## THE FAIR!

The Annual Exhibition of the Mecklenburg Agricultural Society will be held on the Fair Ground, half a mile east of town, where the various Committees will please prices were paid. report themselves as early in the day of the 18th as possible.

It is hoped that all who feel an interest in Agriculture will attend, and bring with them whatever articles they may have that will in any way add to the interest of the

Persons from a distance expecting to exhibit Stock of any kind, are requestedwhere practicable-to send them in the day previous to the exhibition .- Stalls and Pens will be in readiness on the Ground, and near by.

JNO. A. YOUNG. DAVID PARKS. JNO. L. SPRINGS, H. B. CUNNINGHAM, JAS. H. DAVIS. JOHN M. POTTS, ROBT. F. DAVIDSON.

Executive Com. (Hon. A. W. Venable has been invited to deliver an Address on the occasion, and Try it. it is hoped that he will accept the invita-

### ARRESTED.

Last Friday night a white man was committed to Jail in this place for attempting to run off slaves. He gave his name as Jos Underwood, and is said to be a native of Union county. The circumstances which led to his arrest, as near as we can learn, are as follows: A negro man belonging to David Parks, Esq., was returning home through the suburbs of town, after night, and was accosted by Underwood with the interrogatory if he did not desire to be set free-that if he did, he would write him a wass and have him, with others, conveyed off next Saturday night. The negro told him he would go and invited him to his master's Kitchen for the purpose of making | ried both branches of the Legislature. arrangements, and immediately informed his master of the conversation. A plan was formed for the arrest of Underwood. After the negro and Underwood had entered the Kitchen, officer Harris took position near the door and heard the coversation carried on, which is unnecessary to detail here. The negro found out all he could from the fellow and then walked out and intimated to Mr Harris that he might take charge of the chap, which he did and marched him off ness. He did not write the negro a pass, for | Congress. it appears that he is uneducated and cannot

STATE CONVENTION .--- The Salisbury Banner suggests that the Democratic State Convention, for the nomination of a caudidate for Governor, be held early in Februnot held before that time, many delegates | be avoided in the future. He said : who may have business at the courts, will not be able to attend; and thus, the nomination of a candidate, being made by a few persons who may be able to attend, would not be so warmly approved."

the middle of May is time enough. Our friend of the Banner is mistaken about the danger of the nomination being made by a "few persons." The last Convention met held in that month again. Another objection to nominating in February is, that we can see no necessity.

THE CHARLOTTE FEMALE ACADEMY .-We desire to keep the attention of the public directed to this Institution, now in operation under the direction of Rev. Mr Burwell and lady, for by its success we believe this section, and especially the town of Burwell has reduced his price from the figures first established, making it within the reach of all to patronize the Institution. Those having young ladies to educate now have no excuse for sending them off, as the facilities here offered are as good as any in the State.

COMMON SCHOOLS .- The Fall Distribution of the Common School Fund is publishcoln \$830,88, Gaston \$867.36, Union \$1,- than twenty dollars. 110 96, Ircdell \$1,567 44, Cabarrus \$1,-040 88, &c. We will publish the whole table next week.

CASH SYSTEM. - We notice that several satisfactorily to both publisher and sub- praise it, however deserving it may be. scriber. A newspaper at \$2 or \$3 a year is the cheapest thing in the world, and it is months, never once think of the necessity of paying for it. Many not only neglect to pay, but when reminded of their indebtedness, manifest surprise and think there must be some mistake, when in reality the only mistake about the matter is of their own making, by neglecting to pay \$2 each | culty occurred yesterday at Winnsboro',

our thanks for a copy of the Decision in the Dred Scott case.

The Bank of Wadesborough has de- the wife of Mr. Rion, for which Player re- at very low prices, yet giving them instrucclared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. | fused to apologize.

GOOD SIGNS.

The fair price property brings when hard. At Monroe, Union county, last thereby giving offence to pro-slavery men price as they would have brought six issued a proclamation, a portion of which months ago. A little girl, probably not is as follows: more than 8 years old, brought \$550; a woman, 60 years old, with rheumatism,

sold for \$250. Others equally as high. We learn that at a sale in Steele Creek (on the Providence road) on Wednesday all kinds brought its full value, and in and Thursday, the 18th and 19th instant, many cases what might be considered high votes. This county is located in the ex-

We have never believed that there was any good reason why the people in this section should so universally cry "hard times." A merchant in Charlotte, who deals largely in Dry Goods, told us the other day that his sales in October were The Ludies are particularly invited to larger than ever before, and the probability contribute specimens of their | was that the November business would be equally as good. We have heard other merchants, also, speak of their large sales. Now, we are not prepared to say whether these large sales are induced by a plentiful supply of money in the pockets of buyers, provender can be had at Maj. B. Morrow's or by the cheapness of the goods offeredno doubt both have their influence, but particularly the latter, if we may be allowed to express the opinion on the ipse dixit of the merchants themselves.

