RALEIGH. N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 16, 1855.

Mr. HENRY M. LEWIS, Montgomery, Alabama, is our General Traveling Agent for the States of Alabama and Tennesses, assisted by C. F. LEWIS, JAS. O LEWIS and SAMUEL D.

Mr. C. W. JAMES, No. 1 Harrison Street, Cincirnati, Ohio, is our General Collecting Agent for the Western States and Texas, assisted by H. as made by the law-making power, or are they J. THOMAS, S. W. RAMSAY, WILLIAM H. to construe them in accordance with popular THOMAS, THOS M. JAMES, C. M. L. WISE-sentiments? When the time arrives that a MAN, A. L. CHILDS, and Dr. WILLIAM IRWIN. judge so violates his oath of office as to shape Receipts of either will be good.

Street, Philadelphia, is our General Traveling of laws, but of men. Agent, assisted by WM. H. WELD, JNO. COL-LINS, JAMES DEERING, J. HAMMITT, R. S. JAMES, THOS. D. NICE, R. W. MORRISON, E. W. WILEY, WM L. WATERMAN, ALEX. H. ASHMAN, and P. DAVIS.

UNIVERSITY.

The University Catalogue, just published, appounces that Addresses will be delivered, during the next Commencement week, before the Dialectic and Philanthropic Societies, by Geo. Davis, Esq., of Wilmington;

Before the Alumni Association, by Wm. Bingham, Esq., of Orange County ;

Before the Historical Society, by Rt. Rev. Thos. Atkinson, D. D.

The Rev. Benj. M. Palmer, D. D., of Columbia, S. C., will preach the Sermon before the Graduating Class.

The Board of Examiners of the College Classes, appointed by the Executive Committee under a late ordinance of the Board of Trustees, consists of Hon. Thomas Ruffin, Gen. J. G. Bynum, Robt. B. Gilliam, Esq., Calvin Graves, Esq., and Lewis Thompson, Esq.

THE REX HOSPITAL FUND.

We learn, from a report submitted to the Board of Commissioners of the City by a Committee appointed for the purpose, (Edw. Cantwell, Esq., Chairman,) that the Rex Hospital Fund, under judicious management, has so accumulated, that it now reaches the amount of \$23,320 33.

The Committee very properly suggest that the fund is now amply sufficient to authorize immediate steps to be taken (by the Trustees of the Fund,) to carry out the will of the Founder | not entirely legal and fair, he has never sought of this charity, and the object of the Trust,- to give the advantage to either of the contendwhich is, in the language of the testator, "to provide a comfortable retreat for the sick and Greeley and the northern fanatics have been the afflicted poor, belonging to the City of Ra- made the pretext for the recent border exciteleigh, in which they may have the benefit of ments, he has firmly occupied the ground of disskilful aid and proper attention." We trust the public mind, or revive those unfortunate corrupt; that they were not gentlemen; that they were dirty and home with the public mind, or revive those unfortunate corrupt; that they were nocuss, and that "he to match." that this recommendation will meet a ready ac divisions which have so often convulsed our would not suffer his pointer bitch to lap the blood quiescence at the hands of those who have happy country. We are not disappointed that which flowed from a Democrat's veins," charge of the legacy and its intended appropriation.

clude the value of twenty-one acres of land, near | more faithfully represent the consevative senti the limits of the city, covered with a valuable | ments of the country, or will more steadily and pine growth, which can at any time be made to swell the amount.

THE HARD TIMES, - HIGH PRICES. - The papers throughout the country speak in the most despondent terms of the prospects of the coming crop, of the present scarcity of money and provisions, and the alarming prices demanded for every description of the latter.

The "Saratoga (N. Y.) Whig" says that in that section, (a region remarkable for its great fertility,) "the millers and dealers in coarse grains are having much difficulty in getting any corn and oats to supply the demand of small consumers. A dealer told us the other day that he doubted if twenty bushels of corn could be found for sale within a circuit of ten miles around this place, and a miller who had been out buying for his mill said that many farmers. who have heretofore had large quanties to sell at this season of the year, will now have to buy for their own use, having sold so close earlier in the season. There are, undoubtedly, some oats yet to spare, but the owners want more than starvation prices for them." .

The Boston papers give the following rates of prices for provisions in that city:

"For a good slice of steak from the round, you will be charged from 18 to 20 cents; choice roasting pieces still higher; mutton-for choice legs, is worth 20 cents per pound; 17 cents is asked for a moderately good one; veal is cheaper; pork is about the same; potatoes are gradually coming down; a very good kind of peach blows or common reds can be obtained for a few cents over a dollar a bushel, and are likely to be lower; asparagus can be purchased in the market for 33 cents a bunch; green peas at a dollar a peck, and there are other early vegetables at like high prices."

Flour went up an additional shilling in New York city on Friday last. The best brands now cannot be bought there for less than thirteen dollars, at wholesale. This is equal to about and thus fulfil their contract with their employ-\$16 at retail. Six-penny loaves, under these ers. The Missourians, it seems, regarded with circumstances, are mere myths. Corn, too, has anxiety this attempt to forestall matters and build \$1,16 a \$1,18 the bushel! Old mess pork is runaway slaves. They looked with hope for a \$15,624.

prices prevail. Flour commands about \$11,- in their border Territory as well as anybody meal \$1 to \$1 10,-butter 30 cents,-and every- else from all parts of the country and the world. thing else in proportion. How long can such a state of things last?

