## NEWS OF THE WEEK.

HOME NEWS.

—Wilmington has a Society of Spiritualists.

—The Federal Court meets in Raleigh Monday.

—The Air Line, (Charlotte to Atlanta), has gone into the hands of a Receiver, L. P. Grant.

—Long Creek Township voted on the fence law on Thursday, and went nearly 2 to 1 against it.—*Southern Home*

—The military ball at Fayetteville last week, is said to have been one of the grandest affairs of the character ever known in the old town.

—Hon. R. R. Bridgers, has been re-elected General Manager of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad. He is a thoroughly competent and estimable railroad magnate.

—Col. Humphrey, President of the Atlantic Railroad, was in New York last week arranging for another line of steamers to Morehead City, and we learn that he has been successful.

—Rev. Charles Wesley Warren, called by the Wilmington *Star* Wandering Warren, was seen in New York at the Grand Central Hotel a few days ago. He says he will stay there as long as his money last, and then he will return to Wilmington to preach. He was registered F. Copeland, Rochester, N. Y.

—The State Council of North Caroly, Friends of Temperance, met in Kinston Nov. 17, Rev. G. B. Wetmore in the chair. The annual report of the President showed that the Order in the State was in a flourishing condition. The next annual session will be held in Goldsboro, May 1875. Mr. Wetmore was re-elected President.

—The Federal court at Asheville closed its session on Saturday last, The following is the number of convictions in the conspiracy and counterfeiting cases:—D. C. Ghormley, of Graham county, sentenced to two years in the Albany penitentiary. John L. Crane, of Cherokee county, sentenced to two years in the Albany penitentiary. Samuel L. Thompson, who hails from the neighborhood of Johnston City, Tenn., one year in the Albany penitentiary. Dr. L. P. Blackburn, of Mitchell county, three years in the Albany penitentiary. John Shehan, of Polk county, one year in the Albany penitentiary.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Administration is determined not to interfere in the Arkansas embroglio.

A great snow storm has occurred in Nebraska. Snow has fallen in New York and New England.

Frank M. Ames, a son of the late Oakes Ames, has purchased the New Orleans, Mobile and Texas Railroad, for $350,000

At Nelsonville Ohio, Nov. 19, negro miners and their sympathizers were fired upon from ambush. The troubles have been very serious there.

It has come to light that two weeks preceding the recent election, 750 men were employed in the Boston Navy Yard, and discharged after the election.

The strike of the Longshoremen of New York and Brooklyn has forced some of the steamship lines to a compromise. The Great Cunard line has compromised by paying them 35 cts. per hour.

The law against dueling is being rigedly enforced in Kentucky. The clerkship of the Court of Appeals has been declared vacant, the candidate, Thomas L. Jones, Democrat, who received fifty thousand majority, having accepted a challenge to fight a duel five years ago.

### *WIT AND HUMOR.*

To lie upon a man never hurts him, but to tell the truth about him sometimes does.

A darkey arrested with chickens in his sack, declared, "De man dat put 'em dar was no fren of mine."

It is considered a safe plan for a young man never to trifle with the affections of a woman who whistles.

The crow is not so bad a bird, after all. It never shows the white feather, and never complains without caws.

A Danbury little darkey refused to go to Church, "kase he didn't want to look there like a huckleberry in a pan of milk."

"Joshua," said Quiz's landlady to her hopeful at breakfast, "Joshua, what is an heir apparent?" "There's one on the butter, mother," replied the unfilial youngster. And the old lady lit upon him with the coffee-pot.

The man who was caught cutting a hole to peep through during the Fair, explained that it "was only the first day and he coul'nt see much that day no way."—*Piedmont Press.*

"Sixty dollars for a threshing machine!" exclaimed a young Milwaukee boy, when he saw the card on one for sale. "Why, mother pays only $2 a pair for her slippers!"

"Susan, how in the world did you ever marry that brute?" "Oh, I don't know, Jane. I used to pick lint off his coat-collar, and he fell in love with me."

"I want to know," said a creditor fiercely, "when you are going to pay me what you owe!" "Give it up," replied the debtor. Ask me something easy."

A lawyer engaged in a case tormented a witness so much with questions that the poor fellow at last cried for water. "There," said the judge, "I thought you would pump him dry."

