RALEIGH, N. C.

Era. It will appear hereafter.

THE truck farming of Norfolk is the great Northwest. reported damaged by frost, and farmers are replanting. This has been In all respects the most disastrous and backward Spring for many years past.

A COMPARATIVE statement of freight from the Enfield depot of the Wilmington and Weldon Railof North Carolina is going ahead.

THE CHARLOTTE DEMOCRAT makes this pertinent inquiry:-"What is the use of erecting monaments to Confederate soldiers while their poor wives and children are suffering for the necessaries of

A FRIEND at Murfreesboro is so deased at the enlargement and subscription by way of manifesting unromantic, his appreciation and rewarding the

THE CHARLOTTE DEMOCRAT IS Legislature for appropriating money ground that "a body calling itself building "negro school houses,"

This may be taken as the key note to Democratic-Conservatism.

IF our people could wake up to It may not be to the discredit of any this issue of the Era. Why don't of these stirring times?

he estimated damage of the frost of Friday night of last week to the truck-farming and other vegetable and fruiting interests of Goldsboro. This is a discouraging set back to ty, and the damage is to that extent preparable. The vegetables grow-

SPAIN AND FRANCE are both reported in a state of excitement bordering on revolution. Serious outbreaks are imminent in each of these volcano-Republics. The pub- Verily "the world goes round." lic is doubtless tired of the farces of Republican governments in each of these countries, and the sooner they

THE new postal regulations ex- This is one of the most remarka- Federal memorial day comes list after June 30th.

and grab back also, to the tune of suit. \$5,000 each.

not destroy the men who thus duct a private law-suit is one of the

1775-1875.

A publication from the Charlotte alive to the centennial celebration of the Forty-second Congress, comof our Declaration of Independence. mencing with chapter 1, and to be ings, a want of the true spirit and they are completed. The following love of Liberty was never charac- appear in this issue: teristic of North Carolinians.

Direct Foreign Trade.

An account in the Wilmington

Star of the Fleetwood line of Clipper Ships from Wilmington direct to Europe provoked the Era to some remarks thereon, but they are crowded out, together with the Star's article. Thoroughly imbued with the spirit of building up the his insolence and villainy, who thought the South and North Carolina sea-ports the Era will strike for anything that looks to that end, and to build up Wilmington by connecting that THURSDAY, MAY 1st, 1873. port with the great Northwest is one of the reasons why this paper An important communication has so persistently urged the sale from New Berne, touching tem- and completion of the Western perance among the colored people North Carolina Railroad, which came too late for this issue of the would give Wilmington direct short rail communication with Cincinnati, the upper Mississippi Valley and

The Indians.

There is nothing new definite or of the lines. reliable from the Modoc country. The army has evidently lost the Indians.

Artemas Ward related of these Modoes on visiting them, that, road will show the reader that, in having smoked the pipe of peace with him, they "sculped" his organ grinder, stole his jerked-beef, and, seizing his horses, fled to the woods to conceal their emotion.

Having loaded themselves down with presents from General Canby, these noble red men, in a moment of emotional insanity, murdered the General and have fled, the army knows not where, to hide their grief and, unobserved, wipe their weeping eyes.

A general Indian war is talked improvement of the Era that he of, apprehensively, and life on the encloses an additional amount of frontier is anything but dull and

Executive Pardons.

The Era is requested by the a new Republican paper, has the those interested, to the fact that Democratic organ of Missouri, un- quiet and peaceful. est written editorials of any paper many petitions for the pardon of der the head of "a sad review." in North Carolina, showing that convicts are sent to him unaccom- The particular attention of the THE Era was requested to copy before the Governor can take any wards on "credit mobilier" core the residents, both white and colorfrom the News some correspondence action on the case. Many parties ruptions. The Democratic organ of ed, have left their homes, and a etween Governor Caldwell and the feel disappointed at what they con- St. Louis is evidently despondent general sense of insecurity prevails, fovernor of Florida, which ap- ceive to be inattention on the part of and tells some unwholesome truths. removed by the presence of troops. eared in the News of the 29th the Executive, when the fault lies It speaks in a way to remind the About one-third of a mile below April, but the hour at which the at their own door. It cannot be News that its idels in the Senate the Court House we came upon a Era has to be put to press in order expected that the Governor can and Congress voted for the double party of colored men and women to get off its extensive mails pre- take time to write letters, explana- back-action-salary-steal, conduct man upon a sled. At a little disvents a compliance with the request. tory of the cause of delay, to the that cannot be too severely con- tance in the field were the dead THE Era thanks the Wilmington with the requirements of a public has been ominously silent. Repub-Journal for a card, among other law, which is presumed to be known licans will put down these corrupt colored men, and from that point to papers of the State, under the head to every person who has intelli- men. The Democracy dare not at- the Court House and its vicinity the of newspaper directory. The Era gence enough to write out a petition tempt it. will reciprocate by publishing the for a pardon. Whenever a petition, prospectus of the Journal. The per- accompanied by the necessary resonal and journalistic relations of cord, is not responded to within a these two papers have always been reasonable time, the party making pleasant. May they ever so con- application for Executive elemency may fairly conclude that it does not meet with favor.

