Cardinal Antonucci is dying. - Seven thousand English miners are idle. Mount Zion Convent, in Waterford, Ireland, was burned by an incendiary. Judge Hughes made an interesting decision in the Arlington case, granting instructions asked for by the plaitiff, -Senate committee reported in favor of reducing tobacco tax from 24 cents to 20. and to admit, free of duty, all licorice paste and rolls. -Gen. Brady was before the Potter Committee and testified as to how he disposed of the cipher dispatches given to him for safe-keeping; he gave some to W. E. Chandler, others to the New York Iribune, and others to Hiscock. -- Serious trouble is feared among the striking miners in Kentucky. --- Great alarm prevails in Russia over the spread of the plague. - President MacMahon threatens to resign rather than yield with regard to the military command. -- The recrossing of the Canadian line by Sitting Bull is confirmed. --- Twenty thousand European operatives are expected to arrive on our shores within the next few months. - New York markets: Money 2@3 per cent; cotton quiet at 9 7-16@9 9-16c; flour in buyers' favor; wheat to lower and dull: corn 1@4c lower, ungraded 48c; spirits turpentine firm at 291@294c; rosin firmer at \$1 40@1 424.

Boston has just neld a "Carnival of Authors," and New York is to hold one not long hence.

Police Commissioner Erhardt. of New York, has made some very serious charges against many prominent members of the Police Department. and he asks Mayor Cooper to investi-

Pensioners will take notice that the act forbids payment through claim agents or attorneys. Applications must be made direct through mail to the Commissioner of Pen. | tion of life, and a more than Roman virtue

Senator Blaine is reported as declaring that he will not vote to unseat Senator Butler, of South Carolina. Edmunds is credited with a similar utterance. Give the devil his dues. Score one for B. and E.

Before the campaign of 1880 it will be wise in the Democrats to get the Southern War Claims bugaboo removed from the field of political contest. Do not allow ourselves to be handicapped with any such useless weight in the next race.

We may expect some rich developments before the Davenport (Congressional) Investigating Committee that is soon to meet in New York. The Tammany Democrats are said to have several thousand affidavits ready to show up Radical bulldozing.

Ex-Gov. Pinchback, colored, will be appointed Commissioner of Internal Revenue in Louisiana in place of General Longstreet, resigned, if he will accept. It is thought he will also be made chairman of the Radical State Committee of Louisiana.

It is announced in one of our Northern exchanges that Hon. Samuel J. Tilden will deliver the literary address at the next commencement of Trinity College. It will be remembered that Senator Thurman is to deliver the address at the University. These are strong selections.

We are not surprised to learn from a Washington correspondent that about for some way to avoid the responsibility of meeting the payment of the many millions that they voted away in the back pension bill, now a law. Deliver us from buncombe legislation.

Senor Castilar, the most eloquent living Spaniard, and ex-President of Spain, is to deliver a course of lectures before Oxford University, England. He is a writer of very marked abilility and skill, and his "Old Rome and New Italy" is one of of State to furnish certain informathe most entrancing volumes we have ever read.

We are not surprised to learn that the Pension Bill excites criticism in New York. The correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger writes on the 25th inst:

"The vast drain upon the public Treasury which the bill necessitates, at a time when resumption is but just fairly under way, occasions some little anxiety in financial circles, and the probabilities of a new loan are freely canvassed."

The Washington correspondent of the Baltimore American (Radical) says that Representatives Mills and Chalmers are resolved to "go for" the blatant Bragg if it takes all the was adopted.

winter to do it. That paper is happy S. B. 252, instructing the Finance Asheville) to this point.

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committee to inquire into the practicability of taxing cigars one-half dent each, was adopted.

tion of the House to print the usual number of copies of the report of the J. S. Brockington, Kingstree, S. C. Mar-State Board of Health. State Board of Health.

diciary Committee to inquire into the practicability of removing the tax on tobacco warehouses, was adopted. Senate bill 265, of instruction to

the Judiciary Committee to inquire into the practicability of simplifying the Attachment law. Adopted. S. R. 289, of instruction to the

Judiciary Committee to report bill to repeal chapter 141, laws of 1876-'77, to permit counties to elect their commissioners, justices of the peace and all county officers, was tabled.

