What's the use of your laying a cost, If you never intelled to wear it ! What is the use of a dw. bugg for two, It you nev-rintend to share at ?

What's the use of your buying a book I' you never mount to text of And what's the use of a crade to rock, If you never intend to per 1 it f

MINE PIPE AND CUP.

Ven clouds are black above ... Und mud is plack below, Tis dep that I delove A cloud of shinoke to low. I tokes my mearschauge down, I takes mine lager #p. And cares not who do frown Upon ming progend cap.

Mine from, she scalle a let, When mine of I pipe in seen, Because somerim a Laphit Upon ber floor socieac; But dat is ifhe de ra n. Its doest's last alvay; She soop gets pleased again, Und set I atmokes away.

HE TENH

Bilek Pomers publishes the following for the edification of his readers :

"I would like to be a General. To search these wealthy rooms, And like old General Butler Steal Southern people's spoons! I would like to be a General.

Covered o'er with brilliant blue, To insult those Southern women, As Butler used to do."

Miscellaneous Acws

JOSH BILLINGS'S ESSA ONTO SWINE

Hogs generally are quadripid. The extreme length ov their antiquit has never been fully discovered; they existed a long time before the flood, and hev existed a long time since.

There is a grate deal ov internal revenue in a hog; there ain't much more waste in them than there iz in an oyster. Even their tails can be worked up in-

Hode are good, quiet boarders; they alwas eat what is set before them, and don't ask eny foolish questions.

They never hev enny disease but the in azels, and they never hev them but once; once seems to satisfy them. There is a great menny breeds among

Some are a close corporation breed,

and some are bilt more apart, like a hemlock slab.

They use to hev a breed in New Eng land a few years ago which they called

clock, and some are as long and lean as others thought there was no danger. a cow-catcher, with a steal-pinted nose

They kan' awl rute well; a hog that kant rate well haz been made in vain. generally die as soon as they git fatt.

The hog cen be learnt a great manny awful hard for them tew find the same

Hogs are very contrary, and seldom trive well the same way yu are going; they drive most the other way; this haz sever bin fully explained, but speaks bad not strength to whistie. The little fox was blind. Her sight has returned, but who have either gone on their own re- name, or who may be the owner of two pounds less than his proper weight, and the volumes for the hog.

geen in the civil or military service of l'olice, or officers or soldiers of the late onfederate State, or as officers or -ers of the United State, shall be held a swer on any indictment, for any act J Police of North Carolina, or any

of this bill, or in other words, that no officers or privates in any of the above maned organizations, against whom no ed out since the war! How many young of the age of fifteen, who have been to enter, on Wedness or privates in this country mourning the loss of daughters of the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of fifteen, who have been to enter, on Wedness or privates in this country mourning the loss of daughters of the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of fifteen, who have been to enter, on Wedness or privates in this country mourning the loss of daughters of the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters of the age of fifteen, who have been to enter, on Wedness or privates in this country mourning the loss of daughters of the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters or privates in the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters of the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters or privates in this country mourning the loss of daughters or privates in the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters or privates in the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters or privates in the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters in this country mourning the loss of daughters or private in the chief presiding magistrate of the Country mourning the loss of daughters in this country mourning the loss of daughters in the chief president magistrate of the chief president magistrat indictment is now pending, shall be lia- men are preparing for practical business! kidnapped or entired from home." ble to prosecution for any offence com. How much true bone and sinew have we mitted against the criminal laws of North get? North Carolina will be a manu-A. D. 1866, as aforesaid.

either in the County or Superior Courts, speciable lawyer or doctor, if you are a reat shall be presumed that he acted under capies a respectable position in his pro-but shall be presumed that he acted under capies a respectable position in his pro-but his ander jaw firmly beld between the jaws of his formidable antagonist, "see what we shall see." This will not under the influence of tanglelegged who to appear.

of the State or late Confederate States insurmountable in the present condition Government

Be it further engeted, That this act

Ratified Dec. A. D. 1866. copy of the original, on file in this office. R. W. BEST,

Secretary of State.

For the "Banner." A FABLE.