We understand Mai, W. A. Smith ently appointed Receiver of the Western North Carolina Railroad, and really or the building of a colored deaf the manager of the whole affair, has reand dumb department, on the tained upon the work all the old officers conservative" should never aid in removed, and whose place he has filled and energies into their quarrel, they space of about two hundred yards Carolina Railroad, Mr. Hollister is a ship in the Raleigh & Gaston machine shops. He is an excellent man and a

the importance of manufacturing one concerned to say that Hollister is a they would be aroused by the ex- son of the President Homster who concellent article from the Piedmont Gaston Railroad about the year 1846. Press under the head of " Manufac- At that time W. A. Smith, now Hon. turing will pay," on the outside of North Carolina Railroad, and at present Receiver of the Western North Carolina this people show a proper degree of eigh and Gaston Road, from which po-Railroad, was a track-hand on the Ralintelligence, energy and enterprise sition he was elevated by President in the light and under the example Franklinton depot. The promoted track-hand has lived to see the day when he had it in his power to promote the son of his former President and THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS is benefactor. The world goes round .-

Nothing succeeds like success. Merit is irresistible. For the greater portion of the five years Mr. Wm. A. Smith has been officially connectthe enterprise of a single communi- ed with the Railroads of this State. the Sentinel, leading the Conservative-Democratic Press, has been ing for Northern shipment were most abusive and disparaging of nearly matured when the blight Mr. Smith. But the acknowledgement of high merit comes at last. Notoriously one of the best, if not

The Gauge Injunction.

Judge Albertson continued the burst up the better, so Cuba goes injunction against the Richmond or sectional at the grave. free; while as for that statesman of and Danville Railroad against the

clude exchange papers from the free ble suits on record. The State of later, and the unanimity with which Thus, virtuous Congressmen could as the plaintiff, when, in fact, the floral decorations for the graves of deny the struggling country Press Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, the Federal soldiers at the South the poor privilege of receiving their moved and seduced by the instiga- should secure the co-operation in newspapers free, but they could tion of the Seaboard Road and Old these exercises of the 10th of all vote themselves an increase of pay, Bay Line, is the real party to the who may have sympathized with

How a private party can get be- North. If the Press of the country does hind the shield of the State to con-

Laws of Congress.

Attention is called to the following Observer shows that our people are Laws, passed at the last session With all their faults and short com- continued from day to day until

Chap. 55. An Act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses other purposes.

The Government and the Rail-

roads. The next Era will contain an article from the New York Times on the propriety of the general governstrikes the Era favorably. We have fax, Grant parish. nothing now but Railroad injuncinterminable contest as well as iminland transportation at the lowest

A Model Working Man.

Mr. J. R. Thigpen, of Edgecombe, he best farmer in the South, writes tional duties incident to his extendolantation on Tar River, which he tensive operations elsewhere.

agricultural and manufacturing past eleven A. M. During our stay

The Corrupt Democracy.

Read the confession of Democratic

der was convicted, and which the organs which has based its hopes of

Railroad Excitement.

the Times is severely critical of the whites claiming to have knowledge Weldon News for favoring it. The that but one man on their side was fight between Halifax and Enfield was killed, and Hadnot and Harris is Duck Town and Asheville over were wounded. We may state here again, and about equal merit in- that Hadnot has since died in Alexand employees, except the Master Ma- having for years put all their life Court House and its defences. A with Mr. James Hollister, recently in have had no energy left with which square was inclosed in a slight to build Railroads, and are conseditth was from ten to eighteen in-Raleigh boy and served an apprentice- quently without any to-day. A ches in depth and the breastwork in

single instance is on record in this planking alone, laid in zigzags and A. Smith, lately President of the State wherein such county subscriptions have not resulted disasmine for themselves. The Repub-Republican county.

Confederate Memorial Day.

The tenth of May has been set apart by the people of the South, tle, and the custom and the floral offerings of Spring constitute a fitting tribute to a generation of dead men as gallant as ever fell in any cause. The men who fought on opposite sides in the late war all fought in the name of LIBERTY! the South, this confession finally either side, the gallantry of action mistakes of brave, manly men, Let the dead be appropriately honored, for there is nothing political possession a small cannon, taken By the postal code now in force measures which may tend to realize

North Carolina is made to appear the Southern people have furnished the besieged were drawn from the LAND,—Chief Justice Cockburn, in overtake the people of our country the cause of the dead soldiers of the

Governor and the Attorney General have displayed a generosity quite overleaping the ordinary bounds of prudence and propriety, and if they shall now come forward and put the state in for a bond of fifty thought the late ku klux of this Easte, and only those who upheld the outrages of the other. In both instances, however, the colored man is the victim of his sait; but the people or is the victim of his sait; but the people of the State may, perhaps, return a different verdict.

