Carolina Watchman.

SALISBURY, THURSDAY APRIL 23.

The Statesville *Intelligencer* has been purchased by Mr. Murchison, and will be continued under the editorial management of Julius W. Wright.

The recent severe rains have greatly disheartened the farmers, many of whom have not finished planting corn and are otherwise behind owing to bad weather for farm work.

Governor Washburn has been chosen Senator from Massachusetts in place of the late Chas. Sumner. Washburn, is a Rad of course, but it is said he is the most liberal and polished among them.

☞ It is said the great Southern Circus, so-called is to exhibit here on the 4th of May. We think this is not true. The agent was here, but thought terms for lot, advertising, &c., too high, and said his company would go some other route and our people were glad.

We publish in another column the resolutions and plan of organization, adopted by the State Executive Committee of the Democratic Conservative Party, at a meeting held in Raleigh on Thursday last. The resolution in reference to independent candidates, will fall like a wet blanket, as Brother Hanes would say, on many aspirants for official honors.

RAIL ROAD MEETING.

We noticed in our last, the fact that the Stockholders, in the meeting here last Thursday, adopted the Amended Charter to the N. C. Rail Road, commonly called the consolidation measure. The Charter was carried by over a thousand majority among the Stockholders, and of course the State's interest was carried for it.—Some protests were submitted, but several of the parties signing them have withdrawn their names since.

MATTER FOR THE PRESS CONVENTION.—Col. Thomas B Long, the efficient and popular postal agent in this State, informs us he has sent on to headquarters in Washington City for a report to be sent him, so he can have ready to give to the press convention that meets in this city the twelfth of May a full and complete statement of the situation of the postal service in North Carolina, thus furnishing each editor with the number of offices, the one discontinued, and the new ones just established. It will prove useful information.—*Raleigh Cresent.*

We are glad that Col. Long has taken the trouble to have the statement above referred to. The information will be valuable, and may lead to the opening up of routes and new offices so much needed now by the public Col. Long is, in deed, a most efficient postal agent and we hope that he may be long retained as such. We have noticed that he has been proposed by his Radical friends as a candidate for Congress, but we hope that he will not consent to go on this wild goose chase thereby running the risk of losing his present position.

We invite attention to the call of the Executive Committee of the county, for a county convention to be held in the Court House on Saturday, the 16th. of May. It is of the last importance that this convention should be well attended.

There is some diversity of opinion as to the proper mode of bringing out candidates: Some are in favor of a convention, others are opposed to it. Our opinion as to the propriety of conventions is well known; and we can not believe that the people are insensible to the necessity of adopting some plan to insure harmony and concert of action, in the selection of suitable candidates. There are candidates to select for Congress, for Judge, as members to the Legislature, and other county officers. How is it to be done? is the question almost daily propounded us. Are they to be selected by the old method of conventions? or is every man who thinks himself to be competent to fill the position of Congressman, Judge, or Legislator, to be permitted to run? If the older, better and first plan is adopted, there is a strong probability of harmony and success; but if the later, nothing is promised but confusion, disorganization and defeat.

The selection of candidates to fill the places just named, should be made with great caution and deliberation, and there is no better way to do it than through conventions properly organized and well attended by the people. The people have the matter entirely within their own hands.—They can prevent any thing like packing conventions, which they so much fear, if they will but resolve to take the matter in their own hands, and to adopt some method that will secure fairness, satisfaction and success. So far as the selection of county officers is concerned, the convention plan is also the best in that case. But, as those officers have direct dealings with the people we will not undertake to suggest either the mode of selecting them or the persons to be selected. All these matters, however, should receive the careful consideration of our citizens, and as harmony and concert of action are essential to success, we feel confident they will adopt some plan that will be fruitful of good results instead of evil.

Apples as Food.

By a careful analysis it has been found that apples contain a larger amount of phosphorus, or brain food, than any other fruit or vegetable, and on this account they are very important to sedentary men, who work their brain rather than their muscles. They also contain the acids which are needed every day, especially for sedentary men, the action of whose liver is sluggish, to eliminate effete matter, which, if retained in the human system, produces inaction of the brain, and, indeed, of the whole system, causing jaundice, sleepiness, scurvy and troublesome diseases of the skin.—*Wilmington Journal.*

This is what we call going it pretty strong for an unprofessional editor, or rather, for an editor who makes no pretensions to medical skill. But we suppose it is all right. Editors are expected to know something about medicine as well as every thing else. And not to be able to diagnose the anatomical and physical intricacies of a human carcass so as to demonstrate the precise effect of every variety of food upon the health of the individual is to be ignorant indeed of a very common place matter. Why, we know some editors that can't give a philosophical explanation of the chemical effect produced by a grain of salt on a tad-pole's tale, to say nothing of the electricity-generating capacity of a peck of ground peas sand-witched with sour crout and sweet potatoes in the capacious mow of a corpulant Bohemian. Questions pertaining to metaphysics and those of medicine have been neglected by newspaper men too much. This should not be. These and all similar matters should receive the careful consideration of editors, and we are glad to see that the *Journal* has a proper appreciation of the matter. Give us another paragraph on the effects of scorn tea on the complexion of an India snake-charmer.

