Persons making remittances for the Watchman should send \$2.10 pay for a year-10 ets. to pay postage.

Arrection - We have been requested to say that Mr. Helper was inaccurate when he gave the name of Mr. Giles Fleming in his recent card. It should have been Westley Johnston in place of Mr. Pleming.

WM. H. BAILEY ESQ.

This gentleman is out in a cracking letter setting forth the reasons which den him with loathing from the Republean party. We regret it came to hand too late for this issue, and the more as Mr. Bailey presents in most glaring light the dark deeds of the Grant party, in their daring, reckless and desperate efforts to secure the election of Hayes. No one can read Mr. Bailey's swift and powerful aray of startling facts without feeling how utterly impossible it is for any sane man to support men and a party which strikes so may deadly blows at the very foundation of civil liberty.

, sper that Greensboro people will close with the masses, who have never before their stores on election day in order that known such a struggle to bear up under every man may take an active part in the present scarcity of money and the the great work to be done on that day, burdens of taxation. And then again, the Observer commends it as a wise step John Rollinson's circus coming here on to the people of Charlotte, and they are the last day of the Pair, induced hunvery apt to accept it. We commend it to dreds to relinquish all interest in our exthe consideration of our business men, hibition for the sake of seeing the clown who we are sure are not a whit behind and listening to his stale nonsense. And the most patriotic and earnest men in the yet again, the present high political ex State Considering the vital interests at citement prevailing throughout the State rake, it is hardly possible there will ever speeches-processions and grand days, le another election more imperiously de- pre-occupied the public mind to the al mouding the vigilant and devoted atten- most exclusion of business itself. If it ion of voters than the one now at hand.

TROOPS FOR NORTH CAROLINA

JUDGE SETTLE WANTS THEM.

It will be seen by the subjoined letter that Judge Settle wants Grant to help him defeat the election of Gov. Vance. He calls on the President for troops to protect the voters along the Western border of the State. He professes to be afraid of the rifle companies of South Carolina, who he apprehends will intimidate voters in this State.

Of all the shallow and shabby tricks of he would-be Governor Settle, this is the most mendacious and disgraceful. If it be true, as published by the Baptist paper referred to below, it should fix upon Judge Seule a stigma which not even the efficacious waters of Jordan should ever wash out. He should go through ife shunned of every true Republican and patriot in the land, for this is nothing core nor less than a cool, deliberate attempt to subvert the free government of the people and to ride over them roughsnod by military force,

If there is any man in North Carolina who is capable of doing justice to the subject let him do it.

REINSVILLE, N. C., (post mark Oct. 28, 1876.)

subject to ligeursions from the armed Rifle clubs of the latter State, who combine with the Demograts in the counties referred to. and threaten the peace of that portion of the State. He asks that Federal Troops may be sent there at once in order to protect FORMER NORTH CAROLINIAN. Republican Voters.

So said paper of said date. 7th column, first page, under heading, "Occurrencies of the Week." JOHN F. WOOTTEN.

MARCUS ERWIN

28th October, in which he particularly State ; that under its operations they obtained their nominations and under it expect to be elected, and if that should happen they will continue to use that patronage for their own promotion. He locates Smith and Settle among the rogues and rascals of Grant's administration, and not with the reformers such as Bristow, against whom they took sides in the Cincinnati convention. Thomas B. asurped authority to name the delegates were held by them. for the State at large to that convention. They have notified Pinkney Rollins of his removal from his collectorship be-

On the question of completing the Western N. C. R. R. he says no man who desires it can vote for Settle and

who is in the interest of other enterprises also to severe phuishment. -is "the confidential man of business the Richmond and Danville and of N. C. railroads;" which are only small part of that huge monopoly, the Pennsylvania Central Railroad. The President of the North Carolina branch this mammoth monopoly is Maj Smith," &c. And thus he proceeds to show that these men, Keogh, Smith and Settle are linked in a common purpose to promote themselves, and that there is no hope of good results for the Western N C. Road in competition with the mammoth moneyed monopolies with which they are identified.

THE SALISBURY FAIR.