NATIONAL KNOW-NOTHINGISM -The New York Tribune says that the National Know Nothing to repel a deeper and more vital wrong. view of the slavery question is simply the creed of the worst alaveholder,-" a piece torn from the web of the most unmitigated systems of sylvania, New Jersey, and a portion of the West, are relied on to stick to the pro-slavery Know-Nothingism. The general officers are to be slave oligarchs. The North will only farnish the Lieutenants. The head is to be southern, the dismissal of REEDER. and the tail northern.

RAILROAD SUBSCRIPTION .- At an election hel in Carteret county, on the 3d inst., to take the some of the voters upon the proposition to sub ecribe \$50,000 to the Atlantic and North-Care has Rulroad Company, the "Subscription" Prevailed by a majority of 392.

EPISCOPAL CONVENCION.—This body assembles in Warrenton to day, (Weines:ay.)

"Ours' are the plans of fair, delightful peace, State in their action against Judge Lorina, Unwarped by party rage, to live like brothers." and is receiving therefor the thanks of the whole the Constitution of the United States to the merican party.

We append an extract from Governor Gardner's veto message :

"To the allegation that Judge Loring has shocked the popular sentiment of Massachu-setts, it may be pertinent to ask, what the duty of judges is? Are they to expound the laws as made by the law-making power, or are they his decisions according to the fluctuations of Mr. ISRAEL E. JAMES, No. 182 South Tenth | popular feeling, we become a government not

"Supposing, as is alleged, that according to the ordinary balancing of conflicting testimony, the decision of Judge Loring was errone ous, no one asserts or believes that he wilfully CARSON, E. MUSTIN, BEN. F. SWAIN, T. adjudicated wrongfully and corruptly. The error, if error it be considered, was a mistake. Is a judge, then, to be removed from office. even if in the execution of that office he give a mistaken judgment? Such an impracticable and dangerous policy would lead to a daily removal among judicial officers of our inferior courts, so often are their decisions overruled by higher

> Governor Resper .- This gentleman is now in Washington, not for the purpose, se generaly attributed to him, of invoking the action of he general government in regard to the administration of his duties as governor of Kansas. but simply prepatory to his return in a week or two with his family to the Territory which he proposes to make his future home. It is satisactory to observe the contrast between his quiet and manly deportment and the violent expressions unjustly charged to him by his enemies. Not for a single moment has he been diverted rom the plain, straight-forward path of duty. Refusing all participation with either extreme n the late disturbances in the Territory, and planting himself upon the conceded principles of the Kansas and Nebraska bill, he has steadily maintained the attitude which might be expectd from a man who for thirty years has been a eading and consistent member of the Democratic party-the party of the constitution.

"A northern citizen, a Pennsylvanian, after he school of Buchanan and of Dallas, he has, throughout his political career, opposed the Wilmot proviso, sustained the fugitive slave law, advocated the Kansas and Nebraska bill. denounced abolitionism from first to last, and boldly co-operated in every movement for the ade City. protection of the South in its rights under the Constitution. . Hence it is that, while he has resolutely and consistently resisted all attempts to control the destinies of Kansas by means ing interests. Perfectly conscious, and deeply regretting, that the mischievous efforts of general excitement has resulted from the local trou- refuses to take anything back, Judge Nash, as bles in Kansas; but we unbesitatingly say to a Democrat, and a gentleman, too, cannot supthe true friends of constitutional principles, The above estimate of \$22,320 33 does not in- in every part of the Union, that no man could

> fusion, than the present governor of Kansas." But few men of the South will repudiate the acts of the Missourians, (of which we have heretofore given the history,) for it was a fair game of the hardest fend "off." The Missourians who went into Kansas at the election were just as much citizens of the Territory, constitutionally, as the free soil emissaries sent by the Northern societies to vote to re

conscientiously labor to bring order out of con-

The Squatter Sovereignty feature of the Nebraska and Kansas bill, which Mr. Pierce properly termed the "bill for freedom," was gotten up and expressly advocated by Northern locofocoism as a prompt and easy means of abo litionising the new territories. Relying on the fact that the emigration from the slaveholding States would be slow, and on their own immense surplus freesoil population constantly seeking the west-Iowa, Oregon, California, Utah, New Mexico,-they saw that with slight expense this whole immense roving tide of emigration could be concentrated on Kansas, at the time of voting, and thus carry the men and measures intended to ignore slavery in the Territorial Government, and pave the way for a State Constitution which would prohibit the institution. This seemed feasible, as practically every one of all nations, races, &c., who happen to be in the Territory on the day of election, can vote by the provisions of the bill. Even those who may have been only a few weeks previous on the soil of England, Germany, France, Ireland, &c., on a simple declaration of intentions to become citizens of the United States, were allowed to vote. Everything seemed propitious to effect the movement, and hordes of domestic and foreign freesoilers were directed to the Territory, few of them with families or any intention of settling, but with only one object-to arive in season to vote,

"gone up," and cannot be had for less than up on their borders a den for abolitionists and s-lling at \$16, 622 the barrel, and new ditto at corresponding emigration from the slave States, but were disappointed. They resolved to pro-In this part of the country the same high tect themselves, and claimed the right to vote and they have a powerful and brave enemy to

> But if their conduct was wrong, the respon sibility of this rests with Congress, and on the free-soil associations who involved them in this contingency, and made their action necessary

So far as the Administration is concerned, the endorsement of Gov. Reeder's course is full and complete. He was sent out to prevent Kansas slavery." The party in Massachusetts, says the becoming a slave Territory and State, and there. Tribune, are already contemptuously cast aside fore it is said expressly, that "be has maintainby their national brethren, and New York, Penn- ed the attitude which might be expected," and not for a single moment has he been diversed from the path of duty" chalked out for him !

