

Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1878.

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An account of a diabolical double-murder, committed in Burke county, some time since, can be found in another column. If the infamous perpetrator of this terrible crime is apprehended the justice-loving citizens of Burke and Catawba should not allow the wretch a trial, but should, as they doubtless will, refer the matter immediately to Judge Lynch.—Statesville Landmark.

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Then come the delegations sent to advocate the improvement of navigation on the large rivers of the West and South. The Mississippi with its tributaries forming the great natural channels of trade in the West, stands first on the list, and is likely to receive most friendly consideration.

The same persons who are here to advocate river improvement are generally in favor of the river's natural auxiliary the railroad. They insist that the great Southwest, with its immense but undeveloped treasures, must have an open highway to the Pacific, as free from physical obstruction as from any power to combine discriminate or levy exorbitant charges upon the people.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN TRADE. The same parties who are earnest advocates for increasing the facilities of internal trade and transportation are equally in favor of extending our commerce and opening new markets for our products throughout the world.

USE AND ABUSE OF SUBSIDIES. Many people especially in rural districts have a perfect horror of this word subsidy, but they never complain when this subsidy brings them a letter for three cents instead of twenty-five cents.

WASHINGTON NOTES. Delegates from the people in Washington - Tobacco & Whiskey Tax - Rivers and Railroads - Domestic & Foreign Trade - Use and Abuse of Subsidies.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18th, 1878. The city is filling up, not with lobbyists, but with leading men from different parts of the United States, delegated by Merchants' Exchanges, Boards of Trade and different industries, to make a representation of different interests to the Committees of Congress.

TOBACCO AND WHISKEY TAX. Returning to the delegations of leading men now here, and others daily arriving, who come to press upon Congress the necessity of prompt and liberal legislation touching the great interests and industries of the country, they may be divided into two classes.

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which must necessarily arise to involve the matter in difficulty.

The powers of Europe, alone, can prevent the complete, absolute, enduring conquest of Turkey. Whether any or all of them will intervene is the question. All depends on England. If England leads in a movement to resist the aggrandisement of Russia there are other European powers to follow.

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