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WHAT OTHERS SAY OF TAX ABO. LITION.

Several of our ablest Democratic exchanges hold the same views that the STAR holds in regard to the repeal of all internal revenue laws and the reduction of the tariff. The Louisville Courier Journal, the Sa vannah News, the Washington Post, the Charleston News and Couirer and others hold that to abolish the internal eystem will be full of hazard. After viewing the demands upon the United States Treasury and the large sum to be wiped out if the men in the Congress who favor an abolition of all internal taxes should succeeda sum of not less than 146 million dollars annually-our able Charleston contemporary, in its issue of Saturday, says:

"It is plain, therefore, that the whole of the internal revenue taxes cannot be abol-ished, unless Congress shall be willing to cre-ate a positive deficit in the revenue, with the expectation that the deficit will be made up by a corresponding increase in revenue from the remaining sources of income. Congress is not at all likely to take any such step as this. Whatever the schemes of tax reduction may ultimately resolve themselves into, it is safe to say that Congress will so arrange taxation as to secure a revenue at least as large as the amount of the probable expenditures."

Some week or ten days ago this paper ventured to say that it would be suicidal in the Democratic party to vote for the total distruction of all internal taxes in view of the fact that it would probably create a deficit in

therefore need and which no aless he chooses to do 000.000 a ent should raise That su and considerably more would be paid by the whole body of the people. Every man, woman and child would may a part of it, and pay, in addition, a considerable sum for the profits and margins on the cost of the necessaries of life as enhanced by the

ed by Tariff. When, on the other hand, such re-venue is derived from a tax on whiskey and co, the whole amount as paid by the nsumers of these articles, in proportion to each one's consumption: and no person the door not make quors, or who is not engaged in the busi-ness of manufacturing or selling liquors and tobacco, would have to pay a single cent towards the expenses of the Govern-

This is in harmony with the view we have presented from day to day. There is no substantial reason, why uxuries should not be taxed whilst necessaries are taxed. By the way we see it announced that every Democratic paper in Georgia advocates free trade with one exception. This may not be so, but if true how will Senator Brown raise the needed' revenue if the internal tax is abolished and the Georgia papers secure their ends? The Washington Post, the Demo

cratic organ at the National Capital, says in its issue of Saturday:

"It is a transparent absurdity to advocate an entire abolition of the internal revenue taxes and a reduction of the tariff. Those who are demanding such legislation cannot be ignorant of the fact that if the internal taxes are done away with, there will be no room for diminntion of the revenues from mports.

IMPORTANT CHANGES PROPOSED.

Mr. Springer, of Illinois, has in troduced a bill in the House that w would be glad to see adopted. It to amend the Constitution of th United States so as to change -th mode of election and the term o office of President and Vice Presi dent. The term is to be six year the President to be inelegible for the next succeeding term, and the manner of election is to be by direct vote

of the people. The Southern Confederacy wisely adopted the six years term with inelegibility in its Consti tution. It met with general favor among the people. A man elected to the highest place and holding his office for six years only would not be laying his pipes for re-election, and would devote his time and talents and influence to the cause of his country and not to the ends of party. He would be a very inferior fellow indeed who thus circumstanced and limited would not apply himself to the high ends of government and essay to make a name in the history of his country that should deserve to be mentioned with those illustrious patriots who had given glory and success to the United States. Without the temptation to do wrong we might expect the President to aim solely at the good of the people. The change could not possibly work worse than the present system works and there is every reason to believ that it would prove highly advanta geous to the country. Whatever reason existed for crea ting the Electoral College has disappeared. The freeing of the negro removed, we suppose, the main ground for not allowing the elector to vote directly for the candidates for President. There are many reasons that may be urged, but we will not enter upon their consideration now. The proposed changes are of exceeding importance, and ought to be patiently considered and without undue prejudice.

cy and that his people would triumph. A most interesting personality and of the traly historic figures of our eat and teeming century.

gainst James F. Mal-The loy was that he set fire to his own store and thus consumed a large part of Edgefield, S. C. Senator Butler's deposition in favor of Malloy was ead in Court, and also that, of th clerk of Edgefield county Court. The jury says that the New York Herald must pay \$20,000. A new trial will be granted and Malloy may never live long enough to gather in the spoils.