Long ago, time and chance had wafted many slocks of bipeds towards the setting sun. Among them might be seen wild geese, and doves of snowy whiteness, storks, heroas, cranes, vultures, lucks, and other fowls with plumage of glossy black, and changing green; others appeared to

have a share of two colors, and might be called tural College, there ought to be more Governor Brownlow will wait until Augray. Tired with a long journey, they at length students there than at Chapel Hill. Four gust before he orders an election, losing, the border of a small lake. They at once set to work to build nests, put up roosis, and make young man to learn better any profess of the colored vote, which it seems cer however, till petty quarrels and little jealousies do. One year at the former, if the cole coming spring. arose, the strong would push aside the weak lege is properly conducted, would make and the rayenous would eat more than their pro-per share. Therefore, it was found expedient, agricultural chemist. We want produ-upon mature deliberation, to elect a governor cers—not of the article proverbially at who could make laws and preside over the little community, posishing all those who dared to infringe upon the rights of his neighbor, or disturb the peace of the feathered tribes.

choice was likely to fall and who had grown tall. They are not generally suppling the wants er than the rest. He by fair promises of pro. just enumerated. Cuffee haunts them, some plan would be submitted that would any of close of electors for the content of the tection, and improvements around their dwell. The remembrance of Cuffee, as he was, prove a basis of adjustment acceptable united States, representatives in Compatible to the water, obtained the vote, and was be is, is disgusting to them. They ought the striped hog breed; this breed was in paths to the water, obtained the vote, and was be is, is disgusting to them. They ought high reporte among the landlords; almost made governor for one year. Some old birds, to forget that Cuffee ever was. They every tavern-keeper had one, which he however thought he had too formulable a set of seem to be waiting for something to turn dence. Some believed, others doubted, the male inhabitants of such State, beused tew show tew travellers, and brag teeth and class to be entrued a with the rights of the Community, as they remembered once to appeal to the shade of the departed of the United States, then the entire people are considering the saccess of the Blood Some are full in the face, like a town base seen some woodsticking in his class. But Micawher for the truth of the assert on. (?) Southerners were in Washington—

The silly birds soon had cause to repent their They are a short-lived animal, and his desire to obtain green feathers. The bipeds of waiting—who was ted patiently at certain man was heard to say so. What nor as an educational qualification, more this race, Hegira ran a mile in 1 minute and had bargained to give so many for making and had bargained to give so many for making and about the fittle does; dence to turn up, and see how they were plan concocted in Washington. We sup System in the English language and write conning things, such as histing the front but the could not satify. So whenever he saw, disappointed !- Wilmington Journal. the hinges, tipping over the a imply duck, or quarreling foals, or gambol will barrels, and finding a hole in the ing black birds, he would pounce upon them tencesters git into a corn field; but there with rech and claws, bite out a mouthful of ton (Ky.) Observer and Reporter, tells the whom is this plan proposed? By whom ain't enny length to their memory; it iz green feathers [from 5 to 50] and scamper off forlowing concerning a prophetess: hole tew git out at, especially if you are was like a palace, and he dired like a king.—
excited by the appearance of a neglo &c. Who are the prominent Southern- in the county in which he offers to vote But there was no redress till the end of the year.

The geese gabbled, the doves mounted, the ducks prophetess. On Sunday night, in church, and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways, the cook crowed a negro girl, named Jenuic Bell, we be the north prophetes and looked sideways. nodded and looked sideways, the cook crowed a megro girl, named Jennie Bell, we be-vengeance, the vuiture and cranes looked at lieve, was struck dead, and remained so themen, presuming upon their commistary constitution of the United States in the Legal Ter Be it enacted by the General Assem- stand whose benesolent look and kind and gens by of the State of North Carolina, and the manner assured the plucked lowls that they is hereby enacted by the outhority of now had a just governor, whom they would high-

he State, as officers or soldiers of the and cruelty of Kings, Presidents, Governors, near Broadway. Militia, officers or soldiers of the Home and all in authority, often return upon their own by their former friends,

SHORT SERMON BY A LAYMAN.

