THE IREDELL EXPRESS. EUGENE B. DRAKE & SON. EDITORS AND PROPRIETORS.

PERSONS DESIROUS TO REMIT US MONIT. • Can do so at our risk, by taking the Post Master's Re-exipt, to exhibit, in case the money got lest. Gold dollars, when sent, should be stuck to the inside of the sheet with sealing wax or a wafer. Postage-stamps taken as money. 

### "Government Patronage."

The Winston Sentinel, true to low and vul- amounts to corruption in the government, as sortments of merchandize, that would do gar instincts and a love of spoils, devotes a ti- much so as if, the President were to propose rade of slang and clap-trap in reply (!) to an to buy support in another way. He says in Besides four or five churches, several hotels, article which appeared in the Express week so many words, "Those who will support my Mint, and other public buildings, there is a before last, on "Mail Contracts," &c., and administration, them will I pay." Hence it flourishing female Seminary, Military Acadfeebly enough, endeavors to justify the us- follows that such as do not support him, get emy, several extensive manufactories, and age which was inaugurated by Democratic nothing. Nor does it alter the case, whether enterprize enough among the citizens to put Presidents and their Subs, we believe, of re- the Banner and other kindred prints, are to into execution whatever may be considered warding a partizan press, for services render- receive \$450 or \$200 for publishing the mail proper to advance the interest of the place .ed in upholding and advocating locofoco prin- contracts ; it is a consideration which is al- A most worthy example for others to follow. ciples.

The knowery and disgusting humbuggery from snout to tip of tail-carcass, hide, and -we did not have the pleasure of admiring, half hidden by dark-green foliage. Or now hundred free fights" who scans your wellwhich is attempted to be palmed off upon the hazzlets! For such service, we are ready to for the weather was too inclement for them with a glorious flood of light enveloping the stuffed saddle-bags:---do all this without a nourpublic in defending this position, would be admit, the pay bould be ample-for it is a to adorn the side walks with their charming silent city, keeping vigils over its profound mur, and you will be entitled to the epithet of much less apparent, were it not for an ad- nauscous job-but we object to Whigs being presence. mission, unwittingly made, no doubt, that compelled to pay any part, of it to those who

the "spoils" are a legitimate plunder for the oppose their principles. Party in power, and that they have a right, If Democracy are disposed to retrench, let We learn that on Saturday afternoon last, without objection being made in any quarter, thein begin with small matters and large; in Newton, N. C., Frederic Thornburg was to use the public funds ad libitum! " It is but we opine they will be no less extravagant fatally "stabled in the stomach by Robert not only the right, but the duty of the gov- hereafter than in days of yore. The only way Rheinhardt, and died of the wound on Sun- to me. ernment," says the Sentinel, " to encourage, to teach a spendthrift economy is to place day. The particulars as we were informed so far as it may by the dispensation of its pa- money beyond his reach, and rogues from are as follows: As Thornburg and Rheintronage, that portion of the press which rep- stealing use strong locks, nor entrust them hardt were leaving a grogshop where they resents and sustains the principles upon which with the keys. We do not envy our neigh- partook of liquor, a fight was going on outit is carried on," &c. This declaration made bor his share of the spoil-no, no. But let side between two other parties, when Thornby the Sentinel, is not for the first time an- him and others be satisfied out of the right 'burg interfered in behalf of one of them, and nounced to the public, and the principle is pockets. no new thing-for the practice of the government for years has been, to squander the Look Out for a Crash. public money upon, a subsidized press, and trading, vagabond politicians, until the treasury is become bankrupt! This must be as well-known to the Sentinel, as it is patent to

the country and it is for that the "Iredell The high prices for which negroes and lands Express, grumbles," more than for giving the are selling at the South, on credit, has no par- James Harty & Co.-China Hall. advertising the "Mail Contracts" to Demo- allel in this country, and other extravagance While in Charlotte we made a visit to cratic newspapers exclusively, please the Sen- is more rampant than before was ever known. "CHINA HALL" for the purpose of view-

opposed the principle of exclusiveness, as al- new ones. Messrs. Yates and Holton of the so the unnecessary extravagance, so common | Democrat and Whig, and Mr. Strange of the now-a-days, in farming out government con- Mint, were known to us of yore, whose friendtracts. We suggested that the advertising, ship we renewed, and met accidentally with like any other matter, might be let to the others whom we were pleased to see. Perhaps no town in the South, certainly lowest and best bidders, and not be used as Statesville, Friday, February 18, 1859. it now is for special rewards to favorites .- I none in North Carolina, has made such rap-That the object of this exclusiveness is to id progress within a few years, as Charlotte

