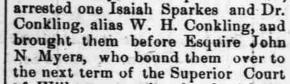


tion of the Matthews-Foster agreement with the Southern leaders were treely made when the President decided to send a Commission to Louistana, all efforts to obtain it have heretofore been futile. Stanly Matthews was telegraphed to for a copy, and he replied that it was not in his possession, and he did not remember it well enough to give an exact statement of its contents, but would be



of Wilkes county in a bond of \$500. in default of which they were committed to jail in this place. They were charged with passing counterfeit money. Their field of operation seems to have been in Wilkes and

the Hillsboro' Recorder, of the State press: "There is no community of work among us. There is no reciprocity of feeling. There is no recognition of merit or of labor. Each one struggles on, indifferent to the success of the other, indifferent to influence upon State interest."

- Raleigh News: Yesterday about p. m. an affray occurred between M.

Thompson and J. M. Forest, in the rear room of the saloon of Bashford & Doran,

adjoining counties. They passed to Hargett street. A quarrel took place between the two. Thompson drew a knife and was shot at by Forest. Friends interfered and separated them before harm was

The President elect appointed the fol lowing Committees: Finance-M. S. Willard, W. P. Toomer, H. Latimer. Query-J. I. Meares, A. M. Waddell, Jr.

Thos. Radcliffe.

Membership-B. G. Empie, J. H. Daniels, T. W. Meares.

cheered). Stenographic Report. We are under special obligations to Mr

spirit, &c., &c.

the services of Gen. Leach.

the people of South Carolina have elected

me Governor of that State. I go there to

say to him that we ask no recognition from

from the votes of the people of the State.

I go there to assure him that we are not fight

ing for party, but that we are fighting for the

good of the whole country. I am going there

o demand our rights; to demand nothing

less, and, so help me God, to take nothing

less. I go there to tell him the condition

past; that our people have been under dis-

advantages never encountered by any other

people on this continent; that they carried

prosperity and keep up its renown.

GEN. M. C. BUTLER'S SPEECH.

and, after returning thanks for the demon-

her sister States in the Union, said:

In response General Butler came forward

Of course, my friends, you can never

in human promises, if there is anything in

honor, truth, character, virtue, I think

may safely say, from a recent trip to Wash-

mean to do justice by South Carolina.

Every principle of honor, every principle

more, we will be content with nothing

less; and in the visit which our distin-

Washington, he has stated that he does not

Fellow Citizens : I am quite aware that

which might be reached by a direct line.

That is what is claimed by those who are

h a point

we be satisfied with less?

tomary to go on a curve to re

ton to Washington.

of Richmond, Va. Mr. Reichman had a ance that they would be soon realized, and further insurance of \$600, but we could that he would bring back the same lofty

not ascertain the company.

The above companies are represented by (Owing to the noise made by the Messrs. Jno. W. Gordon & Bro., of this engines, our stenographic reporter was unable to follow Col. W. through his city. very tasteful, appropriate and cordial Magistrate's Court. address. Col. Waddell was repeatedly Mary E. Lively, colored, was arraigned

before Justice Gardner, yesterday, on the affidavit of Bella Robinson, colored, charged GOV. HAMPTON

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

M. CRONLY, Auctioncer. BY CRONLY & MORRIS. Underwriters' Sale. THIS DAY, AT 10 O'CLOCK, WE WILL SELL. On Lighter, in front of our Office, South Water

writers, for and on account of whom it may concern,

Slightly damaged upon voyage of importation.

Auction Sales This Day

THURSDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1877.

295 BAGS AMMONIATED

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DISSOLVED BONES,

Attorneys

Attorneys.

WILL BE SOLD AT

MUNSON & Co.

Broadway Silk Hats,

glad if any person who has it would give it to the newspapers.

THE BARGAIN FOR THE PRESIDENCY.

