# Che Western Democrat. CHARLOTTE, N. C.

### WHAT THE DEMOCRATS HAVE DONE.

In the matter of admitting new States into the Union, as, indeed, in all other matters, the Quincy Herald remarks, the democratic party has done all that has ever been done for this country. Under the administration of Washington the democracy admitted three States-two new slave States and one free State-into the Union. These were Vermont in 1794, Tennessee in 1796, and Kentucky in 1798. The democratic administration of Thos. Jefferson received Ohio into the Union in 1802, and purchased Louisiana in 1805. The acquisition of Louisiana gave us territory for more States than were in our original confederacy, and, what was scarcely less valuable, gave us control of the Mississippi river, whose mouth was previously owned by France and Spain. Under James Madi-son's democratic administration, the State of Louisiana was admitted into the Union in 1812, and Indiana in 1816. During the presidency of James Monroe a democratic Congress admitted Mississippi into the Union in 1817, Illinois in 1818, Alabama in 1818, Maine in 1820, Missouri in 1821, and purchased of Spain the territory of Florida in 1821. The democratic administration of Andrew Jackson admitted into the Union Michigan and Arkansas in 1836. During the presidency of Jas. K. Polk Texas was acquired in 1845; the State of Iowa and Florida admitted in 1845, Wisconsin in 1846, and the territories of California, Utah and New Mexico were purchased. The State of California was admitted in 1850, while Mr Fillmore, accidentally, occupied the Presidential chair, but a democratic Congress did the work of admission. Under the democratic presidency of Gen. Pierce the territory of Arizona was purchased. And under our present Executive, Jas. Buchman, Minnesota came into the Union in 1858, and Oregon in 1859.

Now, here are facts and figures setting forth a truth, which we fear is too little considered by the party and the masses of the people generally, viz: that under the administration of the democratic party, and by the practical application of democratic principles, our country has marched steadily forward in prosperity, until, from a weak and almost helpless little Republic, she has grown to be a mighty nation, whose resources are incalculable, and whose influence is felt and acknowledged throughout the world. And yet, in the face of these facts, we are told that the democratic party are stated at about \$10,300,000, which, with the is the most corrupt that has ever existed in this country, and told, too, by the party who opposed our march to national greatness. Does the history of the party show its ascendancy to be dan- realized as to relieve the Treasury from any only dangers which have threatened us as a nation, and periodically convulsed the country, have been caused by the violent opposition which the democratic party has met with from parties and factions which sought the application of principles and which sought the application of principles and any embarrassment during the interval extending from the present time to the next annual meeting tween the Atlantic coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in tween the Atlantic coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in tween the Atlantic coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in tween the Atlantic coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the Blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the butter to shrink in the coast and the blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the blue Ridge, the eyes rested only upon the ruins of temples, and the coast and the blue Ridge and the blue Ridge are the coast an form of government and at variance with the great principles which our fathers embodied in the Con-

### THE CUBAN FILLIBUSTERS. The Havana Gazette, the official paper of the

Cuban government thinks that the statements relative to a fillibustering expedition directed against the island of Cuba are not without foundation. It is reported, it says, that at the island of Saint Domingo, there are collected one thousand men. consisting of Cubans, Americans and Frenchmen; that they propose to embark at Cape Santa Maria, the nearest place to Point Maisi, and that on the 21st of March a schooner left New York having on board 200 men bound to St. Domingo. It also reported that an expedition of 5,000 men is preparing at different points of the Union, which will rendezvous out of the jurisdiction of the United States, citing the day and hour of the embarkation of a part of said force, and the name of the leader who is to command it; and the names of Henningsen and some others of the so-called Generals and Chiefs who have been distinguished in fillibustering expeditions are mentioned. The Gazette, however, concludes that the authorities of the island have a force at their command sufficient to annihilate any fillibustering expedition, however numerous and well organized.

New York, April 20.—Later advices from Cuba state that everything is quiet on the Island.

