Daily Lournal-Observer CHESTER ITEMS.

Interest in the Shields Trial--Improving the Roads--Chester and the Narrow Gauge, Etc.

CHESTER, S C, Sept 18, 1883. The JOURNAL OBSERVER was eagernields trial was progressing, and many high and well deserved enconiums were passed on its enterprise in undertaking to report the case in full, and on the the accuracy and fullness of its report. The general voice of those who followed the testimony closely concurs in the finding of the jury. There is this, though, that staggers some, the testi-mony shows no other motive for the murder than that given by the pris-

The agitation of the subject of improving our public highways, started by Senator Butler has produced much practical good already. It aroused the people to the importance of mending their ways, and as a result the roads have been better worked this fall than ever before. In addition to this it has provoked a very earnest inquiry all over the State as to the policy of abandoning the present system and levying a tax upon property to pay for the needed work. The subject has been discussed from every standpoint, and will doubtless be a governing issue in our next State campaign. As far as my observation goes the people are in favor of adhering to the present system. But the people have very little to do these days with determining political or economic issues; though they think they de it all.

Chester spent one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars in extending the railroad to Newton and in building the road to Lancaster. If she had built turopike roads throughout the county with the money our lands to-day would have been worth double what they are, and purchasers would have been found on every highway seeking homes in our midst.

Bethel Presbytery has been in session since Friday last at the Blackstock church. It will adjourn to-day in time to give the members a chance to reach home on the different trains that pass

Hon G J Patterson, Senator from this county, returned on Saturday last from a month at Glenn's Springs. His health is much improved by his visit to that

favorite old watering place.

The competition in the cotton market here this winter will be greater than ever-several new buyers having recently come in. As the crop will short one buyers cannot afford to stand back and wait till other buyers are filled, they will have to go in from the start for all they can get. This will not only keep up Chester's reputation as the best cotton market in the up country but will make it even more desirable than ever for the farmer.

The New Postal Notes.

Currespondence Journal-Observer. In commenting in the JOURNAL OB-SERVER on the new postal notes you gredict their early withdrawal on ac them a success a modification is essentially necessary, for in their present form they are worthless. But if they should afford security they would be-come a great convenience, and for many remons we should regret their abolish ment. The only reason men pay for a money order or a check is for the sake of security. These postal notes are made payable to bearer and are, of sourse, transferable. If the letter con-taining the note is lost the money is lost as irrevocably as if it were a bank note, hence one might as well send a bank note or postage stamps and save his trouble and the fee. In other words by making the note payable to bearer it partakes of the nature of a bank note with all its liabilities to loss. Hence as they afford no security, people do not use them. If, however, they should simply be made payable to order all this difficulty would be removed. They would then be similar to bank checks be equally secure from loss and counterfeiting, and they would then, as they were intended to do, entirely supersed for small sums both money orders and bank checks. W. M. J. Spartanburg, S. C., Sept. 18, 1883.

Foreign Cotton Figures.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18—The Egyptian cotton crop is reported to be 100,000 bales larger than the last, which would give a supply from Egypt, Brazil, the West Indies, etc., of about 900,000 bales -adding 1,500,000 bales for India, which appears at present to be the probable supply, and 6,000,000 bales as the minimum out of our crop and we have a total supply of 8,490,000 bales. At European consumption equal to that of last meason, and that of the United States, Canada, &c., 50,000 bales larger would require 8,750,000 bales, but it is very doubtful whether Europe will consume again so largely and our crop may also exceed 6,000,000 bales. Under any circumstance the supply, with the present heavy stocks, appears to be sufficient to prevent a higher figure of middling uplands in Liverpool than 6@6%d and that price is already discounted here.

A good Saptist clergyman of Bergen. H. Y., a strong temperance man, suffered with kidney trouble, neuralgis, and dusines a simest to olindness, ever two rears after he was told that Hopmsters would cure him, because he was afraid of and prejudiced against "Bisters." Since his cure he says more need fear but trust in Hop Briters.

On His Second Trial.

LAKE GEORGE, N. Y., Sept 18.—The second trial of Geo H Willett for murder, began to-day, and a jury has been secured. Willett is charged with shooting Pair, his brother-in-law, a barber at Glera Wills in District the second se Glens Falls in December, 1880. Family troubles are alleged as the incentive of the crime. The evidence is purely cir-cumstantial and the jury on the former

From Eminent Br. C. C. Chark, Owner, R. L. "GOLDEN'S LEGUID REEF TONIO is by far the best of all the preparations of the kind—food and tonie—that I have ever used. To the sufferer from chimnic diseases, or the convalence it. It is mvaluable, as it is both nourishing and ming." (Take no other.) Of druggists

O'Donnell in a London Prison. JONDON, Sept. 18.—O'Donneil, the amas derer of Carey, was landed at South all ampton at 9 o'clock this morning and splaced on board the train for London.

