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TI	UR\$DAY, DEC. 14, 1882.

NEW TERMS.

From and after the 1st day of January, endeared himself by long year's associa-1832, the subscription price of the Watch- tion as a christian gentleman. man will be as follows: One year, paid in advance, \$1.50

payment delayed 3 months, 2,00 payment delayed 12 months 2 50

We are indebted to Senator Z. B. Vance for public documents.

Capt. Jno. Beard has slaughtered seven shoats 7 months old, which netted him 1329 pounds. The stock was a mixture of first place; and at a later hour the two Berkshire and Essex.

Mr. Matt Jones, long known here as a attack, Heitman using a pistol. Several harness and saddle maker, died on Tuesday last, of consumption. Aged about 50 fering considerably from shots in the years,

Mr. J. M. Gray has fitted up for him- that Mr. Heitman's injuries are not seself a pleasant and convenient Law office, rions. in rear of court house.

Mr. James Horah, lately licensed, has also an office adjoining.

The sale of R. R. Stock advertised by Mr. H. C. Bost, takes place on Saturday 6th, instead of 7th, as advertised in last issue. See notice.

Insane Asylum of North Carolina, near free milling ore. The Nev. Mr. Wheeler has been return- Morganton, Burke county, and the ased to Salisbury, by the Conference resured completion of the Northern wing, cently in session at Raleigh. Mr. Black on the foundation of which \$10,000 has will again he Presiding Elder of Salis- already been expended, places North bury D strict, and Rev. L. E. Thompson, Carolina in the lead of any Southern was sent to Rowan Circuit. State in the noble charity of caring for

the insame. \$285,000 have already been The Colored Minstrels drew a good expended upon the grounds and the finished portion of the magnificent structure, on this property. house -only & lew ladies in attendance. The performance fair, full of fun. They and the next Legislature will be called differed from white minstrels in that upon to appropriate \$75,000 more for the they had no smutty jokes or scenes. completion of the Northern wing. The

architectural proportions of the building, Maj. Thos. Bomor tells us of a hunting the elegance of its interior and exterior party that did a fine days work, near finish, and the minute attention which Warm Springs, a few days since. He has been paid to every detail adding to "They killed three bear, two deer comfort and convenience in the work for says: and three wild turkeys in one day."

Rev. Geo. B. Wetmore, for several MINING INTELLIGENCE. ears resident at Thomasville, has rearned to his old home in Rowan, near T. K. BRUNER MANAGER. Juity church. We doubt not his old

location.

beyond reach.

cut.

per cent.

As the holidays approach, news in the riends in that neighborhood very heartily welcome his return, to whom he has mining circles become scarce.

Messis, Weaber and Duffield, owners of the New Discovery are here. They are superintending the trial of their ores by MORE SHOOTING IN LEXINGTON .- The the Designolle Process.

asually quiet town of Lexington, N. C., has twice been the scene of bloody work Work is going on again at the Reimerwithin the last six months. The latest temporary suspension caused by breakoccurred last week, between J. M. Leach, ing of pump. Mr. J. McCandless is sink Jr., and C. L. Heitman, both young lawing in Shaft No. 1. He has taken conyers. The difficulty commenced between tract for sinking 50 feet. The company Mr. Heitman and Leach, Senior, in the will probably let contract for another 50 feet as soon as the present work is comyoung men met on the street: Leach with pleted. double barrel shot gun commenced the

The Vein Mountain mine in McDowell and "John H. Wallace"-each of whom shots were exchanged, Mr. Heitman sufcounty, is doing exploring work only. the Returning Board said was a different person from Jonathan H. Wallace. They The Grayson mine in Rutherford Co.

face and breast, without once striking is actively at work on its veins, of which did not deny that the votes were intendhis adversary. It is reported however, 6 are known. their duty was ministerial only, and they Exploration work is done on a number

must make the returns as they found f other properties in Rutherford Co., them ; and yet we have seen no denuncilooking to permanent work. ation of them in the papers which attack-

The Connecticut, Mining Association ed the Secretary of State of Mississippi. in Golden Valley in the South Mountains, Rutherford county, has a favorable Pursuing the stict letter of the law is all right when it will elect a Radical like

McKinley in Ohio, but unmitigoted They have out on the Nichols and and Huntsville Mountains more than 30 scoundrelism when applied to Manning the last two monhts amount to 176,000 and the southern wing of the Western veins, several of which afford very fine in Mississippi. Fortunately the House of pounds, at the average selling price of

Sauce for the Gander.

It makes a great deal of difference

matters, whose ox is gored. A great deal

of denunciation has been uttered about

the fraud and slender technicality on

which Manning's case in Mississippi, rest-

of State Myers, has been held up to pub-

rendered to him.