A STRANGER SWINDLED .- Yesterday morning. says the Baltimore Sun, a gentleman from North Carolina reached this city, and stopped at the Fountain Hotel. He intended to take the boat for Norfolk in the afternoon, and while sitting in the hall waiting for time to go to the wharf, he was the hall waiting for time to go to the wharf, he was son of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then was comparison, that the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then was comparison, that the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then was comparison, that the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then was comparison, that the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then was comparison, that the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the Appeal Court. This is an important she was sentenced to be cut six times, and then was comparison, that the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as to what will be the decision of the little doubt as with him. The intruder said he was from Alabama, and was also going down in the Norfolk boat. has arisen for the final adjudication of it by the vited to accompany his new acquaintance to the office of the latter at the corner of Baltimore and South streets. It was then more than a half hour before the time to go to the wharf, and they started for the office. They had not proceeded many steps down Raltimore street, when a third party approached and touching the pretended Alabamian approached and touching the pretended Alabamian on the shoulder, told him that he had disappointed River, the ore of which was obtained in that region. him, whereupon the latter apologized and said he latter apologized North Carolinian for the loan of \$60 until they got to the office, and he would return it. The money was handed to him, the apparent creditor was satisfied, and the two friends walked down Baltimore street to the door of the Colvin Build-

News tells the following story:

ty of money, and is a jolly, rollicking old chap. dignity and ease of manner.

Gets pretty drunk occasionally, when of course

put the note where the money had been.

money he was out. Finding his purse almost depleted he thundered,

friend. his wallet, 'I must have been very drunk !"

# FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

LATER FROM EUROPE. Signs of War Increasing.

The steamer Arabia arrived last week, bringing advices from Liverpool to the 9th instant. All qualities of cotton have slightly declined about 1-16d. Middling and lower grades have declined most. The market closed firm.

It has been announced by the steamer Fulton that the Ministers have decided to dissolve Parliament. No date has been fixed for the dissolution. The country is flooded with addresses. The 7,000,000 Indian loan bill has finally passed. Continental advices are very warlike and

says that the crisis is at hand. Great bodies of Austrian troops are on the move

The Earl of Derby has announced in the House of Lords that the Cabinet would dissolve Parliament, and put the question of suffrage before the The Earl of Malmesbury's remarks on Friday

are construed into an expression of hopelessness of the maintainance of peace. Consols declined a quarter of one per cent. on Saturday afternoon. A feeling pervades the French Foreign Office that war was inevitable. France is concentrating an immense fleet at Toulon, and the Freuch Mercantile Marine are hastening home from the Adri-

It is reported that Austria will require Piedmont to disarm before she goes into a peace congress, she herself in the meantime pouring troops into Lombardy and Venice. France is equally active. Twenty-five thousand men are en route for Lyons. The Paris Bourse declined one per cent. in the two days preceding the sailing of the Steamer.

Rumors of alarming nature are reported from abroad, says an English paper, respecting the health of the Emperor of Austria and the King of Greece, both of whom are said to show symptoms of insanity. The King of Naples is still in a critical condition from the effects of a tumor. He is in a savage mood, and the announcement of the escape of the exiles to America does not probably tend to improve his situation. The accounts from Rome relative to the health of the King of Prussia says a letter from Berlin, are very unfavorable. The intellectual strength of his majesty appears to be completely exhausted.

SIGNS OF RETURNING PROSPERITY .- The National Intelligencer, under the above heading makes the following statement:

"The receipts of the New York Custom House for the three months ending on the 31st ultimo, revenue collected at other ports, will furnish, it is believed, an aggregate amount not much, if at all, below \$15,000,000. The expectations of Mr Secretary Cobb, under this head, being so nearly of 1858. Treasury notes, and in the absence of the demands most if not all mountains. This warm stratum neighborhood of the city the eye rests upon the still for sale. which the Post Office Department would have covers, I suppose, the greater part of the earth at ruins of what were once noble forts, and supposed made if the regular appropriation bill for this a small elevation above its surface. The area of to have been sufficiently strong to protect the city his butter seized by the clerk of the market for branch of the public service had not failed, the lands, however, that lie within this genial clime, from invasion. Aided by an English soldier and short weight, and gives as a reason that the cow Secretary of the Treasury has no reason to apprehend and fit for cultivation, is very limited; and to citi- a Chinaman as guides, I travelled over a large from which the butter was made was subject to of Congress. This intelligence we are sure will be as gratifying to the country as the results lated points,) are destined to become places of inthemselves, which promise to verify his calculations,
creasing interest and value. In the hands of inpalace which was the residence of Governor Yeh

Commerce comments thus: correctness of the position of those who predicted a dred miles, were in the brightest and greenest thousand Spanish and Mexican dollars, which fell sufficiency of revenue under the present system. We robe that the half-grown leaves and tendrils could into the hands of the victorious party. At one can now see how unwise would have been the plan give, and presented a strange contrast to the broad end of the city are the remains of what were in so strongly urged upon Congress, of increasing the and blackened plains below, extending north and his days known and used as the decapitation sheds. regulations and a new mode of valuation."