If there remained in the mind of anybody a doubt that an agreement had been entered into by which the completion of the electoral count was assured, this acknowledgment of Matthews' ought to dissipate it. But that the President gave a written approval of the bargain, or promised any definite course of action by which the two Southern States were to obtain their liberty, is probably not true. The claim, no doubt, grew out of the fact that Hayes wrote to Foster, approving his pacific speech in the House, and as it was received after the argument was made and shown to members of the House, it was understood as conveying an endorsement of the views of Foster as expressed not only in the speech but in the agreement.

WHAT THE PRESIDENT THINKS HE HAS

DONE TO MR. LAMAR. Two days ago, Senator Lamar, being unable to visit Mr. Hayes, wrote him a private letter in regard to the political situation in the South, deprecating his course towards South Carolina and Louisiana. It was couched in dignified but caustic language, and seemed to make a deep impression upon the President, for the moment at least, for he remarked to a friend that he feared he had alienated Mr. Lamar from him.

The Louisiana Congressmen had a very satisfactory interview with the President to-day. They had been quite despondent, feeling, they say, that he had disappointed the hopes of his conservative friends and vielded to the influence of those who seek to defeat the conciliatory policy pledged by his nearest party friends and announced in his inaugural address. To-night they are cheerful and hopeful, and their dispatches to New Orleans reflect that mood.

> [Special to Norfolk Landmark.] WASHINGTON, March 27.

The Cabinet was in session again to-day. The Louisiana delegation have had an interview with the President and Secretary of War with salisfactory conclusions. The celebrated agreement is to come out with the correspondence in full. Hopes are entertained that all will come out right for Louisiana and South Carolina.

CHASSEUR. PRESS DISPATCHES.

Democratic Senators Contending for One of Hayes' Appointments.

WASHINGTON, March 26. A sharp contest has been in progress for a week past between Senators Hill and Gordon in regard to

one man in this county, Mr. Boyden Goss, forty-five dollars at one time of their spurious money, besides passdone. ing it to several farmers. The

greater portion of their money was of the denomination of \$5 bills. They were travelling over the country representing themselves as being sewing machine agents, having with them a magic lantern with other catch penny tricks

> Fatal Resistance. | Wilkesboro Witness.]

Last Monday revenue officers Ray, Wilson and Patterson received infor mation that one Johnson Snider and Son Ham, of North Fork, Ashe county, N. C., were dealing in the "crooked." They at once repaired to Snider's place of business and informed them of the nature of their mission. The contraband whiskeydealers and friends were in an advanced state of intoxication, and at once gave vent to their feelings in bitter execrations and violent threats. Soon all were engaged in a hand-tohand melee, and some were laid out on the floor hors du combat. Seeing that they were likely to be overpowered and killed, the officers fired on them, instautly killing the elder

North Carolina Preacher Abread. [New York World.]

Snider and mortally wounding the

younger.

Forty-six years ago Dr. Silas Andrews, a native of North Carolina, and fresh from the seminary at Princeton, became pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Doylestown, Pa., where he has remained ever since. On the 11th of March a congregation of one thousand people illed his Church, and over one hundred were received into communion of the Church, ninety-two of them on profession of their faith. Dr. Andrews is bearing fruit in his old age.

Spirits Turpentine. - Rev. Dr. Chas. Phillips is still - Raleigh Graded School is \$900 in arrears. - Howe's circus is to be at Wel don on April 4. - The Graham Cornet Band is now prepared to toot. - Raleigh Observer: Chicken-pox, mumps and measles prevail in the city.

- Raleigh Observer : Gov. Brogden is still sloshing around Washington. - Asheville is preparing to get sober. Temperance Societies are springing up. - The News is writing up the surrender of Raleigh to Gen. Sherman in 1865.

- Rev. Thomas Carrick is to take charge of the Baptist church at Greenville. - Thus far \$6,000 have been paid

are any cases for trial. - Mayor Canaday, who has been expected to return last evening. rests in about a week. People,

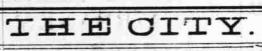
- Monroe Enquirer : We learn that the gold fever is on the increase in this county. Several mines are being worked on a small scale. The bank bought 100 pennyweights one day last week and 150 the next day. There is no doubt that Union county is rich with gold, and we hope to see some mines opened up and properly worked at an early day.