The train arrived at Vanzhall at noon, where the prisoner was met by a large force of police and escorted to the prison wan. He was then, under escort of the police, driven to Millbank jail.

Regatta Abandoned. AUBURN, N.T. Sept 18 — The proposed regatin on Cayage Lake has been aban-

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SOUTH CAROLINA.

The Lipscomb-Thomas Difficulty Ends in the Arrest of N. G. Genzales, Correspondent of the News and Courier-A Bond of \$500 to Keep the Peace.

The difficulty in the State House, at Columbia on Saturday, to which reference was made in our columns yesterday, assumed another shape on Sunday and Monday. Mr N G Gonzales, correspondent of the News and Courier, and the friend for whom Mr Thomas had fought Col Lipscomb, was very much incensed on account of the language used by Col Lipscomb in regard to himself on Saturday. He had stated his purpose to meet Col Lipscomb on Monday morning and denounce him in unmistakable language. As soon as this became known to Gov Thompson he sent Capt Bachman to Gonzales to ask that the matter be dropped. From the Columbia Register we learn that as soon as Bachman's interview was reported to the Governor as ineffectual His Excellency went before trial justice Marshall, and took out a peace warrant against Gonzales, who was immediately arrested and granted a hearing. Gov Thompson was examined and said that from his knowledge of both gentlemen, he believed there would be a breach of the peace. After the examination of Bachman and Gonzales the latter was bound over to keep the peace in the

Fever Mortality in Hayana.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Sanitary Inspector Burgess at Havana reports that during August there were 708 deaths in that city, 152 of which were from yellow fever. During the week ending Sept. 7th there were 18 deaths from the same The reduction in the mortality results, it is thought, from the want of material to feed upon and the mild type of the scourge. Some wharves are very dangerously infected and all vessel which arrive and remain more than three days are sure to be contaminated. The army and navy have suffered very much and as the weather continues very not numbers continue to fall sick. Ad vices from the Consul General at Cairo, Egypt, represent that the cholera is rapidly decreasing.

O'Donnell's Trial -Mrs. Carey to Make Some Startling Revelations.

LONDON, Sept 18-It has transpired that O'Donnell, after shooting Carey, said: "Shake hands, Mrs Carey, I had to do it." Not "did not do it" as was at first reported. It is stated that the Poland, who already appeared in the Irish State trials, to prosecute O'Don-Everything indicates that the which will take place in November will be a memorable one. It is understood that Mrs Carey has offered which she declares will clear her husband's character. She has handed letters to the authorities which include the correspondence of a member of

Haistend and McLeau.

CINCINNATI, Sept 18—Murat Halstead and Richard Smith of the Commercial Gazette have applied to the Chamber of Commerce to expel John R McLean from the chamber upon the charge of unmercantile conduct, rule 13. The whole is the result of a charge in the Sanday morning's Enquirer that the Commercial Gazette was unable to pay off its reporters, and other statement of like nature. As the committee work of the Chamber of Commerce is secret it is impossible at this writing to say what was done in the premises.

A Murderer Guillotined.

RHEIMS, Sept 18.—At 6 o'clock this morning the murderer Haltz was guillotined at the horse market in the pres-ence of 5,000 people. Last May Holtz concealed himself for ten days in the coal cellar of his victim and found a favorable opportunity to murder him and run away with his money. During his two months imprisonment a Rheims, Holtz had felt perfectly confi dent that President Grevy would par-don him. Last night he was playing ecarte with his jailor until a late hour.

A Missing Steamer Reaches Port.

CHICAGO, Sept 18 .- A dispatch to th United Press from Cleveland, Ohio, says that the missing steamer Keweenaw with 200 excursionists reached there shortly after noon after three unsuccessful attempts to cross from Point Peter. A score of passengers left the bust on Sunday and made Cleveland by rail. Another dispatch from the same place says that the missing four of the steamer barge Oakland were picked up this morning at Corneaut, Ohio, by the tug Red Cloud.

