RALEIGH, N. C.

for his insolence and villainy, who thought the perfection of Liberty was licentiousness of Speech,-PLUTARCH.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS. WAKE COUNTY.

For House of Representatives: MARTIN V'B. GILBERT.

SECOND DISTRICT.

For Senate : EDWARD RANSOM, of Tyrrell, STEWART L. JOHNSON,

Election Thursday, August 7th, 1875

THURSDAY, JULY 31, 1873.

For the Working-men.

Two columns of space in The Weekly Era is hereby tendered to the Mechanics and Working-men of Raleigh, to be at their disposal for any matter they may wish to publish not of a partisan character. They are invited to occupy the space more as they may desire.

A whole page of The Daily Era will be at the service of the Mechanics and Working-men of Ralfree of all charge or expense to them whatever.

" For Amendment," and "Against Amendment."

election. The books will close on the 6th of next month.

A Deadfall.

The decayed back-steps to the Cape Fear Bank building fell with a lady the other evening, and a thousand wonders she was not killed. property has been severally called to the condition of these steps every month since last August, to the knowledge of this writer. He has like bread upon the waters, after steadily manifested a criminal carelessness of the lives of his tenants, and now the husband of the injured lady should sue and the Grand Jury of the county indict him.

Independence.

When the attention of the Democratic candidate was called to the fact that there was a standing invitation extended by the Republican and others representing the Democracy," he replied, that the copulative conjunction, "and," was objectionable—that he was an independent candidate. What will Mrs. Grundy say; or, rather, what will the Wilders, the Rands, the Bled- and eyes of its own concern. For voritism never before known in the he is classed among the representatives | further and "holler" for it louder, of the Democracy!

Judge Tourgee.

The Correspondent of the Richmond Enquirer, says 'Judge Tourgee is the best and ablest Judge in the State." That Correspondent must have set his standard of excellence very low, or Heaven help the Judiciary of North Carolina. Does that correspondent remember that the people of this district know something about Judge Tourgee, and that they are quite as able to form a correct estimate of his value as is the correspondent? Don't let us hear that again.-Hillsboro Recorder.

The Enquirer Correspondent had the authority of the lawyers of the Goldsboro Bar and the Goldsboro Messenger, for what he wrote.

A leading Democratic lawyer of this State, a prominent official of the Confederate States Government, a candidate for Judge on the Democratic ticket in 1867, and a Democrat now, says Tourgee is the "best and ablest Judge" he ever practiced before.

Constitutional Election in North Carolina.

An election in North Carolina is to be held on the 7th of next month, for the purpose of adopting or rejecting certain proposed constitutional amendments. Among the number is one changing the time of the meeting of the Legisla- ulations and peculations in our ture from one to two years that is, that there shall be biennial instead nunciation of a condition of affairs of annual sessions, and another pro- known to exist here, Mr. Snow poses to relieve the Legislature from doubtless has the sympathy of his levying a tax to pay interest on hearers of all parties, but he cannot the State debt. The first may be all right and proper, the way things are going in the "old Tar State," for we find sustained in his efforts to crush out it is also proposed to dispense with the an innocent and unoilending workservices of a Commissioner of Public ing-man by attempting to connect Works, there being no public works in him with official speculations in progress in the State; but the tax pro- County and City scrip, extortions position smacks too much of repudia- on public laborers, and other abuses tion to be hurriedly or carelessly passed of suffering servants of the County North Carolina will not suffer their fi. and City. nancial reputation to be tarnished by The administration of the affairs

to impress the Legislature with the not premature, is indiscriminate, grossly misrepresented. I write a po- examination; he pulls out a bay mer is the more easy task, as it de- valuable, and to dissuade them time, when it will be our pleasure evil effects a ratification of the pub- and so in striking down the inno- lite note to the Editor accompanied and black, ala anglaise. You mands neither labor nor research, from parting with it, but they were duce at this time. This proposed simply neutralizes his best efforts, It is a step in that direction; and a | before all just and fair-minded men. most unfortunate step for the peo- Let the people of Wake County not let the public see it. ple of North Carolina. No antici- understand, that, in supporting Mr. compensate for such a loss of repu- with any and all rings, and free fused. tation and public honor to the peo- from any entangling alliances of The lady referred to in the letter strewn with them each afternoon, information of his own, or from years, and when the 40 miles beple and the State.

-New Developments, &c.

A late issue of the Hillsboro Retled their dry bones on its shelves, Respass and Stilley. until the aforesaid shelves are labelled:-"this little hole for Kirkland" and "that other little hole for Lem. dignified slit in the cupboard for and Louis C. Latham. Mr. Satter-Graham," &c.; which ticket is op- thwaite being on hand promptly the unanimous choice of a meeting | was put up. of citizens, and who represent the

the people of Orange. This ticket is composed of Andrew | or both decline. That Committee Murdoch, Esq., known as "Jo has announced the declination of Turner's old Whig," R. M. Jones, Messrs. Latham and Thompson by Esq., the former Independant can- putting into the field Geo. A. Gregdidate and a gentleman of intelli- ory, Esq., of Martin, and H. J. gence and influence, G. M. Hardin | Lucas, Esq., of Hyde. and A. C. Hunter, Esq., which is a strong team, and will no doubt be the Era is not advised. Dr. Edtriumphantly elected.