Manchester R. R. Company for a lost trunk was mountains, and even above the high valleys al- of this building are images of every description, an endorsement upon their tickets which, among was seen as usual on the high lands, even to the which will be inflicted upon them if they disobey other things, declares that they will not be summits of high mountains; (lightest, however, on the imperial laws. They represent the punishment responsible for lost baggage to an amount exceed- the highest points.) Long after killing frost be- of sawing a criminal into pieces. The unfortunate ing one hundred dollars; this endorsement was re- low I have seen corn, cotton, field peas, pepper, is placed in between two boards, and by means of this particular case.

jury found for the plaintiff to the amount of the more delicate fruits grow in greatest perfection, showing six officials in the act of cutting their contents of the trunk, as proved.

If we may presume to express an opinion, we think | both in the Northern and Southern markets, and | behold. the views taken by his Honor are correct, and feel assured, by comparison, that the fruits of the A short time ago a woman was convicted before question both as regards the traveling public and the low country, or the high Alleghany Mountains. be beheaded, which sentence was carried into railroad companies, and we are glad an opportunity Next in quality I suppose will be the Sothwestern effect. The unfortunate woman was taken to the After talking for some time, the stranger was in- highest tribunal known to our laws .- Darlington tains. (S. C.) Flag, 12th inst.

> NORTH CAROLINA STEEL .- Dr. Emmons, the State Geologist, has shown us a bar of steel, which was manufactured of North Carolina iron. It was made in Philadelphia of iron manufactured at the opinion that its quality is excellent.-Raleigh

FEMALE LECTURERS .- Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell has lately delivered at the Marylebone Ining. The gentleman from North Carolina waited stitute in London, a series of lectures to ladies on at the door for some time, but his new acquaintance | topics connected with hygienne in relation to the had passed out at the South street door, and disap- special duties of woman in the spheres of domestic peared. Marshal Herring was informed of the and social life. She is the first woman who has swindle, but it was too late, the money had gone worked her way to the acquisition of a regular medical diploma, and who has been practicing for the last seven years in New York as a physician for women and children. The London Morning wheat and oats on the Brushy Mountains, and also gets tired of her, and take another one, without who may be thus afflicted. Respectfully yours.

ISAAC DANFORTH, 17 South Market street. REDEEMING A NOTE.—The Okoloma (Miss.) for women and children. The London Morning upon the high mountains of Watauga, were of any form of divorce—a privilege that is not allowed Post says that the fair lecturer, the severity of superior quality, and the straw remarkably bright to the poor females. Again, a married man is lotte by E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. "Old P. is well known in some parts as one who whose task was pleasantly relieved with boquets and clean, as may now be seen. never pays a debt if it can be avoided. Has plen- of flowers, delivered her discourses with much

A Good Move.—A bill has been introduced by Mr Patterson into the New York Senate friend who held his note for a sum of money, and

A Good Move.—A bill has been introduced by Mr Patterson into the New York Senate friend who held his note for a sum of money, and by Mr Patterson dying and leaving a wife finitely marked,) and also those marked above—

The same of the

testamentary devises in the right direction. The be satisfactory accounted for by the principle of China is far behind what her neighbor Japan, is. 'How in the duce did I spend so much money?' policy is more than questionable of accumulating gravitation? Are there not some acctous or You paid of that note I held,' answered the in the hands of any association whatever the poisonous elements, prejudicial to the health of NINE MEN KILLED.—Four white men and five earnings, not only of the testator, but what he may animals and plants, and which, with the dew, seeks negroes were killed by an explosion of gas at the Well, muttered old P., quietly stowing away have inherited, to the prejudice of kindred, who the lowest level? May not the cities of populous Clover Hill Coal Pitts in Chesterfield county, Va., may be left in consequence necessitous.

