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pening the Eastern night mail. Sunday hours, for general delivery, 8.00 a. m for alf hour; and half hour after the opening of the

mails from both North and South. The look-boxes are from 6.00 a. m. to 10;30 p. m.

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# THE LATEST NEWS.

#### BARE NUCKLES INSTEAD OF PISTOLS.

The New Style of Settling Editorial Squabbling in the South.

NEW ORLEANS, July 20.-Since the Hamilton-Gambrell tragedy there have been a dozen editorial quarrels in Mississippi that have promised blood-shed, but officers have appeared on the scene and prevented trouble. Five out of nine of the editors at Jackson are under bond to keep the peace. Two are similarly handicapped at Grenada and one at Brookhaven. Vicksburg is on the verge of an editoril row. Louisiana shows an improvement on this state of affairs. Formerly the bullet, rapier and code were the prevailing fashion here, but the Marquis of Queensberry rules now prevails.

Those who have read the two papers published in Meriden, the Webster Tribune, edited by Moses Fort, and the Monitor, edited by E. R. Boyle, know that the editors have of late had a war of words. It became evident last Satuday that a personal encounter was inevitable, the lie having been passed on both sides. Since then numerous proposals have been submitted by their friends for a settlement. Yesterday morning it smashing the guards and pump dealers sometimes mistake the men Corn, &c. ap22tf Houston Bros. was agreed to fight it out in the old fisticuff style, and the parties, each accompanied by two friends, went out of the corporation limits. Both of the gentlemen being of small stature and inexperienced in the pugilistic art, there was no great damage done, but they did their best. When thoroughly exhausted they were taken home by their friends and no further trouble is expected.

### Stanley, the African Explorer, Said to be Killed.

LONDON, July 21 .- A dispatch from St. Thomas, West Africa, says: The West African company has received a report that Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, has been shot dead by natives with whom his expedition was fighting in order to obtain supplies. Another account says that the steamer on which Stanley was proceeding to the relief of Emin Bey was sunk, and that the explorer was drowned. The reports of Stanley's death emanates from a missionary at Matidy, who received it from a native from up the coun try. No direct messsage has been received from the expedition.

THE RUMOR DENIED.

LONDON, July 21.-The rumor regarding the death of Stanley is utterly discredited here. The latest authentic news from him is from Aruwimi, and was sent under date of June 2d. It would be impossible for a native to reach Matadi and then St. Thomas since that time. The distance between Matadi and Aruwimi along is a thousand miles through a rough country.

# Caught in a Flooded Mine.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 21.—Charles Sanders, aged ten years, is confined in a coal mine at Grand Junction with very slight hopes of his rescue. On Monday he was at work with five miners, when, at 10 a. m., the water broke in from an old shaft. All fled for the working shaft, but the swiftly rising water cut off the boy's escape. For two days the pumps have been kept at work, and while the water is being gradually lowered it is hardly probable that Sanders will be found alive.

# Hung Herself to the Stairway.

POTTSTOWN, Pa., July 21.- Mrs. Thomas Heimbach, of Douglass Township, Montgomery County, in a fit of melancholy committed suicide to day by hanging herself to the stairway. Decease I was about forty Moderate charges. Send model or years old and leaves a husband and four children.

W. C. Overby, stall 4. city market. will have this morning stall fed beef and mutton, and every other-day this week. Persons in want of good beef will please call on him.

## The Key West Scourge.

KEY WEST, Fla., July 21.-There have been ten new cases of yellow fever since yesterday and no deaths, Of the seventy cases now under treatment, sixty at least are children, found that the mule was acqually fiftywho pass through this sickness just as the northern children have the measles or scarlet fever. Three cases have no bearing on the sanitary condition. No new cases of vellow fever have developed since yesterday, but two deaths have occurred. Six Olds, quarter-master general, issued for five or six dollars. Also, call for unacclimated people went on board the schooner Delia for passage to the government quarantine camp at Egmont Key. There is no clarm now, and it is difficult to persuade strangers to leave here.

### Thirteen Cars Shot Into a Mine.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 21 .-Thirteen cars loaded with rock were being lowered down a steep grade near the mouth of the shaft of the Old Forge Colliery at Pittston last night, when the engineer lost controll of the hoisting engines and the cars rushed down the incline and plunged headlong into the shaft, which is nearly 500 feet deep. They fell with great force, tearing out the timbering which lined the shaft, pipes and generally wrecked the interior of the shaft. No one was hurt A vast mass of debris was piled at the bottom. Work was suspended to-day and a large force of men set to work repairing.

#### North Carolina And North Carolinians.

Wilmington Messenger: A hunts. man, named Sam McGure, killed five wolves in Macon county last week. He was paid a bounty of \$5 for each scalp by the county commissioners.

Salem Press: A horse driven to a buggy by two colored persons, fell dead in front of Brown's grocery store, (Renard's old stand) in this place, on Saturday last.

Lexington Dispatch: The directors of the Lexington Female Seminary, on Tuesday last, elected a principal and teachers for this institution. Prof. Dreil Peacock was elected principal and Mrs. Ella C. Peacock and Miss Laura C. Clement, assistants.

