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N. C. CHARLOTTE. WESTERN DEMOCRAT,

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In the Senate, on the 7th, Mr Edney, from the joint select committee on the executive mansion, reported the furniture and building to be in a most deplorable condition-the one unfit for use, for the most part, the other almost wholly untenantable. The committee recommend a sale by auction of nesday. such portions of the furniture as may be rejected by the Governor, and an appropriation of \$2000 of any unexpended moneys in hand, for new furniture and necessary repairs.

Mr Brown thought the amount of the appropriation too small. He contrasted the bleak and desolate appearance of the Mansion, which he denomina- portant ted the "people's house" with the scores of private residences around it. He was not prodigal or pro- sey. fuse in his notions of public expenditures; but it bound to New York; all of them were rescued. was the duty of the Legislature to make necessary appropriations. The house and grounds in question night, while the vessel was at anchor. Great condid not comport with the dignity of the sovereign sternation ensued, but no casualty resulted. The people of North-Carolina.

Mr Miller, relying on the report of the commit- was composed of fine goods and iron. tee, did not think the house fit for new furniture.

a new house, but something was immediately necessary.

Mr Houston moved to refer the report of the committee on public buildings and grounds, with military and militia at Woolwich. an instruction to report by resolution or otherwise. Concurred in.

C. Grier, sheriff of Mecklenburg, to collect arrearages of taxes.

Pleasant Grove Camp Ground, Union county.

The bill to lay off and establish, out of a portion of Ashe, a new county by the name of Alleghany, was passed by a vote of 24 to 20.

In the House, Mr Dancy, from the joint committee appointed to examine the furniture of the Executive Mansion, reported a resolution authorizing the Governor to sell such portions of the furniture plied, and the mansion lighted with gas, and such other repairs done as may be necessary, at an expense not exceeding \$2,000, along with the unex- | further West. pended balance of former appropriations and the amount arising from the sales of the furniture .---Read the first time, and the rules being suspended, passed its second and third readings.

In the Senate, on the 8th, a message from the

Mr Green, of Franklin, followed on the same side in a very clever speech, going over the entire ground, and made a most convincing statement, that there was a contract understood relative to the Legislature of North Carolina. Danville connection. Mr Green was complimented at the close of his speech by several persons in the

effective speech against the bill

lobby Mr Settle rose to reply, but on motion of M Dortch the committee rose; the chairman reported progress, and obtained leave to sit again on Wed-

LATER FROM EUROPE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 .- The steamship Africa, from Liverpool, has arrived, with dates to the 25th of December.

The latest news from China and India is unim-

The ship Isaac Wright was burnt in the Mer-She had three hundred passengers on board The burning of the Isaac Wright occurred at

The steamship Indian Empire, of the Galway Mr Edney quite concurred in the necessity for line, has been condemned and ordered to be sold. tention of the London "Times."

Some threatened rioting had occurred among the The result of Montalembert's trial in France is considered a triumph over the Government, as the Mr Davidson introduced a bill to authorize E. mild sentence annuls the law of exile under the law of suspicion.

Hong-Kong dates to the 15th November state Mr Walkup introduced a bill to incorporate that business is checked by the high prices of tea. ...

THE GREAT SOUTHERN ROUTE.

being the special order, was now taken up on its city and Danville, to the South, must become the second reading, and after considerable discussion, most popular thoroughfare for through travel be- but lamely meets the obligations he has incurred. tween the North and South. It passes through the beautiful and salubrious champaigne country. which lies between the head of tide water and

the Mountains-is free from swamps, malaria, and dreary pine barrens which infest the coast line, and as are unfit for use, and to have new furniture sup- from deep cuts, short curves, tunnels and numerous bridges which lengthen, retard and increase the risk on the transmontane and piedmont lines

> Atlanta is assumed to be the great point of Railroad connection in the Southwest. We announced a few days since that the South Carolina Legislature had chartered a company to build a railroad from Columbia to Hamburg, a distance of fifty