It is beginning to appear that the Congress will not wipe out all internal taxes but cut them down rather. The Senate committee have agreed to make a reduction of some \$33, 000,000. The tariff, it is believed, will be reduced some \$40,000,000. In due time more will come when the surplus will authorize it. It has been made very clear to our appre hension that there will not. more than \$80,000,000 surplus th next year. We have seen the figures and they are reliable. It is no a good time, for Democrats to be en deavoring to create a deficit in th Treasury. The above reduction-\$73,000,000-will do for the present we have no doubt.

The Chicago Tribune, leading Re publican paper of Illinois, declares that Congress has no right to lay any impost for protection. It says in rejoices that "members of Congres who have favored and supported this infamous violation and perversion o the grant of power to lay and collect taxes for revenue have been largel disposed of by the people at the recen elections."

A veteran Democratic journalist in Washington says that the Demo crats will renominate Cleveland and McDonald, or reverse them. New York would be apt to go for Cleveland if his Gubernatorial caree

The Cape Fear Pilots. It is said by those who ought to know

whereof they speak that the Cape Fear pilot and Cape Fear pilot boats will com-pare sworably with any similar "institu-tions" in the country. The fact has al-ready been established beyond the reach of and the reach ontroversy that a braver set of men, or class of men more self-sacrificing in their devotion to duty, never existed anywhere This was attested in two instances so cent, when so many of these noble men los their lives in the pursuit of their hazardous profession, that it is unnecessary to enlarge upon the subject. . What we intend to speak of just now, however, is not the pilots, but the craft in which they follow their perilous calling. There are quite a number of M. C. Thomas. these boats, but the three largest are known as Nos. 1, 2 and 3, the name of the first being the Gracie, commanded by Capt. Walker Newton, the second the Uriah

Timmons, commanded by Capt. C. C. Morse, and the third the Oriental, commanded by Capt. Jack Adkins. These are said to be as fine boats, as swift, as substantial and reliable in every way as are to be found anywhere The Timmons established her reputation in this particular several years ago, when she weathered the fearful gale and the seething billows that swept the ill-fated Mary K. Sprunt to destruction, together with her brave crew. An instance of the skill of the pilots and the cleverness of their craft is as of recent occurrence as last Thursday night. Those in the city who heard how the cold blasts roared and whistled, and shook and rattled the window blinds, and caused shiver ing landsmen to draw the coverlids closer around them, can have a faint ides-and a very faint one-of how it was on the great deep, where there was no shield from the howling winds and scattering spray. Just at that fearful time pilot boat. No. 1, (the Gracie) was working her perilous way along the beach that lines our coast, and continued to do so for four long hours in the teeth of the heavy northwest gale, and finally reached a safe anchorage, while most any other craft would have been compelled to "heave to," and as a consequence would have drifted ont to sea. The Gracie we believe, is of Boston build, the Oriental came from New Orleans, and the Timmon,

was constructed here. HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE -MENTAL AND BODILY EXHAUSTION, ETC. -DR. G. KAISER, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I have prescribed it for dyspepsia, impo-tency and mental and bodily exhaustion; and in all cases it has given general satisfac tion."

The announcement (first received by private telegram) that the same ministers, who served in this field the past year had been returned by Conference to their respective charges, was received here with much apparent gratification Rev. F. H. Wood has added many friends during the past year, to the large number which had sat under his ministry on a former occasion. when stationed at the Fifth Street Church and Rev. T. Page Ricaud, who has served his charge for three successive years, will enter upon his fourth with the renewe confidence and esteem of his people.

METHODIST CONFERENCE. Seventh Day Session-Closing 111

APPOINTMENTS. District-S. D dam P. E. Edenton Street, E. A. Tates Person Street, R. F. Bumpass Brooklyn, J. H. Wheeler; Cary, B B. Culbreth; Rolesville, L. L. Nash; Smithfield, J. C. Hartsell; Clayton, A. M. Lowe; Tar River, W. H. Moore: Youngsville, J. F. Finlayson; Louis burg, W. C. Norman; Oxford, L. H. Gibbons; Granville, J. T. Gibbs; Henderson, J. J. Renn; Oak Hil Mission to be supplied; Buckhorn

