CAPE FEAR AND DEEP RIVER IM-PROVEMENT.

To the Editor of the Carolinian:

Sir: My attention has this day been d to an article in the Goldsboro' of the 5th of August, credited to the Wilmington Journal, and headed "Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Company," in which the writer of the article gratuitously, and in the most wanton manner, assails the professional character of the Engineer of the Cape Fear and Deep River Improvement, and by false and slanderous representations and an assumption of facts, without one particle of truth to sustain them, endeavors to make out his case. Whoever the wriseasons." It never was asserted that it could be done in one season. It was asserted it could be done in two with a sufficient force, the half of which required Richmond Whig says the story is so absurd he assured them that he was a force has not been employed upon the as not no be worthy of contradiction ! independent free by demonstration is a set of the bad car work.

I take it to be a self evident proposition in prejudice by misrepresentions, that if a man undertakes to build a house of certain third more, that at least one third more money will be required to finish the house upon the enlarged plan. Now, sir, this is the simple fact in regard to the Cape Fear and Deep River Improvement.

Looking to the results proposed, with his eye steadily fixed upon them-the uncourteous writer of the article in question does not stop to enquire what causes may have operated to retard the work, can. but casting about in his own mind for the reasons, his mind having previously been poisoned by calumnious statements from certain sources, in regard to the work and the Engineer, he jumps to the conclusion that the "company have been to fortunate in the choice of an Engineer,' and yet tardily admits that the work "that has been done has been well done."

for the last twenty-five years to allow paper for some years at Manchester: what reputation I may have acquired in it,

ATTENTION VOTERS! Gen. Scott is speaking.

meeting at Ravenna on the 10th instant. of our people in favor of their nominee.

man.-Warrenton Flag.

The Character of the Witnesses against Gen Pierce.-We commend to the attention of the whig and abolition conspirators, big and little, the following paragraph from for the coldness of those who served with the Portsmouth (N. II.) Gazette, edited I have not labored in my profession by a gentleman who conducted a neutral

"But the best joke of the whole affair lie to be filched from me by such sweeping in Parson Foss pretending to be a reporter and untruthful statements. I am not a of speeches for a newspaper. We know a person to sit still and permit the dissect- lit the of the man, and from what we have people are not to be misled by banners, ing knife to be applied to me by an assum- seen of him and know of the tendency of ed knowledge of the operator, when I am his ears, we would'nt trust him to report a prepared to show that he is deficient in his nursery song. The reverend gentleman assumed skill and the facts to support it. will recollect a case in point, concerning fact that every General officer, who served War: As I propose on my return to Pitts- Mr Hale's speech at the State fair last fall, under Scott in the Mexican war, is opboro' to prepare a plain statement of facts, which plainly indicated that he cannot hear posed to his election to the Presidency- army of freemen, who do not lose their properly authenticated, by which I trust correctly from some reason. to make the case so plain that "he who "As to Mr Coodale, the gentleman with civil qualifications to fit him for that high sets up pretensions to dictatorial power--"and understand all mat- the cloven foot is equally entitled to cre- and responsible station. Wool, Twiggs, when he contemns the authority of his an with the "Cape Fear dence. After what we have seen of his Riley, Butler, Quitman, Pillow, Lane, government, and is much more ready to aprovement," I shall unscruppious course, and of his miserable Patterson, Persifer Smith, Cadwallader, censure than execute its orders and in-, at this time, of the falsifications, with never a retraction, we Marshall, Shields, all are found in the structions-when he denounces as an ounce it false in the would not believe the whining puppy if ranks of the opponents of the Whig womi- outrage and a punishment, the attempt to

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THE MILITARY HURRAH. The whigs have nothing to comfort them

"The Whigs of Ohio held a ratification but the hope of exciting the military arder

to any mind not steeped to the eyebrows denied ! We don't know whether the back, and when he assured them that he Herald. "absurd" was printed in great staring looked alone to the democratic party for capitals, -but this summary answer to his political future-were forced to abandimensions for a certain sum of money. Messrs. Tilden and Wade, is too absurd don him as soon as they became acquaintand his employer afterwards concludes to for information. Hence, the Whig press ed with his character as a public man. enthusiastic Meeting on the evening of the is true We shall so consider it, until duced to General Scott, and have become guns were fired, and there was a great it is disproved. We shall not doubt it acquainted with his vanity and inordinate display of rockets, banners, transparencies, until it is denied. We shall keep it ambition. They have been brought face &c. Speeches were delivered by Messrs before the people that Gen. Scott avows to face with his manifold weaknesses, Breckenridge, Venable, and other distinthat he will .. SOONER CUT OFF HIS his thirst for authority, his boundless pre- guished gentlemen. RIGHT HAND THAN LEND IT TO tension, and his haughtiness. and they THE SUPPORT OF SLAVERY." We will join in no attempt to glorify him by a

> stranger to their hearts, for his heart has for their Presidential electors. no pulsation in common with theirs. A military burrah is therefore impossible; General Scott will prevent it. The failure of the Lundy's Lane celebration, and the little attention with which the proposi- that he suffered no opportunity to pass, Vincent to Miss Agnes Fanning. tion to celebrate the capture of Chepultepec has been received, prove that the him into disgrace, and so papable had this design become, that the Department at Washington were obliged to interfere to protect him. The following is from the

STEAM BETWEEN NEW YORK AND WIL-MINGTON.