S. B. 139, to secure holders of policies in fire insurance companies in this State. Passed its second reading. S. B. 220, an act for the protection of deer; prevents the killing of deer between the 1st day of November and the 15th day of August. After amending so that this law should not be in force in several counties in the State, the bill passed its third read-

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

By Mr. Henderson, a resolution to investigate salaries of officers of the Penitentiary. Placed on the calen-

the election of Commissioner of Agriculture. To the committee on Ag-

Mr. Foard moved to reconsider the vote by which the House on Saturday concurred in the resolution raising a committee to nominate magistrates.

class of Edward Everett. The Rich-The question then recurring on the motion to reconsider, the yeas and nays were ordered on demand of Mr. Ellison, and the motion prevailed. Judge be chosen differently. emarkable degree the wisdom of a sage Yeas 51, nays 31. The question ther recurring on the adoption of the resolution, it was amended so as to provide that the House should vote for the magistrates without debate, and the resolution was concurred in.

> Bill to repeal chapter 29, laws of 1876-77. Read and passed second and third times.

Bill to create a sinking fund. (Appoints Rufus H. Jones, A. T. Mial, W. M. Boylan, J. W. B. Watson, Charles B. Root and Wm. Grimes commissioners.) Read second time. Mr. Foard moved it be referred.

Bill to regulate the trial of causes in the Superior Court, failed to pass

Bill declaratory of the meaning of the act concerning probate of deeds and for privy examinations. (Allows clerks of Inferior Courts to probate deeds.) Read and passed.

THE LEGISLATURE.

[Raleigh Observer's Report Condensed.] SENATE.

over the expected "Democratic fam-

ily fight," and says that Bragg is pre-

paring "to repel the threatened at-

tack, and it is said that his next shot

will produce greater damage than the

be left to his folly. If he were a

Ex-Secretary Hamilton Fish

'I repeat that he is underestimated.

has as much of my respect as any of them.'

man," and that if the Republican Na-

tional Convention were now in session

he would be nominated. He is

not so certain as to how it will be in

1880. The question is does Fish know

what qualities enter into the forming

Judge James D. Halyburton, whose

death in Richmond, Va., was an-

nounced by telegraph, was an excel-

lent gentleman every way. He was

the son of Dr. James Halyburton, of

Scotland, and Martha Washington

Dandridge, niece of Martha Wash-

ington, the famous wife of the great

Washington. Judge Halyburton was

born in New Kent county, Virginia.

He was graduated at Harvard in the

mond State, in a neat biographical

"Judge Halyburton combined in a most

of temper characterized him in every rela-

distinguished his every performance of

the Commonwealth mourns the loss of

The Potter Committee.

[Special to Richmond State.]

and Dr. Green, president of the

Western Union, and the attorney for

dispatches. Probably William E.

Chandler could tell more about that

than any other person, and, as Mr

Hayes has failed to reward him alone

of all those who were most active in

securing a proper count in the three disputed States, perhaps he would

like to tell what he knows. If

Chandler chooses, he can make the

proceedings of the committee very

Jim Anderson is to be recalled

We shall see few or none his equal, and

of "a gentleman?"

sketch of him, says:

He says Grant is "innately a gentle-

be left to his own music.

opinion of Grant. He says:

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 27, 1879. RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED.

Mr. Dillard, instructing the Judiclary Committee to inquire into the practicability of simplifying the statute law, to report by bill or otherwise.

By Mr. Erwin, requesting the Commissioner of Agriculture to furnish at once to the Senate an itemized statement of all moneys received, and to whom and how expended. The above resolution was after-

wards taken up and adopted. By Mr. King, a resolution instructing our Representatives and Senators in Congress to vote to repeal the ten per cent. tax on State

Senate bill 128, to incorporate the Bennettsville and Hamlet Railroad, which was made a special order for next Thursday, was on motion of Mr. already both parties are casting Machern taken up. After quite a discussion over about the same ground as reported last week, the bill was made a special order for Friday

> House bill 182 was amended: "Provided further, that the foreman of the grand jury shall mark on the bill the names of witnesses sworn and examined before the jury." The Senate concurred in the amendment.

next at 12 M.

