Mr Foote having offered a resolution to refer mission of California, to a select committee of a strange creature, whose tracks had been sion to express his profound astonishment that report was circulated to the effect that a whole question of slavery.

California at all connected with the slavery ques. pursued it for several days with dogs, and tion. California had presented herself for ad- at one time approached so near it as to

mission, and he was ready to admit her. Mr Foote said he must say, most seriously, if of pacification and compromise, the southern of fraternal compromise has become extinct, and that such intolerable oppression has been impos-Union to save themselves from evils worse than

Mr Foote said he was somewhat at a loss to understand how Mr Clay had been induced to urge this admission of California upon the Senate. But he would mention one or two circumstances, which, while they would explain the invstery, he hoped they would not disturb the sensibilities of any one present. He particularly hoped that Mr Benton would not grow restive, and as on a former occasion, leave the Senate. Mr Foote then stated that he had observed what he considered a remarkable circumstance-he had seen Mr Benton glide over to the seat of Mr Clay. So unusual an apparition awakened his surprise, and he watched the movement further. It was not long before he was able to say to a friend, "there is some scheme on foot for the betrayal of the south; some attempt is to be made to smuggle California into the Union." Sure enough, when the President sent in the California Constitution, the action of the two gentlemen implied that there was an understand-Mr Benton genteelly for showing so much an-

already become cognizant; to subject small animals as they can capture or pilfer sir! when they hear of it, they'll say . hoothem to the hazard of ultimate dishonor from the settlers. and ruin-the senator who does this, or who shows that he is capable of doing this, deserves censures which a regard for decorum alone restrains me from uttering, but which an intelligent and spirited conplicity. To the honorable senator from Missouri I might well say, as Nathan said | Spaulding. The Mirror says: unto David, thou art the man! Yes, I which few or none would fail to notice- two cancelled \$500 Treasury notes. because public justice is certain, and the time of vengcance has already arrived.

Mr F. said he had many near and dear friends in California, and one of her Senators, Dr. Gwin, well known that an empty bottle hermeti-

nia would never have been a bone of contention some pains to establish his position, by between the north and the south. He would having two bottles of the form of globes have continued the war with Mexico for ten made, of the thickness of three quarters of years rather than end it by the acquisition of an inch, which are without hole in any territory. He believed that in its origin the war part. The bottles are to be entrusted to He was opposed, however, to the manner in on the 8th of February, in the packet ship which California was presented for admission. "Southampton," for London,- one is plain, He considered the whole proceeding irregular and the other ground with the name on it and without precedent, and he differed with the of "Southampton." The subject is one President of the United States as to the ex- that has occupied the speculation of so pediency of admitting it under present circum- many, that this trial has occasioned a good

called the Powhatan; is 251 feet long and 44 wide. interesting. - New York Express.

THE WILD WOMAN OF THE NAVIDAD. From the Houston (Texas) Telegraph.

About a year since an account was pubthe whole question of slavery, as well as the ad- lished in the Victoria Advocate respecting fifteen Senators, Mr Benton and Mr Clay op- discovered on the banks of the Navidad, posed including the admission of California in near Texana. The footmarks of the creathe reference, whereupon Mr Foote took occa- ture resembled those of a woman, and a Mr Clay should oppose this, after urging in his wild woman had made her retreat into the speech the necessity of some plan for settling the forests of the Navidad. Within a few weeks several attempts have been made to Mr Clay did not consider the admission of capture this singular being. Mr Glascock cast a lasso upon its shoulders. It however, with great adroitness eluded the snare, California is admitted into the Union, except in and fled to a dense thicket, where it could conformity with some liberal and equitable plan not be traced. Mr Glascock states that he was near a small prairie enclosed by the States of the Confederacy will feel that all hope | border forests of the river when the creature emerged from the woods, and ran across the prairie in full view. It was ed upon them that they will secede from the about five feet high, resembling a human being, but covered with hair of a reddish brown color. In its hand it held a stick about six feet long, which it flourished from side to side, as if to regulate its motions, and aid it when running at full speed. Its head and neck are covered with very long hair, which streamed backward in the wind. It ran with the speed of a deer, various articles-among other things it car ing between them. Mr F. then went on to skin One of its nests was found in the forest, in Mr King, however, Bob was obliged to which were several napkins, folded up "meet him on the floor." xiety to get California in, because his son-in-law, just as they were taken from the house, Fremont, would thereby get a seat in the Senate. and a Lible, marked J. J. Wright. A Madison dresses fashionably and some-Well, sir, I at least may honestly avow | Bible. The foot-marks of this strange be- in plain, substantial walnut-dyed coat, perfect disinterestedness of motive in re- ing have often been traced in the bottom of and breeches with the occasional suraddigard to this curious affair, having no father, the Navidad, but it has eluded all attempts tion of a blanket coat; we go on to say brother, or son-in-law to be specially bene- to capture it. The old settlers in that sec- that last Monday evening Mr King made fited by the result of this effort to drag tion say that these foot-marks have been a thundering speech against the appropria-California into the Union before her wed- noticed for ten or twelve years, and that tion to rebuild the Capitol. He spoke of ding garment has yet been cast about her several years ago there were other foot- olog-rolling," "intrigue," "balls and