DEMOCRATIC REJOICINGS. -- The Democrats of Washington City had a large and add to the dimensions of the building one is silent. After this lapse of time, the The officers of the army have gone through 10th, in honor of the result of the late at the foot of Washington street, by means public have a right to infer that the charge a similar process. They have been intro- election in North Carolina. One hundred

> Gen. Commander has published an ad call upon the Whigs to disprove it if they wild outbreak of military enthusiasm. dress in the Winyah (S. C.) Observer, Many of the officers of the army have justifying his course in seeking admission much less to run .-- Standard. Come, gentlemen, stand up to your suffered from his suspicious jealousy, his to the Democratic National Convention. hasty temper, and his eagerness for per- He promises now to devote himself to sonal advancement. The common soldier securing for the people of South Carolina has no sympathies with him. He is a the exercise of the right to vote directly

> > GEN. SCOTT'S HATRED OF HIS OFFICERS. --So bitter was the hatred of Gen. Scott borough, Jr, Esq, to Miss Kate S. Haywood, toward the gallant and lamented Worth, daughter of the late Dr. Leigh Haywood. whereby he could insult him, and bring

BELL BEACON FOR HATTERAS.-Messrs Merrick and Son, have recently complet- OUTRAGEOUS ATTACK UPON A

The idea of a line of steam packets be- ed, at the Southwark foundry, a vessel tween New York and Wilmington, under of a most novel construction, for the consideration for some time, seems now to Government, which is to be moored on The Scott Club at that place was address-ed at night by the Hon. Daniel R. Tilden, a Whig free soiler, who in the course of his speech, introduced and read a letter those who have been their most conspice- tisement setting forth that the steam propel- ant description, the top being covered just received from Hon. B. F. Wade, ous champions, for a mere military chief. ler Ontario, would leave that port for this over, and made perfectly water tight. It Whig Senator at Washington, in which tain. But they have reckoned unwisely, on the 12th inst. The cabin passage is has four bulkheads, dividing its length Senator Wade writes: "I have this day had a conversation with Gen. Scott, in which be declared he would sogner cut off his right hand than lend it to the support of slapery." The above report of Mr Tilden's speech, has now been published for more than two weeks.—It has never been denied as yet. There has been ample time. Mr can be used as a place of refuge for persons wrecked in the vicinity of the beacon, in case of such a necessity occurring. The vessel is to be towed to Cape Hatteras by a vessel chartered for the purpose and will shortly be placed in the water,

> of Mr George Smith's improved crane, recently erected there .- Phila. Ledger. Some of the Whig leaders said, in 1850, when Governor Manly was defeated, that he was a weak candidate ; they now say Mr Kerr was a very weak candidate. According to this, the next Whig candidate will be too weak to stand for the office,

MARRIED.

At Rockfish Village, Cumberland county, on the 3d inst, by Colin McRae, Esq, Mr Wm. J. Rivins to Miss Penny M. Barnhill. Also, on the 6th June last, Mr Aaron Malone of Moore coun- to arrest the movement, but being a man ty, to Miss Abby Honeycutt. In Raleigh, on the 14th instant, Edward Yar-In Wilmington, on the 17th instant, Mr N B

From the Boston Post. SOUTHERNER.

> OCRAN HOUSE, Newport, R. I., August 9, 1852.

This usually quiet village was this morning full of excitement, occasioned by an attack of waiters upon the person of E. M. Yerger, Esq., a young planter from the South. The circumstances are as follows: On Sunday, at dinner, Mr Yerger was helping some lady friends to a dish, when waiter attempted to take it from his hands. He very promptly and properly raised his case-knife which he held, and struck the waiter's face. The waiter was taken from the room, and dinner went on as usual. The next morning, Mr Yerger went to breakfast, and, being seated, discovered a movement among the waiters. and having armed himself in anticipation of an attack, he prepared for self-defence. He held a pistol in each hand, and, as the mob advanced, he told them he would kill the first man who came within five feet. By this threat I believe his life was saved, for none of them dared to overstep the mark. The cry of "Southrons !" was immediately made, whereupon Col Christy, of Kentucky, Lieut. Nelson, of the navy, Mr Pollard, of Alabama, and many other friends of Mr Y. came to the rescue. The mob was kept at bay by Mr Yerger's pistols until he was surrounded by his