It is said that Messrs. Dobbin and Davis, of the Cabinet, are urgent in their demands for

Party was held in Louisburg, on Monday, for also to be strongly fortified. The French will the office. On the expiration of his official duthe purpose of nominating a candidate for Conress in this Congressional District. We have heard nothing as to its action.

GALES & SEATON, of the "National Inteligenoer," are re-printing their valuable "Register of Debates," embracing the Congressional They would, however, much prefer the Rus-Reports for nearly twenty five years.

VETO OF GOV. GARDNER.—GOVERNOR GARD- WONDERS OF THE TELEGRAPH.—The electric PUNCH. DIOGENES AND PUNCHINELAO. NER, of Massachusetts, has refused to concur telegraph is now established, almost without with the abolitionists in the Legislature of that break, from London, across Europe, under the State in their action against Judge Louisa, black Sea, and into the Crimea—a distance of and corruption. John Bull, in round has and some eight hundred leagues, which is about ecountry. We commend his noble stand in be- qual to four fifths of the actual distance between and other "fixinge" so familiar in Layard's half of the independence of the judiciary and Liverpool and New York, and more than equal | book about Nineveb. to the whole route from Ireland to Halifax. special attention of those who do not believe The last newspapers from England, by the that any good thing can proceed from the A. Asia, contain intelligence which was committed to the wires, at Balaklava, at four o'clock in the morning, and received in London on the afternoon of the same day. We may thus calculate on receiving news from the Crimea withten days. The submarine cable is laid down some 300 miles at the bottom of the Black Sea. It remains to be seen how far it may be affected by under-currents and other obstructions. Scientific men in Europe have little fear on that score. The principle once established as successful, we may speedily expect to have a sub marine telegraphic line between the Old World and the New, and there is no reason, that once accomplished, why the daily news of London and Paris should not be published in this country within a few hours of its occur-

LIGHT !- In connection with the question which is somewhat agitated in this community, t present, relative to lighting the City with Gas, we are enabled, upon the authority of a private letter, to give the following particulars as to the practical benefits (to share, owners,) of its introduction into Columbia, S. C.

The stock of the Company, the first year, paid a dividend of 6 per cent. although the works were badly constructed. It has since paid more than 12 per cent., and the shares, originally \$25 each, now command \$29,50 and

Columbia has a population about equal to that of Raleigh, and the cost of her Gas Works, large Gas House, four miles of pipe, &c., was \$30,000 .- the amount estimated for the same improvement here.

MR. RAYNER IN PETERSBURG .- We copy, in another column, from the "Petersburg Intelligencer," an account of the Hon. KENNETH RAY-NER's recent great speech in Petersburg. We learn, from private sources, also, that it was an effort every way worthy of Mr. R's. fame as an orator, and that it created the most intense enthusiasm among the sons of "Sam" in the Cock-

ANOTHER BOLTER.

Judge Jno. W. Nash will not support Mr. Wise. His reason is, that Mr. Wise has insulted every member of the Democratic party, advocated all the measures of the old Whig party, insulted and denounced, in the most bitter style, all the idols and leaders of the Democrats, and now has no recantations to make: nothing to take back. Having said Democrats port him. Thousands of Democrats will do likewise .- Rich. Post.

A FAIR HIT.

The Washington Union, speaking of Com. McCauley's mission to the gulf, says: "He does not go with a lexicographer in his

hand to enter into philological disquisitions with Spanish officers." "Does not go with a lexicographer in his hand!" We think that the government editor had better get a lexicon in his hand before he presumes to talk about "philological disquisitions" or anything else.-Louisville Journal, May 4th.

KNOW-NOTHING ELECTION.

MOBILE, Monday, May 7. JOHN A. HITCHCOCK, Know Nothing, has been elected Judge of the Probate Court for this County, beating the Democratic candidate by 1,100 minority.

NEW YORK KNOW-NOTHING CONVEN-

SYRACUSE, May 11th .- The New York Times vention here who gives the particulars of the the New York Express, is in the chair. One tucked up with a spade. member has been expelled on account of being suspected of reporting for the Times, and another has been expelled for uttering anti-slavery

JOSEPH HISS EXPELLED BY THE MAS-SACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE

Boston, May 11 .- After a night session of seven hours, the House this morning at 3 o'clock passed a resolution expelling Joseph Hiss by a vote of yeas 137 to noes 15.

