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EDITORIAL NOTES.

A gentleman has ridden in a top buggy, drawn by a single horse, all the way from Kansas to New Hampshire, a distance of 1,529 miles, in 59

All the money which the war cost France her army expenses, the requisitions of the enemy and the five millards of indemnity counted together -foots up nine milliards three hundred millions of francs, or \$1,860,000,-

The New York World publishes official returns of the elections since 1872, which show that in the course of two years the Republican party, which elected its President by a majority of over 750,000 votes, has been put in a a minority of over 500,000.

In the Bank of France they have got a brick for which they paid one thou. sand francs in specie. This brick was transferred by heat from a real note. It was taken from the ruins of a burned house.

The Catholic Missionary priests, with their Superior, Right Rev. Herbert Vaughan, Bishop of Salford, England, arrived Friday evening im Baltimore. Their object in coming to this country, it is said, is to establish in one or two more of the larger South ern cities, colored missions,

The Columbia correspondent of the Augusta Constitutionalist writes on the 23d instant: "One hundred thonsand dollars and over were funded today at the treasurer's office, which . bonds (the consolidated) have already advanced to sixty cents on the dollar, the coupons of which are receivable 28 miles at the engineer's estimate, for taxes."

The New York papers of Saturday morning published a damaging statement respecting the alleged defaloacation of Henry Nicoll, of the well Co., of that city, also a member of the Committee of Seventy and founder of the New York Bar Association. He grades and very lightest work. I am intermed it is fully as fine a grade as that from Spartanburg to the Block House, a distance of 254 miles, the was charged with being unable to socount for a large sum of several estates placed in his hands as trustee and business manager.

A correspondent of the Vicksburg Herrid, addressing Gov. Ames, says: "Why, Governor, you ought to announce yourself as a candidate for the Presidency of the United States; and if buffoonery, ignorance, folly, a cation, you would undoubtedly be the choice of the people above the biggest fool that ever walked the earth."

Many of us have cause to rejoice that we are not old Romans. In their days "the debtor could be taken home by the creditor and kept sixty days, fettered in irons not exceeding fifteen pounds in weight; at the end of which pounds in weight; at the end of which sorts of cormorants who are determined, if the debt remained uppaid, he mined to leach it well before turning ould be brought before the people on three market days, on the last rious persons, in various ways, for to ! of which his body could be out into pieces according to the number of cred-

icle says: The three bonanza mines, the Consolidated Virginia, California, and Ophir, closed upon the street last evening at values showing an aggregate decline of \$50,000,000 since our last editorial mention only a few days since. By one of those unaccountable panies that constimes occur in an excitable and overstrained market these mines have fallen off without any apparent good cause for a decline accurative. We say unaccountable, because from all we can learn the prosting.

The other route is entirely free, is unencumbered. No one can impede work upon it, and, as I show, is very much cheaper. Another consideration, much money will be furnished by the people of Buncombe and Henderson counties have already subscribed, publicly and privately.

All of the most prominent journals of the country admit that Cuba should be free, but not at the expense of a third term for Grant.

Beyond all question the two great er connection by rail with the Mississippi and Ohio Valleys, and the im-North Carolinian, I altogether profer our every effort should be to build up our own cities. I wish to encourage, to work up, a North Carolina spirit. provement of the River and Bar. We re plan to believe that both are in a fair way of early solution. And in the rapid increase in our population, commerce and wealth. With unbroken lines of communication or or shorter periods. Served by Carriers Cincinnati, Louisville and Nashville, and with vessels drawing eighteen or vast, and rapidly increasing trade. per month, or Two Dollars and Twan- twenty feet of water loading at our docks, we may look for a populous and

labor in season and out of season. If ville, Cipcinnati and the great Northour own people cannot help them selvs, we will gladly hail capitalists from abroad who are both willing and don, Kentucky. Only forty-four miles able. Nor do we expect these men to (44) from Asheville to Paint Rock is invest their money from motives of to be built, over one-third of which is patriotism. They expect and we hope tions with the West and South, their ventures will be profitable. We as well as with the Northwest, by way are satisfied that North Carolina and of Nashville, Tennesses. Suppose Charleston and the South Carolina in-Wilmington are incidentally benefited.