Candidate for the Senate.—Among the names mentioned as candidates for the Senate from this district, is that of the Hon. Burton Craige. Without desiring to throw a damper on the aspirations of other gentlemen, we will take the liberty to say that a gentleman of Mr. Craige's ability and experience would be a great addition to our legislative body. We are sadly in need of the services of just such men. We can't think of any one who would be more generally acceptable, or who would be likely to exert an influence that would result in good to the State.

We know that Mr. Craige is not seeking any office, and that it would be hard to persuade him to accept the position of Senator; still, he might be prevailed upon to do so, since there are hundreds of persons in this district who believe him the most proper man it is possible for them to select for the position.

It is understood that the House of Judiciary Committee have virtually agreed upon the following three points relative to the distribution of the fifteen and one-half millions which constitute the Geneva award; first, that appropriations shall be made for discharging the cost of arbitration; second, that those losses which were uninsured shall be paid; and, third, that those losses which were only partially uninsured shall be paid. If any surplus remains, after the discharge of these claims on the amount, it is to be divided among the insurance companies, giving to each its pro rata excess of aggregate war losses over its aggregate premium on war risks. This thrusting of the insurance companies outside of the circle of recognized claimants and allowing them what must be regarded in the light of a gratuity, and scaled down to meet certain conditions and contingencies at that, is the reverse of the ground occupied by them before Congress, where they have demanded to be included with other claimants in the distribution of this large award.—The painstaking attemp to prove that justice runs at right angles to their demans instead of parallel with it, has a certain appearance of fairness and equity, but examination shows that it is based quite as much on interest and prejudice as anything which can be brought against the companies themselves. Their case has been ably advocated by the foremost legal minds of the country, and it yet remains to be shown that it is a rule in equity that the assumption of a risk in war vacates a claim which was only transferred from its rightful owners from the time such risk was taken.

A correspondent of the Atlanta Herald says that he was present when Stephen A. Douglass made a witty remark at Howell Cobb's expense, which has been much distorted by repetition. Mr. Cobb gave a social party, to which Mr. Douglass was invited, in honor of the Georgia delegates to the Baltimore Democratic Convention. A constituent of Cobb called on the party to fill up, as he had a toast. He said, "Here's to Howell Cobb; may he live to be President of the United States." Douglass, quick as lightning, said with a laugh: "By George, Cobb, your friend is wishing you a long life." All enjoyed the joke, including Cobb.

The Havana Lottery Swindle.

The Havana correspondent of the New York *Times* gives the following details of "ways that are dark, with Havana lottery operators:

The vendors of Havana Lottery tickets has been reduced over 100 per cent. and has no longer a fixed value. The buyers, however, are not so lucky, as the premiums have decreased in proportion. A ticket formerly cost $20 in Spanish gold, equal to $18 75 in American coin, and now such a ticket costs only $8 70 in Spanish or $8 15 in American gold, and is steadily declining.—The prizes announced are not paid in gold, as formerly, but in a depreciated paper currency, which does not even pass current in the whole of the island, and the main premium of $100,000, although advertised, does not exist, as the holder thereof would receive less than one-half of that sum, or, say $43,478 in Spanish or $40,761 in American gold. If paper continues to decline at the same rate, a deduction of ten per cent. weekly will have to be made from the cost of the tickets and premiums, and a petition will be handed in to the Intendente demanding that a fixed value be established, as otherwise the already impaired fame of the Havana Lottery would disappear all together, and thus deprive the State of an immense revenue. As most Havana tickets are sold in the United States, it would be well for the buyers of tickets not to allow themselves to be cheated by rascally vendors, who pretend that the tickets still cost $20 in good money, and sell accordingly.

All the Fall River factory girls are pink-eyed with vaccination.

Blue checked linen suits for travelling will encase the female form.

Mrs. Bismark is said to have the largest feet of any woman in Germany.

—"If you see a pretty woman here it is probable she is an American."—*Paris Letter.*

Phebe Cousins doesn't dress like her brothers of the bar. She wears a heavy silk with a polonaise richly trimmed with black lace, roses in her bosom, white frills around her neck, and sparkling aigrette in her hair.

JUDGE BUXTON holds that the Superior Courts concurrent jurisdiction with Magistrates in cases mentioned in the late act of Assembly enlarging the jurisdiction of Magistrates. So says the *Democrat.*

The Goldsboro Messenger says: Once more the Fair Ground property is to be sold. This time under a decree of the Superior Court on the complaint of mortgagee. The sale is announced for May 18th.