person, and ere she has been regularly marks, indicating that three of these crea- suppers," responsibility," to constituents," bidden to the nuptial feast. I leave others tures were in company. - Within the last and so on. To the astonishment of every to answer for themselves. But making year the foot-marks of only one have been one, Bob rose to reply. A friend notified all allowances for the intrinsic weakness noticed. Mr Glascock intends to collect us of what was going on, but as Bob's ofhumanity; regarding it as quite natural a pack of good hounds and resume the pur- speech was short, and the lobby was very for one who has been for some time past | suit, and he is confident that he will suc- crowded, we only heard a small portion among us in this chamber quite "solitary ceed in capturing it. He has incurred thereof. It was thus: and alone," to desire to secure at least one considerable expense, and has exposed "Mr Speaker; I've been with the genconfidential ally-one Fidelis Achates; himself to great hardships and danger to tleman on all sorts of measures. He hardyet I feel bound to say that, in my judg- secure it, thus evincing his full belief in ly every called on me but what I was ready ment, the senator from one of the slave the identifying of this mysterious being to serve him. And, sir, he talk's about States of this confederacy, who, under all It is not improbable that during the war of sintrigue." Yes, sir; though they never the awful circumstances which surround the Revolution, when the people of that asked me to their balls and suppers-beus, could be induced by self-love-ambi- section were driven from their homes by the cause, I suppose, they knowed that a blantion for family distinction-or any other victorious army of Urrea, some children ket coat wasn't the thing for balls-I am motive of a mere personal character-to might have been secreted in the woods or in favor of the appropriation. It's no use disregard the interests of his constituents; left there, and their relations never return- talkin' about what my constituents will to expose them to dangers even more ing, have become like wild beasts, clothed say about it :- one half of 'em don't know multiplied than those of which they have with hair and feeding upon herbs and such whar the seat of Government is! No.

been arrested at Albany and brought on to every way and on every measure, and the would be the fortunate purchaser. It was doubt the fact? Ascertain, then, how New York and committed to await a fur- gentleman has been among the most constituency will assuredly and speedily in- ther hearing, on the charge of obtaining in stant customers I've had. I have been three successive bids of 850 each, it went Open a directory-read their addressesflict. Sir, let me speak out still more ex- 1848, goods and money to the value of grindin' most of his meal for some time \$458, under false pretences, from S. W. For all he dresses as fine as silk, and his