It is a matter of congratulation that our friends in the Western portion of the State are becoming fully alive to will the freights of the Northwest be carried directly on to the grand city the prospects of a railroad connection with our port, and begin to realize that the Carolina Central Railway offers really the best, surest and earliest opportunity of a railroad to the coast. They see a live corporation, even during the present financial pressure, under which all the nufinished roads line to a market from this point, than have succumbed, gradually extending the W. N. C. Road could offer. Now, its Western terminus, and strutching out its arms beyond our mountain barriers. So far as Wilmington is con- sort, and considering the interests of cerned, it not only offers the quickest but the only connection which it has any prospect of making. In its completion and successful operation Wil- cities, if it is not far better to give mington's future is linked more closely than in any and all lof her prefer this route to all others? other links of internal improvements.

who has given such attention to the matter as entitles his views to the

A PEW SUGGESTIONS TO MB. MATTREWS

ple to the above gentlemen, and while much is expected of them, it is a pleasure to think they show themselves "equal to the occasion." Our people are much in the condition of King Richard, who offered his kingdom for a horse; we offer our kingdom for an iron horse, and think both parties to the transaction will be benefited.

The Carolina Central Company having finished its graud enterprise-the connection of Charlotte with Wilmington by rail-now seeks other worlds to conquer, and very naturally have plete from Old Fort to Asheville,

thence down to Paint Rock. Let me see if I can't suggest a better way-at any rate a cheaper way. It is by way of the Spartanburg (S. C.) and Asheville route. This latter Company is now building, and will have completed by Spring, the first section of its road, to the foot of the mountains in Polk county, a distance of 25 miles from Spartauburg. There remains only 48 miles to Assevitle, 20 of which is comparatively light mountain work; the other 28 miles are astonishingly inexpensive, responsible con-tractors now being anxious to take the viz: \$150,000.

The hrst section, now under construction, terminates at what is called the Blood House. From the present terminus of the C. C. Road sto the Block House, in an almost westerly direction, is 35 miles, running entireknown law firm of Nicoll, Thurston & ly on a ridge, affording the essest entire cost of the grading of which will not exceed \$80,000. So you can form easily an idea of the probable cost of this route. One million three hundred thousands of dollars, according to estimates, will build and equip the road from the Block House to Asheville. Estimate the 35 miles from the C. C. terminus to the Block House to cost, say \$400,000, we have a bill of one million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$1,700,000.)

By the Hickory route I estimate the pacity for blundering, be the require- 20 miles, complete......\$ 250,000 ments necessary to fill so high a sta- From Old Fort to Asheville, 1,400,000 Cost of W. N. C. Boad ...

> Or, seven hundred and fifty thousadd (\$750,000) dollars more than by the Spartanburg and Asheville route.
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> I am told this S. and A. route, via Block House, from Charlotte, is the and adjourn sine die, but it refuses to shortest line from Charlotte to Ashedout doit, and manifests a disposition to ville, yet suggested.

W. N. C. road is beset by all The these many years, and will not be sur-rendered readily. Besides, we are afflicted with scores of statesmen (?) itors; or, if they preferred, he could be sold into foreign elavery.

Concerning the California mining stock panie the San Francisco Chronare wondrously willing to devote their time and talents to making the thing pay-somebody. In truth, the road is cursed with friends. There-

\$250,000,the condition of which subscription requiring the amount to be notirely expended in the two coun-ties. A large amount has also be a subscribed in South Carolina.