Or Mr. Barnum, the successity still lay with his hands clasped in supplication. The face of another supplication again, the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being a gun, the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being a gun, the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being a gun, the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in spite of everything that can be double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in spite of everything that can be double barrelled shot gun being a gun, the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being a gun, the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in that the semblance of government in spite of everything that can be double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the trities of the semblance of government in the semblance of government in the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the broken stock of a double barrelled shot gun being the semblance of government in the semblance of the semblance of governmen

[From the New York Herald.] The War of Races in Louisiana. Official Report of the Fight at Colfax,

groes Killed and Twelve Wounded. arrived in New Orleans on the 17th

year ending June thirtieth, eighteen the Saturday previous to investihundred and seventy-tour, and for gate the troubles in Grant parish. We publish below the official re-General of the State:-

HEADQUARTERS FIRST DIVISION Louisiana State National Guard, NEW ORLEANS, April 17, 1873. Brigadier General HENRY STREET, Adjutant General:-

GENERAL-In obedience to special ment taking control of all the Hail- order No. 22, current series, Adjuroads in the country, owning, and tant General's office, the undersignoperating them. The proposition urday, April 12, to proceed to Col-

tions, suits and every conceivable Alexandria, at about half-past nine obstacle thrown in the way of the where we were informed that a se. citizens to have troops sent there at try, and the only relief from this fax the day before (Sunday); that a disturbance. from one hundred and fifty to two hundred colored men had been munity from threatened monopoly killed; that two white men, named is for the general government to Hadnot and Harris, were wounded, seize and operate all the lines of the former mortally, and that Colfax, or part of it, had been burned. possible rates for the maintenance andria we became convinced of the Upon crossing the river to Alexexistence of a violent, though suppressed, popular excitement. Numbers of men from the parish of Rapides had participated in the struggle, and were now returning to Alexandria. Parish officials expressed themselves as apprehensive

the editor of the Era that he is al- of an outbreak in Alexandria, dimost overwhelmed with the addi- rected against the colored men and ed operations in Edgecombe. It logg. We were urged to procure administration of Governor Kelwill be remembered that he lately the presence of troops as speedily as purchased the large Penny Hill possible. Attempts had been made of Rapides, to go to Grant parish, s conducting in addition to his ex- and failing, the person claiming to have been elected Sheriff on the It is understood to be the purpose Fusion ticket accompanied the of Captain Thigpen to establish an party that went from Alexandria. We left Alexandria at about half-

town at Penny Hill in the Fall, there mounted men were constantly and will probably call it ARCHDALE, crossing the river, coming from the after one of the earliest and best of left a party of twenty, mounted, the Colonial Governors of North and armed apparently with shotguns, crossed the river in a body. Believing that Colfax was destroyed, and as we could not reach there before dark, on our arrival at Cotile

we deemed it expedient to remain there for the night. Everything in THE STATESMAN at Fayetteville, Governor to call the attention of corruption in an extract from the this vicinity appeared perfectly Having secured an ambulance, Captain Ben. Robinson breathes panied by the transcript of the re- Raleigh News is called to this article Tuesday, the 15th instant, and ous self-denial and endurance which the true spirit of a gallant Southern cord of the Court wherein the offen- as that paper is one of the sanguine started for Colfax, distant about fifteen miles. We found the parish

> law provides shall be forwarded future Democratic success and re- crops are being neglected, many of which, we are satisfied, can only be many applicants who fail to comply demned, but about which the News bodies of two colored men. About two hundred yards nearer the Court dead. We were unable to find the body of a single white man or to Enfield is decidedly opposed to the wagon loads of whites, dead and Colored women assert that two county tax for building a Railroad wounded, were carried away, but it from Halifax to Scotland Neck, and is persistently denied by any of the of the actual loss, they asserting

> > volves. Duck Town and Asheville We send herewith a plan of the earthwork, with ditch inside. This similar fate may await Enfield and front of it from twenty to thirty inches in height, and was protected As regards the question of taxing planking. On the lower side of the in front by two-and-a-half inch the county the people hust decide Court House, the greater portion of that point for themselves; but no the breastwork was composed of

From what information we could get, we believe that the fight comtrously. But let the people deter- menced on Sunday, the 13th instant, between ten and eleven A. M., and lican party is the party of internal the numbers engaged on either side improvements, and Halifax is a it is impossible for us to form any definite idea, though we are satisfied that the parties holding the Court generally, for the care of and visits toches, Catahoula and Caddo, in ad- by mail of any free matter whatev- That the city of Charlotte will,

as be obtained hereafter. ration of that time the fight was mailed, or at the office where deliv- co-operate with the commission, to

other has not the appearance of of the law. having been used.

had forced a colored man called says:

of the Court House, were taken to the river bank, two by two, execut- Catawba County--Its Resources ed and hurled in the river. We caused to be buried in the ditch

property of the colored people.

who commanded the party holding the Court House. He assures us that not a single man was killed or | ba and South Fork Rivers; and on ed officers left New Orleans on Sat- wounded until after their surrender, Jacob's and Henry's Forks. To and that then they were shot down | Clarkes' and Maclin creeks; and to without mercy. We will obtain his the broad and fertile fields on Liles We reached Pineville, opposite sworn statement hereafter.