A letter from an American in France to his friend in Washington city, published in the National Intelligencer, says :- All hopes of an early peace have vanished, and no one pretends to predict the duration of the war of the nations which are yet to be drawn into the vortex. What I always predicted is every day becoming more certain, that Austria will not take an active part against Russia, and the utmost which can be expected from her will be continued neutrality.' We make, also, the following extracts from

"Troops do not at present embark so gaily considered as a frolic. Sebastopol cannot, as at first intimated, be taken by a coup de pied,

I still do not believe the Emperor will go to the Crimea. If Sebastopol had fallen and he had established his entrenched camp near Constantinople, he might probably pay a flying visit under the enthusiasm which would prevail at home and to show himself to the army. Still, in opposition to my own opinion, Gen .--, of the Imperial Guard, who took leave of the Emperor a few days since to embark for the Crimes, called upon me and said the parting words of the Emperor were, "I shall soon

see you at Constantinople." This war has greatly reversed the order of commerce. Formerly the Black Sea was the guished strangers, and universally of the citizens granary of Europe and supplied half the contineut with grain; now it is shipped in immense quantities from France and Algeria to supply the army. This fact is a proof that the Allies can derive but small supplies from the country, and that they command only the ground on which they are encamped.

What I suggested in a former letter is to be realised. An entrenched camp for 40,000 men It is proper to remark that the President. J. AMERICAN CONVENTION.—It is rumored that is to be established near Constantinople, and J. Roberts, for reasons honorable to himself Convention of Delegates of the American will be occupied by French troops ; the city is and to Liberia, declined a re nomination for be established in Turkey, and will never again ties he will have served four terms of two years leave there. Mark this prediction, for be assu- each, with marked credit to himself, honor to red it will be verified. Doctor Napoleon will the colored race, and to the advancement and take charge of the "sick man." The Turks are prosperity of his country.—Colonization Herald. red it will be verified. Doctor Napoleon will convinced that their long-encampment in Eqrope is about being broken up. They are no longer rulers in their own territory. The "infi-del" has possession of it, and means to remain.

The large pisture from Punch is capital. Mr. top boots, is furnished with the Assyrian wings

In Diogenes we see John Bull looking at a show got up "regardless of expense." Fifty thousand moving figures are announced. He

ages through the hole and exclaims-Engerspectator, "But the figures don't move!" Showman. 'Oh, it's all the same; there's oly something wrong in the machinery."

SURLY SENTIMENTS-By a professed Old Grumbier. No woman drinks beer of her own ac-

cord; she is always "ordered" to drink it! Experience is a pocket compass that a fool never thinks of consulting until he has lost his

An ugly baby is an impossibility. When a man has the headache, and says "its

few persons it finds at home!

the salmon," you may safely conclude he has een "drinking like a fish. The moment friendship becomes a tax, it is ingular, at every fresh call it makes, how very

VERY WIDE OF THE MARE. - "Modern instan-

ces have a strong tendency to the refutation of the "wise saws" of antiquity. It was an old saying that "every bullet has its billet." On the truth of the adage grave doubt has been thrown by the special correspondent of the Morning Post in the Crimes. That gallant of feer and writer represents a British battery as firing "at the distance of 1,700 yards" against a steamer which had for a long time "annoyed the Inkerman attack with its shot and shell." He adds: "Sixty rounds were fired by the artillery, but only six struck the vessel. The Russians returned our fire with two hundred shots from their battery without doing us the slightest injury." What an awful waste of powder and shot! But if every ball had told, would the waste, on the whole, have been greater or less? Meanwhile those who complain of the paucity of successful dramatic pieces should observe how very few hits have been made in

CATCH FOR THE VIENNESE CONGRESS .- (To be sung by persons supposed to represent England, France, and Austria.)

the theatre of war.

wine the game.

When shall we three meet again? For Progress, Falsehood, Truth, or Gain? When these monarch's wars are done? When the people's rights are won? Significantly, with pantomimic gesture.)

That will be when dead dogs run!

(A Dance.) "GENTLEMEN MAKE YOUR GAME!" (-A bint Lord Joan.) The Plenipotentiaries who are talking away at Vienna are just a partie carree. We think it would be much better for them to finish the conference at once by having a rubber of whist. Russia migh take Austria as a partner, (and it would not be the first time they have played it out against England and France.) Which ever side scores the "four points" first

LITERARY INTELLIGENCE.-An extract from an Austrian paper says: "Mount Olympus smokes like a voicano." We hear that directly this became known in London, the author of "Proverbial Philosophy" immediately quitted home with half a dozen empty bottles and corks

in the bottle how can she also live at the bottom of the well? For ourselves we should say that there is something fundamentally wrong in

DIRECT PROM THE SEAT OF WAR .- The last despatches of Lord Ragian were nearly sent back from the Horse Guards to the custom-house, for some one had waggishly inscribed on them " A

A MELANCHOLY TRUTH .- There is no doubt that when our ships are ploughing the main, they must meet with some very harrowing scenes NOT SO BAD AS THEY ARE PAINTED .- Notwithstanding our dislike of the Russians, we do not

they have not yet gained a single battle over the Allies, they can't be so very repulsive. LENT IN THE CRIMEA .- We don't know whe ther our troops in Crimea had any pan cakes on Shrove Tuesday: but the probability is, that in

order to take Sebastopol, they have been provi-

ded with materials for batter. THE MILITIA IN BED .- Two militia officers billeted at a public house, refused to sleep in a slike." double bedded room. These warriors evidently have no thoughts of active survice: otherwise they should make up their minds to the chance of sleeping, not in double beds, but in a single has a correspondent in the Know Nothing Con- bed, and not sleeping there in twos but in two hundreds. May we be so coarse as to suggest proceedings. He says that Erastus Brooks, of the bed of glory? A bed none of the softest and

> FRENCH WITHOUT A MASTER. - This is promis ed to Paris on the 16th instant.