S. B. 50, an act to prohibit the removal of causes from one county to another, except where the ends of justice require it, passed its third reading.

S. R. 112, requiring the Secretary tion in regard to fees and clerk hire, was amended by striking out clerk hire, and then adopted.

S. B. 117, concerning streams that propel machinery. Provides, under certain restrictions, that where a stream during a freshet breaks from its original channel, a person utilizing the water below the break has the right of way to repair the break and turn the stream to its former

course, passed its third reading. S. B. 226, to prevent the use of intoxicating liquors in the Capitoi building, was tabled.

S. B. 264, asking for information concerning the proposed Governor's mansion, and requesting the Governer to report what lots had been sold and what progress had been made towards building the mansion,

The Senate concurred in a resolu

first." Bragg is a fool, and should Senate bill 251, instructing the Juroaring lion he might be noticed, but as he is only a oraying ass he should

publishing his "Recollections" in the New York Tribune. He has a high

have in my mind a range of nearly half a century of public men whom I knew; he Ayes, 22; noes, 15.

RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Berry, bill to provide for

the company have arrived to testify how the Tribune obtained the cipher

Spirits Turpentine.

- Salem is to have a steam distilery. Bad for Salem.

-Winston has fifteen manufactories of plug and two of smoking tobacco. - The last number of the Lenoir Topic showed considerable improvement.

- Mrs. Paris, wife of Rev. John Paris, was badly injured by a fall recently.

- Newbern has caught the epidemic, and is now preparing for a walking - Monroe Enquirer: The Episco-

pal congregation in this place has secured the services of Rev. L. Holmes as pastor. - A Salem school girl lost her trunk last June, between Lynchburg and Danville, and recently it has turned up in

Boston, Mass. - Christian Reid's "Christmas Greeting" was published a few years ago. We recently published it in the STAR and it has been extensively copied since.

-The Rev. Richard Poindexter. of Mount Nebo, Yadkin county, has lost three children with diphtheria, recently, and one other is now at the point of

- Died, on the 7th inst., near Madison, Rockingham county, N. C., Mrs. Mrs. Martha S. McGehee, aged 78 years. She was borned and reared in Prince Edward county, Va., and was the daughter of

- Statesville American: It is rumored that a worthy citizen who resided a few miles south of this place, has been missing from his home since the forepart of last week. His absence is unaccounted for, and fears of foul play are entertained.

- Hodge Krider, from Rowan, whilst "in liquor," attacked Mr. William Estep, in Iredell, and out him in four places and stabbed him twice. The left ear was also severed from the head. Krider escaped, as we learn from the Statesville

are thirty-six students from South Carolina only being done by the Gold and Stock operation of the parties interested. The at Davidson College, North Carolina, This only being done by the Gold and Stock operation of the parties interested. The is as it should be. Davidson Co our very doors, is pre-eminently a Southern institution, and offers educational capacities surpassed by none of the more distant Colleges of the North.

The business of the Inferior Court of last week footed up as follows: 7 presentments; 28 indictments made; 13 convictions; 8 acquittals, and balance continued Six prisoners were taken out of fail, clearing the latter of cases over which the court had jurisdiction, saving four months beard on each prisoner, which would have smounted to \$216; besides the collection of \$55 in fines that goes to the benefit of the School fund.

- Asheville Citizen: A friend just from Mitchell county says the ice in that section during the late cold spell reached the thickness of twenty-two inches. —— We learn with pleasure that Major Wilson, President of the Western N. C. Railroad, will in a couple of weeks come to Asheville for the purpose of establishing a route for his road from Gudger's

- Charlotte Observer: The Eumenean Literary Society of Davidson College has elected the following officers to serve at the next annual commencement in June: Representatives—J. Z. Dunlap, Rock Hill, S. C.; W. B. Jennings, Bennettsville, S. C. J. J., Covington, Atlanta; J. D. Nisbet Waxhaw, S. C.; T. B. Fraser, Sumter, S C.; L. R. Hope, Lowrysville, S. O.