Very respectfully, T. W. DE KLYNE, Colonel, Assist. Adi, General.

WILLIAM WRIGHT, Colonel, Assist, Inspec. General. From the St. Louis Republican, Dem.

A Sad Review. How the Democrats in Congress Lost Their Opportunity.

It is most unfortunate for the country that the proceedings of the late Congress, in demonstrating the immeasurable corruption and hardthe officials holding office under the | ihood of the Republican party, did | not at the same time demonstrate ing party now than, there was last and live up to the Scriptural injuncit in favor of the only other party. shalt thou eat bread, till thou return The Democratic members of the to the ground.' late Congress signally failed to prove that Democracy is the proper | vine decree, as it is absolutely inand legitimate alternative to Re- dispensable and necessary to subsispublicanism, and that the Demo- tence, and not only so, but experi- old friends and customers. cratic fold is the proper refuge for ence and wisdom teaches us that it discontented Republicans. The is essential to the prosperity and acts of the majority in the Forty- happiness of any country,-to honsecond Congress were enough to est gotten wealth, well-earned repubreak the power of a much stronger tation, solid contentment and hapand more popular party than the piness. But this labor and indus-Republican party of to-day.

parish early on the morning of possess that small degree of virtu- ly and wisely applied sustains a pugilist through his training ordeal. The pugilist forces out before you this beautiful, himself into a temporary life of sobriety, virtue and manly exercise | Now to make a prosperous county, to gain a transient victory over his you must do your part-till the soil antagonist in the prize ring. But the Democratic members of the late Congress were not capable of even the momentary display of self-denial that their position called for, and that the country was ready to accept at ten times more than it might have been worth. This demanded a contrast to the repulsively corrupt and unpatriotic conduct of the majority; but the minority were quable to furnish it. instinctive duty of taking advan- recent session of the State Legislatage of their opponents' faults; so, ture in reference to a proposed Celfar from it they were guilty of the ebration of the Centennial Anniverinexcusable blunder of imitating sary of the Mecklenburg Declaration

They were not even equal to the and that the country could gain nothing by exchanging Reoublican rule for Democratic rule. t is not too much to say that had the minority voted unitedly for the expulsion of all the members implicated in the Credit Mobilier brieries, and voted unitedly against the salary bill, they would have completely broken the power of the ruling party, forced President Grant to defer to Democratic counsels, and laid the foundation for a decisve Democratic majority in the Congress to be chosen next year. Nothing ought to have been easier to a well trained and skilfully led party than this, and there is not a patriotic Democrat who does not

regret that it was not done. It would have been worth more to the party than a hundred national conventions and a volume of resolutions, for it would have offered a settling point to the swarming popular sentiment that was ready leave the Republican hive, and that remained in the Republican hive only because it found no resting place elsewhere. THE POSTAL LAW AND THE lotte will provide for the said exhi-House were less in number than Newspapers.-The third section bition, and fix upon a suitable site their assailants. It is asserted by of the postal appropriation act of for the same in or near the city, the colored people that the assail- the last session, approved March | Whereupon, It is resolved by ants consisted of parties from the 3d, provides that all laws and parts the Board of Aldermen in session parishes of Winn, Rapides, Natchi- of laws permitting the transmission | this the 22d day of April, 1873,

to the graves of their slain in bat dition to those from Grant; but they er be and are hereby repealed, from through its proper authorities, take were either unable or unwilling to and after June 30, 1873. Under this such action in pursuance of the suggive us the names of any parties law, from and after the 30th of next gestions of the aforesaid resolutions, participating in the attack. This June, quarterly or yearly prepay- as shall in every way give assurinformation, however, will doubt- ment of postage will be required on ance of the determination of its citall newspaper exchanges and coun- izens to provide all things, and ex-All statements that we have heard try newspapers the same as now, ert all efforts to render successful gree substantially in the main par- and will be then required in the the proposed exhibition and celeticulars. It is agreed that the at- case of all mail subscriptions, name- bration, the very best Railroad manager at and if there were any mistakes on C. C. Nash, and the assailed by a ly newspapers, thirty, cents per Mayor of this city, be instructed to 45-4t tacking party was commanded by ly, five cents per quarter for week- Resolved, That his Honor, the man named Lev. Allen; that a sur- quarter for papers published twice communicate to His Excellency, comes from an unwilling enemy in wrought such a mantle of glory that the besieged were given thirty quarter for daily papers, prepaythe shape of cordial compliment. that charity disdains to look be minutes to remove their women ment per quarter or per year to be iness with which the authorities neath its folds to find the errors and and children, and that at the expi- made either at the office where and the citizens of Charlotte will