miles. This will diminish the gap between Co-House transmitting an engrossed resolution on the lumbia and Atlanta, and greatly facilitate our con-Executive Mansion. Proposes a sale of the rejec- nection with the Georgia system of railroads .-ted furniture, to light with gas, and paint and But, a yet shorter line is chartered. An air line road from Atlenta, Ga., to Anderson Court House, S. C., is authorized, and the company is organized. and a recent meeting determined to go on with balance from former appropriations, for the pur- the enterprise at an early day. They also deterchase of new furniture, &c. The resolutions then mined to confer with the South Carolina air line Railroad Company, in order to co-operate in their In the House, Mr Pritchard presented a memo- labors. By this road to Anderson Court House, rial from certain citizens of Mecklenburg, com- the Greenville road to Newberry, and thence by plaining of the nuisance caused by bringing dogs another chartered road to Chester, and thence by to church, and asking a law, fining white males and the Charlotte and South Carolina Railroad to females five dollars, and whipping slaves and free Charlotte, we have a nearly direct line. This will be the most direct line that is yet proposed from Mr McKay offered a resolution requesting our Atlanta to the North, and the route will be in all their influence for the location of the national There is yet another route that must add im-

CLANDESTINE MARRIAGES.

If we inquire what is the common result of such marriages, we will find that in the large majority of cases they do not produce the coveted happiness. After the first excitement passes away, after the charming romance has been enjoyed and grown stale, after the rejoicings over the brilliant victory have been duly celebrated, there arises the

necessity of counting the cost, and the vulgar elements of bread and butter are found to enter largely into the requirements of the connuptial state .---Sometimes the young couple are possessed of sufficient means to provide the necessarie; and even the luxuries of life, but in these cases ennui is an earlier visitor, because the healthful excitement which is the product of daily occupation is wanting. Too much of the felicity of these hasty marriages is found in the first success, the first triumph over formidable obstacles; and the constantly re- to act differently-I have prayed to God to help curring lesson which both learn is that the idolized object of such boundless love is not angelic, but human. It is almost infallibly certain that neither party has anything approaching a just estimate of the fearful responsibilities belonging to the wed- There is a power that drives us on like a feather ded state. Under God, the entire happiness of a before the wind, and we have as little power to vessel was scuttled and ran aground. Her cargo wife's lifetime depends upon the feelings and conduct of the husband to whom she may have rashly committed all her hopes. Altogether, aside from the requirements of food, raiment and shelfer, The President's Message still occupies the at- there are ten thousand indispensable elements, in every happy household. The ever present sympathy, which cannot be cultivated, but which must be of spontaneous growth, and which is not manifested in words, or looks, or acts; but, like an electric flash, passes from one heart to the other-the patient forbearance, which cannot be stimulated by any amount of stoical indifference, but which must be the legitimate offspring of an unselfish love; that rare self-denial which has no sting, because it is swallowed up in the sympathy with her gratification for whom the sacrifice is made. All The great route from the North through this these are constantly present in the heart of the true husband, and he who is unconscious of them,

> BRITISH BLOODTHIRSTY REVENCE. A correspondent of the Madras Athenæum conland. demns in strong language, the merciless manner in which the native insurgents are butchered by the British troops, whenever they get an opportunity. He says of the storming of Salimpore:

"After a great deal of Street fighting, the loss to the enemy was 700 killed and 300 wounded, all their guns taken, and a quantity of arms and ammunition, with two elephants captured. Our casualties were two Europeans killed and about thirty in all wounded. I again say I do not hold to the indiscriminate slaughter of the sons of this prolific soil. At Salimpore, I am told, that the men, on their knees, prayed with upraised hands, but they were not spared. Neither, as far as I have learnt, have any number of prisoners been made. I maintain that this wholesale killing is quite unbecoming to us as a civilized nation, and will yet, if we are not wise in time, involve us in trouble and disgrace. For the miscreant sepoys I have not a shadow of pity. But with the inhabitants of Oude the case is a different one. All the large bodies in arms against us are nothing more than armed retainers, taking service under various leaders. There are sepoys and sowars amongst them, but there is no man, no soldier, who could not easily discriminate between the marshal bearing of a sepoy trained, and a man who handles a matchlock. Were there any actual fighting, were the loss somewhat more proportionate, it would be consolation, at least to think that they died fighting hard. But when we reflect that these numbers who are slain, have been disposed of by the rifle, or more commonly dug with the bayonet, it wears another aspect. This wholesale slaughter must be put an end to. We have been glutted with blood." The English have avenged Cawnpore and the other massacres thrice over; they should "remem-

CURIOUS LETTER FROM A SUICIDE. Hon. John A. Tucker who committed suicide a few weeks ago in Georgia, left behind him the following letter addressed "to P. H. Colquitt, In Colquitt, and to anticipates a great local excitement in Richmond words and phrases. The longer they live, the more Editor Columbus Times :"