# TIONS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

From the National Intelligencer.

Messrs Editors: Raised in the mountains of North Carolina, I hope you will allow me to furnish a brief sketch of some of the advantages and particularities of that region, with some facts possessing more or less interest to those who may wish to make further investigations.

Mount Tryon, in Rutherford county, has long been celebrated for its exemption from killing frosts, and believed (very erroneously, however,) to be an anomaly in this respect. More recently other points of the mountain ranges have been quite as erroneously represented as entirely free threatening. The latest news from the continent from dew or frost, even by men of some pretensions to science. A very pleasant and intelligent writer in the August and November numbers of the North Carolina Planter has turnished some interesting particulars in regard to the mountains of that section, in connection with the subject of fruit culture, and "the genial influences of the thermal stratum" in the preservation of the most tender plants. Still he does not correct the common error by stating simply that "above the well-defined outline of this stratum on the mountain sides frost abruptly ceases." - In placing the frost line at an Union. elevation of three hundred feet, he is too indefinite as that height or gauge will not apply to many valleys of rolling and uneven surface; while the surface of the heavy dew and frost stratum represents a plain, level or nearly so, in each valley or basin, though differing greatly in comparative elevation in different valleys. These valleys are often separated on the same streams by abrupt descents, and divided by cross ranges or spurs from the higher ranges of mountains. These higher ranges favored localities includes some of the adjacent flat lands also, while the deeper and more central the work of death at a moment's warning. portions of the valleys may be more than three

> different points along the Aleghany and Cumber- driven away from the ship; and he had clothes County have also submitted one for \$125,000. and Georgia, but more accurately on the 15th of these unfortunate people. April, 1849; about the 20th of May, 1852; on the Not less than fifteen or twenty families are thus

autumn of 1857, when the corn and other vegeta- offence.

On the 6th of January, two years ago, and now and these orchards had not been trimmed or cultivated for ten or fifteen years. This fruit was but put an end to. slightly injured by frost; and I was told that a ty of these fruits

atmosphere is not less marked and significant, and may by further investigation be productive of some practical results. Rust here is scarcely ever seen, and notwithstanding its general prevalence and de- about for game.

as it was a last chance, the friend dived into old or parent, shall by a will devise or bequeath to one by fogs that fill our valleys in damp weather, of a female child a curse to him. Where there P.'s wallet, took out the amount of the note, and any benevolent, charitable, scientific, religious, or and another, still higher, upon which the clouds are boys and girls in a family all favors are bestowed missionary society, association, or corporation, in rest that sometimes veil our mountain heights- upon the former, while the latter are looked upon When he awoke to consciousness, as was his trust or otherwise, more than one-third part of his or the cause of their different strata understood? with disgust. The Chinese women of the lower wont, he took out his wallet to count how much or her estate, after the payment of his or her debts. Do their different temperatures sometimes affect class perform all sorts of labor on land as well as This is one of those legislative interferences in barometrical measurements of hights? Can they on the rivers. Their situation is most deplorable. and unhealthy cities, at small expense, extract on Wednesday last.

MOUNTAIN CLIMATES AND PRODUC- | from the higher and purer air enough at least to expel the unwholsome atmosphere from their dwellings? Is not the small area of land above the cold humid atmosphere of intrinsic value to invalids, especially in pulmonary and rheumatic vated by unhealthy districts, and who wish to be resort ?-where the dry, stimulating air, pure water, recover .- Asheville News, 21st inst. and some of the most lovely landscape and mountain scenery combine to minister to his mental and physical enjoyments? Around him, standing in bold and beautiful array, along an extent of hundreds of miles, and nearly in the following order: The Peaks of Otter, White, Phœnix, Negro, Three-top, Elk, Rich, Hanging-rock, Flat-Top, Grandfather, Yellow, Roane, Hawk-bill, Tablerock, Bald, Black, (with its several heights,) Cæsar's-head, Mt. Pisgah, Shining-rock, Balsam; and, farther on, the towering heights of the Great Smoky Mountain, and many other points of ininterest omitted here; while the Pilot, King's Mountain, and Hibriten, stand like sentincls in the vast and ocean like plains below. It is here, in these highlands, that the mountain boys learn, as their fathers did, to love the "Old North State,"

I will close here, as my sketch has grown longer WM. A. LENOIR. than I intended. Fort Defiance, (N. C.) Jan. 8, 1859.