The attacking party had in their pers by whomsoever sent or received. sembly, in carrying into effect all from the steamboat John T. Moore, publishers sending newspapers the intentions and suggestions of the In this connection the Era would from which they fired bolts, a without prepayment of postage, resolutions referred to. straw, President? Thiers the world change of the Central's gauge, for a call attention to a very appropriate office. The besieged had rigged up to a penalty of \$50 for each offense time, after communication with the will not regret to hear of his shufhearing before the Supreme Court in elegy written for the Kentucky acouple of guns by fastening lengths after notification by the Postmaster Governor of this State, a permanent fling off at any moment. He has June, but required a bond of fifty dead of the Mexican war, but which of gaspipe on rafter timbers, blockoutlived his usefulness, and become thousand dollars from the plaintiff may with the greatest propriety be and drilling a touchhole. One of ceived as exchanges will be regarding and preparations in view of the said to secure possible damages to the read at the graves-of the Confeders these was bursted while trying it, ded by the Postoffice Department and preparations in view of the said some days before the fight, and the as subscribers within the meaning celebration.

Some time during the afternoon STONEWALL JACKSON IN ENG- annoyance and disgust which must field and from their breastworks replying to certain American argu- interested in the Vienna Expointo the Court House. One end of ments concerning the Geneva sition at the scandal which has

[From the Piedmont Press.]

near the ruins of the Court House tawba county is the banner county, ry, cavalry and infantry of the To the Members of the Bar of the 4th in Grant Parish-Ninety-four Ne- the remains of fifty-four colored of North Carolina, for her demomen, three of whom were so badly cratic principles; her financial con- iliaries. Our special despatch from burned as to be unrecognizable. dition; her low taxes; her fertile the lava beds affords us no ground The steamer B. L. Hodge, which There were inside the Court House lands; her honest and industrious for believing that the exciting and the charred bones of one other, and citizens; who are peaceable and somewhat ridiculous game is near of April, took back to the city five bodies we gave to their friends law-abiding; for her Railroad facilits close. The last report states that Colonel T. W. De Klyne and Colonel for interment elsewhere. We saw, itles; and for her old dutch sheriff, the savages had retreated to Goose William Wright, of General Long- also, twelve wounded colored men, who has been in office for nearly Lake: but we may hear to-merrow of the government for the fiscal street's staff, who had been sent on two of whom will certainly die, and twenty-five years. It is generally that they are firing away from Ganothers of whom are very unlikely admitted, too, that Catawba county der Bluff. General Gillem was to is favored with a healthy and de- have made "a quiet" attack on We are informed that since the lightful climate, which is proven, them yesterday; but Jack, it seems, port of these officers to the Adjutant fight parties of men have been by daily observation, in seeing so suspected that it was about time the scouring the country surrounding many of her people returning to army moved on his works, and which have been contracted since that and other persons in interest may attend Colfax, taking the mules and other her again, who have been seeking withdrew to avoid a disturbance in homes and fortunes in other climes. his household. Under these cir-Since writing the above report we have seen on board the steamwe have seen on board the steamthe best county they have ever seen. assured that more batteries of arliable as principal d-btor, and which are same time and place. boat the colored man, Lev. Allen, This is most certainly true. For her tillery are en route to the front. people can point, and that proudly N. Y. Herald, April 26th. too, to the rich lands on the Catawand Pottes Creeks, and to her up-

South Mountains. Here, likewise, the people have member.

excellent lands, good society, good morals, and county out of debt : and are inviting capitalists to come and

beginning. Catawbians! If it is generally admitted, that we have the banner the honesty and conscientiousness | county in N. C., and our lines have of the Democratic party. These fallen in such pleasant places, and are the only two parties in the coun- we live in such a noble county, you of them must rule. * There is a fold up your arms. You must not neighbor. larger element of dissatisfied and dream your existence out uselessly disaffected Republicans in the rul- and dronishly. But must act out | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. summer; indeed, the masses of that | tion, and labor! LABOR! For every party may be said to be universally sun that riseth silently, but fearfuldissatisfied with it, but they are not; ly repeateth to you, and to me, and so deeply dissatisfied as to abandon to all that "In the sweat of the face have moved their to the lot of the old Bayonet Factory, on

Labor then according to this ditry, to effect such results, must be A FIRST CLASS ARTICLE AT intelligently, properly, economical-Nature here, has done her part.

She has with lavish hands spread healthy and magnificent county. intelligently and scientifically.

[From Charlotte Observer.] Mecklenburg Centennial Cele? bration in 1375.

CHARLOTTE, April 22, 1873. To the Honorable Board of Alder-Your committee appointed to consider the resolutions, passed at the the penalty. With a fatuity that the 20th of May, 1875, respectfully s unaccountable, they seem to have report the following preamble and labor sto prove that they were not resolutions, and recommend them any better than the corrupt major- to the consideration of the Board.

JOHN A. YOUNG, Mayor. S. B. MEACHAM. F. A. McNinch, C. W. ALEXANDER, Committee.