Now, a matter as to freights. As a

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furnished our transmoutane counties,
their most convenient and most direct markets. Charleston, appreciating this rich country, is most suxious to get its That city is now working earnestly ocks, we may look for a populous and the road from Spartanburg to Asheville, and ultimately on, via Paint Rock and Cumberland Gap to Louiswest. Only one hundred and seven-teen miles (117) remain to complete on this ronte, from Asheville to Lo1terests are allowed to build through here, and get the control of the line running Bouth from here; not only by the sea, in South Carolina, to the exclusion of our own State seaport, but the major part of the trade of our section as well. And this will be the case, notwithstanding afterwards the W. N. C. Road may be completed through the counties, because the southern route will furnish a shorter as this southern route is the chasper more accessible, not attended with troubles of either a friendly(?) or legal our own magnificent cities, Wilming-

And by proper united efforts, by utilizing the Penitentiary convicts and It is with pleasure that we publish other State resources, the road wast the following letter from our friend, of A hevil e, known as the Ducktorn Road,om be very rapidly and successfully pushed through. And then would be opened to the trade of the consideration of those interested, and world one of the grandest and richest we know that it will receive their at- sections, (in natural resources, minerals, &c.) on the American Continent.

ton and Charlotte, I submit to the

gentlemen whose names head this let-

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THE LOUISIANA PROBLEM.

The Course of the Second Sub-Committee Mapped Out-Plans of the Republicans and Conservatives. NEW OBLEANS, Jan. 22:- The Con-

gressional Committee went to work redeemed on presentation because it selected the undeveloped, and ne-this afternoon mapping out its course, had on the surface the image and fig-glected counties of Western North Propositions from both sides were ures of a note for one thousand francs | Carolina as the next field of their op- heard. The Conservatives offer to erations. How to get there? is the show that the late election was peace question with the company. It is pro- able without any intimidation except posed to purchase the Eastern Divi-sion of the W. N. C. Railroad from cratic negroes by their own race, or Salisbury to Asheville. Then build against white people by the United from Lincointon on the C. C. Road to States troops; that the results of the Hickory on the W. N. C. Road, com- election were faisified by the returning board, in contravention of the statute, and in contempt of well known facts; that the prostration of business aud impoverishment of the State are directly traceable to the carpet-bag government of Federal creation and support. The republican counsel are ing into the massiere business, the White League and Democratic extravngance in 1865, 1866 and 1867, together with the usual allegations. The Conservatives are prepared to conduct murder investigations, and to show, as was asserted in the Picayune this morning, that two-thirds of the negroes killed in Louisiana have been killed by negroes, and that two-thirds of the remainder have been killed by white men while in the act of committing or attempting some borrible outrage, murder, rape, arson, burglary, etc. The immunity attending these murders is directly owing to the criminal indifference of the reckless and indiscriminate employment of executive clemency. They are getting up statistics in the parishes on these points, and will bring official records in as evidence. The conservatives propose bringing witnesses who were not before the other sub-Committee, among whom will be many Northern men, settled here since the war, and who are Republicans. Everywhere except in Louisiana, it is believed quite con fidently that a better case will be made this time than before. The peo-ple are determined to convince these gestlemen also, and they will do it Nothing was done to-night except to arrange preliminaries and lay out the work.

The Sheridan Legislature is lov spirited. There is no money, and a quorum could not be gotten together to-day; the faithful are looking gloomy. There is no change in the Conserva-tive front. A bitter fight is waging between Governor Kellogg and his Legislature. He wants it to pass the general appropriation bill for 1875 do it, and manifests a disposition to give him some trouble by taking away a great portion of his patronage,

The accounts of the great snow slides in Utah which are reported by tele-graph, give a vivid picture of the dan-gers and terrors of winter in the mining canons of the far West. In some of their results, though essentially different in their origin, they suggest the revelations of Pompeii and Herculaneum. Men are suddenly overwhelmed and their homes demolished and buried by the treacherous snow. One striking instance is given of the discovery in one house that had been buried of the body of a woman sitting in a rocking chair with her infant clasped in her arms, and near by the bodies of her husband and little girl, all having perished from suffocation by snow. In another instance we read

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