Plorida Ship Canal. New York, Sept 18—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Florida Ship Canal and Transit Company yesterday, the board of directors was authorized to make a contract for the construction of the canal. The work to be started a the earliest possible day. The eastern terminus of the canal will be in the vi cinity of the mouth of the St John's river, and the canal will run across the peninsular at its narrowest point. It will be 136 miles long, 280 feet wide and 30 feet deep.

German Editors at Outs, CHICAGO, Sept 18—Richard Michaelis, editor of the Neue Freie Presse to-day caused the arrest of A C Hesing, Washington Hesing, Herman Raster and Wm Ragh, all editors or proprietors of the Staats Zeitung, on the charge of criminal libel. They were brought be-fore justice Mesch to day, waived examination and were bound over for trial for Friday, September 21. Lorenz Brentano going bail.

The Hall Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept 18.—The investi-gation report was made public at the Treasury Department this afternoon. As already stated in these dispatches the report is unfavorable to Mr Hill, and while he is charged with loose man-agement and official favoritism, nothing corrupt or dishonest has been dis

A Drunken Bow.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y. Sept 18.—Levi Hulzaphie and George Galliard became engaged in a drunken fight in a saloon here at one o'clock this a m, and a man named Ellner interfered in Gaillard's behalf. In the fight Ellner stabbed Hulzaphie twice with a dirk, one of the wounds proving fatal. Ellner and Gaillard were arrested.

A Small Deficiency.

CHICAGO, Sept 18.—At a meeting of the board of trustees of the town of Lake to-day in reference to the alleger ring frauds, special examiner Gaunt re-ported that he had found a deficiency of \$75,000 in the water department.

immigrants Arrived in August. WASHINGTON, Sept 18.—During the month of August past 35,388 immi grants arrived in this country, agains 48,076 in August 1882. Germany furnished 13,868, England and Wales 6,310 Ireland 8,585, Norway 1,358, and Sweden

THE CITY.

Arrival and Departure of Trains. RICHMOND AND DANVILLE.

Air Line Depot 8.80 a. m. and 4.80 p. m. 2.00 a m and 1.50 p. m.

AIR LINE. Leave 2.20 a. m. and 2 10 p. m. Arrive 8 20 a. m. and 4 10 p. m.

CHARLOTTE, COLUMBIA AND AUGUSTA. Leave 2.10 p. m., and arrive 4.80 p. m.

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neo 4.50 p. m., and arrive at 10.00 a. m.

CAROLINA CENTRAL. Leave 8.45 p. m. and 7.10 a. m. Arrive 7.00 a. m. and 8.25 p. m.

Leave 8.00 a. m., and arrive 5.40 p. m. Index to New Advertisements.

C. C.- SHELBY DIVISION.

Atlantic States, local rains, and partly cloudy weather, northeast to southeast winds, slight change in temperature in northern portion, stationary or higher barometer.

LOCAL RIPPLES.

- Nearly all the summer absentees

except the Saratogiaus, have returned - Mrs Chas N Vance returned home

resterday from her summer tour in the mountains. -The latest idea is for headwaiters at the hotels to be mounted on roller

skates, and is soon to be introduced in the Charlotte hotels. - The style this autumn will be for a young lady to wear a cutaway jacket and waistcost that are for all the world like the garments worn by her pa and

- The 2 o'clock Richmond & Danville train came in yesterday with people hanging to the platforms. Travel hardly ever gets to be heavier than it is

-Brem & McDowell are building a Central Hotel for the storage of machinery. The warehouse will be 90x46, one story.

-The city tax books have been completed by Capt. Fred Nash, and are in the hands of the collector, who is at the service of our people in his office at the

ored female evangelist, will preach in the A. M. E. church in this city next Thursday night, we are requested to state by the pastor, Rev. R. H. Nichols. -There is a man in Charlotte who

-Rev. Mrs. Sallie A. Hughes, a col-

has a daughter away at school, but who will not write to her until after the let of October, when letters will be one cens cheaper. He is the meanest man

-In our Greenville letter, published in vesterday's JOURNAL OBSERVER. where it is stated that Dr J A Manly was called to the pastorate of the Baptist church in that city, it should read Dr J A Mundy.

-The advertising car for Sell's circus arrived in town yesterday and the gaping jaws of the big hippopotamus are to be seen from all the bill boards. Sell's circus pictures are something new, and a little better than the average.