One thing is certain, if those who have money would loosen their purse-strings a little and pay their debts, everybody would feel easier and trade would progress briskly.

## STATE ELECTIONS.

Last week elections were held in Maryand, New York, Massachusetts, New Jer sey, Louisiana and Wisconsin.

NEW YORK .-- The democracy have achieved a victory in New York. They have carried the State by over 10,000 majority. The House is democratic, but the black republicans have a majority in the Senate. The democratic majority in the city of New York is about 23,000.

MASSACHUSETTS.-N. P. Banks, (late peaker of the House of Representatives) has been elected Governor. The black republicans have the whole State.

New Jersey .- The democrats have car-

MARYLAND .- This State has gone for the whig-Americans. The city of Baltimore usury laws are the relics of a barbarous gives an increased American vote. There was some lighting during the day, and one or two men killed. In one of the wards many naturalized voters were driven away do not agree to this idea. I think the peowas some fighting during the day, and one from the polls and not allowed to vote, which accounts for the increased know-

Louisiana .- The democratic State ticket to Jail. Underwood told the negro that is elected and the Legislature is democratic. others were connected with him in the busi- Four democrats and one whig elected to

carried Wisconsin by 5,000 majority

# SPECIE CURRENCY.

The Hon. W. W. Boyce, of South Carolina, recently addressed his constituents of ary, for the reason, says the Banner, "that | Chester. He reviewed the financial conin the east and west the courts begin on dition of the country and suggested a plan the 1st of March; and if the Convention be | by which difficulties of a like nature might

There should be no bank bills under \$20, and to accomplish this purpose I would urge an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, to ensure uniformity throughout the country. The object of paper money being simply to facilitate ex-We think February too early. About changes, I cannot conceive any imaginable reason founded on the public good, why the minor exchanges-that is, all exchanges under \$20-should not be in gold and silver. There is no doubt whatever that the supply of specie would be ample for this in May, and the attendance was large, and purpose. The California gold mines alone we have no doubt it will be full enough if are producing 20,000,000 per annum. and every man could have his pocket full of gold if there were no small bills in circulation. To this extent, then, the circulation it will make the canvass too long, for which | would be perfectly sound, perfectly independent of bank expansions, pressures or panics. I have not the data at hand to sas and his letter to the New England clerpendent of bank expansions, pressures or show to what extent the circulation of bank bills would be cut off by this provision, but it would be considerable. But the advantage does not stop here. The fact that all the exchanges under \$20 had to be made in specie, would create a necessity for specie, and ensure a constant demand upon the banks for specie, which would of itself Charlotte, will be greatly benefitted. Mr be of incalculable advantage, as constantly acting as a preventive against undue ex- per gallon. The retail prices, in conse-

If Mr Boyce's plan were adopted, remittances by mail of small amounts, would be out of the question, except by those who reside in towns and could procure checks. We like the circulation of specie very well, but we don't want to see all chances cut off for our delinquent subscribers to send us, by mail, the small amounts of their ined in the Raleigh papers of Saturday. debtedness, which would be the case if Mecklenburg county gets \$1,406 88, Lin- there were no bills of a less denomination

"If Cotton has fallen nine cents a pound the people have the Democracy to thank for it."-Raleigh Register.

And when Cotton advanced nine cents newspapers in this State are adopting the per pound, the people had the democracy cash system as the only means of getting to thank for it; and if it ever goes up again what they earn. Those papers that have the people will have the democracy to thank been conducted according to the cash rule for it. Know-nothingism is ever ready to speak highly of it, and say that it works blame the democracy, but never willing to

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The Association in Greensboro', for astonishing-strange indeed-that people, the erection of a Monument to the memory in the United States. The English exporafter reading it for twelve or twenty-four of Gen. Nathaniel Greene, has been organized by the election of Hon. John M. Morehead as President.