introduced into the Legislature by in reaching Raleigh. Mumford McGehee, Esq., the legal

tion of crops," but would be better | torial District, advises the public understood if it read, "a law to tear | that one of the Democratic candi-

protect the rich man's crop." cept one which shall run around the mandered, and on general princientire county, to be paid for by ples he goes for them both thus:taxes out of the people's pockets, thus tendered them, and as much and to make every man keep his the Ku Klux Greeley remains, liable to fine and imprisonment, and permit a plea of damages eigh and the State next Winter, against him, which shall forfeit his such men ever done? Have they Each of the eight ballot-boxes bottoms or Norwood's woods, rang- grateful to the Government that

Voters who have removed from the voters, those voting "no fence," one Township, or Ward, to another | meaning to vote for fences, and since last August, must register those voting "fence" for no fences. in its broad and humane sweep of where they will live on the day of This is no doubt a decree of the justice, has swept white and colored County Commissioners themselves, corder et id omne genus.

Now so far as this fence abomination is concerned, the people of Orange are informed that Mr. Norwood did vote for it, and his friends are its especial champions. In order to rebuke them, therefore, let the voters put down their agents and understrappers at once and forever, as they have an opportunity of so doing now, which may not return,

The Recorder is under the weather and does not open its guns "on the pestilent radicals of the Hillsboro rumshops," with its usual effrontery. And while it says "brass and shamelessness are the essential features of radicalism," it must County mixture, and who is a rad- pointment of some of the members Committee to "opposing candidates | ical by nature and an extremist by education. But if such be some of on all occasions, they actually passthe features of so-called radicalism ed a law declaring "That the joint the Era begs to remind the Recorder that a seeking after "hoffis," "hof- fairs of the Penitentiary remain as at fis," and a continual leaning to the rich against the poor, is the mouth soes, and the Lewises, say to this? verily a genuine latter-day, Horace Mr. Snow is in high dudgeon because Greeley Democrat can see an office

than any negro at the happiest corn-shucking in Orange County. Let the people of Orange, therefore, persevere, and renovate that old cupboard in Hillsboro, and put other men in place who will have an eye to the interests of all classes of working-people and not the benefit or promotion or protection of the crops of Messrs. Came-

friends, and the victory is yours. The County Canvass.

ron, Graham, Kirkland, Norwood,

From what one can hear of Mr. now on his campaign, he is fighting against individuals and not the Republican party. The principles of that party he does not attack; the general policy of the Republican party he seems not to oppose.

Where is Mr. Snow? With the mis-management of the County affairs and the local finances, Mr. Snow cannot connect Mr. Gilbert, for that gentleman has filled simply an humble position in the walks of the working-men, had no official power nor exerted

any influence of office. Neither the Republican party, nor such individuals of that party as Mr. Gilbert are responsible for apparent and alleged defaults, spec-County and local affairs. In his deand ought not to be applauded and

winking or blinking at the repudiation of Wake County and Raleigh for Era, and in his note to the Editor of the State's indebtedness in any shape. four years past is a subject for the says:-As they vote on the 7th of August so study of the people, and the expose will they be known to all the world .- about to be made will prove of in- that when Republicans are aggrieved terest to all readers. In his efforts by what it publishes, its columns are gotten up "Brougham." Dr. Ben- inuendo by guess; and just and vince the stockholders of the Chat-The Era last Winter endeavored to unearth corruption Mr. Snow, if open for their correction. I have been lie debt Amendment would pro- cent along with the guilty, he not with a correction of the slanders pub-Amendment looks like repudiation. but condemns and destroys himself

evil or corruption, whatsoever.

The Contest in Orange County | The Second Senatorial District.

An election for two Senators occurs in the Second Senatorial Discorder announces a self-constituted | trict on the first Thursday of August, ticket in that ancient borough of the seventh day, to fill vacancy the same old fossils, who have rat- caused by resignation of Senators

The Democrats have had no little trouble to get candidates into the field. They met in Convention at Lynch," and "this fat old corner Washington July 4th, and nomfor Cameron," and that "long, inated Messrs. F. B. Satterthwaite posed by a live, go-ahead Reform declined, whereupon William A. nomination of gentlemen, who were Thompson, Esq., late of Wayne,

The County Executive Committee better things which are in store for was left to supply the places of these two gentlemen, should either

How the campaign is progressing, ward Ransom, of Tyrrell, and Stew-In this election is involved anoth- art L. Johnson, Esq., of Beaufort, er issue, however, of greater mo- were nominated by the Republican ment, to-wit: the question of adopt- | Convention at Plymouth, July 4th; ing the provisions of a late law, but this fact was fully two weeks

Of course the Republicans will blunderbus of Person county, and carry the District, even should engineered through the "Sinate" Messrs. Lucas and Gregory accept, ere has been doubt.

lent writing at length in the Second Senadown the poor man's fence, and to dates was a member of the House The provisions of this law are to State were so violently, fraudulentprohibit all fences in a county, ex- ly and unconstitutionally gerry-

"If these two valiant sacrifices of should unfortunately be elected in cattle, sheep, horses, and hogs should unfortunately be cattle, sheep, horses, and hogs the 2d District, they would doubtpenned up, on penalty of a misde- less act as the ready and willing of their sex in need, is the same orous, hard working young man, meanor, which shall render him toois of the same wicked and atro- party of negroes and scalawags they and, with those whom he is associcious Ku Klux amalgation Greeley party. In the name of truth and common sense, what good have cattle when they are caught outside ever done anything but harm? of a cowpen or a hog sty, in McGe- They have been opposed to the hee's field, or Cunningham's creek | Government of the time. They are almost as un-