Centennial Celebration of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence-20th May, 1875. WHEREAS, The Board of Aldermen of the city of Charlotte have the resolutions introduced by Mr. Johnston, the Representative from

read, with pride and gratification. the late session of the General Asembly of the State of North Carona, proposing to celebrate in our eity on the 20th of May, 1875, the One Hundredth Anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, by an "exhibition of the united that the pressure is equally dis-Arts, and of the Products, Resources | tributed. and Manufactures of this State;" about the house. Can be lifted, turned. dorse said resolutions, and concur in the patriotic spirit which prompted their adoption; and

Whereas, It is most properly assumed in said resolutions, that, the authorities of the city of Char-

commenced by the assailing party. ered; in other words, all newspa- be appointed by the General As-

It is impossible to exaggerate the

this building was without windows, award, explains the state of public been disclosed in connection with violin, BANJO AND GUITAR nor had the besieged prepared loop- feeling in England during the recent | the Commissioners representing the holes. A colored man named Isaiah civil war in this country. In per- United States. Without underta-Atkins informed us that Mr. Nash forming this duty he incidentally king to define the nature or extent of the "irregularities" which have Pink to come to this end of the "They (the British people) gave been discovered, the action of the building and hold a pine torch to credit to the statesmen and warriors State Department shows plainly the edge of the roof until it caught of the South; their cause may be enough what is its opinion of them. aimed at it a fatal and a cowardly questions of the times, and in unrecent Connecticut election was the colored men had been killed up tives ennoble political action, and the suspension of the Commissioner An official count of the votes in the fire. It is our opinion that few of right or wrong; for the higher mo- If they are grave enough to compel blow, then the power of the Press covering the parties, and making concluded yesterday. It fully sest to this time, but that when forced all the opprobious terms which and all his thirteen assistants, the PLAIN AND FANCY BASKETS. is not what it has been supposed them liable at law for damages, to the liable at law for damages, Judge Albertson has done well.

Covering the parties, and making them liable at law for damages, Judge Albertson has done well.

Covering the parties, and making them liable at law for damages, by the fire to leave the Court House made by us immediately after the election. The Democratic candidate they were shot down without mercy.

The position and condition of many think the earth beneath importance that our people should As the reader is aware, the State cannot be sued, and in lending the isian outrage appears in this issue of the Era. While the Republicans and colored people, are, of course, not entirely blameless, an amount of crime lies at the door of the white people and war Democrats of Lou
Judge Albertson has done well.

As the reader is aware, the State for Governor, Mr. Ingersoil, received a plurality over his Republican for Governor, Mr. Ingersoil, received a plurality over his Republican competitor, Mr. Haven, of 5,814.

Under the warehouse, between the court which Stonewall Jackson rests does not cover the remains of a patriot of the bodies of six colored men who had evidently crept under for concellment, and were there shot like dogs. Many were shot in the back of Mr. Barnum, the successful people and war Democrats of Lou
Judge Albertson has done well.

As the reader is aware, the State for Governor, Mr. Ingersoil, received a plurality over his Republican competitor, Mr. Haven, of 5,814.

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The Modoc War has degenerated into a game of hide and seek between the surviving members of It is generally admitted that Ca- Captain Jack's band and the artille-United States and the Indian aux-

DEATHS.

DIED, in Wake county, on the 21st of April, 1873, MARY ANN Pool, in the reference to those mentioned in para-On our return to Alexandria yes- lands generally, which is equal in 56th year of her age. She was left a graph 2. (See Acts of July 27, 1868, and terday we were again implored by fertility of soil to any in Western widow about 18 years ago, very poor, July 14, 1870.) N. C. Along many of these streams, with nine small children on her hands the petitioner in bankruptcy, \$1,000 of Railroad development of the counuring sites. And more especially hated, even of his own neighbor, but Homestead to the value of \$1,000, in fee of Hilliardston, in the County of Nust on Jacob's and Henry's Forks. the rich hath many friends. About simple. Total exemptions \$2,000, All of and State of North Carolina, who has There pours a sufficiency of water three years ago she connected herself all debts contracted prior to bankruptcy, to run machinery enough to keep up one continuous unbroken chime with the Methodist Episcopal Church, whether the same be evidenced by a with the Methodist Episcopal Church, whether the same be evidenced by a successful of three years ago she connected nersell all debts contracted prior to bankruptcy, whether the same be evidenced by a successful of the property o of spindles and looms and wheels South, at Ebenezer church, in St. Mary's note, or open account or Judgment obfrom the Lincoln county line to the Township, and lived, up to the time of tained, and execution issued and levied her death, a consistent and devoted 8, 1872, and March 3d, 1873.)

DIED, in Wake Forest Township, Wake county, on the 21st April, 1873, ions of the Constitution of that State settle among them, and build up JESSE W. PEEBLES, in the 57th year of unconstitutional in so far as it relates manufactories of all kinds, on these his age. He was for a long time previrippling streams of ours. There is ous and up to his death a consistent personal property exemptions in North plenty of good material here for member of the Cross Road's Baptist Carolina, except through the bankruptbuilding; all that is wanting is a Church, and his house was the place ey courts. where prayer was often made. He was follow the recent liberal amendments to rupt. a good citizen and a good neighbor, the Bankrupt Act, and the decision of FTHIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE. The and has left a widow and ten children, and several grand children, and many relatives and friends, who by his death ruled and endorsed in very neat style, for the Eastern District of North Caro to induce Mr. De Lacy, the Sheriff try, and, as matters now stand, one are not to sit down indolently, and will miss a husband, father, friend and

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IN BANKRUPTCY.