DISTRESSING OCCURRENCE .- We learn, with painful regret, that a personal diffibeteewn Maj. Rion and Mr. John Player, in which the latter was killed by the form-Hon. Asa Biggs will please accept er .- Columbia Carolinian November 6th.

was improper conduct by Player towards agents may be able to purchase the staple

THE KANSAS DIFFICULTY.

A great deal of excitement has been offered for sale in this part of the State, created in some quarters by Gov. Walker, does not indicate that the times are very of Kansas, rejecting certain election returns, week, a lot of negroes sold at as high a Gov. Walker and Secretary Stanton have

"Since our proclamation of the 19th inst., rejecting the so-called election returns from the Oxford precinct, in Johnson county, another very similar case has been presented for our official action. It is that of preneighborhood, in this county, property of tended returns from three precincts of Mc-Gee county, in this territory, containing an aggregate of more than twelve hundred treme southeastern portion of Kansas, is constituted from the lands of the Cherokee Indians which are not yet open to preemption or settlement, and is consequently of the most sparsely populated counties of the Territory, containing less than one hundred qualified voters, and giving last June but fourteen votes for delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

Indeed, all persons actually conversant with the number of the population of the county treat with derision the large vote retended to have been given there. Our nformation also excludes the idea that there was any incursion of voters from the neighboring State of Missouri, whose people do not seem to have interfered in the recent election. It is, then, quite evident | fog. that no such vote as is presented in these pretended returns was given at the late election in this county."

The proclamation goes on to state that the returns bear evidence of being fictitious; that they (Walker and Stanton) have rejected no vote that was legal, but in the case under consideration the proof was plain that fraud was intended and a disreputable attempt made to destroy the elective franchise.

## USURY LAWS.

The representative to Congress from the Columbia District, Mr Boyce, in a recent speech, advocated the repeal of the Usury Laws of South Carolina, allowing individuals, as well as Banks, to loan their money out at whatever they can get for it. Speaking of the law of South Carolina on this subject, he said:

"The usury laws prevent the taking of more than seven per cent for the loan of money. Suppose the Legislature were to enact that the owner of a house should not receive more than a rent equal to 7 per cent. Society would exclaim with one voice, such legislation is an infringement of the right of property, and absurd in the extreme. And society would be right, too, for there is no difference in principle between the cases. If it is wise to permit the owner of a house to receive what he can for an independent Government. It is possible the use of it, why is it not wise for the owner of money to do the same thing? The age, and belong to the same school of legislation as a prohibitory tariff. They al ple have sense enough to take care of themselves, and each one understands his own interests better than government does. am a free trade man, and favor the largest liberty to capital and industry, having an earnest conviction that if trade is left free, whether in goods or money, it will regulate itself wisely. If money is worth more than seven per cent, let the owner receive it; if it is worth less he will not be able to get Wisconsin.-The black republicans have it. If free trade in money is allowed, the great principle of supply and demand will

regulate its price with unerring certainty. To make money plenty you have only to unite capital to unrestricted competition. By our law the banks cannot recive more than six per cent. on their discounts. As money is worth more than this, they cannot afford to loan at this price, and hence seek custom beyond the limits of the State. To prevent this evil, I say abolish the result will be to make them desire a home business, as it would be more under their own eyes and consequently safer. By abolishing the usury laws we will open a new field of profitable investment, to the people and the banks, and infinitely release our banking system from the jeopardy it is placed in by being exercised in other States."

An Anti-Slavery Society in Pennsylvania recently passed the following reso-

" Resolved. That in the election of James Buchanan to the Presidency, the cherished hopes of the slaveholder have thus far been gymen, proving him to be a pro-slavery politician, whose consistency on that subject is without a flaw."

COMING DOWN .- It is stated that in the New Orleans and other markets, sugar is selling (wholesale of course) at 4½ cents per pound, and molasses at 18 to 20 cts. quence, must fall also.