Green became acquainted with Spaulacquiring California by voting for the treaty pointed a secret United States Marshal, all this, he frequently says "Bob, do so," with Mexico- you, who refused last winter employed by the government for the pur- and I scarcely ever denied him. Once I there was much applause. day to supply our suffering brethren in manufacture of bank bills and coin, and pleasure him; and only last night he came painted for Mr Claypole by the late James California with the protection of a govern- showed a document as his credential, un- to my room, at the hour of midnight, to Peale, about the year 1783, in the military ment and laws - voting even against the der which he acted. He offered to make ask me to vote for somethin' else, and ses costume of that period, was commenced at have been so beneficial to the people of 850 per month. It was during this period revolution. I'd go with Mike if I could, purchaser. California and New Mexico, and have even that the goods and money were obtained. but time and chance and other thing busts saved the Union itself from the hazards of Spaulding, after a time, suspected that all up our connexion. Mike's a nice man, and of recommendation to Gen. Mifflin, presi- crying up "White" slavery, they merely was made at that time. the present critical hour-you, who insti- was not right, and wrote to Mr Gillet, So- has knowin' constituents, while mine's so dent of Congress, written by Washington, gated a foreign government to call in ques- licitor to the Secretary's Department, to glad to get any body to represent 'em, they in behalf of a distinguished French Genits ratification, and endeavored to defeat and was informed that he had previously tleman from Tuscaloosa lookin' like he had for \$20. its provisions by insidiously setting up the represented that he could be very service- somethin' to say about his little precinct, protocol in opposition to it-you, sir, least able to the government in the detection of which wants the State House-so I'll say hands." Such an address might be easily torneys, for the detection of guilty parties; made to the gent'eman to whom I have but it was soon discovered that he was been all along alluding, and he would find | humbugging the Government; that what he it impossible to answer it. Yes, sir, im- had represented was false, and he was in Montgomery, without paying for it, let possible, because truth is powerful, and therefore dismissed. On his arrest the him "show his papers, and I'll foot the will prevail, and, I might add-with a sig. officer took from his person a bad bill for bill."-Chambers Tribune. milicance which few would be dull enough | \$500 on the Philadelphia Bank, \$20 on not to perceive, and the application of the Northern Bank of Kentucky, likewise

It is since stated that Green has been released, having proven himself innocent.

A CONTROVERSY TO BE SETTLED. - It is was one of them; and however much it would cally sealed, when lowered to a great depth delight him to admit her into the sisterhood, his at sea, will come up full of water. The duty to his State was paramount to all private why and the wherefore of this result has vice had been received by the Senate, there tains an opinion that a bottle can be made heart. would have been none of this difficulty; Califor- that cannot be filled with water, has taken A large breast-pin a wife would be, was unnecessary; and in its purposes unjust. the care of Capt. E. E. Morgan, who sails deal of remark. The bottles are made Oh there are records of the heart which never with the belief that former experiments of Another large war steamer was launched at the kind will be controverted by this trial. Mine eyes to thine may scarce again aspire. the Norfolk Navy Yard, a few days ago. She is The result will be highly important and

From the Old North State. A VESSEL BLOWN UP.

We understand that the schooner Republican, of Plymouth, N. C., got blowed at the mouth of Pasquotank River on night, and that about midnight fire was ment to be affirmed; in Gordon v Price, discovered in her hole, and knowing that from Chowan, affirming the judgment. there was powder on board the captain and By Nash, J .- In Peace v Jenkins, from crew left immediately. She continued Granville, affirming the judgment; in Roto burn until about 1 or 2 o'clock P. M., gers v Nutall, from Granville, affirming on Tuesday, when the powder caught and the judgment; in Satchwell v Respass, blowed the vessel to pieces. We under- from Beaufort, affirming the judgment; in stand that there were several boxes of goods Keaton v Banks, from Pasquotank, judgon board. How the fire is supposed to ment reversed and cause remanded; in have originated we know not, but learn Common Schools of Pasquotank v Perkins arises how came a lighted lamp in the hole. in State v Roberts from Brunswick, di-For if it had caught in the cabin from a recting the judgment to be affirmed; in lamp it might we suppose have been soon Atkins v Shepherd, in Equity from Orange. extinguished. We do not blame the cap- confirming the Master's report, and di tain and crew for abandoning her, if the recting a decree accordingly. fire caught in the hole and there was powder about.

MR MURPHY, OF DE KALB.