- Mr W H Farrior, the jeweler, who left a short time since for Cleaveland Springs, is now lying sick with typhoid fever in Shelby under treatment of Dr Morrison. His brother, Mr John Farrior, is attending to his business in this

- The old frame building on Tryon street nearly opposite the Second Presbyterian church, which was used as a shoe shop by Major Wm Holt, has been moved back to make room for a new two-story brick sterehouse, to be erect-

ed by Dr Gibbon. -Mr. Boston Wallace, who lives near Matthews Station, reports that his section of the country was visited by a violent rain and hail storm yesterday before daylight. The hail was heavy, but did no damage, and the ground was made too wet for ploughing.

- A few days since as the 8 year old son of Mr. Milton Beard, at Huntersville, was running hogs out of the pasture, he fell, and striking his arm on a fence rail, broke both bones. Dr. M. C. Hunter was summoned and set the arm, leaving the boy in a comfortable condi-

- The officers of our street railway cempany will let out the contract next month for mule power. If the mules do not demolish the cars within the course of a couple of years, steam power and electric lights will be employed on the line. The company does not want to put on too much style at the

Rapid Growth of Carp.

Another evidence of the rapid growth of German carp was demonstrated by Mr Willis Wilkinson yesterday, who went out to the pond that was stocked by himself and the Trotter boys, and ught back three large carp, weigh ing 7%, 7% and 7% pounds each. The pond was stocked three years ago, the carp of course being so small when put in the water that they could hardly be seen. We are told that the carp in the several other ponds around the city are doing equally as well.

Probable Homicide in Union County.

The difficulty mentioned by us yesterday as having occurred at Beaver Dam between a negro man and Mr G W Huntley, was a more serious affair than at first reported. The negro, whose name is Moses Hamilton, struck Mr. Huntily over the head, with an axe crushing the skull and fracting an injury from which it is thought he will die. Hamilton has been arrested and placed in jail at Monroe. He is said to bear the character of a desperate negro. Mr Huntley has been lying in an un-conscious condition ever since he was struck down, and his case is said to be a very serious one.

PILES PROPRACES DECEMBED IN DRO.

AND WHAT WE ARE SHOWING THE NEW ENGLANDERS.

OUR BIG EXHIBIT AT BOSTON

Our State Captures the Whole Thing, and it is Called the North Carolina Exposition --- The Greatest Display Ever Made by a Southern State-Tasteful and Unique Arrangements of the Exhibits.

Several of our Charlotte people who visited the Boston Exposition have returned home, and they say that decidedly the most attractive feature of the whole exposition is the North Carolina exhibit. It is given the most prominent place in the building, and the exhibits of cereals, woods, ores, minerals, gems, etc., are arranged in an exquisite manner. A beautiful little summer house formed of North Carolina grains just gets away with the New Englanders. "I felt proud of old North Carolina," said one of the returned visitors, "and stood with a swelling heart watching the delighted crowds swarming around her exhibit. Nobody can realize the attention it is attracting." The display of polished gems is something extraordinary. Prof. Charles T. Wheeler, of Charlotte, has a splendid private collection, which the Boston Post describes at length, and which we have previously described in these columns. His aquamarines and garnets attract great admiration. Prof. William Earl Hidden and Mr. J. A. D. Stephenson, of Statesville, also exhibit gems_ Among the collection of valuable stones shown by these gentlemen are tourmalines, amethysts, corundum, beryl, cyanite, chrysolite, albiti, arrows of love, turquoise,

blue beryl. The display of native wines shown by the State is very creditable. Messrs C. W. Garrett & Co., of Enfield and Ringwood, N. C., and the North Carolina Wine Company, S. B. Hunt & Co., of Kittrell, are the exhibitors. A very choice dinner wine is known as the dry scuppernong and is very palatable. The stealing cotton from Mr R A Lee, was other wines made by these companies sent to fail in default of bond. The are claret, mish, both hard and sweet, theft was committed about a year ago. old port. Virginia seedling, sweet Cor cord and communion. The balance of the liquor display is made up of cordials, cognac, Muscatel and grape brandies, strawberry and blackberry wines. This display is tastefully arranged on three pyramidal stands. It is really the first wine display ever made by the State, and the success of the enterprise is very gratifying. Another interesting feature is the silk industry, which is shown from the talk cocoons to the manufactured goods. The cocoons are arranged on a lattice framework, and so nearly resemble peanuts that it has been found necessary to place a placard over them notifying sightseers that the frames do not contain peanuts. Directly in front in a glass case are displayed the silk floss of various kinds and the manufactured goeds in the form of yarns, twines and threads. The women of the State are becoming interested in this industry, and several are quite successful in a small way, and judging from all appearances, in the immediate future many men will start into the business, which pays a handsome remuneration. The mulberry trees, the food of the silk worm, are found in great abundance, and quantities of trees of the