THE BANKRUPT ACT.

charge, exemptions, &c., &c.:

equal 50 per cent., or the same propor-

itors must assent in writing to dis-

to debts contracted prior to its adoption,

has annihilated the Homestead and

express as directed.

Congressional District of North Caroreceived asking information upon the present status of the Bankrupt law, under recent unpublished amendments

New-Berne, N. C., April 15th, 1871 assets in the hands of the assignee must CHAS, HIBBARD, Clerk. Petitioner in Person, Attorney,

tion in number and value of these cred-3d. Discharge will be granted from

debts mentioned in paragraph 1, without L the 15th day of April, A. D., 1873, a warrant in Bankruptey was iss of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Care ina, against the estate of John J. Peare been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own which property is free and clear from Petition: That the payment of any debt and the delivery of any property belon ing to such bankrupt, to him, or for hi use, and the transfer any property, b thereon, or otherwise. (See acts of June him, are forbidden by law; That meeting of the creditors of said bank. rupt, to prove their debts, and to choose The recent decision of the Supreme one or more assignees of his estate, will Court of the United States in the Georgia be held at a Court of Bankruptey, to be ease declaring the Homestead provisholden at Raleigh, N. C., before A. V. Shaffer, Register, on the 16th day

Marshal as Messenger. B. F. Long, Esq., Attorney. 45-3 In view of the demand which must In the matter of James M. Davis, Bank

the Supreme Court destroying the 1 on the 15th day of April, A. D. is: Homestead under State laws, I have a warrant in Bankrupty was issued on carefully prepared and had printed of the District Court of the United State all the forms liable to be used in bank lina, against the estate of James M rutey by the officers of the Court or the Davis, of Foreswille, in the county profession. They will be sold at \$1.50 | Wake, and State of North Carolina, who per duplicate set, and forwarded on re- has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his ceipt of price, by mail, post paid, or by own Petition: That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property To facilitate business and promote belonging to such bankrupt, to him, speedy discharges, it is suggested that, for his use, and the transfer any prothe sum of \$100, be deposited with the erty, by him, are forbidden by petition in bankruptey, and when so That a meeting of the creditors of sa done the Register is authorized and will bankrupt, to prove their debts, and it guarantee that no further sum shall be choose one or more assignees of his es required of the petitioner in ordinary tate, will be held at a Court of Bank proceedings, and the deficiency found ruptcy, to be holden at Raleigh, N. (upon the taxation of costs will be de- before A. W. Shaffer, Register, vn 1

Petitioner in Person, Attorney.

UNITED STATES MAIL.

A. W. SHAFFER,

Register 4th District N. C.

I am Very Respectfully, &

Raleigh, N. C., April 23, 1673.

NORTH CAROLINA.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT. Washington, March 31, 1873. for conveying the mails of the United States, from July 1, 1873, to June 30, not be granted. And that the second 1875, in the State of North Caro- and third meetings will be held at the LINA, on the routes and by the same time and place. schedules of departures and arrivals herein specified.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Service, July 1, 1873, to June 30, 1875. From Kinston, by Fountain Hill, to Ridge Sprin s, 18 miles and Arrive at Kinston by 8 p. ni.

From Columbia to Fort Landing, 20 miles and back, once a week. Leave Columbia Monday at 1 pm; Arrive at Fort Landing by 5 pm; Leave Fort Landing Monday at 7 Arrive at Columbia by 12 m.

For forms of proposal, guarantee, and certificate, and also for instructions as at the same time and place to conditions to be embraced in the contract, &c., see advertisement of December 1, 1872, inviting proposals for mail service in North Carolina, to be found at the principal post offices. JOHN A. J. CRESWELL, Postmaster General

Sale of the U.S. Arsenal site at Fayetteville, N. C. ORDNANCE OFFICE

WAR DEPARTMENT Washington, March 21st, 1873. direction of the Secretary of War, the lands of the U. S. known as the North at the office of A. Easily moved or carried Carolina Arsenal site situated on the in Bankruptcy, western suburbs of the city of Fayette- assigned for the hearing of the ranted. May be used on the floor with- grounds, on Tuesday, June 17th, 1873, persons in interest may attend and she At the same time and place will be of the said petitioner should sold the permanent privilege of taking granted. And that the second and the

clay from a three acre tract on the Fayetteville and Western plank road, about two miles from the Arsenal site. The terms of sale as prescribed by 21st day of April, A. D., 1873 law, are one-fourth cash at the time of sale, and the remainder on a credit of 44-2w. person can apply it to a bedstead in two one, two and three years with interest or three minutes, less than half the time at six per centum per annum, secured by bond and surety from the purchaser. Circulars giving detailed description ed than in any other. Warranted of the property &c., and any other information desired, may be had upon application to this office.