We present the premium list of th Fair last week. We regret to learn that the Association will not be able to pay exceeding 50 cts in the dollar on the premiums awarded. We are not surprised at this, for it is known that this year's exhibition was made under extraordinarily unfavorable circumstances. So many of our people had visited the world's ever expect to see again, they were suf fering a sort of surfeit of sight seeing, and had no desire to see what could be exhad been possible to foresee these things a Fair this year.

cept in a financial point. It is the first race. time we have failed to pay premiums in The exhibition was certainly betadvance the industrial interests of Western North Carolina.

The speech of Hon. K. P. Battle, presspoken of by all who heard it, and was a very handsome tribute to the occa-

of Charlotte, and the Mayor of that enterprising in-land city, was particularly grateful to the citizens of our town, who indeed, and the editor of this paper is pleased to acknowledge the compliment they passed our office. It was very unexpected, but we are sure to remember it. and will endeavor never to forfeit the esteem of those who thus record their res peet and confidence.

Baptist newspaper in the United States many incidents worthy of special mentimes is so crowded with interesting deprive you of any of them. Judge Settle, the Republican Candidate events, no one would hardly thank us to for Governor of North Carolina, has writ- go back and bring them up. We shall ten a letter to the President. in which he therefore dismiss the subject by expressrepresents, that the Western Counties of the ing the hope that our next Fair will find children acquire education and character, the rest the temperature was at zero dur. the people in the enjoyment of better and yourselves, property and respecta- ing many nights in the winter. The men times and under political auspices more inspiring and happy than ever before.

CONVICTION OF A

Bond presiding :

for sentence, and the Judge said : pronounce the judgment of the court in Shall we not follow the good example of ing money to induce men to vote for the your case. From all the evidence in the our neighbors on every hand? Let us in Radical candidates. The Messenger cause it appears that you have hitherto eu- like manner improve this auspicious oc- mentions one instance where \$20 was jo; ed a good reputation among your fellow casion for a complete reconciliation. Let offered a Mr. Calvin Perry, to water the Keogh, and a part of his committee, interested themselves in your trial are our judgment of public affairs may not watch—the enemy is using both money packed the delegation and unlawfully witnesses of the esteem in which you be worked by passion or prejudice.

cause as an honost man in the Cincinnuti Government has lost a large sum of mon- corruption which are now disgracing us case in some counties. ey; and you have so conducted your as a nation, bringing bankruptcy and. Certain persons, who have heretofore business as to betray many of those who ruin upon us as a people.

manufactures, or to yourself. I have no us, must and shall have the same doubt you feel that keenly; but I see lege! nothing in the cause which ought to lead the court to hesitate to punish your ofense as the statute intended offences to be punished that had no circumstances to show in extenuation. The indement of the Court is that you be fined \$5,000, and

be imprisoned for the term of two years." Mr. Myers will be taken to the Albany Penitentiary. It is supposed that the wo or three other indictments now pending against him will be dismissed.

TO THE COLORED VOTERS OF CHARLOTTE.

The undersigned citizens in private life, being auxious to aid in establishing and perpetuating amicable relations between the white and colored races, would earnestly invite your attention to the fol-

lowing consideration : From the time when you were first invested with the right of suffrage, you have been voting almost solidly against the measures that have been supported by the great mass of your white fellow Fair, and seeu so much more than they citizens, unwilling apparently to accept any advice or even assurances from them. To this course you were impelled, as we are well aware, by suggestions, which, although proceeding, as we knew, from It will be seen by a paragraph in this bibited here. Then again, times are hard motives of self-interest on the part of others, rather than any desire to promote your welfare, were nevertleless such as you might well be excused for entertaining, reconsidering for a time, You were told, for instance, that the white people desire to take from you the right of suff rage, to deprive you of the equal protec tion of the laws, and to deny your childthey even desired to re-enslave you. In matters so vi al to yourselves and your race, we can well imagine how you might prefer to let time and events prove these things, rather than trust to declarations and promises. But believing that the time has now come when we may address your reason and understanding, we point you to the events of the last ten yearsthe Association would not have attempted in proof of the sincerity of our motives and declarations, and in refutation of the evil predictions that have been so indus-Notwithstanding all these discourage triously made to you by designing ones, ments the Fair was far from a failure ex- as to our motives and policy towards your

desired your re-enslavement, nor to des prive you of the full protection of the laws, ter than we had a right to expect, and the nor to deny your children the benefit of occasion, on the whole, a pleasant re- the common school fund, and in this conunion of liberal citizens who desire to nection we call your attention to the important fact that no attempt has been made to deprive your race of any of these rights and privileges in any of the States of the South. On the contrary, nearly ident of the University, has been highly all the Southern S ates have remodelled their constitutions by conventious untramelled by military or Federal interference. and without a single exception they all contain the follest guarantees of all the paid by the white people.