"These two gallant Captains went interests. And to add to this iniquity against | to war to try to keep the colored the small farmer, it is said, that the race in slavery, and the poor white vote will be so taken as to mystify race also, for poor white men were only partly free while slavery ex- history of the condition of the in- circle " was composed mostly of along the contemplated river im-

"But the great Republican party. slavery from our country, and who are in the livery of the Re- the law, without any regard to duties of the times, urge that, bewealth, race, color or previous condition; regardless of the puny and foolish opposition of all the upprincipled malcontents and political asssins of the Ku Klux Klans. "Let us only refer for a moment

to one of the extraordinary acts of his extraordinary party at the last first part of the session a joint committee to investigate matters conappointed by the Speakers of the were Conservatives; and a Conservative committee was appointed which might white-wash and cover up, if possible, all the mismanagement and wrongs of the Bledsoe ishness. conservative managers and employees. Now in January of the same President of the Senate entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office, the Ku Klux party in the have had a Raleigh editor in itseye, Legislature were afraid he might whose brass is a purely Orange have something to do with the apof said committee, and true to their obligations to stand by each other select committee to investigate the afpresent constituted." Ratified the

27th day of January, 1873. "This is a species of partisan falegislative history of North Carolina, and it will remain as a monument of infamy to the Democratic-Conservative-ku klux party, which passed laws to justify their own awlessness and pardon their own

ain Conservative committee in ple or not, merely to white-wash and justify Conservatives in the miscan regard it otherwise than as the product of a weak, deprayed, deury and wrong for the country. It has been tried and condemned to death by the great jury of the peo- R. R. Co. ple, from whose decision and verdict there is no appeal. Let it die the death of a condemned felon, and in expiation of its many crimes, let it go down.

Unwept, unhonored and unsung ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

The Sentinel, Solomon Pool and the University.

Mr. President Pool of the University, feeling aggrieved at a lady correspondent of the Sentinel writing from Chapel Hill, and of the University, sought to defend himself through the columns of that paper. For once an extraordinary sense of decency prevailed in the office of that paper, and Mr. Pool's communication was not published. But gentle reader! the communication was not returned, on application for it, but the paper was copied, the copy returned to Mr. Pool, and the original retained. This is a proceeding quite as prudent, pains-taking and original as the instance of prevailing decency is extraordinary and exceptional

Finding that he cannot be heard through the channel by which the ssaults reached him, Mr. Pool requests publication of his card in the The Scatinel has several times said

lished, and he refuses to insert it. He keeps the original communication, I believe, for the purpose of using it privately to my injury, while he will The communication sent to the Scnti-

the people of North Carolina has a hitch up on Sunday. owes it to herself to clear up the road.

his inuendoes to open charges. tion-characteristic.

Another Innovation.

The Directors of the Insane Asylum met last week to fill the vacancy in the office of Steward caused by the death of Mr. Huggins. The Board promptly elected Mrs. Huggins, widow of the deceased, to the

This is conduct every Republican of North Carolina ought to feel proud of. It shows that the great Republican party of the country understands the necessities of the times, and means to take care of the women of the land. Having knocked the shackles from the slaves, the Republican party now proposes to emancipate the women by giving them work to do in such positions as they are competent to

In this instance the lady is fully competent to fill the position; and when the Senatorial Districts of the her late husband whose administration was the most acceptable of any within the history of the Institu-

are asked to detest and scorn.

The Cape Fear and Deep River Works.

This Era contains a card from Hon. John Manning, of Chatham, and a letter from another Chatham proposed amendments to the Con-stitution, and the tickets will read, county was settled.

| Deep the the custom since Orange | Warmed into life are ready to strike | gentleman, touching the recent sale | warmed into life are ready to strike | gentleman, touching the recent sale | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | fine the custom since Orange | warmed into life are ready to strike | warmed into life are ready to strik The correspondent "Remex"

Manning rebukes, in proper terms, made all men free and equal before as little sense and fitness for the by patriotic impulses, voted for the (viz:) from Fayetteville to Hancause the State has failed and come her unfinished works be completed, because, she lost her money in their dishonor. session of the Legislature. In the them; for if others are allowed to finish the work they will only the more plainly demonstrate the folly of these fossils and old fogies whose two Houses, while both Speakers business now is to stand as mon- by uments of imbecility erected in an age of Democratic extravagance,

Letter from Greensboro.

Future " City" of North Carolina ston Visit the Garden City-Hotel, etc., etc., etc.

To the Editor of The Era:-The meeting of the Stockholders, North Western North Carolina Railroad was held at "Benbow's" on Thursday. A large party came sized railroad "inguns." Buford, upon it, 'Any reasonable man would sup- Keogh, (Belo a new hand,) Thos. pose there was no use or propriety M. Holt, H. W. Fries, and other prominent railroad and financial power, without any change, wheth- men were here, and all seemed er they should be elected by the peo- busy. Colonel Buford was elected management of the affairs of the fact, within itself, is sufficient guar-Penitentiary. What public good antee that "progress" is to be the Cunningham and McGehee. Work, and drivelling legislation? Who already thrown the stock upon the can be promoted by such partisan watchword. Colonel Buford has market, and the financial agents of noralized and corrupt party in its | the Richmond and Danville road expiring efforts? It has done all it have advertised their readiness to could for itself, and nothing but in- dispose of the stock of the N. W. N. C. R. R. endorsed by the R. and D.