- Morganton Blade: On Sunday last William Thompson, a lad of thirteen son of Mr. David Thompson, near town, was kicked six feet away and senseless by a horse. His chin and mouth were badly cut, and the bone of his nose was broken A very large majority of the people of Burke are glad that Governor Vance has been elected a Senator of the United States. It was here that he married his wife, and in this county, reside many of his own kin-

+ Concord Register: The gin house of J. A. Brantley, Esq., three miles east of Mooresville, on the Concord & Salisbury Road, was burned on Wednesday The citizens of Pioneer Mill had the pleasure of seeing a nugget of gold a few days ago, which was found on the lands of Mr. James Ervin, in Township No. 1, by Messrs. Briants & Muse. It weighed 2761 pwts, and is pure gold.

The mineral productions of this county are rapidly attracting the attention of Northern capitalists.

- Lenoir Topic: Last Sunday af termoon the dress of a little five year old daughter of Mr. Jefferson Poarch, of Little River Township, in this county, accidentally caught fire, and the child was so badly burned that she died early the next morning. The mother's hands were seriously if not fatally burned in attempting to put out the flames. — In travelling through the Yadkin valley we noticed a number of stacks of fodder of the crop of 1877, and at the same place five or six cribs of corn.

- Farmer & Mechanic: A well known citizen of Raleigh, who rents his farm in Edgecombe county, recently inquired among his tenants how many dogs they had. The total number on his farm was only forty-seven! — We have seen two can-didates for Judges, in high passion, shaking heir fists, on the very "Beach" in the Cour House where the successful candidate must sit, and before an assemblage whose cases he must try! Let the pay be \$1,000 and \$500 for travelling expenses, or let the

Statesville American : Many railroads are being built in the State-on paper. - We fully agree with the Bakersville Republican, that Major James W. Wilson, President of the Western N. C. Railroad, and other efficient officials under him, should be continued moffice until the road is completed. — Mr. John Horton, an elderly gentleman, who lived in the neighborhood of Amity Hill, this county, was found dead in the road, his horse standing beside him, last Wednesday. Ap-oplexy is supposed to have been the cause He leaves quite a family to mourn his death.

- Salem Press : At a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Salem, held last week, Dr. Bev-erly Jones, J. C. Conrad, H. A. Lemly, T. B. Lash and Wm. A. Lash, were elected directors. At a meeting of the directors, a day later, Wm. A. Lash was elected President, and Wm. A. Lemly, Cashier.

—— A Mr. Oscar, from the "Faderland," is the proprietor of the latest, and carries on at his residence, just next door to "Uncle Billy's" gun-smith shop, a weaving establishment, and we have seen some exellent specimens of scarf, shawls and carpets turned out from there. Cloths of dif-fent kinds will also be weven by him.

Mumps have spread into neighboring counties, especially Yadkin, Surry, Stokes and Davie.

- Charlotte Observer: The Charlotte Hotel has determined to keep up with the demand for low prices. The propries tors advertise table board at \$15 a month. It was mentioned in this paper some time ago that Dr. Chas. F. Brem, of this city, had invented a car coupler, and would apply for a patent for it. He made his aplication in regular form to the patent of fice in December, and has just received his letters patent, which were granted on the 21st inst. — The receipts of cotton here up to the first of December last were about ,800 bales in excess of receipts up to the same time last year, but during that month receipts dwindled to nothing, being only 4,000 bales against 13,000 for the same month of last year. — The Henderson ville New Era couldn't stand the racket. Has flopped out.

THE CITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Munson-Cassimere suits. HEINSBERGER-New music. PATTERSON & HICKS-Best goods.

O. G. PARSLEY, JR .- Wood of all kinds CRONLY & MORRIS-Buggies at auction.

To-Day's Indications. For the South Atlantic States, warm southwest winds, slightly to colder northwest or northeast, in the northern portion partly cloudy weather, and in the southern portion rising baremeter and local rains.