Editors Raleigh Christian Advo-cate, F. L. Reid and W. S. Black. Hillsboro District-N. H. D. Wil son, P. E. Hillsboro, James E. Gay Durham, T. A. Boon; Durham Ct. J. T. Lyon; Chapel Hill, W. H. Moore, J. Heitman; Person, J. San-ford; Leasburg, H. H. Gibbons; Yanceyville, V. A. Sharpe; Alamance, John Tillett; Piedmont Mission, J. O. Guthrie; Haw River, J. B. Martin; Pittsboro, R. A. Willis, Gaston Farrar; Deep River, P. Greening, T C. Moses; University of North Caro-lina, Prof. A. W. Mangum, D. D. Greensboro District-W. H. Bob bitt, P. E. Greensboro, L. W. Crawford; Guilford, J. Mahoney; Pleas-ant Garden, R. M. Hoyle; Franklinsville, C. H. Phillips; Randleman Station, B. C. Phillips; Randolph, R. T. N. Stephenson, I. F. Keeran, sup.; Trinity College, to be supplied by W. H. Pegram; Thomasville and High Point, J. B. Carpenter; Davidson Mission, J. W. Lewis; Winston, C. C. Dodson; Forsyth, T. H. Pe-gram; Stokes, P. L. Groom, S. H. Helsabeck; Snow Creek Mission, J. W. Wilborn; Madison, T. S. Campbell; Dan River Mission, Cas W King; Ruffin, N. E. Coltrane; Reids ville J. Ed. Thompson; Kernersville, J. C. Thomas. Salisbury District-W. S. Black

P. E. Salisbury, Joseph Wheeler; Salisbury Circuit, G. A. Oglesby; Mocksville, G. F. Round; Rowan, L. E. Thompson; Farmington, W. C. Wilson; Concord, W. S. Creasy, T. W. Smith, sup.; Concord Circuit, H. P. Cole; Mt. Pleasant, Z. Rush; Albemarle, T. J. Gattis; Stanly, W. P. McCorkle; Big Lick Mission, T. L. Triplett; Lexington, T. A. Stone, Davidson, D. L. Earnhardt; Uwharrie, W. T. Cuchin.

Statesville District-L. L. Hen-

Halifax Circuit, J. M. Lumly; Scot Byrd; Wilson land Neck. J. H. Guinn; Li le River Mission,E O. Wyche; Ridgeway, J. R. Griffith; Nashyille, W. J. Crowson; Edge-combe, J. N. Cole.

ington District-J. S. Nel son, P. E. Tarboro, F. D. Swindell; South Edgecombe, J. H. Cordon; Williamston, W. B. Doub; Greenville, S. V. Hoyle; Pitt Mission, to be supplied by T. J. Daily; Swift Creek, N. A. Hooker; Aurora, W. L. Grissom; Washing-ton, D. May; Bath, J. F. Washburne; Plymouth, W. H. Watkins, Columbia, J. L. Keen; Mattamuskeet, R. C. Beamon, Swan Quarter, J. J.

Carden; Portsmouth, Ocracoke and Hatteras, to be supplied by E. D. Hoover.

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COTTON STATEMENT.

Report of the National Cotton Ex hange, New Orleans.

Telegraph to the Morning Star.] NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 12 .- The following is the National Cotton Exchange report of the cotton movement from September 1 to November 3, as made up by C. H. Parker, Secretary:

Ric1882 1881. .2,395,758 2,255,845 307,610 359,088 155,883 222,807 Port receipts. Total net overland. Of which to mills. Of which to ports. 222,807 136,281 Of which to Canada... Exports to Great Bri-11,816 14,418 tain Exports to Channel.... 793, 316 631,37 1,512 148,291 5,360 Exports to France. Exports to continent... 416,533 19,492 277,918 At sea between ports... Total takings by North-ern spinners...... Stock at ports at the close of November... 34,17

528,986 680,375 768,588 948,76 Overland for November-Spinners' takings for 97,943 108,834 November

300,374 809,06 n transit overland at the close of November.... 48,270 6,494

Swindlers Abroad.

If any one has represented that we are in any way interested in any bogus bitters or stuff with the word "Hops" in their name, cheating honest folks, or that we will pay any of their bills or debts, they are frauds and swindlers, and the victims should punish them, We deal in and pay only the bills for the genuine Hop Bitters, the purest and best medicine on earth.

Spirits Turpentine. A youth named James gets the cadet appointment to West Point from the First District. There were but two com. A BARRAN

- Lumberton Robesonian: The thermometer was down to 13 and the water works froze up in Charlotte last Friday morning. — The editor returned last Monday from his second visit to Charlotte Monday from his second visit to Charlotte in the interest of his eyes. He is now able to do some editorial work and unless he attempts to do too much he will soon he

- North Carolina Presbytertan: Masters J. A. and J. C., one 12 and the other 14 years old, sons of Mr. Paisley Smith, of Lumber Bridge Church, planted one acre in cotton, worked it well and made a bale. — Rev. J. C. Alexander informs us that at Springwood Church, on the 10th inst, six members were received on profession of faith in Christ. The church is supplied by Licentiate W. F. Thom.