One of the funniest fellows of Christenand was soon out of sight. The dogs pur- dom, is Bob Murphy, of De Kalb. Gensued it, and came so close upon it at a erally, however, he keeps his fun for select small creek, that it was compelled to drop circles, out of doors; and until last week The stick is about six feet long, straight in the House (of which he has been a memand smooth as if polished with glass. Sev- ber for six sessions;) not even to the exeral other persons have repeatedly seen the tent of making a motion. Observant. creature, and they all concur in represent- shrewd and humorous, he has contented ing it as a human being, but so covered himself with "murdering" those soft ones with shaggy hair as to resemble an who on small capital essay to seem to do ourang outang. It has frequently ap- much by vociferating " Mr Speaker." Oc. judgment. proached the houses of settlers in that casionally his victim is some "right smart neighborhood during the night, and stolen fellow," and in the instance to which we would more particularly refer, was a genried off a quantity of towels, one or two tleman of sense, education and worthbooks, and has also taken several pigs. | Michael King Esq., of Madison. To "do"

Premising that the gentleman from bill for washing was also enclosed in the times wears ruffles, while Bob is enclosed

> raw, Bob." That's what they always say when they hear I've done any thing,

My lovin' friends, I'say far'well, My feelin's it is hard to telland if he ever took a drink, or eat a goober

A GOLD BUGLE. - The members of the Lowell Brass Band are about to present their leader with a gold bugle, worth nearly one thousand dollars; the gold cost about

A FLOWER FOR THE HEART. - A wife came up to the measure. long been a matter of controversy among full of truth, innocence and love, is the Mr Badger very gravely stated that if his ad- scientific men. A gentleman who enter- prettiest flower a man can wear next his

filled up in this way.

THE WELCOME AND FAREWELL. To meet and part, as we have met and parted, One moment cherished and the next forgot, To wear a smile when almost broken-hearted,

I knov, full well, is helpless woman's lot; Yet let me, to thy tenderness appealing, Avert this brief but melancholy doom-Content that, close beside the thorn of feeling, Grows memory, like a rose, in guarded bloom

Love's history, dearest, is a sad one ever, Are to the scrutinizing gaze unrolled! Still in thy memory, dearest, let me dwell, And hush, with this hope, the magnetic wire Wild with our mingled welcome and farewell.

From the Raleigh Register. SUPREME COURT. The following Opinions have been de-

livered since our last notice: By Ruffin, C. J .-- In Troy v Wooten, uesday last. She had got as far as from Bladen, affirming the orders appealed eloquent speech : Perquimans River, on her way to Colerain, from; in R. Love v Love, in Equity, from when she got aground, and in getting off Caswell, dismissing the bill with costs; in They were extracted from a long and received such damages as to induce the S. Love v Love, in Equity from Caswell, Captain to put back to E. City to repair. dismissing the bill with costs; in Nelson v She reached the mouth of the Pasquotank Nelson, in Equity from Guilford; in State at about 10 o'clock P. M., on Monday v Watts, from Person, directing the judg-

By Pearson, J .- In Doe ex dem. Houser judgment; in State ex rel. Cavaness v Troy in State v Boyett, from Johnston, affirming ing world. the judgment; in Johnston v Simpson from Caswell, directing a venire de novo; in Edwards v Bennet, from Chatham, reversits stick, which was taken by its pursuers. was never known to make a demonstration ing the decree and directing that partition be made in the Court below; in Commissioners of Newbern v Dawson, from Craven, affirming the judgment; in State to very best intentions. Of such, is puling, use of Waring v Wilroy, from Pasquotank, one-eyed philanthropy recruited. There directing a venire de novo; in Lamb v are also knaves, who believe public dis-Goodwin, from Perquimans, affirming the traction necessarily conduces to private

> The Judges of the Supreme Court will hereafter require that applicants for license shall have gone through the following courses of reading:

> Those for the County Courts: Blackstone's Commentaries, 4 vols. - 2d vol. particularly. Coke on Littleton, or Cruise's Digest. Fearnson Remainders and Executory De

Vises.

Saunders on Uses and Trusts. Roper on Legacies, or Toler on Executors Revised Statutes, Chapters 37, Deeds and Conveyances; 38, Descents; 121, Wid- ings, persecutions, and the dealers in ex- tables, &c., as the girls had specified. ows; 122, Wills and Testaments.

Those for the Superior Courts: Third Book of Blackstone. First volume of Chitty's Pleadings. Stephens on Pleading. Fonblanque's Equity. Newland or Powell on Contracts. Mitford or Cooper, Equity Pleadings. Lubie's Equity Pleading.