friends; he was thus deprived of the use of his arms, and the mob closed upon him. A pistol was wrenched from his right hand, the guard tearing his finger severely. The waiter who got possession of the nistol made several attempts to fire upon Mr Yerger, but was prevented from fear of killing some of his accomplices. Mr Yerger, was taken from the room by his friends, vi et armis, and the waiters soon expelled by the remaining Southerners. They gathered, however, in another part of the house, and being in number about a hundred, created great consternation among the ladies. Mr Yerger was compelled to leave the place by advice of his friends, about fifty of whom accompanied him. Many Southerners are still preparing to leave. Mr Weaver did all he could of not much decision, he of course failed. I must say that if guests are to be thus treated whilst visiting Newport for their health or pleasure, it would be wise for them to remain at home. I understand the mob have threatened the lives of Col. Christy and Lieut. Nelson, who were dence of her son-in-law, Maj. J. P. Leonard, warm personal friends of Mr Y, and Mrs Elizabeth Williamson, in the 71st year of stood by him in the midst of the difficulty. Several waiters were knocked down while attempting to follow Yerger to his room. and during her last protracted illness and in the Altogether we have had an exciting time -truly-disgraceful and outrageous upon the feelings of the visitors. Nothing new or important in the fashionable worldthe same routine of bathing, riding and hopping, occasionally by an Irish episode.

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ter of the article is, and I care not who he may be, he does not state a fact when be says, "the work could not under any management whatever have been complet-ed for \$200,600. He does not state a fact when he says, "it was nonsense to talk about its being done in one or two seasons." It never was asserted that in the time to the mast, and is of course in the time being done in one or two seasons." It never was asserted that in the time to the mast, and is of course in the time being done in one or two seasons." It never was asserted that in the time to the time to the mast, and is of course in the time being done in one or two seasons." It never was asserted that in the etablish Fore? capert al. Con-the time to the the time being done in one or two seasons." It never was asserted that in the etablish Fore? capert al. Con-the time to the the time being done in one or two seasons." It never was asserted that in the time to the time to the time to the the time to time to time to time to had time to attend to it in their eagerness to establish Foss' report of Gen. Pierce's speech. Only one Whig press that we know of, has said a word about it. The know of, has said a word about it. The know of, has said a word about it. The know of has said a word about it. The has saured them that he had carried to the mast, a short distance assured them that he had carried to the mast, a short distance assured them that he had carried to the mast, a short distance assured them that he had carried to the are glad it is being made. --Wil. In the dentity of a bout to be whether the had when he assured them that he had carried to the mast, a short distance assured them that he had carried to the mast, a short distance and we are glad it is being made. --Wil.

RHOUT THOMPSON. incer C. F. & D. R. Imp nut. 9th, 1852.

THE WEST-A CONVENTION.

The late election has conclusively demonstrated -- whatever may have been said below. to the contrary by interested Whig leaders -- that the people of Western Carolina are for Free Suffrage by Legislative enactment, and against a Convention. The issue was distinctly put, and the decision of the people has been of such a character good behaviour, he was pardoned out, bethat no one can misunderstand it. Gov. Reid was known to be in favor of Free Suffrage by Legislative enactment, for the afterwards turned preacher. The writer basis in both branches of the Assembly as were his positions both in the East and in the West. They were set forth by him, day by day, during the canvass, in the plainest and clearest manner; while on the other hand Mr Kerr was understood on all sides to be against Free Suffrage by form me-but remarked, that he .. knew Legislative enactment, and for a Convenin the West as the advocate of a "free, open, unrestricted Convention"---said he had been for it for years, and thus con. stituted himself the peculiar champion of that measure. What has been the result ? In the West, where this measure was supposed to be most acceptable and popular, Gov. Reid has made his heaviest gains; and in addition to this, Mr Styles, Free Suffrage Whig, is elected to the Commons from Cherokee over Mr Rowland, Convention Whig, and Mr Munday, Free Suf. frage Democrat, is elected from Macon, a he is. He is troubled with an inflamma-Whig County over Mr Siler, Convention whig What do these things prove? They Free Suffrage by Legislative enactment, and do not want a Convention. We say the Western people, meaning thereby a large majority; for we know there are many among them, ninetenths of whom are Whigs, who have made the assertion of the unquestionable right of Free Suffrage a pretext for demanding other and vital changes in our fundamental law. We be lieve a large majority of the Western people are satisfied with the basis as it is; never have been raised, but for the inter-

the twain are two of the most unscrupu- among the number. Does not the fact gation in the mildest form-when he adlous abolition fanatics in this State."