Raleigh Recorder : During the

year there have been present at the Oxford Orphan Asylum one hundred and eighty. seven orphans. Forty of these have been discharged, finding "abundant employment and reasonable wages." Two have been adopted by good people. The total receipts in cash have been \$14,451.92. Not all of this has been expended, for there was this has been expended, for there was on hand December 5th, \$419.26. In addition to this the new building for the boys has

- The fifty-seventh session of the Annual Conference of the North Carolina District, Methodist Protestant Church, met at Shiloh Church, Davidson county, Nov. 30th, 1882. President, J. R. Ball; Secretary, J. L. Michaux. Rev. D. A. Highfill preached the Conference Sermon. There were forty ministers and thirty laymen present. R. H. Wills was chosen Presi-dent for the next Conference year. We omit the appointments, as there were none sent to the sections in which the STAR cires, The next Conference will meet at

- Washington Post December 9. meeting of the citizens of North Carolina

Enfield, Nov. 28, 1883.

A meeting of the citizens of North Carolina now in the city, was held at the Capitol yesterday, in relation to the death of Hon. John H. Wheeler, the historian of the State and former diplomat. Mr. R. F. Armfield called Gen. T. L. Clingman to the chair, who, in a few appropriate remarks, er-plained the object of the meeting. W. E. Cox acted as Secretary. On motion of Hon. M. W. Ransom, Z. B. Vance, C. Dowd, 8. F. Phillips, D. R. Goodloc, R. W. Best, Jesse J. Yeates. Kenneth Rayner and W. R. Cox. Resolutions expressing their high regard for the deceased and their appreciaregard for the deceased and their apprecia-tion of his historical life-work were adopted,

- Charlotte Observer : Engineer R. W. Swan, and fireman Norman Kyle, colored, who left Asheville Saturday at 5:20 A. M., as the first section of freight train No. 4, met with an accident at Asheville Junction, caused by the gross negligence of freight Conductor Halyburton, who care-

the Treasury, and that the North would unite and say that the Southern rebels tried to shoot the Government to death and failed, and now they are trying to starve it to death. Representative Tucker-Ran. Tucker, ablest Representative from Virginia and one of the ablest men in the U. S. House-gives it as his opinion that if the Democrats should abolish the internal taxes that it would create a deficit and that this condition of things would "beat the Democratic party."

The STAR desires to see the Democratic party triumph. It has been defeated often enough already. It has often played into the hands of its enemies and nothing should be done that will imperil its chances of success in 1884. The men who clamored most about taxes on necessaries in the last campaign are the most insistent now for the abolition of taxes on luxuries. To us there is very genuine inconsistency in all this.

If the Revenue Ring were a necessity and there was no way of getting rid of Mott, Young and their set except by abolishing the internal taxes we would be very much inclined to support the proposition, although surcharged with danger to the party. Our sole reason for so doing would be this: that whilst we . believe the abolition of the internal taxes would probable defeat the Democratic party for the Presidency it would enable us to keep North Carolina Democratic, and that is more important to North Carolinians than a Presidential triumph.

But there is no need of retaining Mott, Young and their fellows. . The taxes can be collected through the States without the help of such plastic and superserviceable tools of party. Let Secretary Chase's plan be adopted, and seventy or eighty million dollars of tax on whiskey and tobacco can be collected without the Revenue Ringsters.