This road is destined to be of importance to Richmond. Heretofore the trade from this section of North Carolina has been almost exclusive-To the same dust from whence it sprung, ly with Norfolk, Wilmington (N. C.) and Baltimore, but the establishment of a direct intercourse with the Southern Capital will materially change things, and carry nearly if not all the trade direct to Richmond. much for the enterprise, thrift and sagacity of our neighbors. And now, although we abuse Buford from A to izzard, who will not say,

but for him this road would not to-day be a road ?" Greensboro is destined for the fuure city of North Carolina. The enterprise of her citizens, the location, scenery, revolutionary history and reputation, her flower gardens, and hospitable people, her hotels, our public buildings, her newspapers, her sober condition, her freedom rom crime, loafers, and rowdies, her elegant schools and magnificent churches, all blended together, truly make her the garden spot of North Carolina.

We are in need of a "driving park." Nearly all of our people To the Editor of The Era:-

explain her conduct if true. Mr. mence operations on the 27th of to a proper judgment in the public the Commissioners sold only the a few words to say in reply. Pool owes it to himself to reduce next month. This institution will mind. It is an old matter which State's interest in these works, alone bring a corps of people to our passed from general notice many which of course was limited to the

"country cousins" to whom our practical question now mooted in out having secured it. maidens sing,

at this time holding the responsible position of Auditor of a great Rail-Mr. Crump was Secretary to the N. Let the ladies of North Carolina C. R. R. Co. Since the lease, and remember that this Republican under the consolidation Mr. Crump party, which thus gives appropriate has been Auditor of the N. C. Div. ated, as well as the general public,

> very popular. Walter McAdo, Esq., is building a new Hotel opposite the "Mendenhall place" under the site where now stands the "Yarborough."

The New Nort's State is out in faof the Cape Fear and Deep River sue of that paper of July 23d the

We believe the movement to issue special tax bonds was organized gives a very clear and satisfactory in Raleigh, and that the "inner it is known to every informed man terests sold, while the card of Mr. democrats.—That there was an "Invisible Empire" in the Special Tax those croakers and old fogies, who, Members of the legislature of 68-69, having no interests themselves, and as pure as any men living, moved scheme as originally designed, appropriations which authorized With our knowledge of the facts we | Tyser's mills-and that but a faint to grief in her efforts under an ex- do not hesitate to say that the spe- hope was left, that perhaps a porploded system of internal improve- cial tax bonds were concieved in tion of the river might be repaired ments, she should now refuse to let | fraud; brought forth in fraud, and that in nearly every instance the holders got them with full notice of roads. And even that hope had

> Our people will repudiate this who were generally considered, on part of the State debt because they eel under no honorable or moral

obligations to pay it. But there is a debt represented with these views of the people of "old bonds" and "funding all parties and all sections in the bonds" which was fastend opon the State by ante bellum Carpet Baggers; What shall be done with that? tion passed an ordinance on the 15th mis-government and criminal fool- What has been done with it? It is of March, 1868, with this preaman honest debt .- The bonds were ble: - "Whereas the Cape Fear and sold at par to northern capitalists, Deep River Navigation Works are and with their money our railroads Railroad Meeting-Greensboro the structed. Interest is due and un- present condition utterly worthless paid upon these bonds now, which to the State and highly injurious to amounts to 30 per cent of their par the people residing in the valleys -Railroad Men-Salem and Win- value; yet the whole claim principal and interest is selling in New of said Rivers; and whereas it is York for 27 cents on the dollay, expedient that said works shall be Charley Crump-McAdoo's New Bad as republican legislation is made available in developing the claimed to have been, it is an in- resources of said valleys." The controvertible fact that when the democrats got control of our legislature, those very bonds were the Chatham Railroad Company worth in the New York market 45 all the State's interest in that porcents in the dollar. The democrats tion of said works from Northinghave controlled our legislation for ton's dam in Harnett county to the three years; and during that time our "old debt" upon which we Gulf in Chatham county-both of down from Salem and Winston, and stake our Honor, has depreciated so them being included, with authority from various places along the route. greatly, that from being worth in said Company to transfer the Although the road is but a small nearly 50 cents in the dollar it has gone down below zero, to a point affair, comparatively speaking, it where it can be bought for an contains about 20 miles on each side did bring out some of the larger amount less than the interest due of the crossing of Deep River by

The article closes with the following, which is very significant: "The democratic papers are greaty exercised by the reported effort Hon. Reverdy Johnson to com-President of the new road. This pel the State to pay interest on the of the works, in reference to Railspecial tax bonds. We think the roads and Minerals, was given irtuous tone of our democratic co- away. This portion comprehends nporaries very amusing, to say Their position is, that the special the immense water power at that

River, and about 40 miles in the

Cape Fear between Northington's

and Fayetteville. Thus the State's

interest in the most important part

the iron ores near Buckhorn, with

ville and Gorgas and the Gulf, (this

water power is not owned by the

Egypt, Farmville, the Taylor place

classes of resources between those

Sherman's army, whereas the other

portions of the works were entirely

abandoned after the Spring of 1860.

upon the probability that they

might be induced to improve it to-

further proof of public sentiment

the Chatham Railroad Company

River Manufacturing Company,

Fear River from Northington's to evinced the true qualities of a

tax bonds were authorized by a cor- place. The water power at Lockrupt Carpet Bag Legislature, and herfore ought not to be paid. The New North State is a leading paper in this State, and its position

Navigation Company, the coal at on this question will be read with interest, and duly considered by interested parties. Judge Settle has arrived home.