A Washington correspondent of the Charleston Mercury says:

The opinion your correspondent has heretofore expressed that a depression in the cotton market could not be effected in Europe without the weak assent of the American producer, is already verified; and the late news warrant the belief that there will be no falling off in the demand for American produce in general. We have,

the people must have food. way. But the reason is not of difficult dis- it .- Fayetteville Observer. covery. There is a depression, or a panic, ters are alarmed with respect to the solvenceased to honor their orders. They wish to sell goods, but wisely prefer keeping them to selling them where they regard the risk of payment as great. But the consumers of American cotton must have supplies; and since the goods are not being sent over to pay for them, they forward We learn that the cause of the difficulty the cash, in the hope that, with it, their

tions to purchase it.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Enquirer.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2, 1857 .- Presi dent Buchanan unequivocally condemns the action of Gov. Walker touching the Kansas elections, but yet there will be no removal. Secretary Floyd was telegraphed to New York on Friday evening last to hurry home to attend a Cabinet meeting today on the subject of Kansas, and I feel assured that Walker's action will be pronounced an error, and he will be reprimanded for falling into it in direct violation of his instructions of September 8th, in which he is specially charged to leave all questions of fraud to the Legislature where it properly belonged.

The President regrets this blunder the more, as it places the Southern members of his Catinet in an unpleasant position, and is likely to re-open the Kansas question throughout the South. Mr. Buchanan is surprised that Gov. Walker should have fallen into such an error, as his instructions were too plain to be misunderstood, and were prepared to meet precisely the state of case which occurred. Yet he says it was only an error, and his first one, which is also rather a matter of surprise, as he has had to steer through a narrow, crooked channel, full of snares, and enveloped in

The impression of Gov. Walker's friends here is, that he will receive the reprimand, acknowledge the blunder, and let his name be submitted to the Senate.

A letter from Mr. Stanton, the Secretary of the Territory, says that Gov. Walker is about starting to the East, and it is supposed he will be here by the opening of

IMPORTANT "RUMORS" FROM UTAH.—The Nebraska correspondent of the New York Times announces the arrival in that Territory of divers Mormon deserters, who left Salt Lake City early in October. They bring two weeks later intelligence, which, if true, is of high importance. They say that Brigham Young, at the head of a large force, was preparing to leave Salt Lake City to give battle to the United States troops. They further allege that the mountain pass, at which the Mormons will attempt to check the progress of the troops, is one that, in a military point of view, will n their rebellion they will receive material mate design is to throw off all allegiance to the Union, and establish themselves as that the story told by these mormon deserters may be exaggerated. We shall, however, soon learn the truth.

THE WESTERN HOG TRADE .--- The transactions in hogs continue dull at the West. The Louisville Courier says the market there is at a stand, with no prospect of prices being established for some time to come. The crop of corn is immense and the farmers can fatten their hogs at comparatively little expense, and being unwilling to accept low prices, will convert a large portion of their pork into bacon, which will not reach the market earlier than spring. The last contracts were at 64 to 64 cents. but buyers now refuse to contract at even 5 cents.

THE GRASSHOPPER PLAGUE IN MIN-NESOTA .- The Galena Advertiser says two gentlemen are in that city soliciting subscriptions for the relief of the sufferers usury laws, and let the banks loan their by the grasshopper plague, which desolatmoney out for what they can get. The ed many of the settlements in Northern Minnesota last summer. They represented that many families there are in suffering condition, and illy prepared to stand the

> A THOUGHTFUL WIFE IS A PRICELESS TREASURE.-Such a one has Mr. Peets, proprietor of the Phœnix Hotel, in Lansingburo, N. Y., which was destroyed by fire the other day. He has learned to his surprise, that his wife had effected an insurance of fifteen hundred dollars on his property, with her "pin money," unknown to

THE JENNENS PROPERTY .- The immense estate of the Jennens family was formally taken possession of, on Tuesday last, by Mr. Joseph Martin, the heir-in-law. Mr. Martin, accompanied by his uncle Mr. Jas. Martin, and one of his agents, Mr. George Pratt, proceeded by train to Sudbury, and from thence to Acton place, Suffolk, the residence of the late William Jennens "the rich." This portion of the property was purchased from the Daniels family by Robert Jennens, the father of William "the rich," and as the latter died intestate, it descends to Mr. Joseph Martin as an heirloom. The other portions of the estate are strictly entailed, and pass to Mr. Martin under wills which have been duly proved .-English Paper.