The Sound Road. crease in the cotton in sight to-night -whiskey and tobacco-but reduce ly, proved his last." Serb, Kirghiz and two or three dia-The Wilson News publishes a card to the Peele; Cohare Mission, —; Bladen, Z. T. Harrison; Elizabeth circuit, J. B. Bailey; Whiteville, J. W. Puett; Fair Bluff Mission, Edward Schul-ken; Waccamaw Mission to be supof 39,811 bales as compared with the it so as not to raise, say more than In a note to the editor of the Rockinglects of Central Asia. He was a same date of 1881, an increase of effect that a meeting of the friends of the seventy million dollars, which will ham Bee, dated Dec. 2nd, deceased writes 127,477 bales as compared with the Wilmington, Wrightsville and Coast Railfine talker, a very eloquent speaker, of a misfortune that had befallen him be ample to meet all calls on the corresponding date of 1880 and an road Company, will be held in this city on wrote well, was a man of magnificent "Last Thursday night I was robbed of increase of 267,958 bales as compared Treasury. By this plan we will be the 17th day of January next to perfect the physique, with a most engaging and \$150, besides a check of \$225 on Winston organization of the Company, A large with 1879. rid of the terrible curse, the Revenue plied by J. H. Tart; Smithville, W. handsome face, was a rider without N. C., and a check on a Norfolk bank of number of the prominent colored people of the State have identified themselves with FOREIGN MARKETS. Ringsters, and avoid all the dangers \$180. I will pay \$10 for finding and de-B. North; Brunswick, D. A. Watan equal, and as brave as any soldier kins; Onslow, Clayton W. Smith. incident to creating a deficit in By Cable to the Mo livery." known to history. He was extreme-LIVERPOOL, December 13, 5 P. M.-Uplands, 1 m c, December and January de-livery 5 55-64d; February and March deliv-ery 5 55-64d; Maich and April delivery 5 56-64@5 57-64d; July and August delivery 6 5-64d. Futures steadier. Common rosin 58 6d. Newbern District-J. E. Mann, P. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the First Baptist Church. Treasury. ly careful and watchful over his sol-John F. Porter, the celebrated Represen-tative in Congress, who, in 1860, being challenged by Roger A. Pryor, named knives as the weapons and a locked room as the place of battle is dying at Milwau-kee, Wis, in a poor farm hopse. E. Newbern, L. S. Burkhead; Golds-boro, W. M. Robey; Wayne, J. N. The News and Courier favors the diers, looking after their condition retention of the tax on tobacco and New York Naval Stores Market. Andrews; Goldsboro Circuit, B. B. and comfort continually. He was New York Journal of Commerce, Dec. 11. New York Journal of Commerce, Dec. 11. Spirits turpentine—The market shows a moderate distributing business, and is fair-ly firm; merchantable order is quoted at 614c bid and 52c asked; sale of 50 bbls on dock at 52c. Rosins—The medium grades have moderate attention at the recent de-cline. Strained and the grades above me-dium are slow and wholly nominal. Quo-tations are: Rosin—Common at \$1 75; Strained at \$1 774, and good strained at \$1 80; No. 2 E at \$1 90@di 95; No. 2 F at \$2 10@2 15; No. 1 G at \$2 20; No. 1 H at \$2 30@2 35; good No. 1 I at \$2 45; @250; low pale K at \$2 65; pale M at \$2 90 @300; extra pale N at \$3 20@2 25; win-dow glass (W) at \$8 50@4 25; Tar quoted at \$2 80@3 00. Pitch is quoted at \$2 25. Holder; Mt. Olive, J. F. Bristow; Kinston, W. C. Gannon; Snow Hill, J. W. Jenkins; La Grange, J. whiskey, even though the tariff tax a devoted son and a true friend. Such would supply all needed revenue and LONDON, Dec. 13, 4 P. M.-Spirits tur-pentine 37s 3d. was the greatest Russian of the nine-Last Friday evening two men rode up to P. J. Green, who was standing in a store where he was employed in Tallahatchie county, Miss., and demanded the keys of the safe. He replied that he had no keys; that the safe had a combination lock. Whereupon they shot him down and rode off. So far no arrests have been made. for a reason that we believe to be D. Carpenter; Craven, Alpheus Mc-Cullen; Jones, L. L. Johnson; Bean-fort, N. M. Jurney; Carteret, A. D. Betts, W. H. Puckett; Pamlico Cir-cuit, W. H. Call: Core Sound Mis-sion, T. J. Browning; Straits Mis-sion, F. B. McCall teenth century as presented in the just and unanswerable. We copy it. pages of a leading English periodical BURNETT'S COCOAINE Kills Dandruff, Allays Irritation, and Pro It says : -the Fortnightly Review. He was "All taxation is an evil. The amount taken from the community in taxation is a loss to the community, although not a loss without some compensations. No people can grow rich by taxation. It is to the inmotes the Growth of the Hair. thoroughly versed in European poli-Gentlemen. —For over two years I have suffered terribly with "scald head" in its worst form. A few weeks ago I tried a bottle of your Cocoaine. The first appli-cation gave me relief, and now the disease is effectually cured. Yours respectfully, N. C. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff, Ottawa, Ill. tics and believed that the time would come when the Slav and the Tenton sion, F. B. McCall. New York Peanut Market. terest of the people that, so long as any money is required to be raised by taxation, it should be raised by taxes upon articles which are not absolute necessaries of life, -the Germanic peoples and the Rus-Warrenton District-D.R. Bruton, New York Journal of Commerce; Dec. 12. New York Journal of Commerce, Dec. 12. Prices are not further changed; there is moderate trade. The quotations are for hand-picked at 64@7c; extra prime at 54 @54c; fancy at 54c; good lots at 44@44c. sians-would have a long, sanguinary and terrible struggle for suprema-Burnett's Flavoring Extracts are perfectly