right age can be purchased at very low The minerals and ores form an important feature of the exhibit. The sopardite stone, so abundant about Charlette, attracts much attention by its odd tracings and apots. Marble, asbestos, barita kalinite, corundum, manganese, powdered iron, bituminous coal, etc., are shown in great varieties. Gold bearing sulphurets and pyrites are shown from Rowan and Cabarrus counties. The free gold is obtained from Rutherford, Montgomery and Caldwell counties. In the agricultural department a good showing of grasses, grain, both in the stalk and in the seed, rice, yams, potatoes, corn, peasuts, beans and a large collection of dried fruits, of which mention will be made hereafter.

Cotton is shown growing on the stalk, the dry stalk, in the bale and the cotton manufactured products. Directly in the rear of grain arbor is a large case divided into regular sections filled with dried fruits. The large sign above is composed entirely of these fruits, the base Hotel Arrivals. being composed of select apple and the letters of halved peaches. The trunks of the pitch pine trees are shown with the hardened pitch on the surface, the manner in which they are cut, the boxes to receive the sap the various tools used in the business and a huge copper still used in refining the turpentine. In addition the several kinds of rosin are shown and the bils and pitch. Among other novelties to Northern people is seen the cotton gins. The display of woods has been carefully prepared, and the varieties are nearly all shown in the log and in the plank. The planks and boards are finished, and the grain and other characteristics of the wood fully brought out. Among the valuable woods shown are the yellow locust, red cedar, sy camore, butternut, white holly, yellow oak, chestnut, oak, birch, sweet um. eim. Overcup oak bay, hornbeain, laurel, oak, juniper, hickory, water oak, Spanish oak, red hickory, hockberry, persimmon, cotton gum, beech, maple, mulberry, white oak, sassafras, black walnut, wahoa, red elm, yellow poplar, post oak, red maple, honey locust, yellow buckeye and many others. A handsome office, built entirely out of woods of the State, has been erected, and a bureau of information has been established for the benefit of parties desiring to obtain knowledge of parties desiring to obtain knowledge of the State and the railread rates. The garden, composed of pets of green ferns, palms, cotton plants, rhododendrons, arbor vits and other shrubbery, presents a very handsome appearance. A small exhibit which will be passed by many unnoticed is the eight butts of water from a group of mineral springs in the State. These springs are located within a radius of 200 yards, and 82 steps in a straight line will bring a person from the outside spring on one side to the apring the most removed, and yet the chemical characteristics of the springs are very dissimilar. They are called the white sulphur, poten, aloesulphur, and sulphur, iron and alum and the iron spring.

Rocky River.

Mr. Jonah Barba, a citizen of Bethel township, Cabarrus county, was found dead in Rocky River last Monday. He had been missed for a day or two, and his people becoming alarmed, instituted search for him, which resulted in the finding of his body in the river. The ast seen of him alive was on the Friday previous, when he left John Barba's house for his home. He was then in a slightly intoxicated condition. The coroner was notified and an inquest was held yesterday, but with what result we have not learned.

A Shocking Case. Night before last some parties walking along Peplar street were surprised to hear the cry of an infant, and on making an investigation, they found a newly born babe lying among a lot of weeds close to the sidewalk. The police were notified and at once began to trace up the case. They finally discovered that its mother was a colored girl named Caldwell, who had given birth to the child alone and unattended in the weeds the previous day, where it had remained until discovered that night. It was restored to its mother who promised to care for it.

The Police Court.

At the mayor's court yesterday morning Mr J M Mendel and Mr J B Harrington were arraigned on charge of violating the Sunday law, the first by selling cigars and the latter by selling ice cream. After giving them a hearing, the mayor reprimanded and then discharged them. The following fines were imposed: Jo Prim, assault and battery, \$7.50, appealed; C O Willis, drunk and disorderly conduct, \$250; Wm Walker, affray, \$7.50; William Northey, drunk and disorderly conduct, \$5, and James Davidson, affray, \$10. Total fines \$32.50. A colored man named Alfred Bost, who was arrested by officer Blackwelder on charge of

Thieves Disrobe a Sleeping Young Man | Julius C. Smith, Greenville, A young man from South Carolina, whose name we failed to learn, came to the city a few days ago, and under the effects of grog, lay down in the lot behind the Central Hotel Sunday night to sleep, When he waked he had on nothing but his underclothes. His hat, shoes, coat, vest and pants had been taken from him while he slept, and with his vest a sum of money, amounting to \$45. Monday a party of negro boys playing under the cotton platform came upon the missing clothes and turned them over to policeman Boyte, who restored them to their owner. The money was never recovered. This is just the same way that many another man has come to Charlotte and gotten into trouble. People who get drunk and sleep out in back lots that are known to be frequented by bad characters, may expect nothing less. We express the forlorn hope that this is an example by which others may profit. Don't sleep in back lots.