# INTERESTING FROM CHINA.

We glean the following items of interest from the correspondence of the New York Herald:

The Allies still hold on to Canton, and up to this time there is no sign of the city being turned are mainly and in some instances entirely above over to the Chinese government. Their troops the plane of killing frosts, and in some highly and gunboats still ramain on duty, with their small arms and guns of large calibre, ready to commence

Within the past fortnight our warm weather has hundred feet below this plane. Within the limits changed to extreme cold. Woolen clothes and of Watauga county, North Carolina, are embraced pea jackets have become welcome. While we are beautiful and fertile valleys, confined more or less | whose only habitations are in the ill-constructed The level of killing frosts in each situation is very from the cold weather. Our ship is daily surrounded nearly the same in all instances and in different with some of these boats, with their living freight of men women and children, eagerly watching for About the 20th of August, 1857, I witnessed the refuse food that is usually thrown over-board well defined outlines of killing frost along the slop- after meals are over. This being noticed by our ing hills and valleys of western New York; and at humane captain he gave orders not to have them land ranges in Virginia, Tennessee, the Carolinas, collected among the crew and distributed among

28th of April, and in the fall of 1857, and spring daily made happy by the noble sons of the good

old Mississippi. South and Brushy mountains, (and some other iso- houses or dwellings more or less demolished by must doubtless be welcome to Mr Secretary Cobb." telligent fruit growers it would be charming in-Upon the above, the New York Journal of deed. So well defined was the outline of killing said to be the handsomest in the city, and covered frost along the base of these mountains after the overseveral acres of ground, are a mass of ruins. In "Thus, one after another, the advocates of an frost of the 16th of April, 1849, that all above to a room of this palace, after Yeh was captured, was nerease of duties by the last Congress concede the their summits, extending some ninety to one hun- found packed up in boxes twenty-three hundred duties, and disturbing the course of trade, by new west to the Blue Ridge, and eastward to the pine Within these enclosures Yeh caused thousands west to the Blue Ridge, and eastward to the pine Within these enclosures Yeh caused thousands I've got his watch. Say, just going up to the lands in the middle portions of the State. In the of persons to be beheaded for the most trifling prison to see cousin Joe hung, will ye go?"

AN IMPORTANT DECISION .- At the late session tion was killed in Lincoln, Iredell, and other The next and most horrible sight to be seen f our Court, an action against the Wilmington & counties below, there were cornfields on these was the "Temple of Horrors." Within the walls seed Five Hundred Dollars; this Company have and unstained by the frost. Later, however, frost to the spectators the different modes of punishment lied upon to limit the liability of the Company in tomatoes and watermelon vines continue green, jackscrews he is squeezed as flat as possible; then most of them blooming fresh, and some of them an official commences at the top of his head and His Honor ruled, and so charged the jury, that growing luxuriantly. This warm clime is sought saws him into slices. Another represents a common carriers could not thus limit their liabili- especially at this green season, by birds and ani- machine by which the culprit is ground to death; ties; he dwelt upon the injustice which would re- mals, and the sensitive deer is then sought for, in another represents an official in the act of pouring sult if the endorsement upon the tickets referred hunter's phrase, on the high ridges. Some ten- boiling lead down a criminal's throat, and another to was taken and considered as a contract, to which der persons residing here complain of chill on go- thrusting a red hot bar of iron down the throat and the passenger was presumed to have assented. The ing below. Here, too, apples, peaches, and the into the cars of a convict. There are also effigies and are rarely known to be injuried by frosts. victim into six pieces; whilst others exhibit the We learn that the defendants have appealed. I have eaten the northern and low country fruits, disembowelling punishment equally horrible to

portions of the Alleghany and Cumberland Moun- execution ground, near the above temple; here she was stripped naked, then seven executioners carried the sentence of the law into effect; two of them (as I witnessed a few days ago,) in some orchards cut off her breasts, two more cut off the fleshy on the Brushy Mountains, the ground was cover- part of her hips, two more cut off the thick part of ed with as fine apples as I ever saw, and many her ankles, the parts cut off being thrown in front trees almost breaking with the weight of the fruit; of her to look at; this done, her head was severed Dr Hostetter has presented his celebrated "Bitters" whos from her body, and her horrible sufferings were