benefit a partizan press, is too apparent to ad- | has done. From an inconsiderable village mit of a doubt-a bribe, it is to maintain pow- Charlotte is enlarged into-we had like to er, by whomsoever-although, we do not as have said City-and would not be far wrong sert that every supporter, of any administra- if we did. The business houses and stores tion has or will receive a bribe. Then, it already are many, and exhibit very large as-

credit to the larger houses in Northern cities. lowed to them for advocating Democracy- The chief attraction of all towns-the ladies

Man killed in Newton-Escape.

Rheinhardt stepped in and with a knife cut

ny into ruin and entail the scenes of 1837-8 has fled.

tenel. It is simply absurd, in the Sentinel Supposing the price of cotton should keep up leg its splendid Wares and elegant arrange-

Correspondence. OUR HOME CORRESPONDENCE. For the Express.

To the Man in the Moon :-4.14

me from your exalted Throne; and I will add, you can't hold your eyes open without an ef- Here it is. that it has awakened thoughts that never be- fort,-bid your friends a willing farewell. fore entered into the dreams of a vissionary however much they may be inclined to evoke An appeal to the Democratic members' school-girl.

ignantly regarding our planet. How often rain, don't mind the sudden changes of the your silver beams illuminate our World, ren- wheather, get so hoarse that the man who dering every scene so romantic and almost overtakes you and speaks to you can't hear spirit-like in their soft loveliness : glancing your reply, then you may make signs: at upon the quiet lake or limpid stream, reflec- which let him ride off muttering something ting a halo of beauty,-or trembling upon about your being "some foolor other," which the delicate flower revealing its soft blushing you must believe,--ineet every one with a hues,-or searching out the pearly dew-drops, smile, even that savage-looking "hero of a

off worship of few, whose refined feelings en- world will not acknowledge your right to it able them to appreciate the pure and beauti- who cares? You will have the happy con ful,-the poetry of life.

There is a marvellous facination in these sufficient, for Alexander Smith, whom the moon-lit nights; it is so like an inspiration world calls a genius, says-"A man can bear

I imagine from the brilliant display of

light radiated from your Kingdom, that in And then, dear patient, being according t magnificence it is pre-eminently superior Chaptnan "up to the chin in the Pierian to our earth. ' But still, I must say with the flood:'' that is, a full grown genius, you may Poet, "My own green land forever." And have the evening of your journey brighter "Young America" too, is without a parallel, than its morning, for the wild North-easter if he does go into "delectable spasms" some- will be changed to a luscious South-wind,

the deceased across the stomach to the liver times, putting on his "Sunday-face," and as- when friends will soon greet you, and, sick in a gash of five inches. They were on good sume a nondescript-gait. I always shall ad- though you be, it will be something of a lux-There can be no doubt that the time is terms previously. Thornburg was a shoe- mire his moustache and insinuating address, ury, while they watch your pale face, and near at hand, in several of the Southern maker, and leaves a wife and three or four (I beg pardon for dissenting from your moon- with tender hands smooth your pillow, and

Yours with profound regard, IONE.

ahead" boys, who dare to be original, and your frame has grown stronger and your select their own way. "Fast young men" drooping spirits become brighter, do as that is an enviable sight these days,-they are Doctor-cousin of yours bid you, take the othfifty years in advance of the present age; er gup, and follow him over the hills, let the who now don't adore them ? Your lordship birds sing as merrily as they wish, and the will not think this extravagant, I hope! If brooklets murmur at your feet, be hepeful.