DAWSON, GA., Thursday, December 16. I am about to do a thing which I have had in

contemplation since 1848-viz : to rid the world of me, and myself of an existence uscless to me and derogatory to others. And Mr Editor, how dare you or any of your readers say, it is weak, or wrong, or unmanly to perform the act that I am to perform. Life is a burden to me-has been for years. I am driven on by a destiny I have no power to control. Don't say to me, "It is your fault-you could act differently." It is untrue. I always wished to act differently-I have prayed me to act differently. He knows my wish and purpose was to be a good man. This I have prayed for from boyhood; and yet I have not been a good man. "There is a divinity that shapes our ends." direct our course as the feather in the gale.

Now, with all my sins, follies and vices clinging to my skirts, I am going, unbidden, into the presence of my God, to ask him why I am not the man I always desired to be; to ask what punishment I am to receive for knowing my duty, desiring to perform it, and yet not having the nerve to do it. Don't say I am drunk either, for it is not so. I tell you Peyton Colquitt, that I am doing this upon reflection. I lay all night thinking of it. I have looked at all the reasons for and against it. In some respects I have been a successful man. As certain as the world stands, I would beat the race for Judge by more than the Demoeratic majority. That is not the thing with me. I would not live to be President of the United States unless I could be the man I wish to be. From a boy, I wished to be a great and good man -a man exerting a great salutary moral influence on mankind. But as it is, I am shedding death, shade and mildew from the high places in the

I would have waited till I got home, but I know it would not do. I would then never have discharged the duty I owe to myself and mankind.

I could not part with my wife and little ones. Several times in the last few years I have prepared myself for this event at home, when my wife knew nothing of it But to look at the children and hear them say "Pa," or to look at a smiling affectionate wife, that anticipated my wishes-that forgave a thousand follies-that never did an unkind act-I did not have the courage to proceed. But believing as I do, that my departure from this life will benefit my family, as well as others, I am going to die here to-day. I have plenty of friends

J. EMMETT SCRUGGS' CHARGE TO HIS KNOW NOTHING LEGIONS .- The following spicy gem people to acquire in early life the habit of good from the last "Warrenton Whig," rather goes a language, both in speaking and writing, and to next month :

be one of the most numerous and talented for the acquisition of language, be passed in its assemblages that ever organized in Richmond, abuse, the unfortunate victim of neglected educa-Petersburg, or anywhere else. Messrs. Botts, R. E. tion is very probably doomed to talk slang for life Scott, Preston, Stuart, Summers, Seymour, Rives, Money is not necessary to procure this education Flournoy and Boteler, will attend; and with such Every man has it in his power. He has merely to an array of talent, what Whig or American in the use the language which the reads, instead of the State would not spend fifty to go to Richmond to slang he hears-to form his taste from the best "shake off the dew drops that glitter on your choice phrases in his memory, and to habituate thrilling words of the immortal Harry, when the that pedantic precision which shows rather the Whig banner waved in the glorious breeze. Adopt weakness of a vain ambition than the polish of an it as your battle cry, march upon the foe, "break educated mind .- Home Journal. through the thick array of his thronged legions and charge home upon him.

After penning the above, the "Colonel," could not "do" a bit more political editorial for that issue native African imported in the years 1858-'59. of the paper-perchance he felt that "sufficient for the day," &c. Pitch in ye pretty darlings, and go it like rockets-or

'Mid pompous windbags tow'ring trot, With K. N., Botts, and old line Scott; Enjoy, by turns this ever tuneful choir-One plays the brass, and one the golden lyre. Richmond Enquirer.

WEBSTER'S COURTING .- Daniel Webster married the woman he loved, and the twenty years which he lived with her brought him to the meridian of his greatness. An anecdote is current on this subject, which is not recorded in the books. Mr Webster was becoming intimate with Miss Grace Fletcher, when a skein of silk, which he held for her to wind, was getting into a knot, Mr Webster assisted in unravelling the snarlthen looking up to Miss Grace, he said, "We have untied a knot, don't you think we could tie one ?" Grace was a little embarrassed, said not a word, but in the course of a few minutes she tied a knot in a piece of tape and handed it to Mr W. This peace of tape, the thread of his domestic joys, was ound after the death of Mr Webster, preserved as Negroes, Lands, Turpentine Distillery, Stock, one of his most precious relics.