The weather in the Crimea must have been unpleasant for undress military officers.

We often receive a report that "there is nothing new before Sebastopol," and I should say a correct one, judging from the ragged state we

Why are green peas like Sebastopol? Because they must be shelled before taken.

AN INACTIVE COMMANDER .- Our army has been so long trying to march into Sebastopol that one would almost imagine it had come to a stand still under the influence of a lame commander in the shape of a "General Halt." Boston Post.

PRESIDENCY OF LIBERIA .- EDWARD J. ROYE one of the candidates for President of Liberia, was some ten years since a barber in Terre Haute, Indiana, from which place he emigrated to Liberia. He engaged successfully in commercial pursuits at Monrovia, has been member and Speaker of the House of Representatives of that Republic, was a candidate two years ago for the Presidency against President Roberts, as formerly for the Crimes. It is no longer and is now editing and publishing a paper in that country. He is, we believe, a pure Afri can; certainly a black man.

STEPHEN A. BENSON, the other candidate, i funmixed African descent, went with his parents to Liberia when a mere child, before the time of Gov. Ashmun's arrival in 1822, was taken captive by the natives in the war of December of that year, but was finally restored to his home after an absence of several months. He has been entirely educated in Africa; is the principal merchant at Bassa Cove : has filled the office of Judge in one of the highest courts in and of Liberia, and is now the Vice President of the Republic. Benson is a christian of eminent purity and benevolence of life, and enjoys the respect and confidence not only of the community in which he resides, but of many distin-

of the Liberian commonwealth. The time for the election of President, Sensators, and Representatives is fixed in the constitution of Liberia to be held " on the first Tuesday in May in every two years." Intelligence of the choice made on the first day of the present month will doubtless reach this country about the middle of June next.

Bayard Taylor delivered a lecture, recently, at Kalamazon, Michigan. Next day a lady at \$2 per bol. No transactions to-day.

was asked her opinion of the lecture, when she replied; "Oh l it was excellent; he has such a bol. Therh is a lot on market this morning, but is sweet moustaghe ?"

Copied from the Port Polio in the Dialectic Library, in 1823, at Chapel Hill. REMARKABLE OAK TREE, NEAR RA-

LEIGH. N. C. "About 60 years ago, it was so small a sap-ling, that the owner of the estate bent it down and cut off the top with his pen-knife; at present, by the ground it would measure at least 25 feet in girth, but as high up as trees are usually chopped, its circumference is 15 feet, and the tree covers with its shade, at meridian, a circumference of 333, or somewhat upwards of 9000 square feet. It would consequently afford shelter, (allowing 2 feet to each man,) for four thousand five bundred men."

[The above messurement, &c., was made by Mr. Wm. Lucas, who died many years since, and who was one of the earliest and most esteemed citizens of this place. The tree referred to is on the Fayetteville road, in the direction of the present residence of Lawrence Hinton,

FROG LEVEL .- We are pleased to be able to give the sales of cotton in that market for the past week. For this advanced period of the season, the sales are large. We have noticed for some time, that a spirit of improvement and enterprise was showing itself among the citisens of that thriving village, and we hope it may continue. The name, to strangers and outsiders, will provoke a smile; but there is nothing in a name, and we must be permitted to say that Frog Level is no mean place.

Newbern (S. C.) Mirror. There is a good deal in a name, and this one of Frog Level reminds us of the greatest speech we ever heard. A fellow was indicted, up in the old Ninth, whem Tom G--t was Solicitor, for gambling, to wit, playing "short cards," at Baker, John H certain locality known as Frog Level. Col. -defended him and contended before the Jury, that though the State's evidence "tenled" to show that his client, with a bottle of liquor in his pocket, accompanied the crowd Barbour, Joseph who, it was shown, did actually play, yet it Bishop, George W never did, with absolute certainty, locate him | Beckwith, M A as one of the players. Said he, by way of per- Betts, Mrs Lucy J.

"Gentlemen of the Jury : The witness have told you that Peter Wyatt was thar, and a play- Ballard, John W in': for he noticed his hand, and it was a full | Bland, Mr on Queens!

"Harry Snow was thar, and he was a playin': for he hilt two little par ! "William Upson was thar, and he played, cause witness noticed, in particular, that he

had nothin' but an ace! "Bill Conner was thar, and he played, gentlemen, for he had the bully hand-four highheeled Jacks! "But, gentlemen, when I came to ask him

about Abram Pitkin-my client's hand, what did he say, gentlemen? Why, nothin,' gentlemen, except that if Abe hilt any hand, he disremembered what was in it! And now, gentlemen of the Jury, because my client was seen goin' down to Frog Level, with a bottle of liquor in his pocket, and the witness can't remember as he hilt any hand at all, when bully hands was out, and him the best player in the crowdis that-is that-I say, gentlemen of the Jury, is that any reason that my client was guilty of the crime of Gambolling !"

It is almost needless to say, that the Jury saw the non sequitur and acquitted the defendant .- Montgomery Mail.