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wise. But at some period of one's life, will A Democratic "Confidential" Carcular. the latent power within them appear, and We have received from a friend in Raleigh, their right to certain claims be undeniable .- one of the "Confidential" Circulars, which of which is to purchase Central Amer-And now if any of my school boy readers (or was distributed among the Democratic mem- ica for the residence of the free negroes other than school boy) pine for the "gift," I bers of the Legislature, recently, expressing and that \$50,000,000 be appropriated may furnish a satisfactory prescription for fears for the salvation of the party, and urg- for that purpose. Politeness ; them, and for which I cannot find it in my ing members to act with more energy in the | demands that I should respond to your epis- heart to charge more than "three postage discharge of their public duties to the people. tive, executive, and judiciary bill, an tle,-if there were no other inducement. I stamps." Here it is. Get sick, very sick if It is a curious document and shows the item of \$200,000 mileage for members teel considerably flattered by the notice your possible, indeed have a dozen hemorrhages "shaking of dry-bones" in the Deraocratic of Congress, also an item of \$250,000 moonship has been pleased to bestow upon in a week or less, so that you will be so feeble bee hive. We give it exactly as minted.- for the purchase of a site for, and the

a tear, get on a horse and ride-no one

Some consideration is due you, for so ben- knows whither, but keep on, if it rains let it slumbers ; and recompensed only by the far- a Genius-according to Buffon. What if the ciousness within of being such, and that i

Which says he's worthy."

[CONFIDENTIAL.]

of the House of Commons of North Carolina.

The adjournment of the Legislature public printing. The bill passed in its is now near at hand, and our golitical campaign-State and Federal-of 1860, with all the important results which must accompany its lecision, will be conducted mainly in view of the doings of the Democracy in relation to the various plans of internal improvement that have been presented during the session. These are he great practical questions by which persons will be judged. With but two exceptions, these measures have been voted down in the House of Commens; and, from that action, a fatal dat ger is to

be feared to the ascendence of the Democratic party of North Carolina. The State was Whig for years; and its

A world's contampt when he has that within, traditions and principles take heir com

States, at least, when a crash is to tumble ma- children. Rheinhardt is a young man and ship's opinions.] We believe in these "go- with gentle voices cheer you. Then after fully appealed to, for the uifer over- Thursday, that the Standard should grounds for it to our enemies?

Have not these grounds been given fown party, where it properly belongs, zation in the opposition of many Dem- | position. -

News, &c. From the Raleigh Register.

struggle, Mr. Doolittle, of Wisconsin.

introduced a substitute, the substance

The House struck from the legisla-

erection of a building for court pur-

poses in New York. It reduced the

appropriation for the mints at New

York and San Francisco, and added

\$167,000 to the deficiencies in the

amended form. Mr. Branch reported

back from the committee on Foreign

Affairs, a bill appropriating \$30,000,

000 for negotiating the purchase of

Cuba. The bill was referred to the

Committee of the Whole. Mr. Davis.

of Miss., gave notice that he should

move to substitute the word take for

the word purchase in the bill. Mr.

Bocock introduced a bill to increase

the number of pursers and surgeons in

FERUARY 5th, 1859

MR.EDITOR :- It is apparent from plexion from the old Whig sontiment. | the Standard of to-day that the edit-It was only through the progration of ors of that sheet are endeavoring to the old Whig party, when betrayed by hold the Opposition, as they choose Know-Nothingism, that the Shate to designate the Whigs and Ameriwent over to the Democratic side .- cans of the present Legislature, re-There has been, however, re radical sponsible for not doing something to and essential change in the views of promote the progress of the Western the people upon general questions of North Carolina Rail Road,

the Navy.

public policy. These views a c settled It is not at all surprising, after and permanent, and may by success- the vote of the House of Commons on throw of our party, when we ffer any take the alarm and seek to throw the responsibility from the shoulders of its

to the foes of the Democrat's organi- and foist it upon the backs of the op-

ocratic members to the vari us-inter- It will be well for the unterrified

for a share of government patronage, if it were bestowed upon us. Nothing, would be more present juncture, provided we would turn traitor to our principles, and share the reward of corruption, as the Sentinel may be now doing. When Democracy shall put on the substance as well as the semblance of honesty, then it may stand a chance to get our support, and : not earlier, It is a fact well known to us, that rewards are at all times open freely to all who will embrace them, and turn Democrat,-and we would simply ask, Was the Scatinel not bought after this manner?

At the risk of making this article longer than at first we contemplated, we will annex the following statements which ( says an exchange) are evidently but a sample of what might be said of any and every branch of the public service :--

" Mr. Sherman's committee of investigatitices in the Navy Yards. What he will ner at Philadelphia, Pensacola, and Norfolk. The most gross corruption yet detected is in will be proved that at and immediately before the last election 2.300 persons were in public pay at the Brooklyn Navy Yard .-They turned the election in favor of Maclay, credit, chiefly. A few weeks ago a negroe Western Extension, has just met with a Wareturn of the regular candidate in that dispelled to give the officials one-half their wagfirms of greater responsibility. Materials dealing too largely in credit, and depending they ? ered. In short, the Navy Yards are shown to be sinks of profligaey. It is hardly denifor success. ed that the Philadelphia navy yard is the the politics of the whole State. The cost of disburse the funds.