100 Tom strikes Dick over the shoulder with a rattan as big as your little finger. A lawyer, in Bladen county, about three miles from Beatty's Bridge. his indictment, would tell you the story as follows: "And that whereas the said Thomas, at said blace, on the year and day aforesaid, in and upon the body of the said Richard, against the people of the State of New York, and their dignity, did make a most violent assault, and inflicted a great five hundred acres, lying immediately on the waters of many and divers blows, kicks, cuffs, thumps, contusions, gashes, hurts, wounds, damages, and in-

CORRECT SPEAKING .- We advise all yound difficult the acquisition of such language will be

"STATE CONVENTION .- This body promises to and if the golden age of youth, the proper season hear them? Awake, arise Whigs of Virginia, speakers and poets of the country-to treasure up garments and march to victory." These were the himself to their use-avoiding at the same time

> BO A. M. Hunt, of Columbia, offers a fifty dollar silver pitcher for the best specimen of a and exhibited at the next State fair.

Agricultural Meeting.

A meeting of the Mecklenburg Agricultural Society will be held in Charlotte on the 5th Saturday in January (being County Court week) at 1 o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as Officers are to be elected and other important business transacted. A. B. DAVIDSON, Pres't. Dec. 14, 1858.

> VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

On Tuesday the 25th of January, instant, it being fuesday of Court week, I will sell on the premises, the HOUSE and LOT lately occupied by Maj. J. A. Huggins, in Charlotte, situated on Tryon street, two squares from the centre of the Town. This property is in one of the best neighborhoods in the village, having a Well of excellent water upon it, and the Dwelling and other buildings are commodious and in first rate repair. At the same time I will sell a number of excellent Feather Beds and Matrasses, and valuable Household and Kitchen Furniture.

JNO. A. YOUNG, Trustee. Jan. 1, 1859. 42-4t

Valuable Property for sale.

Farming Implements, de., de.

On Thursday, the 13th day of January, 1859, the subscriber will offer at public sale, at his residence in the following valuable property, to-wit:

Twenty-eight likely Negroes, consisting of men, women and children. The negroes will be sold in one lot or in families, as may be desired,

Also, at the same time and place, a valuable tract of farming and turpentine land, containing about thirty-Black River, and having a convenient outlet to market by Steamboat navigation. The improvements on the above land consist of a comfortable Dwelling House. who will be sorry for this; but to all of them I say, juries, in and upon the head, neck, breast, stomach with good Negro houses, Stables, and all other neceships, knees, shins, and heels of said Richard, with sary out-buildings, with excellent water on the premi divers sticks, canes, poles, clubs, logs of wood, ses. The location is one of the most healthy in the State. Also, a No. 1 Turpentine Still, with a capacity of twenty-five barrels Also, the whole stock of Horses, Cattle, Hogs, Corn, Fodder, Peas, Farming Implements, Furniture, etc., etc. Terms, which will be accommodating, made known at sale. A. N. McDONALD. at sale. 41-3t Dec. 28, 1858

white-wash the buildings, (expense to be met by public treasurer,) and to appropriate \$2,000, with proceeds of furniture sale and any unexpended passed and were enrolled.

negroes, for the offence.

Senators and Representatives in Congress, to use other respects the most agreeable. foundry at Deep River. Rules suspended and it mensely to the travel and the business of this line. passed its second and third readings.

which being concurred in by the Senate, the coun- the roads terminating there. ties were called over alphabetically, and the sevepast two o'clock, when it adjourned.

read. [The Journals of Saturday contain 57 pages, and the ayes and nocs were recorded 49 times after 1 o'clock.]

to suspend the reading of the journals, and indulged some very sarcastic remarks on the action of the Senate on Saturday.

read entire.

Mr Turner asked leave to reply to Mr Houston. Not granted.

In the House, Mr Love, from the Committee on Internal Improvements, reported against the Railroad from Beaufort to the Coal Fields.

The special order was then taken up, it being a bill to incorporate a company to build a Railroad from Greensboro' to Danville, Va.

Mr Morchead occupied the time of the House in a speech about an hour long. He noticed in the course of his remarks the late article of the Raleigh Register, and a communication in the Standard, signed R. M. S. He reviewed the history of the North Carolina Railroad, and declared that upon his part there had been no bargain or agreement that the Danville connection should never be built.