Wallace case in Ohio.

the matter of election returns, as in other

The Hancock mine in Burke county, election and qualification of its members, has just completed a tailing ditch 25 feet and the next House of Representatives will below the old one, which enables the decide all these cases according to right treatment of a body of gravel hitherto The Carolina Queen mine is in full and

apparently profitable work ; both the he probably will be, McKinley will stand that there was general conspiracy begravel and vein work is progressing satisfactorily. Five veins are uncovered a poor chance, if the published facts are tween the distiller and revenue officers correct.-- Charlotte Journal. to swindle the government.

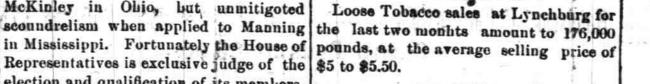
The first copper mines opened in the United States were worked in Connecti-The Virtue of the Ballot. There has never been an election in the amounting to 4,861,000 bales. Two years history of the country the meaning of ago the crop reached a total of 6.589.000 ty in Pennsylvania assays from 12 to 17 which has been so promptly recognized bales. In 1881 it declined to 6.436.000 as that which was held on the 7th of No-The gold mines of Venzeuela are atvember. The proceedings of both Houses the aggregate will foot up 7.000.000 tracting some attention. A railway has which it is designed, render it by long tracting some attention. A railway has already been surveyed from Port Sara- of Congress, in the few days that have elap- bales. Emancipation has surely not fulodds the finest asylum for the insane in via, on the Orinoco River, into the heart sed since they re-assembled, furnish the filled the predictions of those who advomost remarkable evidence of this fact. cated slave labor .- News and Observer.

ending June 30th, 1884, was raised. Be-**Useful Christmas Presents!** tween the free-trade men and the reckless pension advocates, Senator Brown's bill may not be entertained fully ; but he will be satisfied, at this time, presumably to get what is practicable, patiently whiting when the people will insist upon the whole machine of internal revenue being ed, and the returning officers, Secretary either remodelled or destroyed. The World comes to the defense of

lic exectation for certifying the returns as Senator Brown and thinks, with the exception of the whiskey tax, all other There is a much worse case, however, items could be eliminated from Mr. on the other side, about which we have Baum's department, which keeps in soluseen no denunciations, viz: the McKinley- tion 5,000 office holders who have, in only too many instances, made themselves Mr. Jonathan H. Wallace was the politically odious as emmissaries of the Democratic candidate against McKinley party in power. (Radical) and was counted out because

The people demand some such measure many votes were cast for "Johnathn Walas this of Senator Brown. They demand lace," "J. H. Wallace," "Major Wallace" a substantial reduction of taxation. The simplest method of relief is the best, and that is the partial abolition at least of the internal revenue system. The sooner this problem is brought to a test the beted for the Democratic candidate, but said ter.-Augusta Chronicle and Constitutionalist.

> The much talked of increase of the pension list, involving another hundred millions a year, is not likely to go thro' at this session as its friends expected.



The Charlotte Democrat says that the result of the investigation into the man and justice, and will administer the same agement of the internal revenue collecsauce to the Radical goose and the Dem- tor's office in this district, show gross ocratic gander. If Manning is ousted, as violations of the revenue laws, and

SUITS. The largest cotton crop of the antebellum period was that of 1859-60,

bales; but this year it is estimated that You can save Money by exam-

A rungway team on last Sunday night any Southern State. threw the colored driver out, lodging The Board of Commissioners to whose him with force on the hard street near hands the work has been entrusted havthe corner of Lee and Innis, bruising him severely. No bones broken.

From preparations going on-the Mask Dr. P. L. Murphy, a native of Sampson be given by the young men of Ball to county but late a resident of Wilmington, this city during the holidays is to be a Superintendent, at a salary of \$2,000 a graud affair. year, with board, washing, fuel and

lights in the Institution. Dr. Murphy COLD. + There was quite a sudden and has had several years experience as asrather rapid fall of temperature last sistant Physician in the Insane Asylum Thursday. The thermometer stood at at Staunton, Va., and was well commen-10 above zero Friday morning, showing a ded by eminent physicians and others. fall of about 40 degrees in 20 hours. Sat-Dr. W. J. Hilliard, of Asheville, was urday merning, 15 degrees above zero.

R. L. STEELE, the Photographer, has ing, fuel and lights in the Institution. No decided to remain only two weeks longer in the city. Persons wanting good pho- had, as those places are to be filled by tographs will do well to call at once.