-coal of chlorders, Jorcops, googes monof that day's proceedings would be wrote it, or any other man, may amuse ry. When men disregard the law and will be adopted in the Houses to the souther Tree A D 1866, shall be held to an and files. In the name of a demoral, a sufficient answer to the filling programmes of lay themselves liable to its penalties at interests, the whole measure will probably a full and complete annualty, pard or the whole business, and defiantly stake children.

will be the engineers, machinists, &c., Be it further enacted. That in all cases &c. ! It is a very re-pectable thing to

vice in any or all of the above named before he will go to a lawyer; and he'll both victim and victimizer." aganizations, who for the preservation grant a long time before he'll send for a their lives or property, or for the pro- ductor; and in either case, if he seeks NEGRO CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR In short, there are no terms of admission techon of their families, associated them, the services of a professional man, he selves together for the preservation of expects to pay with promises which is law and order in their respective come very light diet for a family. The same ties or districts, shall be entitled to all amount of brains and energy, put into the benefits and provisions of this Act. any other busines, will produce more Be it turther enacted, That no person money than in either of the liberal prowho may have been in the civil or mile fessions. This is sure. A man of extraary service of the State or late Confed ordinary capacity and untiring persevercra'c States Government, or in the ser, ance will succeed at anything, of course; vice of the United States Government, but mediocrity, which is the common in either of the above named organ za- measure, will always find greater reward tions, shall be held hable in any civil ac- outside than inside a profession. The edton for any act done in the discharge ucation of the youth of the South, too, of any duties imposed upon him, by any was irreparably injured by the war-an law or authority purporting to be a law obstacle to professional success almost

The mechanic arts have been ignored THE RECONSTRUCTION COMMITshall be in force from and after its ratifi by us. Slavery rendered labor degrading, and "the sweat of honest toil" was but it is the duty of every man to aid the United States Supreme Court. in effecting a change in this respect.

ighted on a verdant spot in the wild-mess near years at the latter or, indeed, at any oth- if necessary, all representation the first tributed to poor men-but of something There were at least a dozen fellows-big.

Sensation in Lexington. - The Lexing-

The Supreme Court of North Caroli- bordination in a work-house, where she nality" of the demands of that power. Court that was on the docket at the for- division of the spoils. as swer on any indictment, for any at the Supreme Court of worth Caronone in the discharge of any duties in the moved and seduced by the instigation had been several weeks in the "casual"
sed on him, purporting to be by a last of duty, but with a frightful disregard of the State of late. Court that was on the docket at the forhad been several weeks in the "casual"
Then why should we be concerned about the prompt punishment meeted out to protected that they will be ruined within a few years, by the competition which the prohibitory of the demands of that was on the docket at the former Court. This is to be attributed to the prompt punishment meeted out to protected that they will be ruined within a few years, by the competition which the prohibitory of the demands of that was on the docket at the former Court. This is to be attributed to the prompt punishment meeted out to protected that they will be ruined within a few years, by the competition which the prohibitory duties will create. minuting from any officer, complished by young men with heense to practice bost of persons in all parts of the king Richmond Dispatch says: Perinps most some measure, to the emigration of Coal and iron exists in the West, on both d, of the Militia or Home Guard to Lo law. The only excuse offgred for it be dom, whose daughters, all about the same of the rational and moderate people of a large number of blacks to the South sides of the Mississippi, and this tariff will de ing the fact that the State thereby gaised age as the prisoner, were missing had the South, on reading the project-drawn West; but principally, no doubt, to the Western States. Their increasing political The South, on reading the project-drawn West; but principally, no doubt, to the written to the magistrate, to the chaplain up by these anonymous gentlemen, might stern and inflexible action of the Court strength will give them the power in legislation. wester residences. This is the perhaps, after the next Congress. They will give them the power in regularing offenders. This is the perhaps, after the next Congress. They will for non-commissioned, of the finited see trightened public a battakon of erwas the "ast daughter." There were solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solute to had each was the "ast daughter." There were solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solute to had each to had each the beauty to Pennsylvania which they where do their duty, we will soon see a great change in the public metals for the solute to had each was in none for each to the next Congress. This is the perhaps, after the next Congress. They will or hour contributed a law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every will not need for themselves. No European where the indicated the perhaps, after the next Congress. They will secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every will not need for themselves. No European in the public metals for the next Congress. They will not need for themselves. No European in the public metals for the next considered. The perhaps after the next Congress. They will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in the state of things secret, and if law officers will every solutely intolerable in

at them trun and after the passage much he will be in perit of taking cas that there are at this moment, numerous If any of all these plans should be the't