KOSSUTE ON THE VISIT OF NAPOLEON III. TO Fleming, Mrs Jane C ENGLAND. - Kossuth has written an unusually visit of Napoleon III. to England. He calls Green, Gen T J the reception a "comedy." The letter appears in the New York Times. Kossuth salutes Gunter & Per Austria as follows:

"That Austria, sir, which means the Hapsburgs, whom I, a plain, unpretending citisen, weighed in the hollow of my hand just seven years ago; the very existence of whom depended on a breath of mine; whom I saved with ill-fated generosity, fool as I was to trust a king's oath: whom the people of Hungary has humbled to the dust, unarmed, unprepared, foreaken, and permetically secluded as it were; those Hapsburgs whom the Csar propped up for a while, but to whom no aid, no combination can impart vitality, and whom the very hand of the Etersee they are such a bad set after all; for, as nal has doomed to certain destruction,-it is this Austria, sir, which strikes terror to the adventurer who carved his way through all the bloody horrors of December, and through unscrupulous perjury to the throne; this Austria, sir, to which the Cabinet of St. James bows with fear; this Austria, whose finger pulls the leading-string on which England and France are hooked in the camp and in the councils

HOTEL PRICES AND PROFITS -It has been officially announced by some of our leading hotels. that on and after the 1st of May, the charge for board would be \$3 per day. The Astor, St. Nicholas and New York have raised their prices, on account, we believe, of the high price of beef, pork and potatoes. The Metropolitan Hotel continues the old charge of \$2 50 per day. and it is the intention of the proprietors to make no change, under any circumstances short of famine. With flour at \$12 per barrel, potatoes at \$1 50 per bushel, and other articles in proportion, it does not pay very well at \$2 50 per day, but the proprietors of the Metropolitan believe that for the year through the old prices will be sufficiently remunerative, and they also believe that hotels should take their chances with other kinds of business, good seasons with the bad. Uniformity in prices is an important matter with the travelling public, and the Metropolitan will adhere to the old rate through summer and winter .- N. Y. Herald.

During our recent war with Mexico, it was found necessary to call on the marines and sailors serving in the Pacific squadron to serve on shore, and a large number of sailors were accordingly placed under command of Gen Kearney. During one of their "shore fights." as Jack termed it, a body of "Greasers" were discovered firing from a large barn, and it being necessary to get to the rear to effect an entrance, the marine officer in command of the Salts gave the order:

"By the right flank file left, forward." The blue jackets, in a high state of excite ment, tried it on, but couldn't do it; in fact, 'they got all in a heap," as a spectator describe t, when Lieutenant ST-w-Y, of the Navy. seeing some of his lads in confusion, came run ning up with

"What in the thunder is the matter?" "I can't get your men to obey me." answers Mr. Marine. "Give the order," says S., "and I'll see they

Accordingly, "By the right flank," &c. was velled out, but worse and worse was poor Jack's puzzle, when S sang out, "Hang it, Sir, that's no to way talk to my men. Luff. you lubbers, and weather that barn!" You had better believe it was done in no time. Spirit of the Times.

A New Planet.-The Astronomical Journal

published at Cambridge, Mass., announces tha on April 6., M. Chacornac discovered a small planet of the eleventh magnitude. This makes the thirty-fourth asteroid.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

WILMINGTON, May 12th, 1855. Turpentine .- Further sales yesterday of 116 bbls, at 2,90 for yellow dip and 1,70 for hard per bbl. : and to-day of a small lot (6 bbls.) at same

Spir its. - There was a further advance yesterday

of a t, per gal, with sales of 246 casks, at 42½ at 48 cts. To-day the price has gone back to 42½ cts. with sales af 400 casks at that figure.

Rosin —Sales yesterday of 1,900 bhls Common at 1,50 per bbl. for large bbls., and 20 bbls. No. 1,

had not been sold when we closed inquiries.

Corn —We note the receipt yesterday of a cargo f 1100 bushels which changed hands at 1,20 per

Bacon.—Sales to-day of 2500 lbs. N. C. hog round, at 124 cts. per lb. Cotton —Sales yesterday of 24 bales, at 94 cts. per lb. for good middling.—[Hzz.]

PAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

FAYETTEVILLE May 12.
Bacon, per lb., 9 to 10—Cotton, per lb., 8 to 91. Cotton Bagging, per yard—Gunny 18, Dundee 14, Burlaps, 10 to 12, Cotton Yarn, per 1b, Nos to 10, 18, Domestic Goods, per yard-Brown Sheetings, 71 8, Osnaburgs, 81 to 10, Flour, per barrel—Superfine, 9 50, Fine, 9 25, Cross, 9 00, Feathers, per lb. 42 to 45, Corn, 1 25, Wheat, 1

Remarks.-Bacon, no change in price, market well supplied. Corn in demand at improved, prices—sales from wagons at \$1 25 per bushel Cetton still continues to improve in price—sales at 9 to 91 for best grades. Flour, no change to ote-receipts light.

Spirits Turpentine 89 cents per gallon. Raw do. virgin \$2 60; yellow dip \$2 16 to \$2, 25; hard \$1 15.—Car.