THE CLERKS. - Some of the clerks have asked us to "come out in a big article, asking the merchants to close stores on Christmas Day." They have appealed to the wrong source. They have our consent, to be sure: you may close. Now get the consent of the merchants and your wish is attained. We hope you may be successful, as you have been dilligent and prompt in your duties during the year now closing-a little recreation can but stimulate efforts in the future

from the mints for the week ended Deing turned over the buildings and grounds to Gov. Jarvis, the Board of Directors last year. met in Morganton last week and elected

The Western Insane Asylum.

The Finest Asylum in the South-Election

of Officers-Open February 1st.

The completion of the main portion

MARRIED. In Franklin township yesterday, by Rev.

of the gold districts.

Mr. Stickley, Mr. Caleb Barger and Miss Julia Lyerly.

DIED.

Copper ore from the Headlight proper-

The issue of standard silver dollars

At his residence in Franklin township, elected assistant Physician at a salary Sunday, Dec. 3d, Mr. Aaron Rainey, aged of \$1,200 per annum with board, wash-83 years. He was a member of the

Franklin Presbyterian church, and was highly respected by all who knew him. elections of Steward and Matron were and beloved by his neighbors for his thus prove their repentance to be genuine many virtues.

the Board of Directors and Superinten-In this county, on the 11th December, dent acting in conjunction. Mr. H. R. 1882, MARY E. COOK, aged 21 years, 1 Hicks was temporarily employed as mamonth and 19 days. chinist and engineer of the Institution.

[Statesville papers please copy.]

The other means of raising revenue are

moderate and judiciously laid the taxa-

mass of the people do not realize the fact

that they bear any of the burdens by

It is hoped to have the Institution ready for patients by the first of Febru-Taxation is an evil. It is, however, ary. The law requires that 100 persons a necessary evil, and is to be borne cheershall be taken from the asylum at Ralfully when the purposes are essential to eigh from among those now there from the public good. But between evils there western counties. is often a choice. On principle we favor

The completed portion of the building the doctrine that a free people have a vill afford accommodation to from 200 to right to sell in the dearest market and 250 patients.-Charlotte Journal. buy in the cheapest. That is the founda-

A meeting of citizens of North Carolina of that policy which is known as free trade. now in Washington City, was held at He who denies the right of a people to

the capitol Friday, in relation to the follow their inclinations in this regard death of the Hon. John H. Wheeler, the would abridge their liberty of action.

JUDGE BUDGER.-The Salisbury Bar is historian of the State and former diplo- Few public men are so bold as to take not slow in appreciating, nor stinting in mat. Col. R. F. Armfield, called Gen. such ground, but taxation being necestheir praise of a good Judge. Several of T. Clingman to the chair, who in a few sary, it is used as a means to accomplish the most prominent members have ex- appropriate remarks, explained the ob- by indirection what cannot properly be pressed sentiments very complimentary ject of the meeting. Gen. W. R. Cox done directly. Import duties are resorted of Judge Gudger, among other things : acted as secretary. On motion of Hon. to for this purpose.

"That heidischarged business to the en- M. W. Ransom, the following committee tire satisfaction of Lawyers, Jury and was appointed to prepare suitable resointernal taxes. Of the two, both being suiters, and did more business than has lutions : Messrs. M. W. Ransom, Z. B. evils, under our present circumstances been done at any regular term of court Vance, C. Dowd, S. F. Phillips, D. R. we prefer to dispense with the internal since the war." His Honor has just com- Goodloe, R. W. Best, Jesse J. Yeates, taxation because it is a greater curse to pleted the circuit of the whole State, and Kenneth Rayner and W. R. Cox. Approthe people than import duties. The lathas returned to his home in Haywood priate resolutions were reported and ter can be collected without bringing the county. adopted. Remarks from Messrs. Z. B. people in connection with the officers of

Almost a serious accident happened to Mr. J. K. Burke at his home in this city. Saturday hight. While he and his family were cosily sitting around the fire in their sitting room one of his daughters accideutly knocked a large burning lamp, full of kerosene oil, from the candlestand to the floor, breaking the lamp, and the oil Special to the Journal. igniting flashed into a fearful blaze, when

Vance, S. F. Phillips, J. J. Yestes, A. M. the government. When the duties are Scales, M. W. Ransom, and the chairman, followed. The meeting resolved to tion is not felt. It is anknown. The great attend, as a body, the funeral which took place Sunday.

Meeting of Stockholders of the Richmond & Danville Railroad.