Astounding as all this is, and even shock ing to the nerves and arousing the fears of had been opened, he was dealt a mortal blow taken." many professed Democrats, who are them-Sentinel, " It is not only the right, but the du- the horrid deed. ty of the government, to encourage, so far as

that portion of the press (and of conrese every This is a large Grocery and Commission tain homes, without the pleasure of seeing dear to one far away.-the joys and sorrows our State laws. As is the case always in called a protectionist, to rejet the obody else) which represents and sustains the House, dealing extensively in Country Pro- or hearing a locomotive coursing throug

to insinuate that we would change our flag. to present figures, then the evil day must ar- ment, and to form the acquain I wish to retain this idea, I must forbear to eatch life from the breezes, and vigor from rive, for it will be quite impossible for pay- gentlemanly proprietors, Messrs, Ja's Harty glance at your bright face, for I have nar- the pure air, keep on, and when you go to ments to be promptly met when prices go on & Co. The China, Porcelain, Queensware, rowly escaped a fairy javelin of Cupid, and town some day go to the store, and by reason easy for us to secure than the smiles and fa- enlarging so rapidly. But cotton will not Cutlery, and almost every other article in there is a bewitching lastre in your appear- of "legal weights" find yourself heavier by vors of the White House, especially at the long sell as it is now selling, in all probabil- the house-keeping line, is equal to the best ance, a mysterious power I'm unable to solve. eighteen pounds than when you started. I ity, then what? In 1824-5 cotton was sold stocks offering in the large cities, and are sold | I have not come to a decision on your pro- think that in the exuberance of your joy, you as high as 28 and 30 cents a pound, and in a at prices as low. It is a splendid establish- posal yet ; it all seems so like a hallowed will exclaim with Ben Johnson's satisfied month afterward fell to 12 and 13 cents, and ment, and merits a visit from all newly mar- dream or Elysian revery. You'll pardon my man : then down to 6 and 7 cents a pound. The ried couples and others wanting to refit a want of decission, remembering, I'm a mere

consequence was the bankruptey of thous- household. Some of the China-service are school-girl.

ands, and general prostration of the financial equal in splendor to anything we ever saw .affairs of the country. From \$1000 negroes This House imports much of their wares went down to \$300 and \$400. In1837-8, cot- from Europe. For our visit we received a and tell you in the strictest confidence, that ton sold at 16 and 18 cents in the markets of handsome Present, and were made a gainer there is our among the lords of earth, in whom Mobile and New Orleans, and \$1200 to \$15- for calling. If others might not be so lucky, 00 was considered a large price for No. 1 neg- they can at least obtain good bargains by roemen in Mississippi, where we were then re- calling at China Hall.

siding. Cotton went down to 6 and 7 cents: negroe men fell to \$600 and \$400, and the The Revenue Bill world is familiar with the pecumiary desola- Having passed the Senate and received a whose deep tones are all melody,-the soul-

tion that followed. Now cotton is selling for finish, will be published in the Express so hit eye of a poet, and magnanimity and loftiabout 12 cents, at the South, and negroe fel- soon as we receive a copy. The people in all ness of soul; affluent in intellectual treasures,

how for h \$1500 to \$1 prove to have been going on at Brooklyn for | it nearly all the sales are effected of lands But taxes are indispensible for the support of benefit his race ; and oh ! he loves me, and years past has been performed in like man- and negroes. Even the traders that go from government, and to be appreciated must be with him I would become wise and better, the middle States with their droves to the felt.

the employment, or rather in the payment of South are forced to sell chiefly upon credit. mechanics and laborers whose services are or do so for the sake of the long prices. The Fate of the Western Extension. not needed, and indeed are not rendered. It immense droves of horses and mules which A correspondent writing to us from Raleigh, are annually taken to the South from Ken- says :

tucky, Tennessee, &c., are likewise sold upon

and against Col. Hamilton, and had it been trader from North Carolina was robbed in the terloo defeat, yeas 31, noes 74. Alf hope of possible to unite on Taylor or Litchford, these city of Montgomery of \$10,000, but only getting assistance from this Legislature is MESSES. EDITORS:

\$2500 of the sum was in cash, the balance gone. We will be compelled to go upon the Here let me acknowledge the reception of trict. Master workmen have pocketed pay was in obligations. With such datum, it re- old stage-line principle. The Governor,s the "Express" in its enlarged and beautiful returned on the rolls as paid to persons who quires no prophet to foretell what the result fair promises, made last summer, have been form. With an anlargement of interest with- ering before the storm, is almost ready to give are shown not to have been employed at all. will be, and it is only a point of time when disregarded by this Domocratic House, and in its provinces, its capabilities are thus keepthe denouement will take place. Two or I believe, the people, particularly in the ing pace, so let me wish that its shadow may es. Contracts have been awarded to bidders three years, in all probability, will witness West, will place no confidence in the pledges never grow less, and the pockets of its propriat double the rates offered by individuals and the explosion of this reckless infatuation of that will be made in 1860. And why should etors never become light.

To one separated from his home, nothing upon the treacherous markets of the world Enclosed you will find a circular, which brings surer comfort than the arrival of the

was sent secretly to the Democratic members home paper. It brings its messages punctuof the House, but unlucky enough for them ally, thus being better than the letters of one's the battle is over is well-nigh ready to lay him and Diplomatic Appropriation bill,centre of disbursements which often control Bank Clerk Murdered and Bank Robbed it fell into the hands of the Whigs. I hope friends-who await inclination to write. In down and die, when in imagination he hears After devoting some time to the horse While at Charlotte last week we met with you will publish it. The bill taking off some other respects, too, there is a marked differis greater than at other yards, showing that a gentleman from Tennessee, who detailed to of the restrictions on the Greenville and ence in the effects produced by those miscorruption prevails there as elsewhere. It is us the particulars of a most inhuman murder French Broad Rail Road is now under con- sives. You can tear off the wrapper of the and bold and daring robbery af a Bank at sideration. The Salisbury Bank bill has paper, and devour its multifarious contents hand is again upon his sword, and he is a business for Tuesday and Wellnesday. ons annually appropriated to the navy, three millions are plundered by the profligacy. Jacksonville, in that State. It was suppos- just passed the Senate with a Branch at without palpitation or hesitancy, but what gain ready for the march or the conflict. "A striking illustration of the depth heedlessness and corruption of those who ed the Clerk of the Bank was called up at Statesville. The bill is well restricted, and wanderer has not felt an undefinable dread of night, by the assassin and robber to pay or many persons think the restrictions are too the very letter he had looked so anxiously receive some money, and when the vanit unreasonable, but I think the stock will be for, and held it to his bosom with a strange you, by John Howard Payne, the author of debate. During the discussion of the fondness, vet feared to read? Who knows

upon the back of the head with a heavy Just as we expected ! When Judge ( now but that calamities and sorrows have been selves engaged in exposing to public condem- Eindgeon, which produced instant death .- Governor) Ellis was canvassing the State last brooding over, or the Angel of Death alightnation the profligacy and corruption which On the following morning the body of the summer, and making speeches favorable to ed within, the circle where his heart loved to ry and a stranger in the distant East. is an everyday custom with a majority of the Clerk was found cold and stiff near the vault, the Western Extension, we believed that his dwell, and that that letter bears the sad mesmembers in their party, and especially with the which was open; and the sum of \$30,000 blarney was all cant, and nothing but cant. sage! So the reading of the one is a luxury, portion of it occupying place and power: yet, ac- missing. When our informant left, no clue There is now no other prospect but for the while that of the other, a rapture (in a literal

it may by the dispensation of its patronage. R. M. Oates & Co., Grocers, Charlotte. In the indice in the indice in the indice interfering white men, there is an of the risk of being

"I do not wish myself a bit taller, a bit shorter, A bit stouter, a bit thinner than I am At this very moment."