- Weldon News: Harry Plummer, colored, of this place, on Sunday afternoon become enraged with his wife for some cause and finally took up a shot-gun and fired twice at her, the gun being loaded with buck shot. Fortunately, the wounds inflicted were not of a very serious nature,

she being protected by her clothing. At last accounts Harry had not been arrested. - Raleigh News: The time is approaching for knocking wooden cannon bails about the yard with long-handled mallets. It has been said by one qualified by experience and observation to give a re-liable opinion on the subject, that the labor and fatigue expended on one croquet yard in one season would, if properly directed produce from five to twenty bushels of corn, and the exercise be equally healthful; but then it would look exceedingly like work, and be a shade undignified to take exercise that way.

- Capt. Trip, of the Schooner Merrimon, attempted to put a negro named Henry Bryan ashore at Newbern, when the latter "succeeded in getting Capt. Trip's cheek between his teeth and made a most ghastly wound, nearly biting out the entire

side of the victim's face. As soon as Capt. Trip could get loose from the infuriated man who was literally eating him up, he went into the cabin to procure a weapon with which to defend himself. When he returned to the deck Bryan was gone. The wound was dressed as soon as surgical aid could be procured." The particulars from the Nut Shell.



NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. CRONLY & MORRIS-Auction sales. Closing of Banks on Good Friday. PETTEWAY & SCHULKEN--Peas, &c. HARRISON & ALLEN-Silk hats, &c. MUNSON & Co-Spring coats and vests. CRONLY & MORRIS-Underwriters' sale. WRIGHT & STEDMAN-Postponement sale.

Local Dots. - The banks will all suspend business to morrow, Good Friday.

- To-day is known in the religious calendar as Maunder Thursday.

- The windy weather still contin ues, and now it is getting dusty.

1 .- Now is the time to commence putting the city in proper sanitary trim. - The City Court will resume its

daily sessions this morning, provided there

absent from the city for several days, was

- There have been no police ar-

Edwin Thorpe, a young English gentleman in our city who is the private Secretary of

President Bridgers, for an accurate and full stenographic report of Gov. Hampton's and Gen. Butler's speeches. They are, we believe, the first short-hand reports of speeches ever made in Wilmington. Owing to the pressure of the crowd, the noise, and the standing posture necessary, it is a wonder that Mr. Thorpe succeeded in making such

a satisfactory report as he has, and it only shows the plainer his skill as a short-hand writer. We regret the interruption that prevented a full report of Col. Waddell's speech

Force of Habit.

One of our most prominent and indefatigable brokers, being at the depot yesterday morning with his flour samples in hand, ready for his daily perspatetics on the wharf, was introduced to Gov. Hampton and Gen. Butler. Being somewhat embarrassed, and business first recurring to his mind, he stepped briskly forward, handed the Governor his samples, and said "Warranted fresh ground, perfectly sound and sweet, \$8 per bbl., 30 days, freight rates guaranteed, and your offer submitted by wire." To cover his confusion, there was a general rush for the water cooler in the rear of the car.

The Criminal Court.

The docket at the approaching term of the Criminal Court is expected to be light one, as all the cases for trial will have to be first acted upon by the grand jury. All the old cases will have to go over to the next term of the Superior Court, and only the cases which have been sent on by the ler, Gen. Butler," it having been ascer-Magistrates since the last term of that Court will, when the grand jury finds a true bill, come before the new Criminal

Court for adjudication. Thus it will be seen that there will be no cases to commence with, and the Court will only take them as they come from the grand jury.

Thermometer Record. The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4.35 yesterday evening, Washington mean time, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city:

Key West, 77 Wilmington, 64 Had an Eye to Their Comfort.

Mine host of the Purcell House, constitu ting himself a committee of arrangements in the matter of providing for the "inner of this Union, we may be allowed to reguman" of the distinguished gentlemen at the depot yesterday morning, sent a huge waiter of choice provisions and refreshin what is now called statecraft it is cus ments for their nourishment, and servants to wait upon them.