Carolina prior to the first day of January facturing State in a few years. Who Comet gives the particulars of the death about our sentiments, the higher their shortly thereafter the doors were closed most singular character. The negro had ing they could relish so much as having mor, was that it had become a nuisance been hunting wild hogs, and shot one, round them in heir lobbles a bevy of the but the wound not proving mortal, a best citizens of the South, to whom they if the defendant can show that he was wise—and I hope the young gentlemen struggle took place. The Comet says: could whisper from time to time: "(ret these officers did him the honor to pay an officer or private in either of the above alluded to may all turn out to be "The negro and hog, as we remarked be your people at home to yield to "this him this rather an welcome visit." above named organizations, at the time, such. But it is not, even when one or fore, were both found dead—the negro point, and back out of that position, and appear.

Out business; and that will be the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be influence of tanglelegged whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be with the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be with the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be within the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be within the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be within the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated within do. Such officers of compliance would be within the fate whose upper teeth had penetrated withi er zens who, on account of age, or from those who begin now. Why, a man held fast to the chin of the poor darky, grade us. Even if we had been base were closed against him; he could not any other cause, were exempt from ser, will settle almost any way, now a days, who, in this strange encounter, proved enough to accept their Constitutional enter. He seemed to be astonished, and

OF WASHINGTON. In the course of Juddge Underwood's remarks, Wednesday night, at the African Methodist Church, in Alexandria, he stated that the President of the Freedmen's Relief Association, of Washington, has been waited upon and informed by a committee of negro men that he was the unanimous choice of the entire number of negroes residing there for pice. Mayor, and that he had accepted the heard so much concocked at Washing-nomination. The Washington "Intelligent ton by a set of irresponsible politicians nomination. The Washington "Intelli-gencer" says the name of the President of the Freedmen's Relief Association is Mr. Cook, a negro man,

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only thought of as giving out an exceed says the Reconstruction Committee are or ordinance to secede or withdraw from I certify, that the foregoing is a true ingly disagreeable odor. Necessity has expected soon to make a report on the the Union, and under such law or ordiforced labor upon us all, and is gradual- several plans now before them, looking to nance shall be null and void. ly investing it with dignity; but con- the restoration of the Southern States. ceal the fact as we may, our young men Their views have not, however, yet tawould rather sell dry goods, or the like, ken definite shape. There seems to be at just enough to pay board, than to no doubt that some provision will be the United States nor any State shall as-learn the best trade in the world or work adopted by which to avoid the effect of sume or pay any debt or obligation a small farm. It is their misfortuse- any possible recognition of the South- against the Government or authority of the result of education-not their fault; ern States in their present condition by

From Nashville the indications are that no election for representatives will If North Carolina builds an Agricul- Le held in time for the fortieth Congress. er academic institution, only enable a session, so that he may take advantage smooth paths to the water. It was not long, sion or business than he could otherwise tain will be legalised in Tennesse in the property, without due process of law, nor

Nrom the Banner of Friday. For some days previous we have had vague rumors from the great Dana counting the whole number of persons in to cat, something to wear, and something of the Ephesians (the city of Washington) each State, excluding. India a not tax than all the pulpits in it." to sell. Our young men being poor, "that it would not be long before there ed. But when any State shall, on ac-There was one among the many on whom the will, doubtless, verify the proverb, but would be important developements;" that toon of servitude, exclude from voting at er than the rest. He by fair promises of pro- just enumerated. Cuffee haunts them, some plan would be submitted that would any election for the choice of electors for Things never turn up when a man is were closeted with the President and his elective franchise, shall not be counted railing for them. I've watched 'em a Cabinet. The radicals winked approve in the basis of representation. No State folly; for no sooner did Skinus, (for so was I is long time, and they invariably don't. - lingly. Mirabile dictu! There are go for voters more than two hundred and than be began to show his natural disposition there were at least a dozen renows-ing. In the began to show his natural disposition that two hundred and and cruel proper sities. He could not conceal hearty fellows that could bear the fatigue ing to be important developments—a fifty dollars worth of taxable property. horse four yours, for Southern indepensis it? One of our exchanges calls it a education than enough to enable the vopose this means a "plan" proposed for egibly his own name. the adjustment of our difficulties. By Proposed Amendment to State Constituconcocted ? " Prominent Southerners," With these he would line his own nest until a Our colored population are very much with the concurrence of the President has resided in this State for one year and