Hon. John Robinson, Commissioner of Agriculture for North Carolina will address the farmers at Mount Holly August 10th. His subject will be "the North Carolina State Department of Agriculture; how it protects the farming interest."-Raleigh Visitor.

Winston Sentinel: Several of our mechanics have left during the past week to take up their abode for a short while in the little city of Anniston, Ala .- The intense heat Monday anything about it. evening necessitated the closing of the Salem Cotton Mill. The employees say they never experienced such weather before, while the Messrs. Fries were never before called upon to susperd operations for a similar

Salisbury Watchman: About fifty artillery company at Salisbury, to be known as Battery A. It will be the only artillery company in the State. It will be commanded by Captain Theodore Parker, a former West-Pointer. -- The annual masonic pic nic will be held at Mocksville on the 11th of August .- Tuesday's storm took all the telegraph wires down between here and Charlotte.

Durham Recorder: The firm of Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company have on hand ten million pounds of lea! tobacco --- W. Duke, Sons & Co., shipped 9 on, son c garettes this week.

-At Dukes factory vesterday the electricity played some frightful tricks which terribly frightened many of the operators --- Soon the hands will commence throwing dire on the Dutham and Lynchburg Railroad. Then all Darham will rejoice.

Raleigh News-Observer: Reports from the section of the cauntry about ten miles southeast of the city, indicate that crops are suffering for rain. None has fallen there in some weeks. get one. --- There was a mule on Wilmington 2d.

might have been among the first descendants of Balaam's noted beast. He looked as though he had been through the flood, the revolutionary war and a cyclone. On inquiry it was seven years cld, which fact was vouched for by citizens of riper years who had always known the animal. He is owned in Chatham county. He looks very sage and moves with the utmost deliberation. --- Col, F. A.

#### COUNTERFEITERS AT WORK.

camp near Clinton next week.

tents yesterday to the Sampson Light

Infantry which company will go into

#### Two Cilizens of Mooresville Receive "Confidential" Letters From a Crooked House.

The men who deal in "green goods" are still endeavoring to catch victims in the South. Sometimes they rope in a "sucker, but of course nothing is ever known of it, for the party who finds himself swindled by them has to be a party to a fraud, and he would rather lose his money than to expuse himself, for of course he could not expose the swindlers without also exposing himself. How many such cases have occurred around us, we have no means of ascertaining, but the crooked whom they address and this results in in a prompt exposition of their nefarious business. Two type written letters were indited and mailed in New York on July 8th, one to Mr. J. T. Rogers and one to Mr. R. H. Tomlinson, both of Mooresville. They were received at Mooresville on the 20th, and were at once forwarded to The Chronicle both letters were mailed from the same house and were worded exactly

alike. The letters read NEW YORK. Dear Sir :- My confidential travel. ing man, who happened to be in your section of the country not very long ago, has written me that he thinks you would be a good man to handle my "bills." He says also that you are in an excellent position to do business for me, and that he does not think you are the kind of a man to betray a

The denominations are Ones, Twos. Fives, Tens and Twenties. They were printed from plates that were "secured" from the U. S. Treasury Department by a former workman in the engraving department. They cannot be told from genuine until they work their way back to Washington. If you will answer this letter at once, and give me your solemn, word and honor that you will do me no harm, I will explain to you as a sensible business man, how you can make large sums of money safely and rapidly, without the least danger, and without even your most intimate friends knowing

In answering sign your name and address on a separate pice of paper, as I have done and remember this is strictly confidential.

Enclosed in Mr. Rogers' letter was a slip of paper upon which the following address was written: George Throne, care of the "Chimney Cornames have been entolled to form an ner," 414 Sixth Avenue, New York WANTED! city. The address on the slip in Mr. Tomlinson's letter was the same, except it bore the name of T. J. Turner, in place of George Throne.

The country is doubtless flooded with these letters and if all were answered as these two have been, at would have a wholesome effect. It looks like the officers ought to find it easy work running down these swindlers. A visit should be paid to the "Chimney Corner." - Charlotte Chron-

A prominent citizen of Greensboro received a fac simile of the above letter a lew days ago. It is said to be a regular black-leg swindling concern, and all honest people would do well to beware of the trap.

## \$3.50 for \$1.00, \$5.00 for \$2.25 and \$9.00 for \$4.00.

I have on hand a tew Dress Robes carried from last season that are worth from \$3.50 to \$9.00 each that I am going to offer on Friday and Saturday. July 15th and 16th, at \$1.00 to \$4 00not hall cost, but they must go. You will be fortunate if you are in time to and any information obtained, by ap Respectfully, SAMPLE S. BROWN

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No. 18

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Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Halifax for Scotland Neck at 3 00 p.m. Returning, leaves Scotland Neekat 9 30 a m., daily except Sunday.

Trains leaves Tathoro, N. C., via Albemarl & Raleigh, R R, daily, except Sunday, 6 p m.; Sunday 5 p m.; arrive Williamston, N. C., 8 to p m, and 6 40 p m. Returning leaves Williamston, N C. Daily except Sunday, 8 oo a m. Sunday 9 50 a m, arrive Tarboro, N. C. 10 05 a m, and 11 30 a m.

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