Col. Keogh goes to Saratogo—1st of And now I will hush up, the "times demand" that I close. I quote the "times demand." This famous word will live long, probably And yet we have seen that the ing. During the Kirk-Bergen war, the people, gave away this portion to on account of some act of either Kirk or Bergen." Col. Tom Holt, a strict Presbyterian, became very angry and lost control of his temper, wards aiding in building their road, dear to the people of North Caro-Company. and while discussing the matter with Major Billy Smith, exclaimed by the eternal gingo-or "words to that effect," whereupon Major Smith, said. "Why Colonel, I am surprised at your language." Really I thought you a church-man." "Well" said Col. Holt, "I am, but the times demand such language."

CYRUS. Greensboro, N. C., July 26, 1873. Sale of Cape Fear and Deep

River Navigation Works. boast of a team, and among them | As sentinels over public affairs, we note some "cracks." Col. Tom the newspapers generally criticise without any consideration as far as Keogh turns out a half phæten and freely all persons and things of a I have heard, except a prospect that vitally important question of recontwo smashing bays. Mr. Julius public character. And this is all the latter Company might improve struction—the organization of the ruptcy, in said District, for the purposes Gray, the banker, has a splendid right, provided they properly dis- it, and make it a feeder to the Railspan of chestnut sorrels, and a well criminate between fault-finding and road. The writer tried hard to conbow has a get up that will stand well informed criticism. The for- ham road that this interest was know the old English and Irish and but little space in the paper. incredulous as to his views, and the custom, "never drive matches." But the latter is more fair and ben- transfer was ordered by an almost Dr. Robertson, Mr. Jesse Hoskins, eficial in the end. And while no unanimous vote. And if this esti-Dr. W. L. Callum, Mr. Jno. T. one expects that an editor can be mate has thus applied ever since son Reese, Judge Settle, Judge Dick, always posted on every public ques- the war to the whole work, how Mr. Seynour Steele, Mr. Jesse tion, yet it is but fair to presume does it come to pass, that the dislopated good results from the adoption Gilbert they sustain an honest nel was not anonymous, but signed by Lindsay, Mr. Eugene Morehead, that he can get necessary aid by cated ends suddenly loom up into State for publication. of the Amendments will begin to working-man, a man disconnected me officially-still its publication is re- have all provided themselves with proper correspondence; and if he such importance and value, when "get up's," and the "road" is criticise disparagingly without due they have been abandoned for 13 of Mr. Pool is one for whom the except Sunday, (our people are very such correspondence, then he ceases tween them, including the portion

Editor of the Era in common with pious,) of course they would not to be worthy of his position. I see accessible to the Railroads, and that a recent sale of the State's in- nearly the whole scope of valuable | Cape Fear and Deep River high regard. Mr. Pool's contro- Dr. Rich. K. Gregory, late of terest in the Cape Fear and Deep minerals and water power, have versy with her is his own affair. Charlotte, has moved here perman- River Navigation Works, is attract- been only of value enough to be ac-Justice to him demands that he be ently. Dr. Bracken, of Caswell, is ing some attention and comments cepted as a donation, with a mere heard, and he is heard. The lady coming, and many others are on the in the papers, and I propose to give implied prospect of improvement through your columns some inform- by the donee?

to the walks of grace. The College investigation and consultation to require several columns of your pawill be, as of old, in charge of the sell the State's interest in these per to set it forth so as to reach pubmost competent teachers. And of works in accordance with section lic apprehension and conviction. It and after advertising in the News to society of Greensboro alone is an ers of the Cape Fear and Deep tions and entanglements, and noth-Salem and Winston. All our peo- to alter it.) After full and ly asserted that this interest is a real ple have opened their doors, and extensive notice the sale occur- one and of such magnitude that no 1873, the Board of Commissioners the good things of the season are red at Lockville on 8th of July, prudent man would attempt to re- of the Cape Fear and Deep River granted. And that the second and third being lavishingly put out before our 1873, at the price of \$1,200. And the pair and revive these works with- Navigation Works, appointees of the papers, is whether the sale was I will state here, that it is hardly of B. I. Howze, Esq., who repre-