ATTENTION !--- We invite the particular notice of our New Hampshire cotemporaries to the inquiry of our correspondent Board of Visiters to this Institution for ordinate conduct of wide and withering in-

For the Enquirer.

Messrs Editors :-- Some twelve or fifteen years since, a man, by the name of "Foss," was convicted and sent to the Penitentary four years for stealing horses-but, for fore the expiration of his sentence-he then went round lecturing on temperance, and of this has heard him hold forth in both it is, and against a Convention. These capacities. I have made inquiries of the only gentleman I knew in this city, (a Whig) well acquainted in New Hampshire, if this is not the same ... Foss" that is now the rank abolitionist and villainous libeller of Franklin Pierce. He was unable to inenough of the Foss family, to demand other tion. Not only this, Mr Kerr came out testimony for the truth of anything a Foss should say." Will you please ask the New Hampshire papers, if this "swift affidavit maker," is not the same horsestealing Foss, and much oblige CURIOSITY ?

here drawn to perfection :--

PROUD MEN. - The proud man is a fool in his fermentation, swelling and boiling EASTERN METHOD OF MEASURING TIME. like a porridge-pot. He sets his feathers like an owl, to swell and seem bigger than tion of self-conceit that renders him the diately goes into the sun, stands erect, solicitor for the purpose of executing it man of pasteboard and a true buckram then looking where his shadow terminates, prove that the Western people demand knight. He has given himself a sym- he measures his length with his feet, and pathetic love powder, that works upon him tells you nearly the time. Thus the workinto his own mistress, most passionate, men earnestly desire the shadow which courting his own dear affections, and worshipping spongy substances, occupying A person wishing to leave his toil, says much space, as do feathers and cotton in "How long my shadow is coming!" "Why stuffing cushions better than things of more perfect and solid proportions.

Pass him Round.-The New York Journal of Commerce notices an imposter, and this clamor for a Convention would who has been obtaining, in various parts of the country, subscriptions to newspanore magazines and other conials

SCOTT'S GENERALS. - It is said to be a to him by Mr Marcy, then secretary of

believeing that he does not possess the rights as citizens by becoming soldiers, his character was certified to by all the nee, and if the lamented Worth and Har- submit his acts, charged to be an offence abolition prints in Christendom. In fact, ney were living, they would be found against a subordinate officer, to an investi- J. and Harriet W. Mims.

> speak volumes against Gen. Scott's fitness ministers an indignant reproof to his supefor the highest civil office in the world? - rior for upholding the sacred right of Mobile Register.

> WEST POINT MILITARY ACADEMY.-The the present year have made their report to fluence upon sound military discipline." the Secretary of War, in which they recommend the following among other re-

forms : That 62 cadets, two from each State, be authorized, and that the term of instruction be extended to five years ; that their pay be increased from \$24 to \$28 per month, the present amount being insufficient with the most rigid economy; that the pay of the superintendent be increased from \$2,000 to \$3,000, he being compelled, for several years past, to expend \$600 over his pay to entertain distinguished visitors; that the salaries of the officers generally be increased ; that a riding hall be erected for the exercise of cadets in winter. \$2,000 have already been appropriated, and \$12,000 more are required. That cavalry exercises be introduced in the studies of the institution, additional buildings and stables erected, another officer of dragoons stationed there; that the study of logic be dispensed with, and that ancient and modern history, army papers, as returns, &c., physiology, and the evi-The Whig nominee, Gen. Scott, is dences of christianity, be introduced with the increased term.

> The people of the East measure time by not signed which was owing, as his favorthe length of their shadow. Hence, if ite servant stated, to his master leaving you ask a man what o'clock it is, he imme- his spectacles at home when he went to his indicates the time for leaving their workdid you not come sooner?" "Because I waited for my shadow." In the seventh in New York can have but little concepchapter of Job we find it written, "As a servant earnestly desireth his shadow." that is felt in this city at the nomination

DIED,

In this place, on the 12th instant, at the resiher age, relict of Mr Timothy Williamson. For scathing, withering rebuke administered a number of years Mrs Williamson had been an exemplary member of the Methodist E. Church, ... When a general at the head of an hour of death gave undoubted evidence of the sincerity of her religious profession.

'Thou art gone to the grave-but we will no deplore thee___

Whose God was thy ransom, thy guardian and guide

The Metropolitan will be completed, and Kossuth's Deportment .- In answer to the State, as some say, and the State con- opened for the reception of company, September reports circulated in New York, since the trols the election, then Gen. Pierce will first. Price of Board two dollars per day. RIVER LUMBER-SIMEON LELAN



ested and ambitious views of Whig leaders.	at any contificate of common and without	unexpected departure of Kussuth, that he	most assuredly be elected. He is a fine	Proprietors	Flooring, per M	11 50 to 12 50
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