Infanticide appears to be quite common in this country. A party left this ship a few days are on harder freeze would only make it better for pres- country. A party left this ship a few days ago on harder freeze would only make it better for pres-ent use. The same varieties below, with less a gunning excursion among the beautiful woods selves, respectfully. Sold by druggists and dealers generally, aroma and saccarhine, have been rotted long since. near Whampon, and during their travel of three everywhere Other tests, too, have shown the marked superiori- or four hours they came in contact with six dead children, varying from two or three weeks to a Upon the cereals the effect of this warm, dry year or two old, lying in the woods, where they had probably been left by their unnatural mothers. Some of them had been partially devoured, either by the dogs or hogs, which are constantly prowling

permitted to keep the society of any other woman |-Whether science has or has not fully developed he may select, and there is no law to prevent his and explained all that is useful and curious in doing so. If a married woman, however, commits these phenomena, it is desirable at least that the the same offence, she is cast off from her husband

NEWS ITEMS, &C.

The Bank of Cape Fear has declared emi-annual dividend of 5 per cent.

Snow .- There was a "right smart springling" diseases? Would not those depressed and ener- of snow at this place on last Sunday morning. Vegetation generally has received a "back set" cuperated, find these to be charming places of re- from which much of it will probably never fully covering \$12,921; and quarter which closed 30th

DESPERATE BATTLE BETWEEN TEXAN RANG-ERS AND INDIANS-Information received from the north of Texas, states that Captain Ford's company of Texas Rangers, numbering 47 men, encountered a body of Indians, and were soon afterwards surrounded by 890 of them. The Indians demanded that the Texans should surrender which was refused, whereupon a desperate battle ensued Captain Ford and four of his men cut their way through the Indians and escaped. The greatest excitement exists among the people residing on the frontier, and large companies will proceed in search of the Indians.

California dates to the 25th has arrived. News Day Book. unimportant. The state of finances in California and to venerate and defend "The American is in a flourishing condition. There are upwards of \$800,000 in the treasury.

The mining news received at California from British America was favorable.

FROM UTAH .- Latest accounts are not of the most pacific character. During the session of the Court at Provo, troops were stationed there, at which the Mormons were highly indignant, and threatened a collision with the soldiers. Salt Lake City was infested by an organized banditti. Sev-

eral of them had been arrested. The Indians continue to shoot at the mail carriers and to steal cattle.

HORRIBLE MURDER .- We mentioned in our paper of Monday last that Mrs. Potter, an old lady, the Professors to make Surveyors, Engineers, Chemista, her two sons, aged forty and thirty-five, and a and men fit for the practical business of life. grandchild, aged ten years, were burnt, with their house, in Lee, (Mc.) on the night of the 6th inst. some of the extreme head-waters of the Ohio, all pretty comfortably situated on board of our and that another son saved himself by jump-Tennessee, Santee, and Pedee Rivers, watering vessel, there are thousands of poor Chinese people, ing from the attic window. It has since been disclosed that the son who escaped, and whose name by surrounding high mountains. The dew is and miserable looking sanpans or boats that abound is Marshall Potter, murdered the entire family to Cadets at the end of their second year. very heavy, and the outline of killing frosts as well in this river, who are on the eve of starving-some and then fired the dwelling in order to conceal his defined as in valleys on the same streams below, being almost in a state of nudity, for the want of fiendish crime. Having been suspected and arrestthough differing in each situation 500 to 2,000 feet. clothing to cover their persons and to protect them | ed he made before the Coroner's Inquest a full

THE FRENCH BROAD RAILROAD.—We learn from the Asheville News that the magistrates of Henderson County have passed an order to submit a proposition to its citizens to subscribe \$100,000 to the French Broad Road. Those of Buncombe