List of Letters. DEMAINING in the Post Office, at Raleigh,

Allen, Mrs Aley S

It from the 14th of April to the 14th of May. Jackson, William A Avera, Mrs Mary A Jones, Miss Elvira T Amis, Miss Mary J Jordan, Miss Clara Adams, Quinton Jones & Royster Mesers

Johnson, Leroy

Bohrer, Augustus 2 Kluge, Eugene Branton, Mrs Ellen A Kilkelly, Mrs M G Barber, J W Browning, S R Lee, Wellington S Brown, N L Langdon, S G Laws & Tate, Messrs Bodrey, Mrs Bethey Langdon, Elias

Burtt & Richardson. Martin, John Messrs. McCullers, Edwin Marye, Mrs Martha McRae, John R., Assi't Engineer Moring, Henry Bell, J A Morrow, E G Booker, Paschal Metts, James Manly, Polly or Daniel James

Nowell, Miss L A Crockett, George W Cofer, William W Frances Chilly, John Norwood, Miss Sallie Coplin, Miss Betsy Nichols, Henry W Carpenter, Stephen O'Neal, Simeon

Dodge, Wm M Driver, Miss Martha A Phillips, Miss Martha Devereux, Mrs Frances Palmer, John L Denton, P F & Dill-Pittman, Mrs Sallie C mao D W Messrs Perry, Willis Dettman, Christian Perry, Doct Wiley Pool, J H Emmons, Eben'r Prof Price, Mrs Nancy Emmons, Jr, E English, Mr Infant Ruffin, James H Drummer

Ransom, Matthew Exum, Miss Kate Richardson, H M Exum, Miss Cathrine 2 Ransom, M W Ragan, John Fleming, John M. Ray, Thos Francis, Peter Felts, Lewis Stedman, David P Foster, James T Salmonser, Wm H

Freeman, Dr John H Stephens, Mrs Martha Sutherland, M A Bohrenkeissen, Mr Smith, R H Stone, John T Smith, E D Gunter & Pearson. Tate, Robt Messrs

Geormand, John Utley, Miss Sarah Ann Hudson, Miss Jane L Haughton, T C Ulrick, W T Howell, B N Haughton, Charles T Velvin, Mrs Clara Hicks. Wm J Hardie, Miss Louisa Y White, Edy Harrison, John W Williams, Ed A Hicks, Jackson Howerton, Wm M

Williams, Simon or Or-Hunter, Miss Martha Wellons, Mrs Harriet J Wright, William T Haswell, Presly R. Williams, Duncan Harriss, Wm H Willson, Joel V Hordon, E L Willson, Arthur Bryan

Hall, Jas H Walton, Mrs Cyntha or Herndon, Richard Williams, Josiah Jones, K & Son 2 Williams, Gen S A Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please say they are Advertised. WM. WHITE, P. M.

May 14, 1855.

Notice. ROF. CHARLES B. STUART, of Randolph Macon College, Va., will deliver an Adress before Johnston Academy, on the 7th June next. May 15, 1855. 39 w 2w

FISH! FISH! FISH! W H. PUTNEY has just received, at the . FISH AND PROVISION STORE, 50 Barrells No. 1 Salt Shad; and 200 do No. 1 N. C. Cut Herrings,

which he will sell cheap for cash or barter for Bacon, Lard or Flour. He also has for sale nice articles of Bacon Hams. Lard, Flour, -indeed, most all of the articles usually kept in a Provision Store. Country Produce received for storage and sold a commission. W. H. PUTNEY.

May 15, 1855.

Splendid Lottery---May, 1855. GREGORY & MAURY, Managers (Successors to J. W. Maury & Co.) **\$**67,500.

Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE. CLASS L FOR 1855. Drawn at Wilmington, Del., Sat., May 26, 1856

18 Drawn Numbers out of 78. BRILLIANT SCHEME.

.20,000 10,000 ..6,000 10 do 4,000 ..2,000 ...1,000 Lowest 8 No. Prizes &c. Tickets, \$20,00-Halves \$10,00-Quar. \$5,00 Eights 2,50.

Certfs. of Pkg's of 26 whl. tickets, \$270 00 26 half do 185 00 26 quarter do 67 50 do do 26 eighth do 38 75

Orders for Tickets and shares and Certificates of Packages in the above splendid Lotteries will resize the most prompt attention, and an account of hausted. The patience of Job might know me tryeach drawing will be sent immediately after it is over to all who order from me. P. J. BUCKEY, Agent.

HAY. To close a consignment, I will sell 50 to 100
Bales of Hay at reduced prices.
Terms, cash on delivery. J. BROWN,
No. 9 Payetteville Street.
Raleigh, March 26, 1855.

Wilmington Del,

Parasols and Umbrellas. large and varied assortment of Parasol and Umbrellas, new styles, W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

OREGON PEAS.—A small supply in store and soon.
for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD. Ma

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the honger as with one voice, from one of the Union to the other, to stamp the character with one approbation. It is a my Cinhment with your approbation. It is scarce by two years since I made it known among you and already, it has obtained more celebrity that any other medicine in so short a period.

THOMAS HOLLOWAY.

38, Cor. of Ann and Nassau streets, New York.

ASTONISHING CURE OF SORE LEGS AFTER: NINE YEARS STANDING. Copy of a Letter from Mr. J. W. Langley, of Huntsville, Yadkin County, North Carolina U. S. dated November 1st 1859.