Cabarrus Court-A Murder Trial. Judge Gilmer arrived in Concord from Greensboro at noon last Monday and opened the fall term of the Superi or Court for Cabarrus county, finishing up, during that afternoon about onehalf of the State docket. Yesterday the venire was summoned for the trial of David Fraley, a citizen of Stanly county who murdered Mr H F Walker, a revenue agent, on the 9th of last February. Fraley fired from ambush at Mr Walker who was riding along the road, and five buckshot took effect in Walker's body, inflicting wounds from which he died shortly afterwards. The murder created the greatest indignation in Staply county and Fraley's counsel had the trial moved to Cabarrus. We learned from a gentleman returned from Concord yesterday that the trial would probably be continued or moved again, as he understood that an effort was being made not to have the case

tried at this term of Cabarrus court. We have since learned that Fraley's case was yesterday afternoon set for trial on next Thursday, the efforts to have it continued being unavailing.

CENTRAL HOTEL .- A M Martin, Jr Savannah, Ga; J C Wright, Raleigh; J B Stoffel, Bristel, Tenn: W B Wilson, Jr. Rock Hill, SC; J W McComb, Philadelphia; W B Kendrick, Virginia; T S Campbell, Msdison, N C; Charles A Fite, Garibaldi, N C; W E Gibson, Washington, D C; H W Chambers J E Shell. North Carolina: D F Barringer, Kings Mountain: J M Gray, Salisbury; Miss Grohagan, Kentucky; Miss Gertrude Waddell, Miss Virginia Edwards, Miss Mary Edwards, Miss Miss Sallie Edwards, Miss Lula Norwood, Miss Hannah Wilson, Cheraw, SC; E W Manship, Rockingham; L.A. Potts, C L. Glascock, North Carolina; Louis H. Mares, Mrs Richard W Price. Wilmington; Mrs M H Reid, Miss May Reid, Cheraw; W A Potts, J M Potts, R W Shelten, North Carolina; CS Morrison, Statesville; J D Baker, H M Sloan, Davidson College; L L Suggs, N C; J A Stewart, Saliabury; Arthur Shaw, Baltimore; J S Finkenbiner, Shaw, Baltimore: J S Finkenbiner, Richmond: W W Watt. Baltimore: Harrison Watts and son, North Carolina: A J Hines, Wilson, N C; W H Taylor, York county: J F Johnson, Louisville, Ky; E E Sumner, Lincoln ton: J L Mariett, Wilmington: J T Tate, Mountain Island Mills: R S Robertson, Richmond: W S Belk, Fort Mills; A C Billups, Montgomery, Ala. The Thrice Armed Pumply of Truth
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A Citizen of Cabarrus Found Dead in | The Change in the School Geographies.

To the Editor of the Journal-Observer. In Sunday morning's paper you published an article on the subject of the proposed change of geographies in the graded school, over the signature of an Original Graded School Advocate." The statements made then have been contradicted by at least one member of the school board of commissioners. wish to say that I am the author of the - icle in question, and that I am neither afraid or ashamed to assume its responsibility. The statement that the change from the old to the new geographies would cost the patrons of the school five hundred dollars was made upon the authority of calculations made by Prof Mitchell, superintendent, and Mr R N Tiddy, the book seller.

The allusion to the "cat in the meat

The allusion to the "cat in the meal-tub" was perhaps imprudent, but just before the manuscript was handed in to the printer, I was informed that several of our citizens were stockhold-ers in the University Publishing Company, and that perhaps they expected to be benefitted by the sale of the new books. This may be legitimate in a business point of view, but for fear I may be misunderstood I desire to disclaim any idea of reflecting upon any body in the matter. Very Respectfully,

End Case of St. Vitus Dance. Minister, is the singular name of a town situated in Anguaize co., Ohio. It is the residence of Mr. J Brandewis, who writes: "Bamaritan Nervine permanently cured my son of a bad case of St. Vitus Dance." \$1.50

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