Welcome, welcome, is this merry not improper because of the inad- probable that any company will be sented certain other creditors of the equacy of the price; and it is to il- tempted to improve the Cape Fear | Cape Fear and Deep River Navi-Charley Crump is in town to-day. lustrate that point, that I now wish River from the head of Smylie's Among our young rail road men to make a fair statement of some falls to Fayetteville, except upon the leading papers in the State, all for the Eastern District of North Caroling that the times demand, this gentle- of the main facts which controlled two contingencies, 1. That the iron the interest of the State in the cape county, in said District, duly declared man stands prominent. No doubt the Board, and upon which public interests in Harnett and Chatham Fear and Deep River Navigation she will fill it as efficiently as did he is the youngest man in the South | judgment must eventually rest:- | counties shall answer present anti-1. The whole scheme, which was cipations, or 2. that Wilmington once high in public regard, proved shall greatly improve her inlet and road corporation. For a long time a failure from some cause, and like swash, or open a ship channel to the the law of ebb and flow, it then fell Atlantic. And if that portion of as far in disrepute as it had before the Cape Fear should be improved, the Carbonton dam in five years, creditors, who have proved their debts, been high in public favor. Nearly it will probably be upon a plan so and from Fox's Island dam, to and other persons in interest may attend everybody, as well as those along different from the former one, that and profitable employment to one R. & D. R. R. Mr. Crump is a vig- the line, and others at a distance, the present works will be of little concluded that the project was im- or no service. practicable, that those who advo- 4. There seems to be a misappre-

cated it were deluded, and that it hension as to the outlay of the State would be folly in the State or indi- in these works. It was in round viduals to spend another dollar in numbers as follows: For stock, since been transferred to the Deep the enterprise. And with very rare \$120,000, for payment of prior liens River Manufacturing Company, so exceptions I have heard no other when she purchased in 1859, \$65,000 that really, the State had nothing sentiments expressed from that time and for endorsement of the compa-2. When this scheme was undertaken, neither the Western Railroad from Fayetteville, nor the And after said purchase the State Chatham Railroad was built, and this \$285,000, was raised by State provement, that the completion of bonds, and if so, whether those those roads utterly crushed all presbonds are outstanding, are points, ent hopes or prospects of the river about which I am not informed. The remainder of the original out- navigable, and no sane man suppolay came from other stockholders, the work again, for in 1868, as becock's mills in Moore county-now who can get no return except from fore stated, the State made a donarepairing and establishing more or less of the River improvements. and operated as a feeder to those And could it be good poficy in the State; to debar them longer from lodgment with but few persons, these much needed advantages, by still holding on to her complicated account of it, as being pretty seriinterests in the disjointed fragments ested to complete the navigation, ously moon-struck. In accordance of these works, which are already come forward and purchase whatbadly decayed and are constantly getting worse, until somebody would State, the Constitutional Convenoffera big price for it, in contravention of the judgment of nearly all persons—whether near to or distant from the works? For I have been amazed to find how exceedingly small is the number of those, who attach any value to these works, or have the least confidence in any promised repairs. I am of that small number, however, and I shall miles of the line, viz: from Lillington, in Harnett county, to or near ordinance then proceeds to give to Tyser's Mills, in Moore county, wheel manufacturer in the world, shall not be in successful operation and who afone has invested nearly within 18 months from this date. \$200,000 in cash in this section. of country, and would more than Deep River basin than all the rest compensate the State indirectly for of the world put together. a mere possible chance of getting a their own money in building a fursame at its pleasure. This portion better price for her interest, by per- nace at Endor, in putting up extensisting in an already extended polisive iron works at Buckhorn. They cy of playing "the dog in the man- contemplate erecting Rolling Mills ger." I will simply say in conclu- at Lockville, and a car manufactory the Chatham Railroad, and leaves only one lock and dam on Deep sion, that I think my means of information will enable me to say with great confidence that there er the State nor any one else that was not a scintilla of ring movement among the commissioners in reference to this matter, and that they anxiously and honestly exerted themselves to secure the best price they could for an interest which they were fully satisfied REMEX.

> Hon. Thomas Settle-Republican Meeting in Edgecombe.

and the Gulf, besides the other To the Editor of the Era:-

At a mass meeting of the Repubpoints. Besides, it was the portion | licans of Edgecombe county, held kept in best repair, as boats plied in the Court House at Tarboro, N. Carolina at the sale of Alex McIver, out of the District Court of the United over nearly all of it during the war, | C., July 19th, 1873, the following | Secretary of the Board of Education, | States for Eastern District of North Carand until they were stopped by resolutions were unanimously or who will have any business

adopted:-WHEREAS. We the Republican has made the best and only dispocitizens of Edgecombe county in sition left to it of the Cape Fear and mass meeting assembled, believing Deep River Works, and that there belonging to such bank rupt, to him, longer than its author. The story Convention of 1868, in accord I supin the open recognition and apthis great work will be sooner or perty, by him, are forbidden by
That a specting of the creditors of proval at all times, of the valuable later completed, thanks to the busservices of eminent men of our State | iness energy, liberality and practithe Chathani Railroad Company, in behalf of our great National Re- cal sense of George G. Lobdell and publican Party, and as evidence of Deep River Manufacturing Com- before A. W. Shaffer, Register, on the

> and ultimately as a feeder to it. In lina, therefore be it Resolved. That we recognize and about that time, I refer to an act of esteem with a glow of just and pathe Legislature of 1868-'69, chapter of Hon. Thomas Settle, the scholar, triotic pride the name and services 84, authorizing certain persons to the patriot and statesman. remove obstructions out of the Cape | Resolved. The we believe he has

Fayetteville. So the Convention statesman and an unswerving Regave away all above Northington's publican, and has shown by his acts that he has been a faithful friend having no use for it. Can be seen at the except one lock and dam at Car- of all the people of our State, from Commission House of W. H. Jones & bonton, and the Legislature indi- the day his name became enrolled | Co., Raleigh, N. C. rectly abandoned all the rest. And as a soldier in the army of Repub- 7-tf Resolved, That we hailed with followed suit, by transferring the pride and joy his election as presi- of Russell H. Kingsbury, of Oxford, part donated to them to the Deep dent of late National Convention, in the county of Granville, State of