HIDING HIS TALENT .- In 1835, John Cone, of Haddam, Conn., received \$1000 of bills of the Middletown Bank, which he indeed, the authority of the Mark Lane carfully hid away. A few days ago he Express, the London Star, the Liverpool took the bills to the Bank, folded and la-North Times, and other journals, for the belled precisely as he received them six fact that the grain crop is short, and the years ago, and demanded and obtained potato crop inferior and defective. And specie for them. The Bank profit on so long a circulation (if it may be called cir-At first sight it appears an anomalous culation,) is about \$2000, and Mr. Cone thing for gold and silver to be crossing the | might received nearly that amount in incold and silver is so immensely the other safe person to whom he might have loaned

At the late State Fair there was exhibited a beautiful embroidered handkercy of the American importers. They have chief and other work, by the Misses A. & E. Kron, Stanly county. This handkerchief was regarded as a peice of extraordinary needle-work. The silk of which it was composed was raised, spun, woven and finished entirely by these young ladies. They also exhibted a great variety of colored thread made by themselves. The delicacy of shade and brightness of color of these silks were much admired. North Carolina may well feel proud of two such daughters.

SINGULAR MARRIAGE. - A correspondent t Litchfield sends the Nashville (Tenn.) azette the following announcement of

somewhat singular union: "In Litchfield, Grayson county, on the 12th October, by Judge Val. Yates, John Roberts Wells to Miss Emeline Jeanes, of Grayson. The bride is 28 years old, 36 inches high. and weighs 45 pounds. The bridegroom is six feet high, weighs 160 lbs., and is 35 years old. The parents of the bride are wealthy."

The last sentence accounts for the "singular marriage." Money hides deformity and a multitude of sins.

The Governor of South Carolina has appointed Thursday, the 19th inst., as Thanksgiving day.

Judge Macbeth has been elected Mayor of Charleston by 125 majority.

W. A. Walton, Esq., has been elected Sheriff of Rowan county in place of Mr

Rioting in Philadelphia.

Klutts, deceased.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6 .- Some excitement was produced in this city to-day, by the marching through the streets of a band of some 12 or 15 men, having a banner on which was the motto, "We'll protect the Poor," and underneath the picture of a loaf of bread. The police captured their guns and dispersed the party.

Destructive Fire in Texas.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov 4 .- A fire occurred at Brownsville, Texas, on the 9th and 10th several others. The loss is estimated at unusually LIKELY, YOUNG and VERY

NEW YORK, Nov. 3 .- The foreign news is favorably construed. Money matters here are cheerful and stocks advancing. with a brisk inquiry.

Foreign Importations .- The imports of foreign goods at New York for the month of October will show about \$3,000,000 less than October 1856, and the exports of pro luce and miscellaneous articles \$1,500,-000 more. The loss of specie by export, \$4.500,000 less and the income of specie from abroad \$2,500,000 more, exclusive of

INSANE ASYLUM.-We learn that at the regular annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Asylum for the Insane, held on Tuesday last, Mr. E. A. Martindale of this City, was unanimously elected give them overwhelming advantage; that | Matron of that institution-the incumbent's term of office having expired. From a thorough personal knowledge of the qualiaid from the Indians; and that their ulti- fications of Mrs. M., in all respects, we believe no better selection could have been made. We congratulate every interest concerned .- Raleigh Standard.

> SALE DAY .- Notwithstanding th cial pressure, the town was well filled to day with persons from the country. At Commissioner's sale six tracts of land were sold at good prices; one tract containing 191 acres for \$1,050, another of 824 for \$1,400, one of 170 for \$1.525, one of 33 for \$765, one of 181 for \$1,810, one of 176 for \$2,250. One negro girl about 13 years old sold for \$800, another about 10 for \$610. Newberry Mirror.

The Postmaster General orders that all post-offices whose compensation does not exceed twelve dollars and a half per quarter can procure twine, wrapping paper and sealing wax, at Government expense, provided the charge does not exceed \$20 | day of DECEMBER next.

The lady who did not think it respectaole to bring her children up to work, has lately heard from her two sons. One of them is barkeeper on a flatboat, and the other is a steward in a brick-yard.

THE TIMES:-Gentlemen in want-Willing to pay double-Find that they can borrow Nothing now but trouble. Brokers all are breaking, Credit is all cracked, Women all expanding As the banks contract.

# EDUCATIONAL.

The Charlotte Female Academy is now open for the recep tion of Pupils, under the superintendence of the

Rev. ROBERT BURWELL and LADYteachers of long experience.

MUSIC and ALL THE ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES will be taught by competent instructors; and as the design of the Principal is to train young ladies for usefulness, every effort will be made to secure thorough instruction in every department.

He has secured, as Professor of Music, MR KERSSEN, a native of Germany, who has taught with success for several years in Philadelphia, and comes recommended by competent judges. The Sessions will correspond with those of Davidson College.