The New River Canal.

then responded in the following words : with assault and battery. Defendant was My Friends of North Carolina : I do not feel that I need any introduction to you, for,

ordered to pay a fine of \$10 and the costs. in years past, during the war, a very large - There are constant inquiries as portion of those men of whom I was so proud were tar-heels. So proud was I of to who are the Commissioners for the vathem that even my own men from South rious States in this city. If the Commis-Carolina said that my favorite regiment was sioners themselves will furnish us their from North Carolina, and I have evidence names we will publish a full list. more recently of the sympathy of your people for those of my own prostrate State, for you sent to us during our last canvass one RIVER AND MARINE ITEMS. of your distinguished men, who, knowing

that your Vance was safe, came to help the cause of South Carolina; and, in the - The steamship Raleigh, Oliver, arrived at Baltimore from this port on the 26th inst.

name of South Carolina, I thank you for - The German barque Providentia, Holtz, My friends, I go to Washington simply to state before the President the fact that arrived at Falmouth from this port on the

25th inst. - Capt. Jones, of the Benefactor, reports a very stormy passage from New York to any President-we claim our recognition

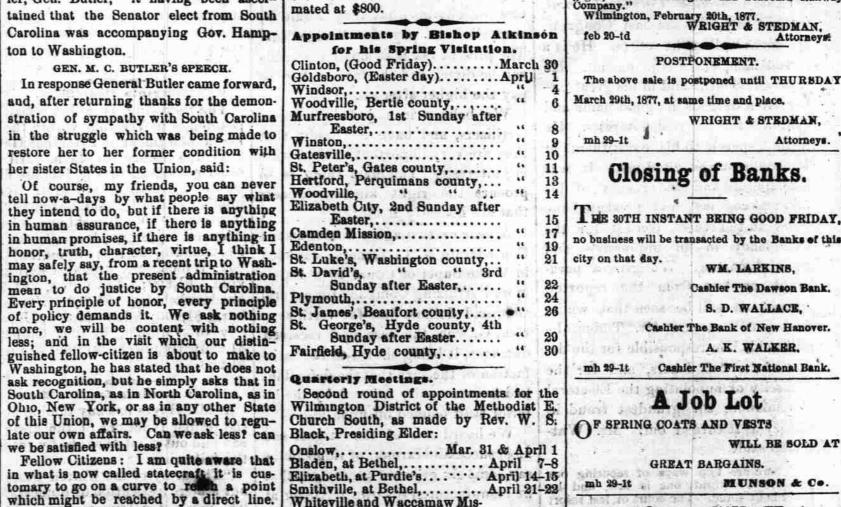
> this port. - The schooner Lucy Holmes, Teel, from this port for Jeremie, passed Long Cay (Fortune Island) on the 9th inst.

- Capt. Jones, of the steamship Benefac that South Carolina has been in for years tor, which arrived here yesterday, reports two important buoys, one white and the other red, as missing from Seward Chanthe election, were successful, and that they

nel, near the Western Bar.

propose to enjoy the fruits of their victory - From the "Wreck Report" of the little I hope, my friends, that I shall be enschooner Zenith, which was stranded on the abled to bring you news of good cheer. At any rate I will go cheered by this demon-stration on your part, for I feel now that I west side of Shallotte Bar on the morning of Tuesday, the 20th of March, an account go representing not only the men of the of which appeared in our paper, we find South, but the men of the North. I thank you heartily and cordially, and I hope that that the loss of the vessel was chargeable to your own State will resume its ancient a change of position of the bar, a stiff breeze blowing at the time and the weather Gov. Hampton was interrupted several

thick and cloudy. The Zenith was about times by the prolonged cheers of the citi thirty years old and was valued at \$1,000, zens. After he had bowed and withdrawn as stated by us. The cargo was valued at the crowd set up loud cries for "Gen. But-\$1,000, and the loss upon the same is esti-



sion, at Wayman, April 28-29