The Emperor of Austria has resolved to pay a visit to Italy. Victor Emmanuel will receive Francis Joseph at Rome, and together they will visit Naples and Turin. It is not so many years ago that these two sovereigns were fighting for Lombardy and Venice.

Jefferson Davis has arrived in Paris, and is staying with Colonel A. Dudley Mann, 51 Rue de Luxembourg. Mr. Davis, who visits Europe for his health, will remain some weeks in the French capital.

A man who had a red-headed sweetheart addressed her as "Sweet Auburn, lovliest of the plain." Sweet Auburn got mad about it. She objected to being classed among the "plain," even though called the lovliest of them.

Two little girls were comparing progress in the study of their catechisms. "I've got to original sin," said one; "how far have you got?" "Me! why, I'm beyond redemption;" at which her mother, who happened to hear the conversation, thought she had gone quite far enough.

DIVORCED ON ACCOUNT OF OLD AGE.—William A. Dred, of Augusta, Me., who is well known in the State, recently petitioned for a divorce, and the court gave him a decree, not because there was any lagal ground for it, but because the parties are old and will not live together. The reverend gentleman seems to be a rather fickle old fellow, in 1872, he got a certificate to marry one Etta Randall, and, five days after, entered his intentions of marriage to the woman from whom he has just been divorced.

The Editor.

A schoolboy's composition on "The Editor," ran as follows:

"The editor is one of the happiest animals in the world. He can go to the circus afternoon and evening, without paying a cent; also to inquests and hangings. He has free tickets to pic-nics and strawberry festivals, gets wedding cake sent him, and sometimes gets a licking, but not often, for he can take things back in the next issue, which he generally does. I never knew but one editor to get licked. His paper busted that day, and he couldn't take anything back. While other folks have to go to bed early the editor can sit up late every night and see what is going on. The boys think it's a big thing to hold on till 10 o'clock. When I am a man I mean to be an editor, so I can stay out late of nights. Then that will be bully. The editor don't have to saw wood nor do any chopping, except with his scissors.—Railroads get up excursions for him, knowing if they didn't he'd make them git up and git. In politics he don't care much who he goes for, if they are on his side. If they ain't he goes for em any way; so it amounts to the same thing. There is a great many people trying to be editors who can't, and some have been in the profession for years. If I was asked if I would rather have an education or be a circus rider, I would say, let me become an editor."

THE Charlotte *Democrat* gives its hearty endorsement to the nomination of Col. S. D. POOL for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction. Says the *Democrat:*

"We do not intend to advise the people to support an unworthy, dishonest or incompetent candidate, no matter how he may be nominated. But we feel confident that if such men as Col. Pool are elected to office the public interest will be faithfully guarded and promoted."

A DECREE TO SELL THE WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.—GREENSBORO, April 20.—In the case of. Hiram Sible and Henry Clews against the Western North Carolina Railroad Company pending in the U. S. Circuit Court at this place, Judge Dick has signed a decree ordering the railroad, rolling stock franchises, &c., to be sold at public auction on forty days' notice to satisfy a mortgage for $1,200,000. Thos. B. Keogh of Greensboro, Thomas Ruffin, of Hillsboro, Marcus Erwin, of Asheville and S. B. Gaither, of Morganton, were appointed by the Court Commissioners to make the sale.

CIVIL RIGHTS IN A NEW DRESS:—The cival rights bills as reported by the Senate Judiciary Committee Tuesday is an entire substitute for the originial bill of Mr. Sumner. It is understood that as reported it was approved of by all the Republican members of the committee, the two Domocrats, Messrs. Thurman and Stevenson, only dissenting. One of the important differences between it and the Sumner bill is that it does not apply to private schools, private benevolent institutions and private cemeteries, and it would seem not to compel mixed common schools. The jury clause is retained, throughout in a different form from that drafted by Mr. Sumner, and the legal eve will no doubt discover several loopholes in it. There were certainly none in Mr. Sumner's provision. The last section of the bill provides for appeal to the Supreme Court. The extensive litigation that will follow inevitably from the passage of act will add much to the busines. of the courts.—*Baltimore Sun.*

HOME AND MOTHER.—A wanderer far away in foreign lands will often think of the home of his childhood, and in the stillness of the night, as he dreams of home, there will fall unconsciously from his lips the sweetest and dearest word in the english language, the word "Mother;" and when coupled with "Home" there is nothing so tender and divine, which makes it almost inexpressible. What other name than Mother can bring to weary hearts or hearts bowed down, a balm so sacred, so like divine. Of all earthly friends there is none like a Mother. A mother's smile is always welcome, and to some, all that memory can recall is her gentle loving smile. How lonely and how sad is the life of a young child who is left motherless. A child will go to her in perfect confidence and faith, and who is there that can guide and direct in the right paths, better than a mother? How often we hear one say, "oh! if I only had a mother and a home; or if I could call her back again, I'd love her better than before" How little we appreciate a mother's real worth, and we do not miss her gentle voice and good counsel until it is too late.