But enough of badinage. I will, therefore, P. S .- Perhaps I should be candid with you close this letter with an incident. While I I realize my views of a gentleman; in him I perceive beautifully combined, all that can adorn, or clevate human nature: a noble countenance, a peerless symmetry of form, elegant and dignified manners,-a voice have seen going the round of the papers duhad seen him, and perhaps near the spot ple? where the scene occurred, it possessed a powthough not so exalted in station as if I shared

> "Home, the dearest, sweetest word in our language-to anxious, care-worn, or even hard, stern man, above all things earthly, most dear.

mer's sun, thinks of eventide and his happy home, and bends himself refreshed to his toil.

ters are dashing by and the frantic winds are so? whirling his vessel as if a feather, and cowhome come to his mind, and he is a man again. Wiping away with his hard hand the unaccustomed tear, he looks down into the gricultural College bill, from the House binnacle with an undimmed eye, and plants after some amendments, was bassed by his foot upon the deck with a firmer tread. | 25 yeas to 22 nays. Mr. Shi ell urged and lavs hold of the wheel with a grasp which

his Cuba measure, and said he would no roll of the vessel can unloose. "The warrior, wounded and weary, when move it as an amendment to the Civil the sweet voices at home and the song they railroad the Senate adjourned. In the sing, is soldier rest, thy toils are over, and it is as an oil'in his wounds and strength to his House Mr. Stephens endeavored unweakness, and his front is again erect, and his successfully to bring up Territorial Various matters were discussed in Com-"A striking illustration of the depth and

universality of this love of home, was given inittee of the Whole, when the House that favorite billad, "Home, Sweet Home," It has been remarked as a sad but singular fact, that he who sang so sweetly of home, never had a home and died homeless, solin- itics of the country. We take the fol-

"Payne, when on a visit to Middle Georgia was very desirous of witnessing the games of the Cherokees before they were removed to cording to the declaration of the Winston had been discovered as to the perpetrator of Road to stop at Morganton for years, if in- sense.) They stand to each other as thought this section were in a citical position. It bethe West. It was at a time when affairs in dressed the committee upon the subdeed it ever reach beyond that point. Our to feeling, as business to attachment. The came necessary to establish a force, then call-

nal improvement measures introduced Democracy if their Organ can succeed at this session? Have we not put a in thus shifting the accountability; powerful weapon into the haids of our for as sure as the sun rises in the East opponents, with which, thless we and sets in the West, so sure will the promptly wrest it from their grasp, people of North Carolina have regard they will cut our throats at the next enough for their own interests to in-State elections? quire, and sense enough tounderstand.

The AYES AND NOES havin ; been ta- | what party has the power to grant ken upon the several questions alluded them relief and what party the power to, an authentic and indisputable RE- to withhold it, and then to hold those CORD is thereby furnished by which responsible, who, having this power, our opponents will not fail to profit in fail to exercise it in a proper way.

was in North Georgia I made the acquain- the important canvass of 1830. Shall Let us now see how stands the case tance of, and listened to, that accomplished they be allowed to do so ; and to go and where rests the responsibility .-scholar, and brilliant orator, Mr. Charles forward prosperously in the encoction The Democratic party has Eighty Wallace Howard, who was formerly pastor of that shrewdly-devised pl t of their members in the House of Commons of the Huguenot Church, of Charleston. The leaders for the ruin of the Immocratic the Opposition has only forty. In the beautiful anecdote which my readers may party in North Carolina, "ahich was Senate the Democracy has thirty-two indicated, only the other e, v, by no members; the Opposition only eighteen ring the last six months with regard to the less an authority than the Raleigh --making on joint ballot a clear Demoauthor of "Home, Sweet Home," is an ex- Standard ? SHALL NOT THE RECORD cratic majority of Fifty-four ! !tract from Mr. H.'s address which he deliv- BE CHANGED before it is tool is? Will Now, I most respectfully ask the ered in Cassville hast summer. He was a not every Democratic Componer put Editors of the Standard (and I insist friend of Payne's, and thus from the man that himself right, at once, befor the peo- upon an answer) by what rule of logic

can they hold the Whigs and Ameri-LET IT BE REMEMBE (ED that | cans responsible for the short comings er and adaptation superior to anything I have our overthrow in 1860 invelves the of a body in which they are overpowrecently heard. I will give the extract in loss of North Carolina to the Demo- ered by so large a majority? Do you cracy in the federal contest of that think that Western North Carolina is year, and perhaps the election of a peopled by a race of mortals destitute BLACK REPUBLICAN PRESI- of common-sense? Do you take us DENT! Already are out enemies for a set of block-heads, who have eves, "The laborer, when sinking under the sum- counting with confidence upon REVO- yet will not see, and ears, but will not LUTIONIZING THE STATE when that hear, and understanding, but eannot "The sailor tempest-tossed as the mad wa- time comes. WILLYOU LET THEM DO perceive? Don't you think that our