New Telephone Line. There is to be a telephone line between this city and the works of the Navassa Guano Company, at Meare's Bluff. The construction of the line has been confided to Mr. L. A. Augel, the Manager of the Western Union Telegraph Office in this city, and the parties undertaking it are the Navassa Guano Company, the Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, and the - Greenville (S. C.) News: There Carolina Central Railway. The work is Telegraph Company. There will be five proposal originates in Newbern, and a ciroffices, each in communication with the other, as an instrument is to be placed at the Bluff, at Hilton, at the office of the W. C. & A. R. R. at the depot of the C. C. R. R. and at the office of the Navassa Guano Company in this city. The line will thus be made an important one, using, as it will, instruments of a large size. This is really an important matter, and when the line is in full operation it will, besides its convenience to the constructing parties. contribute largely towards the prevention of accidents by collision.

Col. McRae's Lecture. We trust our people will bear in mind the lecture of Col. D. K. McRae, on Friday night, in behalf of the Wilmington Library Association. The eloquence and literary skill of the lecturer, the attractive theme, and the commenshie object in view, should ecure a large and interested audience.

Local Dots. on I .ouicy byabi - A kerosene lamp explosion at the Empire House did no harm. 10 10

- Myrtle Grove oveters down fifty cents a bushel in market yesterday. - Counterfeit half and Mexican

- Parade and inspection of Companies A and B. N. C. State Guard, col-

ored, this afternoon; assarci on all

- The Ada Richmond Opera Troupe were billed here yesterday for their performances next week. - Mr. J. I. Macks, of this city

was appointed, in the National Convention of B'nai B'rith at Philadelphia on the Committee on Credentials. - The Rev. Lucius Holmes, well

known in Wilmington, has been called to the pastorate of the Menroe Episcopal Church. He is a useful minister. - Yesterday, at 2 o'clock, in the shade, the thermometer marked 76 degrees

after a style that looks summery. - Sergeant D. C. Ralston, just relieved from the Signal Service station here, left last night by rail for his far off field of duties in Dakotah. Here's health to him.

above zero. This is mounting the mercury

- The Street Railway will soon be in apple pie order again. New cars, of the best and most modern make, and equines of large pulling capabilities, will be here in due course of steamer.

- Quoth the Raleigh Observer of yesterday: "Maj. John W. Dunham. the accomplished editor and now the efficient clerk of the New Hanover Criminal Court, is at the Yarborough."

- George, alias William Taylor, was the solitary individual before Acting Mayor Bowden yesterday morning, everybody else being on their good behavior. Billy was up for assault and battery, and sent over to Justice Hall

U. S. Commissioner's Court.

Before Hon. Edward Cantwell, U. Commissioner, the following cases were decided yesterday, and as they contain the essence of the law on the subjects to which they refer, interested parties should pre-

U. S. vs. Dugald Clark-One who purchases tobacco as an agent is not liable as a dealer under the provisions of Sec. 3,244. walked forth in triumph from our county par. 8, and requires no license. U. S. vs. H. Barkhimer.-Licensed re-

tailers of tobacco are liable to the penalty (Sec. 3,263) who sell or offer cigars and cigarettes from the show-case in packages

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has power by law to regulate the sale of to-

An employer is liable for the acts of his

U. S. vs. F. Lander. - A licensed retailer cannot assign his license, and cigars and snuff cannot be retailed from an unstamped box or package (Sec. 3,263). The license to retail must be posted up conspicuously

U. S. vs. J. Killen.—No shipping articles. are required to be signed and posted by masters of vessels in the West India trade.

Magistrate's Court. There was a geranium-scented case before Justice Hall yesterday at noon. George Taylor, who is a shade darker than Erebus, was arrested for assault and battery at the instance of that chronic complainant and violator of law, Frank Hargrave, the Princess Royal of Paddy's Hollow. Frank is an old offender, who appears to indulge in the most liberal ideas of social equality, but, in spite of this fearful record, she carried her point (sometimes she has in a quart), and George was sentenced to expiate his offence by thirty days in jail and

the payment of cests. Mr. M. S. Veni had a peace warrant served against George Hill, alias Snuceks, on the charge of attempting to burn the complainant's house, which is situated on the corner of Thirteenth and Market streets. It is alleged that two attempts to accomplish the heineus task have been made, either in the shape of threats or otherwise; but, however this may be, the evidence in the case was of such a character as to induce Justice Hall to require a justified bond in the sum of \$100 for the appearance of the accused at the next term of the Criminal Court, in default of which he was sent to jail.

