

The Courier

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All letters addressed to

GEO. S. BAKER,

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 20, 1874.

With the exception of the Legislative all departments of the State Government of North Carolina, for the six years past have been in the hands of the Radical party, with what result has, alas! been too manifest to the most callous observer of passing events.

the people of a Republic have treated such an attempt at the usurpation of their powers and rights by a domineering Executive. They were met as they should have been. Two years after this the people—the free people—the descendants of the men of Runnymede, of Banker Hill, of Yorktown, and of Chancellorsville, rose up in their strength, not in arms, with bristling bayonets, and shining field pieces, but with the mighty ballot, that terror to tyrants, and sent a Legislature to Raleigh that called the great head of this infernal combination against the liberties of the people of North Carolina, to account for the many crimes that he had committed.

it would be best to pay it. For had Mr. Smith refused to have done this work, it would then have been the duty of the Sheriff, to have taken the matter in hand, and the cost would have been much greater.

Lecture.

MR. EDITOR—Permit me through your most excellent paper, to make the following announcement: On Tuesday night the 24th of February next, I propose to deliver a lecture on the importance of Temperance, in the Council Room.

An Editor's Confession.

Table with 2 columns: REPORT, TIMES. Rows include: Been asked to drink (11,392), Drank (11,892), Requested to retract (417), Didn't retract (416), Invited to parties, receptions, presentations, etc., by people (3,333), Took the hint (33), Didn't take the hint (3,300), Threatened to be whipped (174), Been whipped (0), Whipped the other fellow (4), Didn't come to time (170), Been promised bottles of champagne, whiskey, gin, litters, boxes of cigars, &c., if we would go after them (3,750), Been after them (0), Going again (0), Been asked 'What's the news?' (300,000), Told (13), Didn't know (200,000), Lied about it (99,987), Been to church (2), Changed politics (82), Expected to change still (30), Gave for charity (50 00), Gave for a terrier dog (23 00), Cash on hand (50 00)

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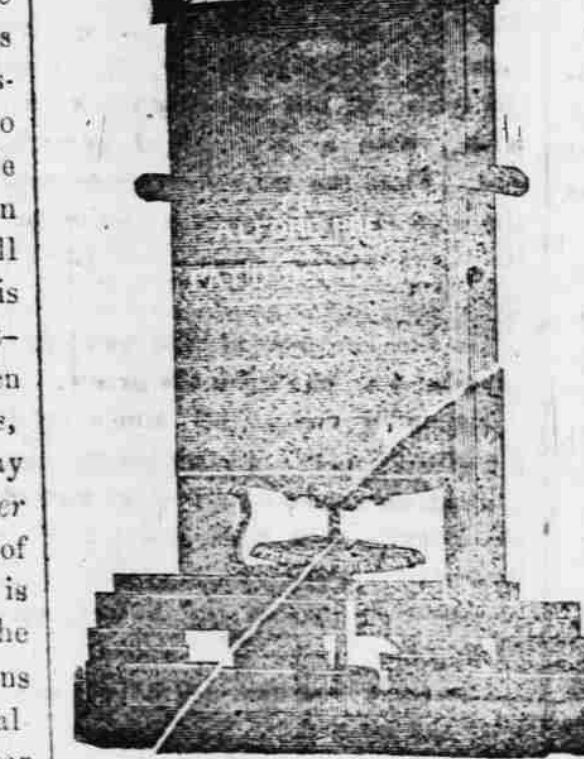
Fertilizers is the order of the day. Flaming advertisements may be seen sticking in every conceivable place along the public highway. Merchants are drumming and farmers are buying, and we are sorry to see that in most cases on a credit. Thus there will be large debts made with interest accumulating to be met in the fall; and dark is the picture if short crops are made.

THE ALFORD PRESS,

Mr. Editor.—Dear Sir: I read in your paper of the 29th January, a communication, signed 'Justice.' I knew nothing of the case to which he referred, but have since made inquiry concerning it and find that the position taken by him is right, fair and just.

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