THE WIDOW'S MITE. - A poor woman in Western Massachusetts, some time ago gave Rev Asa Bullard half a pint of chesnuts for the Massachusetts Sabbath School Society. Bullard sold them at The same effects of frost are said to influence I have taken a flying visit up to the city of auction at a festival in Winchester for \$5. The gerous to the perpetuity of the Union, and detri- unexpected pressure, it is represented that with the growth and maturity of grapes on some of the Canton. There are plainly to be seen all the were returned to him, and he has continued to sell and commodious for the accommodation of Cadets in mental to her advancement in prosperity? The the assistance afforded by the re-issue of the European mountains, and I suppose is common to miseries of war. All along the river and in the them over till he has realized \$36,50, and a part the Southern country; and the Board of Directors trust

Two men have been obliged to give up business and quit Boston on account of heavy losses by gambling and the purchase of lottery tickets, one having used up \$40,000 and the other \$12,000 in " Hallo, Ben !"

"Hallo, back again! What ye want?" "How's yer folks this mornin?"

"Purty well Mother's smart as usual-Jim and Tom well-an' father died last night."

"Yes; he kicked the bucket 'bout 12 o'clock, an'

PUGNACIOUS RELATIVES .- A man arrived at Pittsburgh, Ill., a few days since from Elmwood, Kansas, his sole errand being to thrash his brotherin-law, who had maltreated his wife. Having tried. The value of contents was proved to ex- luded to in Watagua county, left perfectly green made out of clay and other substances, exhibiting finished the business to the satisfaction of all concerned, he returned home.

A Model Verdict .- Out in Calhoun county Ill., a body with the head severed from the trunk was found recently. A coroner's jury was empanelled, and rendered the following verdict:

"Korener's Verdick .- Wee, the jurors, finde the deseczed cum to deth by the Hands of sum Purson unnon with unlawful weeping named ax."

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and has been patronized by all Eastern Governments and col-Reference can be made wherever the article has been tried. It is free from poison, and harmless to mankind and domestic animals. Many worthless imitations are adver-

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THE great draw back to persons emigrative to the extreme south and western country, is the fear they have of the Fever and Ague—the most fearful of all diseases. Every day we hear of persons attacked by this disease and made helpless in a short time, without any means of af-fording relief. In view of the great demand for a remedy universally acknowledged. The "Bitters," prepared after a long experience and deep study, have received the encomi

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Dr Geo B Green, Dear Sir: In reply to your question in regard to the action of the Oxygenated Buters, I feel much pleasure in stating that from its prompt and decisive effect it alternating and overcoming a severe and chronic case of Indigestion and Dyspepsia in my own family, and from a knowstructive effects throughout the Atlantic and Western States upon the harvests of last year, the wheat and outs on the Brushy Manufacture and outs on the Brushy Manufacture and de-

### NEGROES WANTED. WANT to buy NEGRO BOYS & GIRLS from 12

to 18 years old, for which the highest price in cash will be paid.

SAM'L A. HARRIS. Jan. 25, 1859.

# MAGIC OIL!

and those who suffer with Rheumatism, Neuralgia, of that grossness so common in exhibitions under cap Headache, Toothache, Lame back, Pain in the side, vass. Persons of the strictest religious principles fed Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Sore Throat, &c., would no repugnance in witnessing any portion or the pernot suffer with the pain one hour if they knew with formance. The best of order is maintained. The most what rapidity the Magic Oil cures pain. Be sure and eligible seats appropriated to ladies and those who so ask for Pratt & Butcher's Magic Oil; see signature on company them. trate and act upon the seat of the disease. Principal Brass and String Band.

Charlotte, N. C. March 8, 1859.

E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO.,

DEAD LETTER RETURNS .- During the quarter which closed on the 31st of March last, the openers of dead letters in the General Post Office found 2,186 which contained an aggregate of \$10,292. For the quarter ending 31st Decen ber the number of letters was 2,745, with \$12. 035; quarter ending 30th September 2,729 letter June last, 4,549 letters, with \$21,498. Total for the year, 12,209 letters and \$56,678. Through the prompt and systematic arrangement of the office nine-tenth of the letters, with a still greater proportion of the money, have been promptly and safely restored to their rightful owners.