Mr Bridgers replied. He thought the Danville connection might fitly be compared to one man cutting a canal to his neighbor's race to drain off his water. He continued his argument against the bill for nearly an hour. In closing, he said it afforded him pleasure to extend the hand of congratulation to the Editor of the Register; of him it might be said "well done thou good and faithful servant." However he might differ with him in some points of politics, yet he was glad to see the editor have independence enough to speak out for the good of North Carolina.

Mr Caldwell, of Guilford, had commenced some remarks in reply, when the House adjourned under the rules.

McDowell, the bill to aid in the construction and equipment of the Western and Coalfields railroad was taken up on its third reading; and after a 21-the speaker voting and making it a tie. [The vote was subsequently reconsidered]

This route is the North Carolina road chartered to Mr T. R. Caldwell moved a message be sent to diverge from the North Carolina Central either at the Senate, proposing to enter forthwith into the or about Salisbury, and pass west south westwardappointment of magistrates for the several counties, ly toward Chattanooga, where it will connect with

Without this last, however, the roads authorized ral lists hauded in by the members from each in South Carolina, will, with the gap between county. This business occupied the House until Danville and Greensborough, N. C., filled up,

make the shortest line for through Southern trav-In the Senate, on the 10th, the Journals were el. That this gap will be filled up, and the South Carolina and Georgia air line Roads already authorized to be built, we have not a doubt. North Carolina may refuse her consent for a time; but Mr Houston, (interrupted the reading) moved she will ultimately yield to the dictates of a sound policy and the demands of public convenience .--This measure will be necessary for the retention of the through travel upon her roads. She has The Chair decided that the Journals should be lost largely already. The Virginia and Tennessee Roads have diverted an immense travel from her Wilmington route, and no one thinks of the crooked route by Raleigh.

A NEW TERBITORY .- Colfax's bill for the or-

ganization of the new Territory of recently discovered Gold Regions of Pike's Peak, Cherry Creek, etc., extending from the parallel of longitude 103 deg., to the crest of the Rocky Mountains, being four to five degrees in width; and from the 37th to sent limits.

Three Peaks, the head waters of both forks of the N. C., to await a requisition from our Governor. River's Platte, Arkansas and Rio Grande. Its boundary lines will be guarded by Bent's Fort in raculous. The Lall took effect in the abdomen, near its centre.

will be at least 20,000 persons in Colona, and, as almost exceeds credulity."-Yorkeille Enquirer. it is important that they should have a distinct

that purpose.

How COFFEE CAME TO BE USED .- It is somewhat singular to trace the manner in which arose the use of the common beverage, coffee, without