TERMS PER SESSION, PAYABLE HALF IN ADVANCE: Latin and Modern Languages, each, 10 00 Use of Piano for practice ...... 5 00

Drawing and Painting ..... \$10 to 20 00 Boarders will furnish their own towels and Pupils are charged from the time of entrance. No deduction made for absence, except in cases f protracted sickness. Nov. 10, 1857.

### LAND SALE. ON Friday of the Superior Court, 13th of 26th day of November, the following property of November, at the Court House in Charlotte.

will be sold a Tract of Land belonging to the heirs of John Montgomery, dec'd, containing 86 ACRES, more or less. The Tract lies on the waters of Sugar Creek. miles from Charlotte on the right of the C. & T. Plank Road, adjoining the lands of R. F. Barnett, J. P. Henderson, W. A. Sample, and others. It is well timbered, and from its nearness to Town is valuable for the supply of wood upon it. Terms accommodating and made

Oct. 10, 1857 Attorney for the heirs. FOR SALE.

I WILL SELL at Public or Private Sale, the House and Lot on which Joseph W. Ross now lives, on B. and 5th Streets, in the town of Charlotte, containing ONE LOT and a HALF. An excellent liwelling House

and other buildings are on the premises; also, Garden. Stables, Well, &c. Persons desirous of examining the premises can call on Mr J. W. Ross, who will show the same. I will sell at public sale on the 1st of January, 1858, if not sold before. S. H WALKUP.

MARRIED.

In Union county, on the 18th ult, by Henry Long, Esq. Mr James Love to Miss Mary I., daughter of Mr G. J. Green. In Cabarrus county, on the 8th ult, Dr. W. D. Caldwell to Miss A. A. Danlap. On the 20th ult, Mr Robert Davis of Gaston county, to Miss Pamela Thomas of York Dist. On the 3d inst., Maj. E. C. Postell of Iredell county, to Miss A. E. Collins of Warren,

DIED. In this town, on the 1st inst, Mr Robert Errington, aged about 60 years. In this county, Mrs Letitia Cunningham

In Raleigh, on the 2d instant, Mr Isaac Procter, aged about 38 years. In Wilmington, on the 1st instant, Mrs Elizabeth C. McInnis, wife of M. McInnis, Esq., aged In Marshall county, Miss., on the 29th Au

gust last, Mr James Ramsour, formerly of Lincoln county, aged 64 years. In Newberry District, S. C, on the 26th ult. Thomas F. Cole of Stokes county, N. C, aged about 28 years. In Wilmington, on the 3d inst, Mrs Sallie M. London, wife of Henry A. London, aged 43 yrs. In Moore county, on the 30th ult, Dr. Chas.

Chalmers. He was a member of the Convention

# to revise the constitution in 1835. **100 NEGROES** Real Estate, &c. &c.,

FOR SALE, By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed on the 13th day of October, 1857, I will expose to sale, to the highest bidder, one of the most valuable lot of Negroes ever offered to the public, consisting of mechanof Oct. Ninety-five kegs of powder ex- ics of almost every class, house-servants, ploded. killing four persons and injuring field hands. &c. This lot of Negroes are

> Also, A number of the best IMPROVED LOTS in the Town of Charlotte, con-

> sisting of Dwellings, Stores, Shops, &c. &c. One of the best Steam FLOURING MILLS in the southern country.

Also, a number of PLANTATIONS In this and adjoining counties.

400 head of Hogs, 100 head of the best BLOODED CATTLE in the south, 25 head of Mules, Likely and young, A large quantity of GRAIN, ROUGH-

NESS, FARMING TOOLS, &c. &c. Persons of the low country, wishing arms, would do well to examine these ands before sale, as all of them are in a advance figures. But little produce has nigh state of cultivation and with improvements of a very superior quality; all of them lying on or near the Railroads passing through this section of country, and all good cotton lands.

The loose Property, consisting of Stock, Provisions, &c., &c., will be sold at the SMART PLACE, 8 miles South of Charlotte. immediately on the Charlotte and S. C. Railroad, on TUESDAY, the 15th of December, at which time said place (SMART,) containing 1700 Acres, will be offered for sale.

The balance of the REAL ESTATE, of every discription, consisting of Town Property, Plantation, Steam Mill, &c., &c., together with the Negroes.

will be sold in the town of Charlotte, with out reserve, on THURSDAY, the 17th Charlotte, Nov. 9, 1857. Raleigh Standard, Columbia Carolinian, and

Charlesion Courier, copy semi-weekly for three weeks, and forward bills and one number of paper to Trustee.