he office of the Register of Deeds, Fay- | C., the Choses in Action of Henry A ettevill, N. C. J. J. LITCHPORD, Assign

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Office on the corner of Wilmington and Hargett streets. T. M. Argo and J. C. L. Harris having Office of Phillips & of law will attend promptly to any formed a copartnership for the practice business entrusted to them. 150-tf.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of WILLIAM F. HUGGINS Bankrupt. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That a Petition has been filed in the District Court of the United Sta

for the Eastern District of North GENTLEMEN: - Many letters have been line by William F. Huggins, of W. county, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the Act of Congress March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and coand Judicial decisions. For reply to tificate thereof from all his debts these inquiries, I respectfully submit other claims provable under said the following brief abstract of the law, and that the 16th day of May, 1875, at as it now stands upon the subject of dis- o'clock, a. m., at the office of A. Shaffer, Register in Bankruptey, lst. All debts contracted prior to Raleigh, N. C., is assigned for the h January 1, 1869, and all security debts, ing of the same, when, and whore and debts not proven in bankruptcy, creditors, who have proved their debt date, are discharged without reference and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should 2nd. On all debts contracted since Jan- not be granted. And that the son actually proven against the estate, the

In the matter of JOHN J. PEARCE, Battle

May, A. D., 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M. R. M. DOUGLAS,

o'clock, A. M. R. M. DOUGLAS. Marshal as Messejiger

TOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY. Notice is hereby given, that a petitio Davis, in said District, duly declare Bankrupt under the Act of Congre other claims provable under said Ac and that the 5th day of May, 1873 at 1 Shaffer, Register in Banken leigh, N. C., is assigned for the hearing OPOSALS will be received at the of the same, when and where allered until 3 p. m. of May 31, 1873, (to be other persons in interest may altern decided on or before June 6, 1873,) and show cause, if any they have win the prayer of the said petitioner should

> 21st day of April, A. D., 1873 CHARLE HIBBARD, Clerk,

Dated at New Berne, N. C., on the

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY Notice is hereby given, that a per A. Clarke in said District, duly declar Leave Kinston Thursday at 6 a m; a Bankrupt under the Act of Congr Arrive at Ridge Springs by 12 m; of March 2d, 1867, for a disclar Leave Ridge Springs Thursday at certificate thereof from all his and other claims provable under Act, and that the 10th day of May W. Shaffer, Register in Bankrupt Raleigh, N. C., is assigned for the ing of the same, when and where ereditors, who have proved their and other persons in interest me should not be granted. And

second and third meetings will be i Dated at New Berne, N. 22d day of April, A. D., 1873 CHARLES HIBBARD, Clerk

OTICE IN BANKRUPTCY. Israel F. Difliard, in said District, sul declared a Bankrupt under t of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for discharge and certificate thereof I all his debts and other claims prova PURSUANCE OF LAW, and by under said act, and that the 3rd

> meetings will be held at the same Dated at New Borne, N. C., on CHARLES HIBBARD, COLL

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That 10th day of May, 1823; at 10 o'clock, a, m., I will sell, at puch A plat of the property may be seen at at the Court House door in Lideigh, Longian, Bankrup

> In the matter of John Devereux, Bankrupt. OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a sixth Leneral meeting of theoryd of John Bevereux, Bankrupt, wil gheat at the Register worth ein Raleigh A. M., before A. W. Shaller Register, for the purposes named in the

thand 18th sections of the Bankrupt

of March, 2d, 186 R. C. BADGER. WALTER CLARK Scotland Neck, N. C., Raleigh, April 29th, 1873. TOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

Notice is hereby given, That a thin general meeting of the e Henry A. London will be Registers Office in Raleigh, N. C., the 26th day of April, 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M., before A. W. Shaffer, Register for the purposes named in the 27th an 28th sections of the Bankrupt Act J. J. LITCHFORD, Assignee,

Raleigh, N. C April 14th, 1873. To whom it may concern : The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Thomas Ib Watson, of Rocky Mount, in the county of Nash, and State of North Carolina, within said district, who has been adudged a bank rupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District.

Dated April 3d, 1873, at Raleigh, N. C. THOMAS HAMPSON, P. O. Raleigh, N.C. Collectors Office 4th District N. C., RALEIGH, APRIL 16th, 1873. A LL PERSONS DESIRING TO DO A any business after the 30th day of

please notify this office of the fact, and a blank form of application will be forwarded them. Application may be made to my Denuties in the various localities, or to this office by letter. All persons doing business without

> H. C. ECC ES, Proprieto ;

April, 1873, upon which a special tax is required to be paid under the Internal Revenue Law of the United States, will

icense after the 30th of A ril, 1873, will be prosecuted. I. J. YOUNG Collector, * 44-3w. 4:h Listrict, N. C.

CENTRAL LOTEL, CHARLOTTE, N. C. March 7, 1873.