Liquor Dealers' Convention. The latest proposition is for a convention

of wholesale liquor dealers, and the move-

ment, in which those here who are engaged in the traffic have been invited to participate, will doubtless have the cordial cocular from that city thus explains the objects of the proposed convocation: the fourth day of February next we [Messrs. Windley Brothers,] propose to have a convention of wholesale liquor dealers of the State, at Raleigh, and will be there ourselves for the purpose of taking some action in regard to the purchase tex. on liquors. You will agree that the tax is oppressive, and that we are not on an equal footing with dealers outside of the State, from the fact that they only pay \$50 per annum for the same privilege that we enjoy. We think that by assembling in Raleigh, and properly conducting a petition to the Legislature, that something can be accomplished that will result to the interest of all concerned." Charlotte and other towns in the State are in full sympathy with the scheme, and propose to be repre-

WHOLE NO. 3,579 Recedin of Gen. R. E. Colston.

This gentleman was honored last night, on his arrival from Raleigh, by a very appropriate and cordial reception at the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad. The ex-Cadets of the military school formerly under the management of the General, the dollars are said to be in circulation in this Capets of Maf. Burgess' Cape Fear Military Academy, and a number of citizens, repaired to the railroad station before the arrival of the train, and were drawn up in line on the bridge which crosses the track. On the approach of thir old tutor, the ex-Cadets opened ranks so that he could pass through and receive their greeting, and the command of Mai. Burgess, numbering about sixty and presenting a fine, soldierly appearance, presented arms.

There was no speechification, no effort at estentation, but a real, soul-like, earnest endeavor to show respect to a gentleman who was and is highly esteemed here.

After brief interchanges of congratulations, the General was escorted to a carriage, and driven off to his quarters amidst the cheers of both those who were present by arrangement and by self-election.

Gen. Colston looked to be in remarkably good health, though we understand he is not in as robust a physical condition as before his venture into the service of the Kuedive of Egypt.

The ex-cadets, forty or fifty in number, were officered by Capt. Geo. D. Parsley and John D. Bellamy, Esq., while Maj-Burgess very appropriately, considering the occasion, was personally in command of the gallant little corps of the present Academy.

Pardoned by the Governor.

It will be remembered that at the December term of Pender Criminal Court, held by Judge McKoy, an old negro, James Mosely, was tried and convicted of raping a negro woman, and sentenced to be hung on the 14th of March next. Soon after conviction, however, a petition was put in circulation for the pardon of the aged reprobate, and we learn that even the Judge who tried the case gave his signature to the application, in connection with many other prominent men. The fact is, it was demonstrated beyond dispute that the prosecutor in the case was a worthless, unreliable, corrupt creature, and the papers were forwarded to Raleigh. Yesterday they were returned to this city, having been signed by the Governor on Saturday last, and the aforesaid veteran that evening jall, and is now in no immediate danger of a hempen cravat.

In Another School House. Monday night some of the light-fingered gentry entered the school room next east to St. James Church, and took off a rubber piano cover and two rugs. The college proclivities of these midnight prowlers is something remarkable. This makes the fourth or fifth institution of learning from which they have enriched themselves within a few months. They need education of a moral kind, but are sadly proficient in that culture which fits men for the penitentiary. No clue, of course, and this will be the cry about thefts, great and small, as long as the police force is so inadequate.

The German bark Bien, which has been undergoing an overhauling at the ship yard of Messrs. Ross & Cassidey, came off the ways yesterday, looking as trim as a patent lightning rod. This morning the Norwegina barque Concordia will be taken on and undergo repairs. Two or three other vessols are awaiting similar treatment. We regret the misfortunes that compel this kind of work, but are greatly gratified to note this activity as an evidence that the prejudice against this port as a station for repairs is giving way to a better order of things. There is no good reason why it should be otherwise.

Supreme Court Decisions.

Opinions were filed by the Justices Monday in the following cases: State vs. Lewis James, from New Han-

over: reversed. Elijah A. Tew vs. Rebecca A. Tew, from Sampson; affirmed.

