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THE CIRCULATION OF THE MORNING STAR IS LARGER THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN NORTH CAROLINA.

A GOOD PLATFORM.

From a recent address delivered by Wm. Eaton, Esq., of Warren county, we make the following extract:

"I have said that our victory on the 4th of August last was a noble one. Let us make a noble use of it, and prove by our conduct that we have deserved success."

We endorse every word of it; and are willing to adopt it as our platform. That extract is the very essence of North Carolina Conservatism, as we understand it.

ROBBING THE GOVERNMENT.

Another superlatively "loyal" collector of internal revenue has robbed the Government. This time, he lives in Kansas, and only steals one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

These robberies have become so frequent that they attract but little attention. Since Hiram Ulysses stumbled into the Presidential chair the Government has been robbed of over six millions of dollars, by Radical office-holders, that we know of.

POVERTY OF THE IMPERIAL FAMILY.

The London Times in an article designed to refute the stories of Imperial profligacy and acquisitions in circulation, says the Imperial family spent in France all they ever received from France, and that Napoleon will leave Wilhelmshöhe as poor as in 1848.

The papers almost universally talk about what Germany will do, and what Germany will not do, in the present European crisis. But "Germany," as a nation or government, has yet to be formed.

A short time since we wrote and published an article headed "The Next Congress—a Radical Calculation." We were not aware at the time that it possessed more than a very ordinary degree of merit.

Palmetto Leaves.

The Benford and Mazyck Minstrels are performing in Military Hall, Charleston, to crowded houses.

The Columbia Phoenix says: We regret to announce that the injuries received by Captain Beckham on Monday last, by his horse running away, has resulted in his death.

The New York World says that Gen. Ripley, ex-Confederate, of South Carolina, has received a commission in the French army, and is engaged on the defenses of Paris.

The Carolina Spartan says: The Winchester rifles, ten boxes of them, and seven boxes of ammunition, arrived at the depot on Saturday last. These are to be distributed among Scott's colored militia.

A colored man, who was lying on the track of the South Carolina Railroad at Sineath's Station, on Thursday, was run over by the down passenger train, and instantly killed.

The Charleston Courier says: A colored man, named Bristol Mitchell, from James Island, while attending the gearing of a small steam engine on South Atlantic wharf, yesterday morning, had his hand caught in the rope and was immediately drawn over, and had his head crushed by a fly-wheel near the boiler.

At Antioch Church, Edgefield county, seven miles North of the Court House, a difficulty occurred on Sunday between Robert D. Brunson and James M. Holson and others, in which several of the parties were wounded, one of them seriously.

A most melancholy accident, resulting in the instant death of two young men in the neighborhood of Pleasant Lane Postoffice, Edgefield county, eight miles North of the Court House, occurred on Saturday night, the 24th inst.

A Boston Holocaust. [From the Boston Advertiser, Sept. 24.] A horrible affair occurred just before midnight last night, in one of the miserable houses on Young's court, leading from North street, between Richmond and Cross streets.

The War and Emigration. Some 4,200 emigrants arrived at this port during last week, which would give a total of considerably over 200,000 per annum.

Bismarck, in social life, is genial and witty. Few would recognize in the brilliant conversationalist the veteran diplomatist, nor would the casual observer who, without knowing the man, listened to his sprightly bantering, realize that this captivating cavalier was the great administrator of government and war—the Richelieu of the nineteenth century.

A Texas man has been cured of the bite of a tarantula by the copious use of Robertson county whiskey. The wound healed up in two days, and on the third day the man expired of delirium tremens.

Running a Newspaper.

There is more truth than poetry in the following paragraph, which comes from a Memphis exchange. It may be suggestive to some of our readers; it is terribly suggestive to many newspaper publishers.

By some unaccountable misapprehension of facts, there is a large class of people in the world who think it costs little or nothing to run a newspaper, and that if they buy a copy from a newsboy, when too far from the office to come and beg one, they are regular patrons and are entitled to unlimited favors.

The newspaper business is very exacting on all connected with it; and the pay is comparatively small; the proprietors risk more money for smaller profits, and the editors and reporters and printers, work harder and cheaper than the same number of men in any other profession requiring the given amount of intelligence and training and drudgery.

James Bowie, the inventor or discoverer of the terrible weapon which has immortalized his name, was as utterly a fearless man as ever was born. He was full of enthusiasm over the fatal superiority of his knife, and discussed the matter with all the zeal of an inventor and the erudition of an expert.

Bowie and His Knife!

The left arms of these philosophers were tied together from the wrists to the elbows—there was a moment's pause, each nerving himself for the horrid work; the word was given—an instant and sudden "jerk" by Bowie gave him the chance to drive his knife into the body of the Spaniard, sinking it to the very hilt.

Mrs. Ransom's Seminary. THE FIFTH SCHOLASTIC YEAR OF MRS. RANSOM'S FEMALE SEMINARY will open on Thursday, October 6th, at the residence of the Principal, corner Fifth and Dock streets.

School for Young Ladies, Misses Kennedy & Hart, Principals. DR. H. K. MEADE, Prof. Latin and Chemistry.

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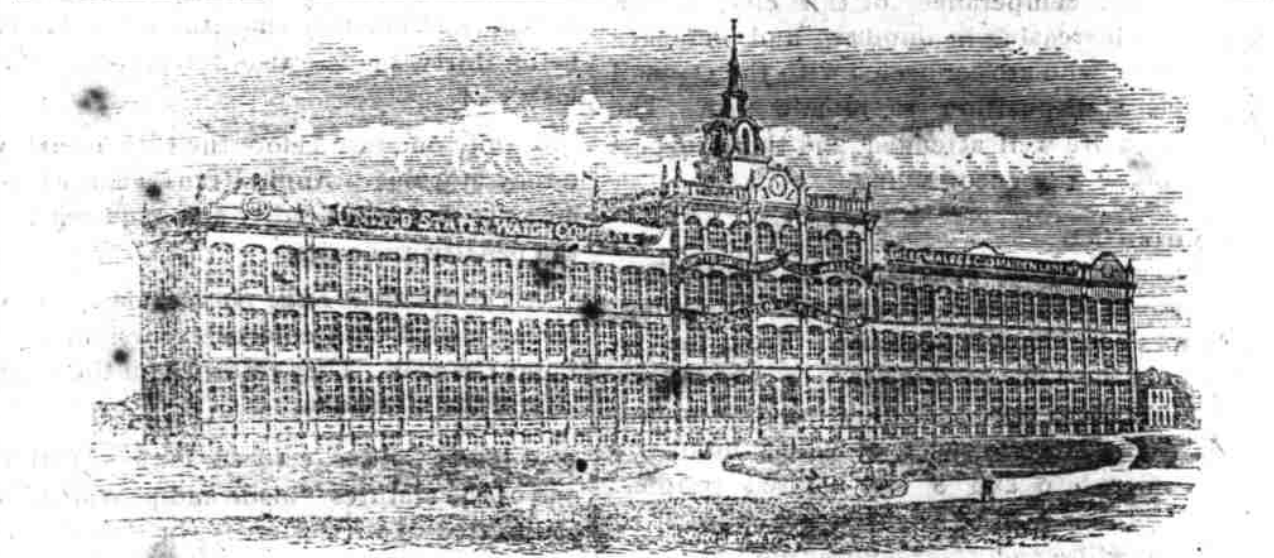
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WATCH No. 257, bearing Trade-mark Fayette Stratton, Marion, N. J., manufactured by United States Watch Co., has been carried by me 12 months; its total variation from mean time being fifteen seconds.

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