> In addition to this, we, whose names ing "sweep." are hereto eigned, who have lived among No form of a pump was used in this

race advanced in civilization, and in all to horrow a brand of a neighbor. with us in the interest of good governs complained .- Home Journal. ment and good laws. We have a com mon destiny and common interest. It can-From the Richmond Dispatch, we glean | . ot be that your welfare lies in one directhe particulars of the conviction and tens tion, and ours in another. There can be no tence of Ezekiel Myers, who is widely good reason why the colored people shall known in this section, from his prominence vote one way, and the white people anus a large distiller in Salisbury, prior to other. Such division is unnatural, unjust, poses, says : and at the commencement of the war, and must, in the end, prove hurtful to

us that the white and colored voters are sented to our eyes." Ezekiel Myers was next brought up marching under the same banner, and sceping step to the music of reform and

"Nevertheless, it is manifest from the ensuing election in reforming the admin- over, the Radical leaders are visiting vaproof in the cause that you have been istration of our State and National Gov- rious counties in person and endeavoring guilty for a long while of a systematic ernments, so that we may have economy to drive back to the Radical party those fraud upon the revenue, by which the and honesty instead of that extravagance who have left in. We know that is the

vote with us, full protestion in the exer-"It is needless to say anything to cise of this undoubted right. Those awaken you to a sense of the wrong you ing against us have always done so un have done the Government, to the other molested, and those desiring to vote with

> C Dowd. S Wittskowsky. Jas H Orr. Roessler. R M Miller. J.C Burroughs, K McDawell J S Spencer, F B McDowell. A B Davidson, John E Brown. W M. Wilson. Schiff & Bro. J W Wadswarth. J H Carson, John A Young. J H Wilson, S P Smith, H O Jones. Dr. M M Orr. A H Creswell. J. siah Asbury, Ill McGinn, Dr J H Me Aden. J L Morebead Dr R H Giboon Steulmise & Ma'c.

> > S P Alexander,

W R Cochrane

J M Kendrick.

PEATED-A SHOWER OF FEESH NEAR GASTONIA-SEEN BY MANY

D J M Miller.

Joseph Graham,

R W Miller.

A gentleman writing from Gastonia under late of the 30th, gives an account of a truly wonderful occurrence. He states that a shower of flesh -gennine, anmistakeable flesh-fell in sight of Gastonia Gaston county, on the farm of Jas. M Hanna. The circumstances so far as they can be gathere I from the letter alluded to and from the statement of M. G W Chalk of this city, who visited the spot and heard the statements of those who witnessed the phenomenon, are as follows: On Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock, while Mr. James M Hanna and some other of his little grand children were picking cotton in a field near his house, they were are tonished at the sight of small pieces of flesh falling all around them. The shower contintinued for some time, and when it ceased, it was discovered that the flesh was scattered over ren access to the public schools, and that an area of about a half acre of ground. The pieces varied from a half ounce to an ounce in weight. In the words of our correspondent, "the ground was not covered, but the flesh fell like an ordinary light bail." In appearance is is described as resembling beef, part of it being filled with small sinews, but in no piece were bones or fatty matter found. When it fell it had the appearance and odor of fresh meat but the pieces sent us for inspection is almost entirely odorless and resembles dried beef. It may be added that the weather was per-

fectly calm at the time of the shower, and that The occurrence created much excitement in We declare to you that we have never the neighborhood, and our informant says that

many persons visited the field and obtata pieces of the stringe flish. Several physicians in the neighborhood secured portions of it with a view of examination, but thus far the results of their avestigation have not been reported.

The specimen in our possession is about three quarters of an inch in length and less than alf inch in width. We will gladly place it in the hands of any one who wishes to investigate the matter, and attempt to explain this mystery of mysteries. - Charlotte Observer.