EXECUTORS' SALE. On Thursday the 19th instant, at the late resi dence of Larkin Stowe, dec'd, will be sold number of fine Horses and Mules, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Farming Tools, 1 new road Wagon,

Cotton Gin, Threshing Machine, Cotton, Corn, Wheat, Oats, and a quantity of Hay and Fodder. Terms made known on the day of sale. J. STOWE. J. STOWE. Executors. W. A. STOWE

## Nov. 9, 1857 Administrators' Notice.

On Tuesday the 24th and Wednesday the 25th of November, we will sell at public auction, at the late residence of Mrs Mary Johnston, dec'd, in the county of Gaston, N. C., the following property of her estate: From 800 to 1000 bushels Corn,

A quantity of Hay, Folder & sheaf Oats, About 10,000 lbs. of Seed Cotton, road Wagon, a Carriage and Buggy and Harness; all the Farming Utensils, 1 sett of Blacksmith's Tools, a Cotton Gin, Hominy Mill, a fine Piano and Clock, a Library of Books.

Household & kitchen Furniture and Table Ware. From 50 to 60 head of Hogs, from 20 to 30 head of Cattle, five head of Horses & Mules, and a great variety of articles not here men-

Also, will be HIRED publicly or privately at the same time, the NEGROES of the Misses Mary and Martha Johnston. JOHN R. JOHNSTON Adm'rs.

NOTICE. As Administrator of Wm. Matthews, dec'd will sell at the house of said deceased on the

November 9, 1857

the intestate, viz : Two likely Negroes, The crop of Cotton, corn, Wheat, &c., Six head of Horses and 1 Mule, And all the other personal property of deceased usually sold by administrators. A credit of 12 months will be given and approved security required. At the same time several Negroes will SAML. B. HOWARD, Adm'r.

### Notice. As Executor of Jonathan Burlison, deceased,

I will sell on the premises of my testator, on the 3d day of December next, the following property of the said Burlison: FIVE LIKELY NEGROES, The Crop of Corn, Cotton, Wheat, &c. &c.

The stock of Cattle, Horses, Sheep, &c.,

and such other articles as are usually sold on such occasions. Twelve months credit will be given and note with approved security required.

Creditors of said estate are notified to present their claims duly authenticated within the legal time, and debtors are requested to make

payment. The Plantation of deceased will also be rented on the day of sale. SAML. H. WALKUP, Ex'r. Nov. 9, 1857 82-4t

NOTICE, FIREMEN. YOU will appear at the Engine House, on Saturday evening next, at 4 past 3 o'clock, in Oct. 10, 1857 S. A. HARRIS, Pres't.

# THE MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY T. M. PARROW Charlotte, Nov. 10, 1857.

(It should be borne in mind that the folowing are wholesale prices mostly. We endeavor to keep the quotations correct, but allowance must be made for the fact that prices frequently change immediately after the publication of the paper.

BACON, Hams per lb ..... 16 to 18

Bagging, co	otton, p	er yare	1		18 to	20
Butter, per	lb			5	20 to	25
Beeswax, pe	er 16			5	12 to	25
COTTON.	per l	b		10	14 to	11
COFFEE,	per 1b.	Rie .		13	d to	16
**	- 44	Lagu	ira	1	15 to	
- 44	44	Java		1	8 to	The second second
	44	Moch	a	3	20 to	
Corn, per b	ushel.	per 16	lbs		O to	
Corn, per b					o to	2000
Meal, per b	ushel.	per 48	lbs	6	0 to	military.
Oats, per bu	ashel .			. 1	3 to	
Chickens, e.	ach			19	d to	
CLOTH, C					2 to	
					5 to	
Eggs, per d	ozen .			1	0 to	12
FLOUR, po	r 100 l	lbs		. 26	2 10	0.00
" De	er bbl.			5 0	0 to	5 25
WHEAT,	er bus	hel			to to	
Feathers, pe	rlb			3	3 to	
Feathers, per lb				1	8 to	
Mutton, per	lb			1 750	5 to	
WOOL, wa	shed			2	7 to	
" un	washed	1		5	23 to	
BEEF on	the her	of, per l	b		1d to	
" by	retail	-44	- b 1 b		6 to	
MOLASSE	S. Sno	ar Hor	18t		5 to	7
46	Con	mon .			0 to	
SUGAR, I.	oaf			. 1	S to	
					ot to	
Salt, per sac	k			17	5 to	1 90
Pork, per li	)	20.000			6 to	7
Peas, per b	ushel				0 to	
POTATO	S Iris	sh. per	bushel.	I	0 to	
44	No	rthern	per bush	e1.0 (	00 to	
44	Sw	rect, pei	bushel	. 7	5 to	MALE THE RESERVE
CANDLES	S. Adar	nantine	STORE OF	1	I to	Salar Control
"					O to	
14	Talle	w		- 4	to to	
Herrings, p	er bbl				4 to	1000
Yarn, bale.				16	10 to	
Nails, per 1	b				d to	
Whiskey. N	. C. n	er cal	0.145.85715.	5	n to	The same of the sa
BRANDY.	Apple	per en	1	1	5 to	The Property of
BRANDY,	Peach	1.			10 to	8
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REMARKS .- Cotton has slightly ad vanced-none coming in. We learn there is money on deposit here from northern houses for the purpose of buying Cotton, and farmers might do well to put what they have in market. Bacon-the market better supplied. Flour is improving in price-we been offered during the past week.