> Republican party in our State, and ples in our Nation. Resolved. That we trust an opportunity will offer at some future to demonstrate that old Edgecombe of his appointment as Assignee of L. of the East joins hands with her | R. Whitley, of Stanhope, in the county sister counties in rewarding the of Nash, and State of North Carolina, patriotic services of Western North within said District, who has been ad-

Resolved, That these resolutions be sent to the Raleigh Era, Republic and Courier and the New North A. McCABE, Chairman, W. P. MABSON,

J. B RAYNER, Committee. Navigation Company.

PITTSBORO, July 16, 1873. Editors of the Sentinel :-I have read the article of your

The franchise of the Cape Fear But the conduct of the Editor of city. Brother Cuninggim, the Sec- years ago amidst disappointment portion not heretofore given away. Chatham county, in Pittsboro on the Sentinel in commenting on, crit- retary of the Board of Trustees, is and obloquy, and perhaps no one As to what that interest may be, I the 7th day of July, to satisfy an icising and denouncing a paper he among the happiest of mortals; the has been tempted recently to inveswill not publish, but which he resurrection of the College to him tigate its history and present status, a good lawyer many days of hard Esq., against the company, at Fall why the prayer of the said petitioner obtained by John H. Haughton. copies to retain the original, admits is only equalled by the conversion except from special interest or duty. study, to find it out definitely, if he Term, 1870, of Chatham Superior should not be granted. And that the of no defense, and but this explana- of a sinner from the paths of nature The Commissioners decide after could do so at all, and that he would Court, for \$23,864.22, with interest second and third meetings will be held from November 14th, 1870. This in the county, as required by law. all the country there is no better 3rd of an act of 1860-'61, chapter is a bending thread to be traced give it greater publicity. At this place to educate a young lady. The 122, (viz:)-"That the Commission- amidst a vast number of complica- sale the Deep River Manufacturing Company became the last and highest bidder, for the term of 90 years, Larkin O. Batton, of Johnston county, River Navigation Works, be and ing short of a large fee could enable and as by law required, satisfied the in said District, duly declared a bank rupt Rev. N. H. D. Wilson and his they are hereby authorized and re- the best lawyer ever to unravel it. execution and costs. This transacdaughters have gone Piedmonting. quired to sell so soon as they may If any one shall doubt this state- tion was simply as follows:-A 1867, for a discharge and certificate there-Mr. Lindsay, the banker, has sent deem advisable, the State's interest ment, I propose to fortify it, by creditor of the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Company obhis family to the same place. in said works upon such terms as simply referring him, to the case of tained a judgment against said John D. White has got back from they may deem best." (The Legis- "The C. F. and D. R. Nav. Co., company, for his debt, and sells ac- in Bankruptcy, in Rafeigh, N. C., is lature had this question before against Miles Costin," 63 N. Ce. cording to law, under an execution, assigned for the hearing of the same, A big crowd is here to-day from them last session, and declined Rep. 264. And yet it may be safe-Company purchases. On the next day, 8th of July,

the Governor, and he being ex-offi- and place. cio one of the Board, at the instance Works, and the Deep River Navi-Cape Fear and Deep Rivers, from Fox's Island dam, to and including Favetteville, in ten years.

The Convention of 1866, by ordinance, transferred all of the State's interest in the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Works, from Buckhorn on the Cape Fear, to the 7-2t Gulf on Deep River, to the Chatham Railroad Company, and has to sell, on the 8th of July, except from Buckhorn down, and from the Railroad at Lockville) the State improvement of this section, the leigh, N. C., is assigned for the

respondent's article, has expended \$750,000 in experiments on these rivers the State has failed to make incidental advantages to accrue from tion of the most valuable section to the Chatham Railroad Company. It is certain that the State will not complete the work, and because the amount of four hundred and odd housand dollars in mineral lands on the Cape Fear and Deep rivers, and who are therefore vitally interever interest the State may have in made without collusion, and after ing the purchaser with "running off with the State's property," Now Messrs. Editors who is the 7-2t

facturing Company." The stock of his Company is owned by persons: who had no connection with the Penitentiary location." The manbe greatly disappointed, if about 60 ager, Mr. Edgar is from Canada, and Mr. George G. Lobdell, of Wil-

2. This Deep River Manufacturng Company have done more to creditors, who have proved their debts, calculable advantage to a large scope develop the mineral interest of the and other persons in interest may attend

in its vicinity. 4. They are largely interested in

making the river navigable. Neithwe know will do it, and if this company are inclined to spend their own money in furnishing the peo- other claims provable under said Ac ple with a navigation through the and that the 9th day of August, 1873, at richest mineral region of the State, welcomed as great public benefactors, instead of being denounced as creditors, who have proved their debts, a ring, particularly when we re- and other persons in interest may at member that the State, after an tend and show cause, if any they have, expenditure of \$750,000, abandoned the work.

