 2 days comr.
for 24 miles travel at 5c.
Feb. 4. Amt. paid J. F. Thomas for 3 days comr.

se for 3 days comr.
for 34 miles travel at 5c...
Moh. 4. Amt. paid G. A. Patrick for 4 days comr.
for 72 miles travel at 5c...
for 1 day on Bridge comt.

for I day on Bridge comt...

Mch. 4. Amt. paid J. T. Carpenter for 2 days comr.
for 36 miles travel at 5c...

Mch. 4. Amt. paid Caleb Pason for 3 days comr.
for 14 miles travel at 5c...

for 1 day on Bridge comt...

Apr. 1. Amt. paid J. B. Connell for 2 days comr.
for 48 miles travel at 5c...

May 6. Aunt. paid J. B. Con-May 6. Aust. paid J. R. Con-

June 4. Amt. paid J. F. Thom-

June 4. Amt. paid J. T. Car-peoter for 2 days comr..... for 18 miles travel at 5c..... June 4. Amt. paid Caleb Pa-sour for 1 day Ex. Treas. Books
for I day having boards made
for Hoyles' Br'dge
for 4 days services as comr.
for 21 miles travel at 5c..... for 1 day seiling and buying cow for County Home.....

for I day exam. Treas. books
June 4. Amt. paid J. R. Connell for 2 days comr...
for 2 days on Finance comt.

for 2 days on Finance comt.
for 24 miles travel at 50.
July 8. Amt. paid J. T. Carpenter for 2 days comr....
for 1 day on School Board...
for 1 day on Equalization
Board
for 54 miles travel at 50.
July 8. Amt. paid J. R. Connell for 2 days comr...
for 1 day on School Board...
for 1 day on School Board...
for 1 day on Equalization
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For 72 miles travel at 5c...

July 8. Am't paid J. F. Thomas for 2 days comf.

for 1 day on School Board...

for 1 day on Equalization

Board For 26 miles travel at 5c....

Board for 168 miles travel at 5c

for 1 day on Equalization Board for 28 miles travel at 50.... for 28 miles travel at 50.

Sept. 2. Ant, paid J T. Carpetter for 2 days comr.

for 30 miles travel at 5c.

Sept. 9. Amt, paid J.F. Thomas for 2 days comr.

for 12 miles travel at 5c.

for 2 day on Bridge.

Sept. 9. Amt, paid Caleb Pasons for 2 days comr.

for 1 day exam'g Treasurer's Books.

8 00 5 60 TOTAL 9894.78 And I do forther certify that the Board was in measion IS days (including I day on Mebool Hoard and I day on Board of Equalication); and that the following suverified accounts were allowed:

allowed:
March 4. Amount pold Pinkney
Mitsbem for degtor bill and expenses
keeping Christie Heavner from Dec.
51, 1864 to Feb. 4, 1806, \$15.78.
Amount claimed, \$35.00.
JOHN J. ORMAND, Clerk,

"The Flour is Out."

You don't want to hear that information from your good wife during the Holidays, do you? If you want to enjoy your Christmas you'd better not let the flour run low.

Provide Right Now

against such a possibility by bringing your wheat to Mo-Laughen's City Roller Mills. He will make it into flour that is sure to please.

That Seed Cotton.

You'd as well bring that along too and let us gin it for you.

Did you say Lumber ?

Don't forget that we have a well equipped saw mill and solicit your patronage in that line. Call to see us.

G. F. McLaughen, Proprietor City Roller Mills.

Remember the Dead. The Castonia Steam Marble

and Granite Works.

Having bought the interest of J. B. Beard in the above named business, we take pleasure in announcing that we shall remain at the same stand and intend to run a

FIRST CLASS MARBLE YARD.

We shall be able to fill all orders, and meet all demands of the trade in our line, and at reasonably short notice. See us before placing your orders for marble or granite work and let us save you

WAC BRADLEY FRANK HAPPERPIELD Proprietors.

CHESTER & LENGIR W. G. RAILROAD.

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L. T. NICHOLS, Superintendent, Chester, S. C.

Sale of Valuable Land BEST SELECTED STOCK OF

Hy virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Caston county, M. C., made on the 18th day of November, 18th, in the Spacial Proceeding entitled "Jacob Kiser, Administrators of the estate of Hyary Hummitt, deponency, against J. Frack Surumitt and others," I the commissioner appointed for the purpose, will sell to the highest bidder. In the town of Cherryville, N. C., as Is o'clock, M. on the state of the commissioner appointed for the purpose, will sell to the highest bidder. In the town of Cherryville, N. C., as Is o'clock, M. on the state of the commissioner appointed for the purpose, the lands mentioned in the petition in said proceeding, and known and designated as follows, viz One tract about one mile Wost of Cherryville on both sides of the C. C. S. K. Known as the Stribt tract, adjoining lands of Mobert O. Brown, Samuol S. Dellinger, S. D. Strough, War. P. Dellinger, M. C. Knodrick, and others containing about 160 serves. This tract will be sold as a whole; and in two lots with and tail Mond as the dividing line, and report of same made to Court at the groatest prior bid.

Also another tract in and near Cherryville.

of same made to Court at the greatest price bis.