COLULBIA MARKET, November 6. The Cotton market has been quite steady prices, the demand is still good at prices ranging from 11 to 11 cents.

The last news from Charleston represents Cotton as slightly advanced.

NEW YORK, November 6 .- - Flour has slightly declined; sales of Southern at \$5 20 to \$5 40. Wheat has advanced. Mixed corn 75 cents.

Fresh Norfolk Oysters. The undersigned having commenced the OYS-TER BUSINESS in Norfolk, and designing to conduct it extensively and in the best manner, desires to commend his purpose to the attention of his triends and the public

He will prepare and keep constantly on hard for transportation to any part of the country, the best FRESH OYSTERS, hermetically sealed, spiced and fried, put up in Cans, that the Nortolk market can produce, spiced upon an improved plan, imparting to the Oyster the most delicate flavor, and insuring their preservation in any climate for a reasonable period in their first excellence in every

Having had abundant experience in the business and perfected his plan with the utmost success, he submis his enterprise to the public, with confidence Orders from all parts of the country respectfully solicited and promptly attended to: Terms Cash.
Address, HENRY FITZGERALD,

R. LIVINGSTON MOSS. 1m-pd. General Agt.

### OXFORD FEMALE COLLEGE.

The Fourteenth Session will commence on the FIRST MONDAY in January, 1893. The Teachers employed are of the first order of abil ity. The course of instruction is unusually thorough and extensive.

Tuition in Elementary Branches ..... \$15 00 " College Classes ..... 20 00 " Embroidery ..... 5 00 Board and Washing, per month, ...... 10 00 No extra charges will be made. For particulars, address J. H. MILLS, Oxford, N. C.

Great Discovery We have this day appointed L. J. HAW-

LEY our Agent for the sale of Rights to make "Roraback's celebrated Soap." Family Rights, Receipts and full instructions can be bought of him. Also, County Rights for the following counties: Mecklenburg, Cabarras, Union, An-son and Stanly. This Soap being a great saving of both money and labor, is well worthy the notice of every family, factory and company.
H. LINDSEY & CO.
Oct .29, 1857.
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NOTICE. All persons indebted to the Estate of Wm Lee, dee'd, and of R. C. Barnett, dee'd, are notified that payment must be made immediately, as both the above Estates must positively be closed by January Court. Those persons who want the pleasure of taking my receipt will do

J. W. BARNETT, Adm'r. Nov, 3, 1857.

well to observe this notice

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. The subscriber, as Administrator on the Es tate of Stephen Archer, dec'd, with the Will annexed, hereby gives general notice to all Creditors of said Estate, to present their claims, duly authenticated, within the time limited by iaw for that purpose; otherwise, this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Debtors to said Estate will also please make E. B. D. SLOAN, Adm'r, Nov. 3, 1857.

Notice.

WILL be sold at the late residence of WM. LITTLE, deceased, 3 miles North-west of Beattie's Ford, Lincoln county, N. C., on the 19th of NOVEMBER next, about

35 Negroes.

consisting of men, women, boys and girls, mostly young and likely. There is a good blacksmith and shoemaker among them.

A credit of 12 months will be given with inter est from date, the purchaser giving bond and approved security

WM. P. LITTLE. ) J. H. McCALL. Adm's. HUGH LITTLE,

Oct. 27, 1857. 4t-pd