Tanners' Gil safe than the ordinary preparations offered to the pub-New and elegant stock, consisting of English, French authorizing the distribution of one copy of Hawk's Arabia and upper Ethiopia. The discovery of its temple made a large hole in his head. Though lie, while its pleasant effect on the system renders it and American HAIR BRUSHES, Tooth Brusher From 85 cents to \$1 25 per gallon. History of North Carolina to each common school use as a beverage, is ascribed to the Superior of a apparently lifeless at first, he lingered in a dying vastly popular with those who use it. Mr Hostetter's great variety ; Tuck, Puff and side Combs in Tortoist E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. in the State, to be paid by the Literary Board. Mr Fries, introduced a bill to regulate the rate of interest and repeal the 114th chapter of Rev. made them drink the infusion of coffee, upon the reputation is wide-spread, and the care with which he shell, Buffalo horn and India Rubber. prepares his medicine secures it always safe and relia-Marsh's, Hull's and Chase's TRUSSES, single and ble. The Bitters are most agreeable in flavor, and, as FRENCH and ENGLISH SOAPS. double, large assortment. for sale by it contains nothing that can impair the health, but, on American, French and English Pomades, Code. This bill is drawn up by the finance com- report of some shepherds, who observed that their rendered almost helpess and hopeless by the ravages the contrary contribute to its preservation, this pre-E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. Genuine Lubin's EXTRACTS, 23 varieties mittee; it repeats all the penalties for taking more flocks were more lively after browsing on the fruit of a cancer, with several small children around her. Also, cologne, verbena, geranium and other Perfumeries paration must prove highly popular. It is a genuine Snuff! Snuff!! than legal interest, save the excess of interest over of that plant. Its reputation spread through the and a sister, a cripple by the effects of rheumaad truly valuable article for any of the above diseases SCARR & CO'S just received at Lorillard's English and American Gents' and Maccaboy. and we sincercly trust that our readers may test its ex-Drug Store. adjacent countries and in about two hundred years tism, who was dependent upon him and the scanty the legal rate of six per cent. October 12, 1858 E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. cellence. Sold by Druggist everywhere, and by On motion of Mr Sparrow, the House went into reached Paris. A single plant brought there in avails of her needle for support. The distressed E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO., Charlotte, N. C. Choice Family Teas. a committee of the whole upon the Greensboro' sixteen hundred and fourteen became the parent situation of the family awakened the sympathics of 159. English, French and American BRUSHES. our citizens, and a subscription was made up ubin's EXTRACTS, Genuine Cologne, for sale by and Danville Railroad bill-Mr Badham in the stock of all coffee plantations in the West Indies. A VALUABLE MEDICINE .- During the present week, no Silver Leaf Hyson, Ocolong. E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. chair-Mr Caldwell, of Guilford, resumed his re- The extent of consumption can now hardly be sufficient to relieve their present necessities; but less than six of our friends, who have been induced to Imperial, Breakfast. marks, and spoke for a considerable time in sup- realized. The United States alone annually consume the loss of the head of the family will rest heavily try Prof. De Grath's Electric Oil for rhumatism, in con-Gunpowder, Ne Plus Ultra, and other varieties at SCARR & CO'S sequence of having seen this preparation advertised in Varnishes, port of the bill, giving a history of the internal at the cost of its landing, from fifteen to sixteen upon them -Hillsboro' Recorder. Drug Store our columns, have called upon us to state the result of Coach, Furniture, Copal (three qualities), Damask, Ja-pan, &c &c. E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. October, 1858 improvement policy since its inception in North million of dollars. You may know the Arabia or ----their experiments. These persons assure us that their pan, &c &e. Brazil has 62 vessels of war-nearly as rhoumatic pains have been entirely cured by a few ap-Preston & Merrill's Carolina. Mocha, the best coffee, by its small bean of a dark YEAST POWDERS, Mr Bullock spoke warmly against the policy of color. The Java and East Indian, the next in many as the United States-30 of which are fine plications of De Grath's "Electric Oil," and they re-New Remedy, establishing the road, and pointed out its injurious quality, a larger and paler yellow. The West Indian steamers. Her standing army numbers 25,000 commend its use to all who are afflicted with any of the The only reliable Yeast Powder sold. SCARR & CO'S A sovereign cure and preventive of the Piles. diseases which it is designed to cure-Prov. Advertiser. consequences to the State at large. He made an Rio has a bluish greenish gray tint. DRUG STORE. men, and her national guard 400,000. For sale by E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. October, 1858

CAPT REID AND THE AMERICAN FLAG.-It gives us pleasure to notice that among the proceedings of the House on Thursday last the Hon. John Cochrane, of New York, introduced a joint resolution giving a vote of thanks to Capt. Samuel C. Reid, the hero of the battle of Fayal, in the gallant fight which he made in command of the private armed brig General Armstrong, in 1814, for having made and designed the present flag of the United States. The design of Capt. Reid was adopted in committee, and the bill passed Congress on the 4th of April, 1818. The new flag, as designed by Capt. Reid, was made at his house, in New York, by his wife and a number of young ladies, and was first hoisted over the hall of the House of Representatives on the 13th of April, 1818.—National Intelligencer.

ber mercy" now.

SHOOTING AFFAIR IN CHESTER .- Our readers the 42d parrallel of latitude, including parts of the have doubtless heard of the shooting affair, in Territories of Kansas, Nebraska, Utah and New Chester, on the 9th ultimo, in which Mr R. Mor-Mexico-the larger part of which lies in the pre- rison was severely wounded by a man named Hodges. The perpetrator of this wanton act, with The new Territory will embrace within its bor- his accomplice Howerton, made their escape, but ders, not only the gold diggings, but also the famous | have been arrested and lodged in jail in Asheville, Mr Morrison's escape from death is almost mi-

its South East corner, Fort Massachusetts, near its passed directly through the bowels and lodged Southern boundary-and Fort Laramie just be- under the skin of the back near the back-bone .-yond its Northern line. St. Vrain's Fort will be | The Standard says that he was "removed to his residence, but there was not so much as a glimmering Bredger's Pass, which shortens the road to Cali- of hope that he would ever recover. We are much fornia over 100 miles, is in the Northern part, and gratified, however, to state that he has passed the Coochatope Pass in the Southern part of . the safely by the very jaws of death, and, to the wonnew Territory. Colona is the name favored by the der and amazement of even the most sanguine, is settlers there, nearly two thousand of whom are rapidly getting well, although it does seem that now located at or near the gold region. Colfax the chances must have been a thousand against expressed the opinion that by next summer there him to one in his favor. Such a wonderful case