Miss Bessie Stewart, the Nevada Senator's daughter, drives modest hansom phæton, with a liveried nigger, and a pale green streamer floating from her whip, in admirable contrast to her piquant brunette face. It is said that the condition of her marriage is that she shall not be taken away from home.

SUSTAIN THE SINKING SYSTEM.

The flashes of excitement produced by the stimulants in ordinary use, are followed by a reaction that is always more or less injurious. Just as the darkness, illuminated for a moment by the lightning's glare, becomes apparently blacker than ever after the flash is over, so the mental gloom and physical debility that vanish temporarily under the influence of a dram, return with a ten-fold intensity when the first transient effect ceases. Yet physicians habitually prescribe the liquors of commerce for patients suffering from bodily weakness and mental despondency. The true remedy in such cases is a pure stimulant medicated with the finest tonics and alteratives which the vegetable kingdom affords, and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the only preparation at present known which thoroughly meets the emergency. The effect of this popular restorative is continuous. Each dose taken invigorates the vital energies and the brain, and its prolonged use will unquestionable cure any case of debility, hypochondria, or mental torpidity that does not arise from organic causes beyond the reach of medicine. It is, in the strictest sense of the word, an invigorating and regulating cordial. If the nerves tremulous and relaxed, it braces them; if the bowels are constipated, it relieves them; if the liver is torpid, it promotes activity in that organ; if the mind is gloomy, it clears away the clouds; if the appetite is poor and digestion is a slow and painful operation, it creates a relish for food and enables the stomach to convert it into healthful aliment. Moreover, it is a specific for a large number of ailments, some of which are particularly prevalent in the damp and chilly weather which we so often experience in mid winter. Among these may be mentioned rheumatism, chills and ever and all the morbid conditions of the digestive and secretive organs superinduced by sudden changes of temperature and the inclemencies of the reason.

Dissolution.

The firm of Marsh & Foster is dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Marsh retires and will open at once a Manufacturing business. All persons indebted will please call and settle, and all having claims please present them.

MARSH & FOSER.

Salisbury, April 23, 1874—1m.

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April 23, 1873—tf.

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April 23 1874—3 mos.

NOTICE.

U. S. Internal Revnene

May 1, 1874, to April 30 1875

The Law of December 24. 1872, requires every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX, TO PROCURE AND PLACE CONSPICUOUSLY IN HIS ESTABLISHMENT OR PLACE OF BUSINESS a STAMP, denoting the payment of said SPECIAL TAX for the Special Tax year beginning May 1, 1874, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1874.

The Taxes Embraced Within the

Provisions of the Law Above Quoted are the

FOLLOWING VIZ:

Rectifiers	$200.00
Realers, retail liquor	25.00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100.00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50.00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20.00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25.00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco	500.00
And on sale (over $1,000 fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5.00
Manufacturers of stills	50.00
And for each still manufactured	20.00
And for each worm manufactured	20.00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10.00
Manufacturers of cigars	10.00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two horses)	50.00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two horses)	25.00
Peddlers of tobacco third class (one horse)	15.00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyances)	10.00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50.00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100.000

Any person so liable, who shall fail to comply with foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to J. J. MOTT, Collector of Internal Revenue at STATESVILLE, N. C., and pay for and procure the Special Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1. 1874, and WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE.

J. W. DOUGLASS.
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE.
Washington, D. C., February 16, 1874.

Special tax stamps can be had at *Post Office Building*, right hand office, up stairs in Salisbury, on the 11th 12th and 13th of May.

J. J. MOTT, Col.

April 24, 1874—4t.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COUNTY CONVENTION!

There will be a COUNTY CONVENTION held in the COURT HOUSE, on Saturday, the 16th of May next to elect delegates to attend the Congressional and Judicial District Conventions, for the purpose of nominating for Congress for Judge and Solicitor—At the same time and place nominations will be made for candidates for the Legislature and for County Officers—The Executive Committees of the different Townships are requested to call primary meetings and send delegates.

By order of County Executive Committee.

JAMES E. KERR, Chairman.

April 23, 1874—tf.

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April 23, 1874—tf.

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Their stock is the largest to be found in this market, and consists of most all

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A full and complete stock of Shoes, and Hates, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Spices, sole Leather &c. &c.,

April 16, 1874—2mos.

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April 1, 1874.—|1m:28.

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March 19, 1874—tf.

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