A NOBLE PERSONAGE.

The late General Skobeleff, who died of heart disease suddenly at the age of thirty-nine, was one of the most remarkable men of the last half century. He was in many respects a great man. His military genius has been acknowledged by the foremost living masters of the art of war. His literary and linguistic accomplishments were distiguished. He spoke fluently English and without any foreign accent whatever, and he read easily Latin, French, German and Italian, had some knowledge of the classic Greek, spoke modern

should be a success.

There is a movement in the Con gress to do away with the National Board of Health. The fire has opened It would be much more to the point to abolish some of the custom house employes scattered throughout the country who have nothing to do.

Some very great outrages are per petrated in the North. Mrs. Collins was put in the Buffalo State Insane Asylum. She has been released upon a writ of habeas corpus and her friends say she was never insane. A great wrong surely !

The Philadelphia Press does not believe that Mrs. Langtry has been in this country, as neither the successful actress nor great beauty as described in London papers, has yet been seen on the American stage.

Death of Rev. Elias Dedson. Rev. Elias Dodson, the well known Baptist minister, died at the residence of Mr. Alex. Oldham, in this city, yesterday at 25 minutes to 12 o'clock, in the 75th year of his age, his disease being diabetis. The venerable minister was widely known throughout this State and Virginia, was possessed of considerable attainments in some directions and was universally esteemed as a pious, unassuming, useful man. He has for many years been, travelling in the interest of Home Missions, devoting not only his time but his substance to the cause which he seems to have held so closely at heart. Regularly once a year-on the same Sunday-he made his appearance here, as elsewhere, in the scope of his travels, preached a sermon at the First Baptist Church, which was always replete with plain, unvarnished gospel truth, and then devoted the following week to soliciting and collecting for hi mission fund; and it was very few from whom he turned away empty handed. He had a way about him in soliciting that was difficult to resist, and he always had a habit of talking pretty plainly to those, not in

*. *"A coward can be a hero at a distance resence of danger tests presence of mind. Presence of dise ase test the value of a cur ative. Kidney-Wort challenges this test always and everywhere, so far as all com-plaints of the bowels, liver and kidneys are concerned. It cures all, nor asks any odds.

- Capt, Fred. Small, so well known i this city and Smithville, and who has been absent North for some weeks past, returned home yesterday as master of the schr Mary E. Van Cleaf, and upon inquiry we found that he had purchased a controlling interest in that fine schooner, and that she will hereafter trade regularly out of this port. The Mary E. Van Cleaf registers 256 tons, and her home port was formerly Camden, Maine. We wish Capt. Small much success in his venture.

Capt. Small, of the schooner Mary E Van Cleaf, reports having, on Thursday last, passed a quantity of spars and other wrecked material off Hatteras. Capt. S also reports that he passed what appeared to be the mast of a large vessel anchored to the bottom, at a point, about fourteen miles east by south of Bald Head light, and in about ten or eleven fathoms of water. It is thought to be the mast of some vessel sunk there in one of the late storms.

Mrs. Lula Reed, of Matthews, N. C., says: "I received great benefit from Brown's Iron Bitters in general debility." }

Changed Hands. The dwelling and plantation on the old New Berne road, just beyond the city limits, formerly the property of Sheriff Schenck, but more latterly of Capt. F. M. Wooten, has been sold by the latter gentle man to Mr. James W. Barnes, the well known trucker, for about \$4,000. Capt. will no doubt greatly improve his new purchase, which is already a fine place.

dren, P. E. Statesville, J. T. Harris; Statesville Circuit, C. G. Little; Mooresville, R. G. Barrett; Iredell. P. F. W. Stamey; Rock Spring, J. H. Page; Newton, G. Ivey; Catawba Mission, Enoch L. Stamey; Alexander, W. T. Nelson; Caldwell, Hugh F. Wiley; Lenoir, M. V. Sherrill; Wilkes, E. J. Eudaily; Roaring Mission, C. P. Snow; John's River Mission, to be supplied; Surry, J. F. Craven; Elkin and Jonesville, J. C. Rowan; Mt. Airy, G. W. Callahan, James Wilson; Yadkinville Mission, M. J. Hunt; Pilot Mountain Mission, R. L. Warlick.