Territorial Government, he has prepared a bill for ANNERS' OIL MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT .--- On the morning of hair fall off, and produce premature baldness. But, and complete stock of DRUGS, CHEMI-For sale by E. NYE HUTCHISON. the 25th ultimo, Christmas day, a most melancholy Prof. Wood's Restorative may be relied upon as contain-CALS, &c. The extensive patronage they In the Senate, on the 11th, on motion of Mr accident occurred in this place. Mr Merril Utley, ng nothing which can in any manner be injurious to tor Churchill's preparation of the Hypophoshave received from the Physicians of Chathe hair. We advise gray heads, and heads getting DRUGS. for the purpose of amusing his boys, bored a large phates, CURE FOR THE CONSUMPTION, for sale by bald, to get a bottle and try it .- New York Democrat. lotte and its vicinity is the best guaranter auger hole in a log in his yard, and after charging E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. of the PURITY OF THE DRUGS sold by For sale by E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. it with powder drove in a plug, leaving a small hole them. lengthy discussion was rejected by a vote of 22 to which few persons, in any half or wholly civilized for priming; and without calculating the conse-Fresh Burning Fluid and Linsecd Oil, DR. J. HOSTETTER'S BITTERS meet with great favor as October 12, 1858. country in the world, would seem hardly able to quences, put fire to it while standing nearly over it. Low for cash by the Bbl. emedies for disease of the Stomach, and all other E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. diseases arising from a disordered digestive system; and exist. At the time Columbus discovered America, The log was split, one part knocking down a fence For the Toilet. its component parts being entirely vegetable, it is more In the House, Mr Morehead offered a resolution it had never been known or used. It only grew in near by, and the other part striking him on the

John A. Tucker never professed friendship to any one, that he deserted in the hour of trial. My wife and my little ones I commend to your care. TUCKER.

MOLASSES STATEMENTS.

We copy the following from a long and interest-

ng article, entitled "Rambles in Surinam :" "We went to the boiling house, and saw the molasses dapped out of the eistern and put into barrels. The molasses that runs from the sugar barrels is conducted by a gutter into the cistern,

which swarms with roaches and rats, many of which are found dead in the molasses, by which they are preserved from putrefaction. I could not help thinking that this country would be an elvsium for Chinamen, for they might feast here on their favorite dish, (rats.) abundantly, and molasses cured rats into the bargain. I do not know if the molasses which is imported into this country is used for any thing else besides distilling rum. is certainly not fit for table use, for besides the

above mentioned abominations, it is handled by negroes in such a filthy manner, that the description of it will disgust every body with the same. large copper spoons, but when the majority is re-

moved, these spoons cannot be employed any more, on account of the quantity of sugar which has setness to the molasses. Some negroes have to set down in it, dipping out with large gourds, and it reaches often over their knees. Cleanliness is to observed with jiggers and other sores. If our delicate ladies and gentlemen had an idea of the man-

ner in which our imported nicities were handled. they would surely abstain from the use of them. I once saw a dog fall into a copper in which the cane juice was boiling intensely; he was nearly Velvet and cassimere do.; also a variety of done when the negroes succeeded in getting him out. It happens, sometimes, that the negro who

sits on the mason work into which the coppers are imbedded, slips into the foaming syrup while doz-

ing, and is boiled to death instantly. In neither case is the syrup thrown away, for it will granulate all the same and nobody is the wiser for it.

.... By Will Sour Krout explode? is a question recently raised. We think it is mean and stinking enough to explode, and do damage too .- Fix. Will "Cod Fish" ever quit stinking .- Finale.

A national convention of blacklegs assembled in Chicago last week, delegations being present from nearly every State in the Union. They are a splendidly dressed set of men, and wear jewelry in great profusion. The revision of Hoyle, and the codication of the laws of poker, &c., are objects of

PROF. WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATINE .- This Restorative for making the hair grow, stopping its falling out, and restoring gray to its original color, is becoming celebrated. All the quack nostrums are giving way before Three-fourths of the mixtures for restoring and beautifying the hair, do it more injury than good. They burn up-destroys the life of its roots-make the

stones, daggers, dirks, swords, pistols, cutlasses, bludgeons, blunderbuses, and boarding pikes, then and there held in the hands, fists, claws, and clutches of him, the said Thomas."