RICHMOND, VA., Dec. 13 .- The stock-

They went immediately to work, and for Frank Frayne, the shootist, who missed the first time in years both Houses sat all of cember 9 was \$1,189,499, as against the first Saturday. The Radicals seem to the apple and killed Miss Anne Von \$394,487 for the corresponding period have set about business in a way that in-Behrens, as related in our last, has been dicates a big scare, and they promise, almost raving distracted since. We supfrom all appearances, to do more in the pose he is done with the William Tell direction of sound legislation during this exploit for the rest of his life, and it is to short session than they have ever done in be hoped no, one else will attempt the &C. a long one. Indeed, they are vieing with dangerous folly. Miss Behrens was buried

each other and the Democrats to show how fully they appreciate the lesson of the election. The disappearance of all bickering, and the earnestness with which they have "pitched in" is as amusing as as it is gratifying. We hope they will not grow weary in well doing, but will go right straight along with the good work of undoing their evil deeds, and to the satisfactaction of the country.

Great is the virtue of the ballot-sometimes.-Charlotte Obserrer.

The Internal Revenue.

The following is the text of Senato Brown's bill looking to the abolition the internal revenue system : --Tobacco Plant. "Whereas the policy of the Government

of the United States from the earliest pe-

riod of its existence, except in case of the Says an appreciative Englishman in emergencies of war, has been to collect the Temple Bar, "the most unobtrusivethe revenue necessary to support the ly well-behaved man toward woman is a tion stone underlying the whole doctrine Government by the tax upon imports; well-bred American." and whereas the exigencies of war made The vote of Mr. Justice Matthews was

it necessary to vary from this rule, practhe casting one in the consultation of the ticed by both political parties during the Supreme Court Judges which gave to the late unfortunate civil war; and whereas a period of about eighteen years has passproperty. ed since the war closed and the country

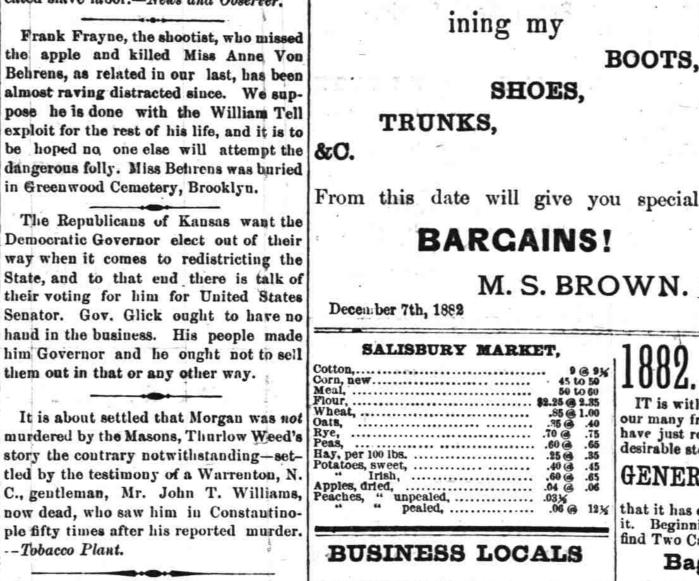
is now enjoying profound reace and pros-The King of Bavaria gives 40,000 marks to assist the people made destitute perity, rendering exception to the general

rule of policy and practice on this subject by the floods. In the Rhenish districts no longer necessary; and whereas the the loss by the floods will amount to milraising of the revenue of the U. States to lions of marks.

support the Government economically The San Lorenzo cotton mill, pear administered by a tax upon' imports af-Orizaba, Mexico, has 6,300 spindles and fords a legitimate incidental protection is doing a profitable business in common to American industry and American pro- calicos. Its annual consumption is about ductions; and whereas it is unnecessary 2.000 bales of mostly Louisiana cotton. aud improper to have two large corps of The result of the observations of the collectors, one at the ports and the other transit of Venus wasg enerally not satto collect the internal revenues, the latisfactory. Harvard observatory was parter being used in a great measure by any tially successful ; Professor Blake, at Otparty in carrying elections, while said tawa, Canada, was successful and so was duplicate system is very expensive and the observatory at Washington. The demoralizing; therefore be it. transit was invisible from Greenwich.

supporting the government. And in fact Enacted-First, that the act entitled most of the people contribute but little, an act to provide internal revenue to supthe burdeus resting on those who indulge in luxuries and who are able to pay for on public debt and for other purposes, Coxe, sentenced to life imprisonment in ing them agreeable to the most delicate stom-

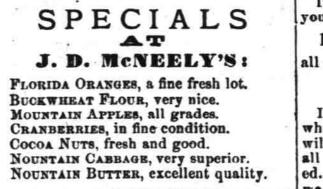
goods of foreign manufacture. On the



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Apples, Cranberries and Cabbage at J. D. MCNEELY'S.

TUTT'S PILLS A SUGAR PLUM

TUTT's PILLS are now covered over with a ATLANTA, Dec. 11.- To-day Governor vanilla sugar coating, making them as pleasant, port the government, to pay the interest Stephens issued a pardon to Capt. Ed. to swallow as a little sugar plum, and render-

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