F. W. Kerchner vs. Henry Fairley et al. from Richmond; judgment affirmed.

We understand that Senator R. K. Brya reached here last night on a short leave of absence from his legislative duties, doubtless with a view of regaining his health which has been somewhat feeble for a few

RIVER AND MARINE ITEMS.

-The Emanuel, Knudsen, arrived at Greeneck on the 12th inst. -The Auguste and Jeannette, Zielke

10th inst. - The Emma, Gerber, from this port for Hamburg, was at Dover, England, on the 9th inst.

- The schooner John A. Griffin, Foster, from this port, reached Philadelphia last -The British barque Clara, Brooks, from Carthagena, sailed for Wilmington on

the 31st ult. - The Indiana, McKenzie, from this port for Liverpool, put into Queenstown on the 12th through stress of weather.

The success which so frequently attends the investment of a couple of dollars in the Louisiana state fattery, is becoming the subject of general comment, and everywhere the landable ambition of people to add to their wealth stimulates a trial of nick which can be accompanied by no evil result, and oftentimes has a very happy termination. Some one must win, and the reader should see to it if he is not the happy man. For information, address M. A. Dauphin, P. O. Box 692, New Orleans, La.

MATES OF ADVERTISING.

Contract Advertisements taken at propo-Sonately low rates.

Ten lines solid Nonparell type make one square. Thermometer Record.

Havana.....

acksonville,....76

The following will show the state of the thermometer, at the stations mentioned, at 4.31 yesterday evening, Washington mean time, as ascertained from the daily bulletin issued from the Signal Office in this city: Charleston, 70 Montgomery 75 Charlette 66 New Orleans, 78 Corsicana, 74 | Punta Rassa, 77 Galveston......65 | Savannah,......74

Indianola,67 | Wilmington,

LIST OF LETTERS

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Remaining in the City Post-Office, Jan.

29, 1879, unclaimed: A-Mrs Caroline Artes, James Achrens. B-Mrs W F Berry, mrs Henrietta Bolden, Chas Butler; Samuel M Burney, miss Henrietta Banswell.

C-Rheubin Coleman, J D Chamberlain, mrs F W Craig, miss Lusie Crow.
D-J R Dudley, Jack Davis, Lawrence Daverson, mrs Daniel Davis.

F-Mrs Lucy Finney, Jos F Farrow, Alex Fennell. G-Hamilton Gray, Jas Green. H-Miss Justina Home, Josephine Hall, schr Hochheimer, Jane Weizer Hill.

J-Wm Jackson, Henry Jackson, Chatham Johnson, Celester Jackson. K-Frank Keith, mrs Thomas Knowles. L-Georgia Ann Lane. M-Jane McNeil, Alex McNeil, Archie Marine, Ferdinand McDaniel, Jesse J Mercer, miss Minnie McKear, mrs Mattie Mur-

N-West Nicholson. O-Mrs Elizabeth Officy P-James Pigott, John 8 Piver, mrs Mary Eliza Potter.

R-Miss Clara Rand.
S-Ezekiah Skipper, Jas Shackelford,
Jr. Mary E Stanlan, miss Mary Ann T-Ed W Taylor, Martha Phornton, W.F. Tyson, Florence Ticcy.
W.Richard Willams, Rev W H Wat-

kins, miss M A Weaver, care C A Foreman, B C Wright. Persons calling for letters in the above list will please say "advertised." If not called for within thirty days they will be sent

to the Dead Letter Office. ED. R. BRINK, P. M. Wilmington, New Hanover Co., N. C.

Quarterly Meetings-First Round for the Wilmington District. Elizabeth, at Elizabethtown, Feb. 1-2. Whiteville, at Whiteville, February 8-9. Waccamaw Mission, February 11. Smithville, at Concord, February 15-16. Wilmington, at Fifth Street, Feb. 22-23. Wilmington, at Front Street, March 1-2. Topsail, at Union, March 8-9.

Onslow, at Tabernacle, March 15-16. The District Stewards will please neet at the Parsonage of Front St. Church, in Wilmington, February 25th, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. If. A full attendance is de-L. S. BURKHEAD, P. E.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

M. CRONLY, Auctioneer. BY CRONLY & MORRIS.

Buggies at Auction. MIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), AT 10 O'CLOCK,

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