At a sale of Negroes in this place on the 1st inst., a lot of twenty, including men, women and children, brought \$16,711; a blacksmith sold for \$2,000, a field hand for \$1,400, and a boy twelve years old for \$1,102 .-- Marion Star.

EMPORIUM. **CLOTHING** IMPORTANT NOTICE.

BE IT KNOWN generally that we are selling off our Stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, FUR-NISHING GOODS, &c., at considerably REDUCED RATES in order to prepare for the Spring and Summer trade ; so our

FRIENDS

Will come forward and avail themselves of the rare opportunity of supplying their wants out of our splendid stock of cloth, castor beaver, Hudson Bay Fur, Trecot Cassimere and seal-skin Over-Sacks, Raglans and The molasses is dipped out of the cistern with Frocks; also, all grades of sattinet and cassimere Busi- dence of said Chambers, on Thursday, the 20th day of ness Coats, at less prices than you

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tled at or near the bottom, imparting a great tough- getting Goods and keeping up the stock are unequalled and others. A tract known as the Russell Tract, conyou that you will find it to · YOUR

Interest to call and examine our stock before buying elsewhere. You will also find at the Clothing Emporium quite an extensive stock of all qualities of Black and Fancy

cassimere Pants. Black Silk and Satin Vests. Fancy BHING COODS. gents and ladies' Trunks, alises, carpet Bags; Boots and Shoes, and many

things too tedious to take an ACCOUNT

of, that are always found in a Gents' Furnishing House. WE return our sincere thanks to our friends for their kindness and patronage

For 1858. And we hope by attention to business and keeping the

best and cheapest stock of clothing in the State, to merita continuance of the same for 1859.

Fullings, Springs & Co. Jan. 10, 1859. GARDEN SEEDS From Landreth & Thorburn's, Received and for sale by Charlotte, Jan 10, 1859. E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO.

Fresh Congress Water, Just received and for sale by E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. Jan 10th

Blue Grass, Clever, Herd's Grass, Orchard and Millet SEED for sale by E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. Linseed Oil, pure Sperm, Lard, and

LAND FOR SALE.

Two Hundred Acres of fine farming Land, lying on the line of the Charlotte and South Carolina Railroad, is offered for sale. Terms will be made accommodating. For further particulars apply to SAM'L. A. HARRIS

December 28, 1858.

NEGROES WANTED.

WANT to buy NEGRO BOYS & GIRLS from 12 WANT to buy NEGRO BOILS a structure in cash to 18 years old, for which the highest price in cash will be paid. SAM'L A. HARRIS. +f Dec. 28, 1858.

Notice.

By virtue of the last Will and Testament of David Chambers, I will expose to public sale at the late resi-January, 1859, the following real and personal property to-wit: the HOME PLANTATION, containing about two hundred and, eighteen acres, lying on the waters At any other House in the State. Our advantages for of McAlpin's Creck, adjoining the lands of Elam Wolf as is well known throughout the country, hence we taining about sixty acres, lying on the waters of Mcdeem it unnecessary to rehearse them, but will assure Michael's Creek, adjoining the lands of Thos. Russell and others. Also, a tract known as the Boyce Tract, containing about one hundred acres, lying on McAlpin's Creek, adjoining the lands of Wm Ross and others. These lands are well adapted to the growth

of Grain and Cotton. At the same time I will sell the personal property belonging to the Testator, consisting of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Hogs, Corn, Wheat, Farming Tools, Wagons, Cotton-Gin, a quantity of cured Pork, &c., &c. A credit will be given-Terms made known on the

day of sale. WM. REID, Es'r. Dec. 28, 1858. 4t

To Physicians.

Dr. Churchill's new Remedies for Consumption. Hypophosphites of Soda and Potash. Also, Compound Syrup of the Hypophosphites, at SCARR & CO., Charlotte Drug Store. Dec. 21.

SCEDS! SEEDS!!

LANDRETH'S NEW CROP GARDEN SEEDS, Just received a full supply of these celebrated Seeds direct from Landreth's, embracing every variety of Vegetable Seeds. With Asparagus Plants by the hundred, and VICTORIA RHUBARB ROOTS. Also-FLOWER SEEDS-20 choice varieties SCARR & CO., Charlotte Drug Store. Dec. 21. SCARR & CO., Druggists & Chemists, No. 4, Trade Street, Charlotte, N. C.

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