Fourth Book of Blackstone First volume Phillips or Starkie on Evi-

Revised Statutes, chapters 31, Courts, County and Superior; 34, Crimes and Punishments; 63, Lands of Deceased

Selwynn's Nisi Prius-Test, E. B. FREEMAN, Clk

WASHINGTON'S FAREWELL ADDRESS. The Philadelphia papers give the particulars of the sale of Washington's Farewell Address in that city on the 12th inst. | tice, grovelling venality-their profession ARREST OF THE REFORMED GAMBLER. no matter what. But, sir, they've pulled There was a very large attendance, and of motives, is unqualified, unmingled, un--J. II. Green, the reformed gambler, has and hauled me every way to make me vote much anxiety was manifested to know who redeemed hypocrisy. Does the reader started at \$500 by R. Willing, and after these men make or made their wealth. up to \$1,000. From this it increased to enquire of those in their employ whether \$2,300, each bid being \$100 It was they do not experience the meaning of the jewelry to a considerable amount. ruffles crackles in the winds of heaven, knocked down to the Rev. Dr. Boardman, term serf, in all its literality. On enquiry while his boot heels makes holes three who became the purchaser for a gentleman and investigation, it will be found that might say "Sir: you, who would not aid in ding, and represented that he had been ap- inches deep in the bowels of the yeth-for residing at a distance. At the announce- most of these sons of Nex and Chaos bask 17 miles from town. They were suspectment that it would not go to Washington in the sunshine of wealth obtained by pil. ed of being the guilty persons, and a gold

of all men, have a right to seize the con- counterfeiters of coin, and had been recom- far'well to my friend from Madison, ruffles, lard's National Hotel on Friday evening, tarian" is worse than an asp's. His moral trol of California concerns into your mended to the different U. S. Direct At- boots, log-rollin' oyster suppers and all- between the Ilon. L. C. Levin and Fitz deformity compels him to screen his un Henry Warren, the 2d assistant Postmas- attractive lineaments behind a veil of ter General. The origin of the cause of "Justice and Humanity;" but, beware the quarrel I could not learn. but upon Mr of philanthropic " lagos," who kill men in Levin calling Mr Warren "a d-d scoun- the dark, crying out, lustily, " Where be drel," the latter struck him over the head | those bigot thieves ?" with his cane, when several blows passed between them They were parted by Col. Baker of Illinois. - Cor. Balt. Pat.

> A REASON. -In old times a wag in England avertised that he would creep \$600 dollars, and was purchased in this into a quart bottle and sing in it. A large city. The instrument should produce audience was collected, to whom he apoogized by saying that, having searched all the taverns in the neighborhood for a quart bottle, not one could be found which

> > the hero and the heroines are relieved by the opportune appearance of a rich old uncle from the East Indies, with a pocketbook full of bank notes, must be changed. The climax of the drama must come from California. - The old uncle must rush upon the stage with a bag full of the dust, exclaiming-" Here are five hundred ounces; take her, my dear boy, and be happy."

"Cosco, of N. Y." on her stern, was taken into St. Helena, on the 20th of December, with \$30 Africans on board. She was a prize to the English steamer Cyclops. She had an American commander, flag and Nantucket the first probably ever raised None is genuine unless signed I. BUTTS on the and only the paragraph of transaction

FANATICISM CAN GO NO FUR-THER.

Our readers will recollect the beautiful lines which Senator Dickson quoted in his

"Thou, too, sail on, O ship of State." admirable poem on the Union of the States by Professor Longfellow. Will it be believed that a meeting of Garrison and his fanatical crew, held lately at Faneuil Hall, (the cradle of our liberties,) the following resolution was passed, "with much applause, mingled with hisses ?"