One hundred years ago not a-pound of The visit of the Pioneer Fire Company rights of the colored race equally with the coul or can a found illuminating gas had whites. The constitution recently fram- been burned in the country. No how ed, for North Carolian, and now salenits | stoves were used, and no contrivances lated for ratification, expressly confers becommizing hear were employed until upon all the citizens of the State, without Dr. Franklin tovenica the tron tramed accept it as an act of friendship which distinction of race or color, not only free threplace which still bears his name. All lays them under obligation. The young dom, but suffrage, elligibility to office, and the cooking and warming was done by men bore themselves very handsomely the full and equal protector of the laws, the aid of fire kindled up in the brick It also provides that the children of the hearth or the brick oven. Pine knots or colored race, equally with the children of tallow candles turnished the light for the the white race, shall have the benefits of long winter nights, and sanded floors of "three cheers for the Watchman" as the public school fund, although that fund supplied the place of rugs and carpets is raised almost exclusively by the taxes. The water used for household purposes was drawn from deep wells by the creek

you, and must be well known to most of country, so far as we can learn, antil after you, declare to you in all sincerity that we the commencement of the present century. We have aimed to speak here only in desire that you shall enjoy now and There were no friction matches in those The Examiner and Chronicle, the leading general terms of the week. There were henceforth all the rights of person and early days by the aid of which a fire property which we ourselves enjoy, and could be speedily kindled; and if the fire (published in New York) in the issue of tion, but every day of these eventful wherever originating that may tend to the timber was damp so that the spark that we will oppose any and all measures 'went out' upon the hearth over night, and would not catch, the alternative remained Moreover, we desire to see the colored of wading through the snow a mile or so

that may tend to promote their welfare! Only one room in the house was warm and happiness. We desire to see your unless some of the family was il'; in all bility. Now, if from what you know of and women of a bundred years ago un us personally, you can rely upon these dressed and went to their beds in a temassurances, we invite you to dismiss all perature colder than that of our modern feelings of prejudice or distrust, and unite barus and wood sheds and they never CALL AND SEE OUR NEW STOCK

GRANT'S OUTRAGE.

The Columbia Phoenix, speaking of he concentration of the United States Army in South Carolina for policical pur-

"The speciacle of United States troops The distillery was perhaps the largest in both races. We rejoice to know that an at this moment marching from the East made a speech at Asheville, N. C., on the the State, but Mr. Myers did not run it era of better feeling between the races has and the West and concentrating on the long after war had been declared, but been inaugurated throughout the entire little State of South Carolina, in these handled "Blow-your-horn" Billy Smith Confederate government, and went to the Georgia, the white and colored voters lous were it not so grossly unlawful and and Judge Settle in regard to the schemes front as an officer in the Rowan artillery long ago recognized the fact that their stupid in all its features, and the protest and action of those worthies touching the company. Whether he served through interests were identical, and ignoring the on which it is done so false. The Washmanagement of the Western North Car- out the war, we are not informed, but at odious "color line" in politics, determined ingron Capital says, and it is to be hoped olina R. Road. He says he expects to its conclusion, he owned a distillery in to be friends at the polls as well as elsevote for Hayes and Wheeler, but that he are informed, has been in operation ever since. Myers, though a Israelite, married had peace and harmony, but un exampled itself a boomerang a scheme that will place its inventors. There could not Settle. That Smith and Settle have con- a Gentile, and a member of one of the prosperity, especially among the colored plague its inventors. There could not oldest and most respectable families in the people, who, in the State of Georgia alone, be a better campaign document, says the State. The Dispatch gives the following are now toe owners of more than six Capital. Yet no true American, oppoaccount of the sentence and the remarks million dollars worth of property. In sing the dominant party, but what would of the judge there upon. The case was our sister State of South Carolina, the prefer to forego such an advantage than tried in the United States Circuit Court, gratifying intelligence is daily coming to witness the spectacle now wantonly pre-

"It gives me great regret to have to honesty in the administration of the laws. the Radicals of Wayne county are offerand threats to defeat the Democratic par-We invite you to unite with us at the ty. And as public discussions are about

were appointed by the United States to We have reason to believe that many that they now intend to vote for Vance see that it was carried on lawfully, and of you desire to vote with us, but are re- and Tilden, but we withhold their pames who placed confidence in your reputation, strained by a sense of tear or inclinidation. for fear that they may, be bothered sud Smith; for that they are subject to Keogh, into wrong doing, which subjects these We promise such of you as may desire to annoyed by the Radical Trummets.

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