people will see, and know, and understand that 'this Democratic Legisla. ture had the power, and wielded it too. to give relief to the Wilmington and In the Senate, on Monday, the A Manchester Railroad, to the Favetteville and Coalfields Railroad, and that they might have exercised the same, if they choose to have done so, in granting some little assistance to the Western North Carolina Railroad ? Judging by your editorial, Mr. Standard, it seems to me that you place a very low estimate upon the intelligence of the freemen of Western North Carolina ; but let me warn you, and your Democratic party, that those people will awaken you from the somnolesence into which you have fallen, and will astonish you by thundering into your ears, in tones not to be mis-Tariff question in the evening session, understood, that they have at least Mr. Vance made a speech of the polsense enough to know, that the party. having the power, is the party to whom lowing brief report of Mrs V.'s rebelongs the responsibility. marks from the National Intedigencer:

LINVILLE.

## North Carolina and New-York Flour.

jects of the tariff, the public linds, and The "Rowan Mills Family Flour" was compared this week with the celebrated "Hi-Indians and overawe designing white men, diers of the war of 1812. He held ram Smith's Double Extra" costing \$8 in New York, and the decision given in favor of the Rowan Mills by one of our oldest merchants, who was the importer of the New

York flour. Our people would consult their

interests (to say nothing of State pride) by

buying North Carolina instead of New York

flour when they can get a better article at \$1

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to \$2 per bbl. less .- Newbern Progress.

FROM OUR FLORIDA CORRESPON-" The bill taking off the restriction on the

DENCE. No. 3. For the Express.

S. F. COLLEGE.

your Throne.

prinsiples upon which it is carried on." The government might be never so corrupt-may oppress the people with taxes and grind them under the nether mill-stone-nav, rob honest Dr. Sandford's Liver Invigorator toil of millions of hard-earned dollars to go into the pockets of office holders and for election bribes ; but it must be done, to "sustain the principles upon which the government is carried on," says the Sentinel.

And the "press" the Sentinel tells us, " in this country, is the great lever of political opinion." With such a party in powerand a corrupt press to do the bidding of the government and its demoralized agents, in the endeared name of our Country, what have the people to hope for !

The Sentinel closes its article with prons up- Charlotte. on the economy of Mr. Buchanan's adminiaof Mr. Adams! An idiot might be supposed to possess more sense than that !

# The Salisbury Banner

Informs us that the sum allowed by gov- As the omnibus whirled through the streets ernment for publishing the "mail contracts" from the depot the effect of the gas-lights in is much less than \$450 to each paper. Our dwellings and stores was very fine, and it seeminformation was derived from what we ed that we were dashing through Chesnut conceived good authority, and we gave it as Street and not a town in North Carolina. it was told to us. Be that as it may, and if Making the best use of time on a day so the Banner works for government cheaper inclement as was Tuesday, we called upon than other sheets, we no not know; but we several old acquaintances and formed a few and energetically executed.

duce, Guano, and other merchandize. See their hills and valleys. But Great is Democracy ! and Gov. Ellis- of the young and the "slight flirtations by their advertisements in the Express. ----

stands at its head in North Carolina-with the light of a chandelier ;" or, on the other Is for Sale at the Store of S. J. Rickert where this great Remedy will be kept constantly. See advertisement.

Gold Watches & Jewelry, at Charlotte. We would invite attention to the advertisare extensive dealers in Gold and Silver Wat- or else the papers are allowed to be taken The one the outer life, the other, the inner, ches, Clocks, Silver and all Linds of Plated- from his office by persons having no right and like Longfellow's bow without the cord. Wares, Jewelry, &c.

tration, as compared with the administration flourishing town of Charlette, now grown

tered upon lodgings at the Mansion House, a well kept establishment by W.W. Elms, Esq.

the Winston Sentinel for a tail. -----

We have Frequent Complaint Made by subscribers that the Express does columns of a paper, but are conveyed by the

not reach them occasionally in time, and then letter. For the useful and practical, however, not at all ! This is as trying to us, as it is the paper is essential, and how indispensable! vexatious to them; and can be accounted for In the paper, too, we have the smiling face, ment of Messrs. J. G. Wilkinson & Co., of only in this way-some Post Master fails to and polite bow for the many, in the letter, the Charlotte, to be seen in this issue. They discharge his duty and forward the packages, hand-grasp that thrills your individual heart.