Resolved, That it is with deep regret we perceive that the poet Longfellow has prostituted Francisco, California, do hereby certifi, his fine poetical genius to eulogize the bloodstained American Union, as freighted with the hopes and interests of humanity—as being a noble ship, invulnerable to the rock, and proof against the storm, built in the most skillful and workmanship manner; whereas the history of its half flood. From the time I arrived at the it caught from a lamp. But the question from Pasquotank, affirming the judgment; creation and its cruise demonstrate it to have

'-- a perfidious bark, Built i' th' eclipse, and rigg'd with curses dark," rotting through a ll her timbers. leaking from citizens here, to give my opinion of the stem to stern, laboring heavily on a storm-tossed harbor, I have no hesitation in stating that sea, surrounded by clouds of disastrous portent, navigated by these whose object is a piratical et al, v Belton, from Surry, affirming the one, (namely, the extension and peretuity of slavery,) and destined to go down "full many a fathom deep," to the joy and exultation of all tion with the Ocean, there are, I think, from Randolph, affirming the judgment; who are yearning for the deliverance of a groan-

ABOLITIONISM UNVEILED.

There are fanatics in all parties-that is, vaporers, with more enthusiasm than brains, who do much mischief with the benefit-who fabricate philanthropy as a first-rate science of deception-who believe religion to be a mere trade for despicable sharpers, while they view social chicane and sordid selfishness as the very acme of civilization. Of such are composed our principal Abolition Mongers. They are the quidnuncs, who, when nothing else is in hand, babble about the 'Church in Danger!'-"No Popery!"-Down with Jesuitism!"-and so-forth. Of course, they are members of Christian congregations, and are busily employed in creating hostilities, jealousies and recrimi nations--fostering strife, bickerings, curscommunications, and anathemas, against The affair has now, however, exploded, af all who fail to worship the bloodless Moloch | ter men had been frightened out of their they choose to set up. Yet these frenzied senses, and columns upon columns have Mawworms and effeminate war-makers are been written and published upon the subthe pompous agitators of immediate aboli- ject. It seem that an investigation comtion-the screaming advocates of assassi- mittee was appointed to confabulate with nation, anarchy, and civil war, under the the spirits and ascertain their object and masked battery of "Philanthropy!" They purpose. The first thing the matter-ofprate of "commiseration for the Black," but, in their hireling hearts, they covet the two young ladies, tie their petticoats tight property of the southerner; they hanker after the flesh-pots of Egypt, and imagine the world is duped by their sophistry. These men know by experience the preference of Cheap Hired Labor over Chattel, and therefore like Hudibras -

"Slavery they one way disavow; Another, they'll nothing else allow."

The writer knows the general and private character of most of the prominent northern abolitionists; and he avows, that. as a rule, their philanthropy is assumption -their religion, Pharisceism-their jusfering the mechanic's labor, by shaving the watch having been seen on the seat they to unite with those who struggled night and pose of detecting counterfeiters in the voted for his little town, Huntsville, to An original portrait of Washington, poor far ner, and starving the wretched occupied, the suspicions were made known famine-driven laborer! No wonder these to them. On this the younger of the two bucksters of the nation's wealth reverence went into the Closet of the Car, and rethe "wager slavery," seeing that it con- turned in a minute or two, and offered amendment of the honorable senator from the other one of his deputies, and he believ- I, "Mike I'm wi' ye!" But, sir, on the \$25, and finally knocked down at \$150; demns the mass to become the brutal drud. himself to be searched; that operation Wisconsin, the adoption of which would ing the story, consented, he was to be paid 'propriation I'm with the patriarchs of the living pullies of the com. having been performed on the elder of the mercial machine, and that machine their two. One appears about 25 and the other An original manuscript copy of a letter property! In condemning "Black" and 30 years of age. No further discovery

Compound for sins they are inclined to By damning those they have no mind to

tion the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo after know if what Green represented was true; take up wi' me. However, I see the gen- eral, was purchased by John Wilson, esq. They pretend to protect, while their actions the circumstances warranted their arrest, pollute, the very sanctuary of Liberty. The serpent's fang we may guard against, A personal rencontre took place at Wil- but the poison of an insidious "humani-