Also another tract in and near Cherryville, X. C., adjoining the lands of A. W. Stroup, Fannie Beilinger, the Jno. J. McGinnas heigh, W. B. Requae, Joseph Black, C. P. Stroup, W. J. McGinnas and others, knuw a ar 'the Rossand still bouse tract' aontaining about 34 were, of which Amanda Summitts down overe. Bacris. Also three houses and lets in Cherryville, X. C., one of which is ecospied by D. L. R. Sammits, one occupied by A. J. Long, and the offer one occupied by P. C. Radisell. Also another lot is mid lows; un the Main Serest and C. t. R. R. known as 'the Mill late.' Terms of sale: Une half ough and the halance on a credit of als seeds and the halance on a credit of als seeds and the reserved til the entire purchase price is paid.

Forsome designing to view said lands will plouse and on W. J. McGinass or D. L. R. Sunnigh, S. C.
Piets of the same may be seen at J. Kiser's, Soape, S. C.
A Portion of 'tier Horne and still bruste irest' will be savreyed out late loss suitable for cashelmans and brashess brease. ips, f. C.
Royston of "tise Horne and still house of" will be surveyed out late loss suitable residences and business houses.

J. Kis ss., Commissioner. Nov. 16th, 1988.

· Notice.

In purposence of an order of resite, and a specing Them, 1895, of the Supergrave Court of Gastric Gast Monday the 6th day of January, 1806

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a truet of land, containing at acres more or loss, stemated near Burnty Orock in said country, lossing has see of J. B. Sreith, Jacob Jamkins, and others and upon which the said Wm. Steinard an ow readers.

If said land door nest terray a full and fair prior at said sind, I will them and throe pruceed by reat the said sind, I will them and throe pruceed by reat the saids for Jacob Country or the counting oron year to the highest thickey for chast.

B D S O D 25-4.

SANTA CLAUS

The New York Racket.

My line of Holiday Goods is now complete and will be in full display Tuesday night Dec 17.

Nearly 1,000 Dolls.

I have DOLLS for all the children, and many other pretty things that will make the little folks, glad and at prices cheaper than ever.

Beautiful Goods for Useful Presents.

My line of PLUSH ALBUMY, TOILET CASES, WORK BOXES, TIE, GLOVE, and HANDKERCHIEF BOXES are out of sight in BEAUTY and cheap in PRICE. A large lot of VASES, LAMPS, BASKETS, WRITING DESKS, SHAVING SETS, COLOGNE BOT-TLES, PHOTO FRAMES and many other pretty goods for Xmas.

Caps from 12% to 48 Cents.

Have you seen those GOLF CAPS? The latest out for Men, Boys, and Girls. In all colors from 20c to 48c. Also a nice line of Fancy Caps from 124c to 25c for children and babies.

JUST_RECEIVED.

Cloaks and Overcoats.

My second shipment of Cloaks for Infants and Children from \$1.25 to \$3.50. Call early and see them as they will not last long. A few more men's overcoats to close out cheap. A first class man's Rubber Mackintosh coat for \$4.00.

In Millinery I have made a special CUT PRICE for December to close out my FALL STOCK. Call and get our prices and I know we can please you in style and price.

Millinery.

Our Holiday Opening will be on Tuesday night, Dec. 17. You are cordially invited to be present on that occasion.

Special Discount to Christmas Tree Committees.

Very Respectfully.

P. T. HEATH, Proprietor, New York Racket Store.

Christmas!

Cleaning Up, Straightening Up, Filling Up for Christmas. We have the Largest and Cleanest stock of

Fancy and Staple Groceries,

Crockery and Glassware. to be found in the city. Send us YOUR orders. Prompt Delivery.

Gallant & Whitesides.

Rounding Up.

We are now approaching the end of 1893. In looking back over our business of the past year, we must be excused if we indulgs a little self-complacency, for we have kept and now have the

DRY GOODS and MILLINERY in the STATE

WEST OF CHARLOTTE. No greds heary with age or with wrinkled countenance cumber our helve, none but new and elegant designs appear on our counters.

This is not all; for we sell them as we buy them—CHEAP. Recollect, lease, that no house in Morth Carolina can undersell us. See our latest CAPES and CHENILLE CURTAINS.

A. C. WILLIAMSON & Co.

"Thieves Break Through and Steal."

Still, we can show our customers Clothing, Dress Goods, and Shoes THAT WILL STARTLE YOU In Low Prices and High Quality.

Underwear-We Have It. Our line of underwear is the best we ever carried. Our UNION SUITS are unsurpassed in quality and low price.

Groceries?-Then You Said It. Doesn't this edge on the weather put an edge on your appetite?
We have the supplies for you just to the rear of our dry goods room—complete line of staple and fancy groceries. Nice, sweet, and fresh.

And we deliver them promptly.

Costner, Jones & Co.

Nothing Succeeds Like Success.

The steady and lively stream of trade that has been flowing our way since we opened on the first of September and our

Large and Ever Increasing Sales bave demonstrated beyond question that there was a field awaiting us in Charlotte and that we are occupying it successfully. We didn't expect any cyclones, but the daily storms we have experienced from an appreciative people who storm our heavily-loaded counters and relieve them of their burdens of

Elegantly Stylish Fall Clothing have been gratifying to us in in no small degree. By the way, we want to get

Fall Overcoats. Cold weather is coming. Don't try to reason that fact away—pneumonia may get you. It's an overcoat you need. We have them light or heavy, silk or satin lined, all in the height of style—the prettiest line in town.

10 W. Trade St., Charlotte, M. O .- Next door to Baruch.