vengeance, the vuiture and craises looked at live, was struck dead, and remained see kable loyalty," and good Union record, English language and can write his laughed and said, he was rightly named Skinus, she is completely paralyzed from her sponsibility or by the consent of some hundred and fifty dollars worth of taxas At the close of the term he because a armed for neck down. She professes to have gone weak kneed Legislature, at the expense ble property, shall be entitled to vote at list office—made more fair promises, threw some to heaven and hell, and become widely and Pardon to all tribers and Sol grains of corn and wheat to his favorites, trying acquainted with denizens of those doand Pardon to all trifficers and Sol grains of corn and wheat to his favorites, trying acquainted with denizens of the people to consult the Oracle. They members of the Legislature and all other dives of the State of North Carolina, thus to some for his pass robberies. But the mains. She died in her sins, more forthe have "concocled a plan," and what does officers elective by the people of the assault was very cold, and the bare skin from nate than Dives, her sins were forgiven it amount to? There is simply nothing State: Provided, That no person by rea or the late Confederate States Armies, which he had plucked the shining feathers, could and she sent back to earth to preach a in it. It is worth about as much as that son of this article, shall be excluded from the late of the late o cos Committed against the Criminal around. So at the next vection he was reject —ean give information of the eternal early lessed and a sound and the constitution of the eternal early lessed and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constituted as a constitution expects and the constitution expects are constitu whereabouts of every dead person. She say the plan is a good one; that there is elective franchise under the Constitution whereabouts of every dead person. She say the plan is a good one; that there is and laws of this State, or who, at the time has announced that she will be complete nothing very objectionable in it. Grant of the adoption of this amendment may ly restored and will preach upon the that this is true, the question still recurs, be entitled to vote under said Constitustreets. Crowds are flocking to see her. what does it amount to? Have we any tion and laws. e same, That no person who may have by he zer.

She lives, we understand, on Hill street, assurance that were we to adopt the pro

A Terrible Combat. -The Baton Rouge anxiety we should show to set them right and drinking saloon on Main street, and of a negro under circumstances of the demands would rise; and there is noth and the cause alleged, said madame ru

structed us, as we are now plainly told. is nothing before us.

and reason with a team of runaway hors-These Radicals have got the bit be tween their teeth, and they will certainagainst some wall or shoot over a preci

and office seekers:

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the United States ..

ARTICLE 14.-Section 1. The Union under the Constitution is, and shall be A special in the New York Tribune perpetual. No State shall pass any law

Sec, 2. The public debt of the United States, authorized by law, shall-ever be held-sacred and inviolate. But neither the United States nor any State shall asthe United States.

Sec. 3. All persons born or patural zed in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States and of the States in or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens deprive any person of life, liberty, or grat's. Sie transit.-Ib. deny to any person within its juriediction the equal protection of the laws. Sec. 4 Representatives shall be ap

portioned among the several States ac cording to their respective numbers, count of race or color, or previous condi-