A PIN SWALLOWED BY A LADY .- A few evenings ago, a young lady in this city swallowed a pin, which rested in her throat, and caused so much annoyance and pain that she could not slem during the whole of that night. The next morning she was taken with a fit of sneezing, when, strange to say, the pin was dislodged, and during the paroxysm passed through her nose, thus relieving FROM CALIFORNIA. - The Overland Mail, with her entirely of the troublesome intruder .- Norfolk

## NORTH CAROLINA MILITARY INSTITUTE Charlotte, N. C.

THE Exercises of this Institute will commence on the 1st October next. FACULTY ELECT:

MAJ. D. H. HILL, Superintendent. LIEUT. C. C. LEE, Commandant, C. P. ESTILL, A. M., Principal of Primary Depart.

Course of Studies: In the Primary Department, such as to qualify

Student to enter any College. In the Scientific Department the West Point Curriculum will be closely followed. It will be the aim of

In addition to the usual Exercises at Military Schools, the months of August and September will be spent in Campaigning through the mountains of North Carolina The Academic Year will commence on the 1st day of October, and will embrace twelve months. A furlough of two months (Aug. and Sept.) will be given Particular attention will be given to the moral and

eligious instruction of Cadets EXPENSES

The Institute will provide Board, Fuel, Lights, Washing, Arms, Equipments and Uniforms,-and all clothing except under clothes,—for \$300 PER ANNUM, one-half payable in advance; the balance in six months. No extra charges. No remission of charges to those who leave unless on the score of health. TERMS OF ADMISSION:

No one will be admitted into the PRIMARY DEPART. MENT under Twelve years of age; nor into the Sciex. TIFIC DEPARTMENT under Fifteen nor over Twenty-one years of age. All connected with the Scientific Department will be required to board in the Institute; those in the Primary Department may do so if they choose.

REMARKS!

that under the management of the Superintendent and Commandant, (both of whom are Graduates of West Point and of long experience in the Army, and in the business of instruction,) the Institute will be established on a true Military basis and conducted on true Military principles. The board will further say, that Mr ESTILL is a Graduate of the Virginia University and an experienced Classical teacher. They would further state that it is their intention to increase the number of teachers in both Departments as the patronage of the public may require.

This Institute was granted a liberal Charter by the Legislature of North Carolina, with the power of conferring Degrees upon those who complete the prescribed Course of Studies.

Applications for admission will be received until the 1st of September, and must be directed to Dr. C. J. Fox, President of the Board, Charlotte, N. C. [For further particulars see Circular.]

C. J. FOX, JAS. P. IRWIN, II. LaF. ALEXANDER, JAS. H. CARSON, THOS. H. BREM. S. M. BLAIR. DAVID PARKS, Charlotte, N. C., April 12, 1859.

Sale of Charlotte and S. C. Railroad Stock.

BANK OF CHARLOTTE, April 16, 1859. Will positively be sold at public Auction, on Tuesday the 26th instant, (Court week,) at the Court House in Charlotte, N. C., a lot of Charlotte and South Carolina Railroad Stock. Terms, CASH.

M. P. PEGRAM, Cashier. NEW

### SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS. The subscribers return their thanks to the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed on them,

tomers that they have received a large stock of Spring and Summer Trade, which they will sell as cheap as the cheapest. They

and would respectfully inform their friends and cus-

feel certain that they can give satisfaction both in price A large lot of Ready-made Clothing of various styles and qualities, on hand, at reduced

GROCERIES, Hardware, &c., Of all kinds, kept constantly on hand and for sale on the most reasonable terms. They invite purchasers to give their extensive stock

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On Monday the 16th of May next, at the late resi lence of Jonathan Burleyson, dec'd, I, as Executor of deceased, will sell on a credit of Six months, the lands of said Jonathan Burleyson; being the tract on which he resided at his death, containing THREE or FOUR HUNDRED ACRES, on six-mile creek in Union country also a tract of about 50 Acres near the late Aaron I And I, as Administrator of Jasper J. Burleyson

dec'd, will sell at the same time and place the persons property of the said Jasper J. Burleyson, consisting Beds, Furniture, and various other articles of personal property belonging to deceased. SAM'L H. WALKUP.

5t April 12, 1859.

# EVERETT'S Pavilion of Science and Art,

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