One other remark. If every one who purchases property of the State at public sale, and by the expenditure of his money enhances its value, is to be denounced as a ring master, pray tell me who will purities. It strikes me that the State is now some reason to hope that for his use, and the transfer of any his associate stockholders in the

JOHN MANNING.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a general meeting of creditors and believed the action to be a just | North Carolina, Bankrupt, be held at | recognition of the services he had Raleigh, N. C., in said District, on the

A. W. SHAFFER.

Republican party in our State, and named in the twenty-seventh section of the triumph of Republican princi-L. A. PASCHALL, Assignee P. O. Oxford, N. C. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:-The undersigned hereby gives notice

udged a Bankrupt upon his own peti-Carolina's illustrious and deserving ion by the District Court of said Dis-Dated Raleigh, July 18th, 1873. THOMAS HAMPSON, Assignee, P. O. Raleigh, N. C.

W. N. H. SMITH. GEO. V. STRONG. SMITH & STRONG. Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, Raleigh, N. C.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United S ates for the Eastern District of North Carolin Dandridge J. Hilliard, of Warret nty, in said District, duly decl. correspondent Chatham. in the a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress charges against her, if not true, or The Methodist College will com- ation on the subject, which may lead 3. It should be borne in mind that Sentinel, of the 15th inst., and have and certificate thereof from all his debut and other claims provable under said and Deep River Navigation Com- at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of A. pany, was sold by the sheriff of W. Shaffer, Register in Bankruptey, in creditors, who have proved their debts, tend and show cause, if any they have,

> at the same time and place, GEO, E. TINKER, Clerk. EATON & SPRUILL, Attorneys. 7-26.

day of August, 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., persons in interest may attend and show meetings will be held at the same time

New Berne, N. C., July 25th, 1873. GEO, E. TINKER, Clerk. BATTLE & SON, Attorneys.

YOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, gation Company sold at Lockville | That a Petition has been filed in after advertising for six weeks in the District Court of the United States by Allison T. Bunn, of Walk county, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and cergation Company again became the tificate thereof from all his debts and purchaser, at the price of \$1,200, and other claims provable under said Act, further by the terms of the sale, is and that the 9th day of August, 1873, at to complete the Navigation of the 10 o'clock, a. m., at the office of A. W. Shaffer, Register in Bankruptey, in and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And that the second and third meetings will be held at the same time and place.

New-Berne, N. C., July 25th, 1873. GEO. E. TINKER, Clerk TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

District Court of the United States for county, in said District, duly declared a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of ny's bonds, \$300,000. These bonds I Gulf up, the central and by far the March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and cer-State assumed their payment in is the section connecting with the other claims provable under said Act, nad already parted with, and in the Shaffer, Register in Bankruptey, in Ra spent \$100,000, towards repairing Deep River Manufacturing Com- of the same, when and where all credit and improving the works. Whether pany have expended the sum of tors, who have proved their debts, and her persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And that the second and third meetings will be held at the same time and place,

> GEO. E. TINKER, Clerk. B. F. Long, Attorney.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That a Petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of titieste thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said Act. and that the 9th day of August, 1873, a 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of A. V Shaffer, Register in Bankruptcy, in Raleigh, N. C., is assigned for the hearunusual publicity, then this is evi- and show cause, if any they have, why dence of "the Deep River and Cape the prayer of the said petitioner should Fear ring," and ground for charg- not be granted. And that the second and third meetings will be held at the

New Berne, N. C., July 25th 1873. GEO. E. TINKER, Clerk. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.
That a petition has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina by Thomas H. Lawrence, of Wake county, in said District, duly declared a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress one of the principal stockholders, is of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and 0 o'clock, A. M., at the office of A. W Shaffer, Register in Bankruptey, is Raieigh, N. C., is assigned for the hear

and show cause, if any they have, why granted. And that the second 3. They are honestly investing and third meetings will be held at the same time and place.

New Berne, N. C., July 25th, 1873. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. certificate thereof from all his debts and 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of A. W. Raleigh, N. C., is assigned for the hearwhy the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And that the

second and third meetings will be held at the same time and place GEO. E. TINKER, Clerk.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That transactions with our State author- Powell, of Forestville, in the county of Wake, and State of North Carolina, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own Petition: That the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignces of his esour appreciation of a name that is pany and the Cape Fear and Iron 2d day of August, A. D. 1873, at 10 dear to the people of North Caro-Company. Marshal as Messenger, W. H. PACE, Attorney.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1873, a warrant in Bankruptey was issue out of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, againer he estate of Edwin S. Tisdale, of Earpsboro, in the county of Johnston, and State of North Parolina, who has been adjudged a Bank capt on his own Petition; That the payment of any debts, and the delivery or any property belonging to such har rupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property, by him, are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignces of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Raleigh, N. C., before A. W. Shaffer, Register, on the 2d day of August, A. D., 1873, at o'clock, A. M. R. M. DOUGLAS, rendered in aid of the great and 8th day of August, A. D., 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of A. W. Shaffer, one of the Registers in Bank-

Marshal as Messenger TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:-The undersigned hereby gives motice of his appointment as Assignee of Neverson W. Strickland, of Jackson, in the county of Nash, and State of North Carolina, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District.

Dated Raleigh, July 18th, 1873. — THOMAS HAMPSON, Assignee, 1—3t P. O, Raleigh, N. C. TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned here | v gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Handy Brantley, of Stanhope, in the county of Nash, and State of North Carolina, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upo: his own petition by the District Court of said Dis-

Dated Raleigh, July 1 in, 1873. THOMAS HAMPSON, Assigned P. O. haleigh, N. C.