Shelby District-H. T. Hudson. P. E. Shelby, B. R. Hall; Shelby Circuit, A. R. Raven; King's Mountain Circuit, J. W. Jones; Double Shoals, Marcus D. Giles; Cherry Mountain, T. L. Hoyle; Rutherfordton, J. T. Abernethy; Columbus Mission, Isaac A. White; Marion, E. L. Pell; Morganton, C. M. Anderson; Burke Circuit, J. N. Somers; Hickory and Happy Home, P. L. Hermon; South Mountain Mission, to be supplied by N. A. England: South Fork Circuit, C. A. Gault; Dallas, A. G. Gauntt; Gaston, S. J. McLeod; Lincolnton, F. A. Bishop; McDowell, Jacob A. Lee.

Charlotte District-M. L. Wood, P.E. Charlotte, Tryon Street, J. T. Bagwell; Calvary Mission, J. W. Wheeler; Charlotte Circuit, Thos. E. Ellington; Matthews, S. M. Davis; Clear Creek Circuit, T. H. Edwards; Pineville, Lemon Shell; Pleasant Grove, M. H. Hoyle; Monroe, P. J. Carraway; Monroe Circuit, G. W. Hardison; Wadesboro Circuit, J. B. Alford; Ansonville, L. E. Stacy; Lilesville, O. J. Brent.

Fayetteville District-J. A. Cunninggim, P. E. Fayetteville, Jno. R. Brooks; Cumberland, Frank Townsend; Lumberton, Andrew P. Tyre; Robeson, M. W. Boyles; Laurinburg, J. W. North; St. Johns, P. W. Guthrie; Rockingham, J. B. Bobbitt; Ashpole Mission, Isaac W. Avent; Rockingham Circuit, W. S. Chaffin; Cape Fear Circuit, J. T. Kendall; Mt. Gilead, C. M. Pepper; Pekin, John H. Hall; Montgomery, W. S. Hale; Carthage, J. R. Scroggs; Jonesboro J. D. Arnold.

clined to contribute about their duty in ble supply, 1882, 2,631,803 bales; 1881, 2,761,614 bales; 1880, 2,504,326 bales; 1879, 1,863,345 bales. The Wilmington District-R. O. Burthe premises. ton, P. E., Wilmington Front Street, The reverend gentleman arrived here ten F. H. Wood; Fifth Street, T. Page W. has moved into the city. Mr. Barnes or twelve days ago in very feeble health. Ricaud; Topsail, J. C. Crisp; Du-plin, W. I. Hull; Point Caswell Misimports into Continental ports this and was unable to enter upon the discharge Greek, understood thoroughly and week have been 71,000 bales. of the duty which had induced him to pay sion, C, O. Durant; Clinton, J. E. The above figures indicate a Keep the tax on the two luxuries thirty-three miles spoke readily Wallach, Bulgarian, - Goldsboro Messenger: Dwell-ing houses continue in great demand in this town. - Senstor Vance, who closed the investigation into the charges against Dr. Mott before coming on to Congress, says that the committee has found evidence of the most damaging nature. But in ad-vance of official publication he will not us one more visit, and which, unfortunate. Thompson; Cokesbury, C: M. Gen-try; Newton Grove Mission, S. D.

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- The Baltimore American asks "Got your jug filled for Christmas?" To which we severely reply: "Jug not lest you be jugged."-Brooklyn Argus.

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New York Commercial Chronicle.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8 .- The movement of the crop, as indicated by our telegrams from the South tonight, is given below. For the week ending this evening (December 8), the total receipts have reached 247,017 bales, against 255,097 bales last week, 242,169 bales the previous week, and 259,154 bales three weeks since; making the total receipts since the 1st of September, 1882, 2,689,354bales, against 2,584,058 bales for the same period of 1881, showing an increase since September

1, 1882, of 105,296 bales. The exports for the week ending this evening reach a total of 175,610 bales, of which 121,134 were to Great Britain, 14,994 to France, and 39,482 to the rest of the Continent, while the stocks as made up this evening are now 812,128 bales.