> NORTH CAROLINA. -Our sister State about 8 gold watches, 3 or 4 silver ones, seems to be thoroughly aroused to the and a large quantity of finger rings, locknecessity of being represented in the Nash- ets, &c. We guess the value of these ville Convention. Several counties have articles was about \$700-it may be more already held preliminary meetings, and we or less. notice, among others, that Cumberland, The accused were partially examin-Duplin, New Hanover, Columbus, Clinton, ed before Jere Nichols, Wm. C. Betten-Bladen, and Wayne are all holding meet- court, and James T. Miller, Esquires, ings and appointing delegates to their res- vesterday afternoon. A further investigapective Congressional district meetings. | tion will take place to morrow, when per-North Carolina may be slow to move, sons will return who went up yesterday. CALIFORNIA IN COMEDIES. -- Punch says but the spirit, tone, and temper of her who are considered necessary witnesses in that all the old English comedies, where present meetings indicate, that, while her the case. people are moderate, they are in perfect unison with their fellow-citizens of South. The old North State will be in the front rank in the hour of trial .-- South Carolinian.

> > Graham, J. C. Wooten, W. H. White,

in that cold region.

From the N. C. Standard BEAUFORT HARBOR.

We cheerfully comply with the request of friends in Beaufort, Carteret, to insert the following statement of Capt. Creighton, as to the depth, capacity, and safety of Beaufort Harbor. This Harbor has long since been pronounced, on the best authority, one of the very finest, in all respects, on the Atlantic board. We ask attention to the entire statement of Capt. Creighton. It is short, but it embraces a good deal:

PORT OF BEAUFORT, N. C., Feb. 4th. I, James A. Creighton, part owner and late master of the Ship Louisa Bliss, which sailed from this Port to-day for San that on entering the said harbor of Beau fort, in the said Ship, on the 22d of De. cember, I found on the bar twenty-two feet of water-the tide being then about outside of the bar, I was not more than thirty minutes coming to a safe anchorage in the harbor. As I am requested by I regard it as an excellent one for Merchant vessels of every class. In depth, capacity, safety, and direct and easy communicafew harbors on any coast superior to it. Its position is an admirable one for carrying on an extensive foreign trade. It is hardly necessary for me to add, that it is the only harbor in this State, which I would think of entering in this vessel to take in

The Ship drew sixteen feet of water when she left this harbor this morning, and in forty minutes after weighing anchor in the harbor she discharged her pilots at sea. JAMES A. CREIGHTON.

STOP THAT KNOCKING. - There has ocen for some time much superstitious, interest and excitement at Rochester, N. Y. in consequence of certain mysterious knockings" by which, with the aid of two half grown girls, divers revelations were made from the "spirit land" and from departed persons to their living friends. Crowds assembled day after day, through several weeks, to witness the wonder. Questions would be asked, and an affirmative or negative answer directed by such knocks or sound, upon the house floor, fact committee-men did was to seize the round their ankles, place them upon a tadle, and hold their feet quite sull. Wonderful to relate, the spirits were so disgusted with this rudeness, that they refused to make any communication while the ladies were held in durance, and the committee venture to express the opinion that if a jury of matrons could have been empanneled on the spot, the supernatural apparatus would have been found concealed on the persons of the Vestals .- Only to think, says the venerable Major Noah, how much mystery may be concealed under a petticoat. Clever young women those.

> From the Wilmington Commercial. ROBBERY AND DETECTION.

The store of Messrs A. G. Bowers & Bro., Watch Makers and Jewellers was robbed on Tuesday night of watches and

On Wednesday two white men took the cars going north, at Rocky Point, about

The return Car was was met about 25 miles from town, and it being thought that they were put on board and brought to town

for that purpose. The circumstance of the closet was remembered, and a look out was kept by several persons for any thing that might be found laying on the Road-side. About a mile and a half above the place the accused had entered the Cars, on going up, M Gilbert, the train Agent, discovereda blue handkerchief, tied up. The Cars were stopped, and run back a short distance. In the handkerchief were tied up

The parties call themselves Cole and

VALUABLE TESTIMONY FROM THE SOUTH READING ROOM AT ELIZABETHTOWN.—
A Reading Room has been established at Elizabethtown, Bladen County, under the auspices of Messrs J. G. McDugald, N.

We like, at all times, to give credit when credit is due, and if at the same time. We can relieve the distressed, we are doubly gratified; we therefore give the following voluntary testimony as to the beneficial effects of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, by the editor of the Columbia South Carolinian, who appears to have obtained great relief by its use.—Old Dominion, Portamouth, Va.

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