ARTICLE. Every male citizen who erican Racing Calendar and Trotting Record,

posed plan that our representatives would An Argument against a Penitentia Militia, officers or soldiers of the Home and all in authority, often return upon their own round, officers or soldiers of the Local heads in that contempt in which they are held LOST DAUGHTERS IN ENGLAND. be admitted to their seats in Congress t ry.—We learn that there is scarcely half ure. They have got the lion's share of protections and in authority, often return upon their own rounds. They have got the lion's share of protections and in authority, often return upon their own remains the incongress t ry.—We learn that there is scarcely half ure. They have got the lion's share of protections and remains the A few weeks ago a young girl of fif- It does not come from the radicals or the number of charges against criminal tion from it. It is computed that it affords to teen was brought before the Thames po- from Congress. It is not submitted to offenders, or half the number of cases them a protection of eighty one percent. The lice court, London, charged with insu- the South by the powers that be as a "n- on the criminal docket at the present they had expected, but are not content with the for for the same, but shall be on the zed population, I will made protest against some who had writen him respecting lost reconstruction, setting forth the maximum the whipping post, let them suffer let fail. mum of sacraice which he thinks the the law take its course. Very few ever In looking over the rates of the proposed bill, a full and complete annually, pard on the whole business, and defiantly shake children.

I discharge from the same, up in the cry fix at the frightful array. I car est all only of the goets, provided they of pray for an injunction. I say, stop it is entered able sorrow on an extensive ise. But it is not what he thinks, it is not the whipping post the second time. herybody will have to hide from the scale is thus revealed. The publication even what the whole South thanks, that ets upon any indictment preferred Sheriff, and if a man dares to open he of a single case bit us to light the fact is the important point in this bhshess, ence has a wholesome effect upon others. is worse, prombtive of smuggling and founds.

ourselves prepared to make, the more they would impose upon us. The more day evening, a certain restaurant, cating The proprietor was not present when

Scene Second .- The proprietor appears under the influence of tanglelegged while Amendment, that would not have reconthough he was not heard to say, but he doubtless thought as did the Dutchman into the Union offered to us at all. There when he returned from the army-"who's pin here since I's pin gone?" It was ev-As for trying reason or persuasion with ident that somebody had been there. those people, you might as well persuade "Yes!"-"It must be so-Mayof thou reasonest well-else whence this pleasing hope, this fond desire, this longing after ly tear slong till they either run up whisky"--"There is no doubt about it." He was seen to speak to his caterer. A short pause, and he stepped forth on the brick pavement, like Fallstaff on the theatrical stage, and addressing himself to the winds, not exactly in Shakspeare's style, but Hamlet's soliloguy will give some idea

"To be, or not to be-that is the question!

To die-to sleep-To sleep! perchance to dream -ay, there's the rub;"

"Who would bear the whips and scorns of time, The oppressors Wrong, the proud man's con-

The pangs of despised love, the law's delay, The insolence of office, and the spurns That patient merit of the unworthy takes When he himself might his quietus make With a bare bodkin f" or a barrel of whisky.

His harangue was uttered in rather a gruff tone accompanied with a superabundance of amusing and grotesque geswhich they reside. No State shall make tures. There was no charge for this highly edifying exhibition-Ladies and of the United States; nor shall any State all were permitted to hear and see free

Influence of the Press .- A leading New York clergyman, in a recent sermon, declare is that "one leading paper of that city had a greater power and more influence on the doctrines and opinions of the people of this country

We ho; e the clergyman d d mean the

THE FASTEST TIME OF FAST HORSES A gentleman thoroughly posted in the annala of the turf turnishes us with the subjoined facts, n part corrective of some errors into which the editor of the New York Tarf, Field and Furni has recently fallen with regard to the fastest time those versed in such matters:

Prioress, 2 years old, carried \$3 pounds over the Metarie course, Louisiana, April 3, 1856-I minute 45 seconds

Hegira, 4 years old, at New Orleans, Nov. 23, 1850, catch weight, two miles heats. In Henry Perritt, 3 years old, carried eighty-six

pounds at New Orleans, La., April 17, 1855. in a two mile race, and made the first mile of the second heat to one minute, and 424 sec For the correctness of the above, see the Am

heat in one minute 44 seconds. He carried 17 track was 30 feet short of a mile. See Turf,

THE OPPRESSIVE TARREF BILL

The tariff bill which has passed the Senate a substitute for the one which passed the a much more oppressive measure. It is deemed by the best statisticians to be prohibitory of imports, and therefore seriously damaging to the revenue. The bill was voted for by some who spoke against it. It seems to have been allowed to pass pro forma, with a certainty that it would fail in the House, where the whole subject is to be reconsidered.

lent evasion of duties .- Not. Intelligencer.