Cotton on the spot has been dull, the demand being mostly in a small way for home consumption. We are still without stocks to attract buyers. Quotations were reduced 1-16c. on Monday. Yesterday there was a large line in transit reported sold. To-day there was further business in transit, but otherwise the market was uiet, middling uplands closing at

The visible supply of cotton, as made up by cable and telegraph, is as follows. The Continental stocks are the figures of last Saturday, but the totals for Great Britain and the afloat for the Continent are this week's returns, and consequently brought down to Thursday evening; hence, to make the totals the complete figures for to-night (December 8), we add the item of exports from the United States, including it in the exports of Friday only. Total visi-

ing his train. Swan was running pretty lively; when his engine reached the switch it ran into the siding and telescoped Haly burton's train. Swan was seriously hurt by the injector stem piercing the calf of his leg, and fireman Kyle had his right leg broken. Kyle's leg has since been amon

lessly left the switch open after side-track-

- Pittsboro Record: There is a mule in this county that is 36 years old and still does as much work as ordinary mules. ---- Mr. Henry Fields, of this township, having been very much annoved with rats in his barn, recently resorted to a very novel and successful way of killing them. He placed a large stone jar, about half full of water, in the barn, and in the jar next morning he found 32 dead rats. - Senator Ransom will no doubt be reelected by the incoming Legislature, al-though other distinguished gentlemen are desirous of becoming his successor. The friends of Hon. W. T. Dortch, of Wayne. are pressing his claims and actively urging him for that position. As he is a member of the Legislature that fact may give him some advantage over other gentlemen, ad we may regard him as General Ransipu's most formidable competitor.

- Charlotte Observer : At neeting of the stockholders of the Colum bia & Greenville Railroad President Me Caughrin made his report, which shows a leficit for the last fiscal year of \$183,813.29; and at the meeting of the stockholders of the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Rail road, President Haskell reported a deficit of \$56,904 54. --- The completion of the ain portion and the southern wing of the Western Insane Asylum of North Carolina, near Morganton, Burke county, and the as-sured completion of the northern wing, on the foundation of which \$10,000 has al-ready been expended, places North Carolina in the lead of any Southern State in the noble charity of taking care of the in-sane. \$285,000 have already been expended upon the grounds and the finished por-tion of the magnificent structure, and the next Legislature will be called upon to appropriate \$75,000 more for the completion of the northern wing. The completed por-tion of the building will afford accommodation to from 200 to 250 patients.

Greensboro Patriot: The renoval of the railroad men from this place to Danville will be feit. There are twenty onductors, twenty engineers, and a large umber of train hands, firemen, etc., who salaries aggregate about \$7,000 per month The greater part of this was spent in Greens After the shooting between young Leach and Heitman on Friday, both combatants, we understand, registered a yow to kill each other on sight. Through the intercession of mutual friends they have agreed to drop the matter and let the law take its course. On Saturday young Leach had a preliminary hearing and was bound over in the sum of \$500. The load of shot that was intended for Heitman, and parrowly missed him, found its way into school house near by and penetrated a win-dow. Sitting near the window was a little girl, and it seems miraculous that she was not killed. — A Johnston county spin-ster, 75 years old, owns a mule forly-nine years old, which she oftens rides to Raleigh and back home the same day, a distance of

give out particulars to the press. Among the forty odd bills introduced were two to abolish the internal revenue taxes, by Messrs. Vance and Cox. — The gin and gin house of Mr. J. W. Talton, in Stony Creek township, was destroyed by fire last Thursday, together with about six bales of cotton and some 3,000 bushels of seed. No insurance. — The Board of Directors of the Eastern Insane Asylum will meet in this, town Wednesday, Janu-ary 3rd, in regular meeting as provided in the charter. ary 3rd, in regular meeting as provided the charter. He dallied with her dimpled hand— Looked in her liquid eyes— She, halfway blushing, turned her head. And glanced at him sidewise; He squoze her dainty hand some more— Abashed she stood the while— "Dost love me little one ?" he chirped. She gurgled, "I should smile." There's not a spec, there's not a stain. That on the teeth we chance to see. But shadows forth decay and pain. If not removed right speedily. By SOZODONT, whose wondrous power Works miracles in one short hour.