Fool a woman in love, and before you get half through making a pocket memorandum of the sighs she has sighed and the tears she will shed over the loss of your precious self, you will hear her singing and chirping away in a snug little nest, with a tenderer and more constant mate than you could ever have been to her.

### *CHARLOTTE AS A COTTON MARKET.*

The actual statistics show that this city is the leading cotton market in the State of North Carolina, and this prestige is gradually giving us a commercial importance which nothing else could do. With the completion of the Caroline Central railroad it will soon claim to rank with our sea coast cities. During the year ending the 30th September, the City of Charlotte actually bought and sold forty thousand bales of the staple, and judging by the receipts up to this time, we will exceed those figures the present year. The outlook is exceedingly promising just now.—*Charlotte Observer.*

## COMMERCIAL REPORT.

RALEIGH, N. C., November 27, 1874.

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| COTTON.— middlings | 13½ cents. |
| BACON—C. R. sides | 12½@13 |
| R. " | — |
| BULK—shoulders | 10@10¼ |
| N. C.—Hams | 16@16¾ |
| N. C. (hog round) | 15½ |
| SUGARS—A | 12 |
| C Yellow | 10½a10¾ |
| Bright C Yellow | 11½ |
| Extra C | 11½ |
| Crushed | 14 |
| COFFEE | |
| FLOUR— | $6.50to 10.00 |
| MEAL | $1.10a$1.15 |
| BUTTER—Country | 30a35 |
| EGGS | 20 |
| CORN— | $1.10 to $1.15 |
| Fodder—per cwt | $1.25 |
| OAT— | 80@90 |
| POTATOES—Sweet per bushel | 50 |
| NAILS | $4.75 |
| Bagging—Domestic 2¼ lb ⅌ yd | 15a16 |
| Cotton Ties | 90a10 |
| Salt—Marshal's, ⅌ sack | $2.35 |
| Evans | $2.30 |
| Cheese—Factory | 17@17½ |
| Dairy | 15@15½ |
| Tallow | 9@10 |
| Rags | 2@2½ |

### New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Cotton quiet; sales 1,229 bales at 14⅝a15⅛.

Southern flour a shade easier and at moderate inquiry. Wheat dull and 1 cent lower at $1.17a1 25 for winter red western; $1.26a1.27 for amber western; $1 28a1 41 for white do Corn dull and lower at 91a91½ for western mixed; 80a85 for new; 85a86 for new yellow western, and closing heavy. Coffee firm and in good demand to trade. Sugar more active and firmer. Rice unchanged and dull. Tallow heavy at 8⅝a9⅛. Pork firm, western held at $21. Lard lower, prime steam 14¾a15¼.

Rosin steady at $2 25a2.30 for strained. Turpentine firm at 35½.

Money firm at 3½a4. Exchange dull and lower at 4¾. Sterling firm at 7. Gold 11a 11⅛. Governments strong and active. States dull and steady.

### Cotton Markets.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 27.—Cotton quiet and easy, middlings 14; low middlings 14 3 4; good ordinary 14

CHARLESTON, Nov. 27.—Cotton steady; middling 14¼; low middling 13 3-4a14⅛; good ordinary 13¾.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 27.—Cotton steady middling 13⅞; low middling 13⅝; good ordinary 13⅝.

NORFOLK, Nov. 27.-Cotton nominal; low middlings 14⅝.


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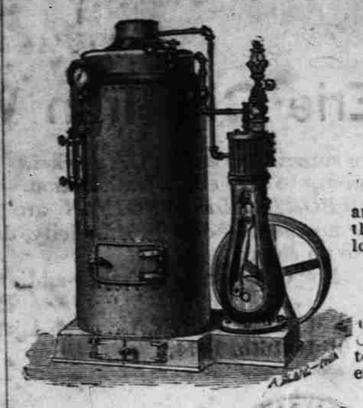

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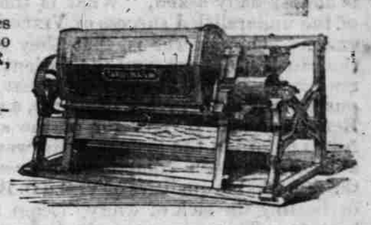

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