> to them, and too mean to subscribe and pay and Hiawatha without Minnehaha,-"Usethe cost of a paper for themselves. We are less each without the other."

informed it is a common practice with some But I must return to my journey. From Last week we made a flying visit to the Post Masters, especially where Offices are Murphy I went into Georgia, there bidding kept in Stores, to allow of the mail-matter farewell to the old State. Of my toiling and quite into a city. We arrived there after being scattered around and at the mercy of hoping through the lonely regions I next tradark by the cars of the Central Road and en- every loafer who enters, without regard to versed, it would be uninteresting to read, so ownership. This should not be allowed in I will not "bore" you reader, with it. Buffon justice to patrons and publisher ! somewhere defines Genius to be "a superior The Express is regularly and carefully aptitude to patience," and I must be candid

packed and mailed and forwarded from the and confess that, often during the tedious and months. Office in this place each week-any delay toilsome way, I had serious apprehensions of that may happen afterward, we cannot avoid. being gifted in that peculiar manner. Several Post Masters have a responsible duty to times in my early life had I pined eagerly for perform to the public, and be the reward the consciousness of being a Genius, but almuch or little, the trust should be faithfully ways, like the vulture which wished to be an eagle, I had to face the fact of being other- | State.

success of that one, even the gleeful meetings

hand, the sorrow that oppresses some one's

heart, or the shadow that clouds another's

future,-all these are too personal for the

of our friends, the prosperity of this one, the such circumstances, some of the Guard were rude men, enforcing their authority with vio-

> "Mr. Payne was warned that his visit would be attended with danger to himself, but he persisted, came to Cherokee Georgia, was seen by the Guard and taken prisoner .---On the night of his arrest, as the Guard and ply; but as the Government was now himself were lying around the camp-fire, per- spending more money than if income, haps not far from the spot where we are now assembled, one of the men began to sing "Home, Sweet Home." When he had finshed. Payne told him that he was the author the expenditures to the prest at tariff, of that song. The effect was electric. The or walk into an insolvent coult and file men started to their feet, unloosed his bonds and grasped his hands, declaring that the man who wrote Sweet Home could not be a traitor and should not be a prisoner, and the next morning dismissed him with deeds and words of kindness. The act was creditable to the men, and the highest compliment in the estimation of the author which his verses deeply implanted as among those of the high-est social distinction."

I now promise, dear reader, that the next time I write, I'll say something of this Sunny clime, which possesses wonderful charms during the cold weather of these winter D. C. R. Marianna, Florida. 25 50 It is stated that Gov. Stuart, of Missouri, can drink more poor corn

diousness of the doctrine that this country must keep on glorifying freetrade and borrowing money the pay the expenses of the Government? He was opposed to a tariff for protection sim-

Mr. Vance, of North Carelina, ad-

MANY EASTERN DEMCCRATS.

CONGRESS.

"Rowan Mills" are owned by O. G. Foard, Esor., and located on the Railroad between Statesville and Salisbury See Mr. Foard's they had either to raise the mariff to advertisement in the Express, wanting to pura level with the expenditures for lower chase wheat in any quantity, and know that at the "Rowan Mills" you will always obtain a good price for the article. a schedule. He believed the specific duties were the fairest, simplest, and Destruction of William & Mary College. best for the merchant, the consumer, From the Petersburg Express. and the Government. In relation to It is with unfeigned regret that we

the public lands, he agreed with Gen. annouce the total destruction of this Jackson, that they should not be kept instly celebrated seat of learning, one had ever received. It teaches that among as a source of revenue to the General of those old land-marks which, dating the rudest of men the sentiment of home is as Government, but should be distributed from the earliest colonial times served among the several States of the Un- to connect the past with the present

In the Senate, on Wedn sday, a monwealth.

resolution was adopted inqui ing into Of the origin of the fire, which comthe expediency of abrogating the Ca- menced in one of the western wings, nadian reciprocity treaty. "the reso- at half-past two o'clock in the mornlutions relative to the revenue were ing, but little is known with certainty. then taken up, when Mr. Trombs, of By day-break nothing but the bare Georgia, made a lengthy steech in walls were standing. The old Librareply to Mr. Bigler of the day before. ry, which contained thousands of volwhiskey than any other man in that Mr. Slidell's Cuban bill was hen tak- umes of rare interest, the contributien up, and after a long parlis nentary ons of potentates, and savans of all

in the history of our beloved Com-