READ HIS OWN WORDS

To Professon Hosloway, Sir:-It is not my wish to nother is this letter written writing, but to say, that your Game of one of the most dreadful out and that flesh is heir to, and which was that flesh is heir to, and which was considered by all who knew me, to be entirely beyond the reach of medicine. For nine years I was inflicted with one of the most painful and worklesome sore legs that ever fell to the lot of man; and after trying every medicine I had ever heard of, I resigned in despair all hope of being cured; but a friend brought me a couple of large pots of your Ointment, which esused the sores on my legs to heal, and I entirely regained my health to my agreeable surprise and delight, and to the astonishment of my friends. (Signed) W. J. LANGLEF. AN EXTRAORDINARY CURE OF A BAD BREAST, WHEN NEARLY AT THE POINT OF DEATH.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Durant, New Or-leans, November 9th, 1853.

Dear Sir,—It is with heartfelt gratitude I have to inform you that by the use of your Ointment and Pills, the life of my wife has been saved. For seven years she had a bad breast, with ten running wounds, (not of a cancerous nature.) I was told that nothing could save her; she was then in-

dress at New York. (Signed) R. DURANT.

Pills should be used conjointly with the Ointment in most of the following cases:

ad Legs Contracted and Stiff Joints (Signed) Bad Legs Bad Breasts Burns Pistulas Rheumatism Sourvy Bunions Salt Rheum Chilblains Boalds

Holloway, 88, Corner of Ann and Nassau Streets New York, also by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the United States, in Pots, at 37½ cents, 87 cents, and \$1.50 cents each To be had Wholesale of the principal Drug Houses in the Union, and of Messrs, S. B. & J. A. Evans, Wilmington, and P. F. Pescud,

the larger sizes. N. B.-Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot.

Franklinton Institute. distinguished speakers. The patrons of the school and the friends of

education generally are invited to attend.

D. S. RICHARDSON, Principal.

May 11, 1855.

Intendant's Office. RALEIGH, May 9th 1855. eration of the citizens with the City autho ville Street, from the Cape Fear Bank to the Capitol; Wilmington Street, from Davie to Hargett
Street; Hargett Street, from Wilmington to Fayetteville Street,—to sweep the dirt and offal from
their lots and Stores, in piles, to and at the middle of the Street. A cart will be sent every Saturday morning until the lat of November, here-

By order of the Board, 'WM. DALLAS HAYWOOD, Intendant

Bricks | Bricks | | Bricks | | THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING MADE PER-

PURSUANT to a deed of trust executed to me, as trustee, by the Rev. Bennet T. Blake, I shall proceed to sell, on the premises, in the city of Raleigh, on the 5th of June, lots No. 182, 183, Persons desiring to examine the premises can do so by calling at the office of the North Carolina

TERMS. - A credit of twelve months, with inter

ALONZO T. MIAL, Trustee

HAVE been matrimously inclined a long I HAVE been matrimously menned a long time, and have expatiated extensively on the tender passion for the last six years, but with no success. It has been said the Almighty intended certain ladies for certain gentlemen. Having ing for years more; but, in order to save time and breath, I have come to the final conclusion, as a last resort, to advertise for a WIFE; and, after giving a description of the kind of one that would suit me, I sincerely hope that the Ladies will not nave any accupies as to informing so (addressing me as below) there as to informing so (addressing me as below) through the Post Office.

I want a lady of good family, raised in the country, of handsome form and face intelligent, amiable disposition, a moderate temper, a good seamstress,—not partial to Temperance Societies, who will keep clean glasses on the side-board and fresh water, and, in case of my absoluce, will introduce my friends to its contents—decorate my parior and ornament my kitchen, pay particular attention to good eatings, and not take any Ladies' Book that contains the latest fishions.

POINT OF DEATH. To Professor Holloway, 38, Corner of Ann and Nassau Streets, New York.

duced to use your Ointment and Pills, when in the short space of three months, they effected a perfect cure, to the astonishment of all who knew us. We obtained your Medicines from Messra. Wright & Co., of Chartres-street, New Orleans. I send this from "Hotel des Princes," Paris, although I had written it at New Orleans, before we finally left, at that time, not knowing your address at New York.

The Pills should be used con-Swellings Chapped hands Sore Nipples Wounds

**_Sold at the Establishment of Professor

There is a considerable saving by taking

Semi-Annual Examination. It will commence on May 28d and close on the 25th with Rheterical Exercises by the Students, and addresses by

THE Intendant respectfully invites the co-opties in promoting the health of the city, during the coming summer, and the cleanness of the Streets. He particularly requests the tenants, lessees, or owners of lots on both sides of Payette-

after, to remove the same. May 11, 1865.

manent arrangements for carrying on the BRICK-MAKING business on an extensive scale, are now prepared to contract for the delly the ensuing season, of from one to two m Bricks of the best quality and at such prices as will Orders from a distance will be promptly aften ed to, and bricks delivered at either of the Depot if desired GEO. T. COOKE & CO. Raleigh, March 12, 1855.

Town Lots for Sale.

situated on Hillsboro' street, one square West of the Capitol. The lots contain about one acre of land and are bounded by Hillsboro, M'Dowell and Morgan streets. The location is one of the most desirable in the city, being sufficiently near the business portion of the city to be convenient. and sufficiently retired from the noise and bustle for the comforts of a private residence. There are on the lot two dwelling houses, with fine stables. kitchens and all necessary out houses.

Advertisement.

est from date.

dies' Book that contains the latest fishions.

I am comfortably situated in Wake county, and tired of staying by myse f. Make application soon.

A BACHELOR. May 7, 1865,