in the transaction of business. Hereafter, no new subscriber to The Commer--except in cases in which we are sure the money can be obtained at any time, on application. yearly in advance. All other advertisements, inthe time of insertion.

All Job work is cash, either on delivery of the work, or as soon thereafter as we may choose to present the bill.

We take this occasion to return our thanks to those with whom we have engagements, both at home and abroad, for their kindness and liberality in these times of pressure and embarrassment. THE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

Library Association, and hope our citizens will of Columbia, are on the committee. come up to the help of an Institution so very important to the welfare of the town, and also very useful to visitors. We expect that help will even come from abroad to advance so laudable an ob-

BANKS ELECTED SPEAKER. On Saturday last Mr. Banks was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives, by the plurality rule. The adoption of this mode was carried by 118 to 104.

Mr. Orr, of S. C., withdrew his name from the contest in the hope and belief that a larger vote of national men could be concentrated upon Gov.

The Speaker was elected on the 4th ballot under the rule. Whole number of votes 214, which were disposed of as follows:

Mr. Banks, Aiken, H. M. Fuller, L. D. Campbell, Wells. We will give the details under a proper classi-

fication at a future time. Mr. Banks, on taking the Chair, acknowledged the honor done him in a brief speech.

We will soon be able to state definitely whether there was any show of constitutional principle on the part of the American Organization North. That party, South, as will be seen in another column, voted with the Democrats previously to the final vote by which the Speaker was elected.

THE PEACE RUMORS.

The Arabia arrived at Halifax, on the 21s with Liverpool dates to the 19th ult. There are eports of a more peaceable aspect of affairs, but rith what hope, time alone can determine.

The Vienna correspondent of the London Times telegraphed on Wednesday, the 16th instant, at 10 A.M., that Russia had unconditionally accepted the propositions of the Allied Powers. This report caused immense excitement. It proved, lowever, to be erroneous. The Government desrateb, published the next day, states that Russia as accepted the Allies' proposals only as a basise i negotiations. This news slightly relaxed pubin confidence, and less sanguine hopes of peace are entertained. Many think that Russia merely cepts the proposal in order to prolong negotiations, and thus gain time.

There is no other news of importance. The prospect of a speedy return of peace swallows all else. The President's Message is generally regarded in England favorably. Even its attitude respecting Central American Affairs is not objected to, and in fact nobody seems to apprehend thouble between the two countries. The buillion in the Bank of England has decreased £119,000. Execution of a Son for the Murder of his

Father. Joseph T. Williams was executed at Roxboro,' N. C., on Friday week, for the murder of his father, a wealthy gentleman, formerly of Pittsylva-

has the following notice of the execution:

called for him. Taking Mr. Wm. Lyon (his father's friend and neighbor) by the hand and begged him to go with him and pray for him, he proceeded to the gal-

into etermity.

## A SHREWD FATHER.

The Paris correspondent of the Boston Atlas

, and desired to have advantageously settled, mame so very ardent in their protestations of that the father finally consented to their thes, but declared that he would not make a lament. Believing that the old We have already noticed the meeting of the

A permanent organization was effected Thursday by choosing the following officers: President -General Tench Tilghman, of Mary- len, American, voted in the negative, and Messrs.

Vice Presidents .- W. L. Cazneau, of Texas; Dr.

Secretaries .- James A. Cowardin, William B. Isaacs, Wm. F. Ritchie, Ro. Ridgway, R. W.

Gen. Tilghman, on taking the chair, made a

Whilst I hope the feeling which may pervade bia, was appointed. A.B. Hagner, W. R. Baker but greatly to enhance the price." and Thos. Fawcett, of Maryland, and Robert We invite attention to the advertisement of the Ould, Chas. Abert and S. H. Hill, of the District

Mr. Debow, of Lenisiana, offered the following preamble and resolutions, which were referred to | wall, after a stormy passage, bringing the Calithe business committee :

Whereas, The almost unprecedented continuance of inclement weather, inducing the belief the consigned to Drexel & Co.; \$120,600 to that the convention would not be held, having interfered with the attendance of the large delegations appointed throughout the Southern States, and it being advisable, considering the important matters proposed for discussion, that the moral weight and co-operation of all those States should be secured, it is,

Resolved, That this convention, after transact. ing preliminary matters, adjourn to meet again on the third Tuesday in May next. In the city of Richmond, and that the delegates here pledge themselves to such action in the interim as will be likely to secure the largest attendance.

Resolved, That the objects of this convention as developed at its several sistings, in Memphis Charleston and New Orleans, being to secure to the Southern States the utmost amount of prosperity as an integral part of the Federal Union, or to enable them to vindicate and maintain their rights and institutions whether that Union shall nizable which relate to the development of our soil, the enlargement of our internal improvement system, our domestic trade and direct foreign commerce, mines, manufactures and the arts the social system and institutions of the South, our schools, colleges and press; and the delegates are absence, such statistical and other information as may be necessary to discuss and report upon these and kindred subjects in order to secure the most practical results.

Resolved, That the people in their primary asinvited to express their opinions upon the objects | dy. indicated above, so that their delegates may bethoroughly advised of their wishes.

(which was referred to the committee) calling upon the Southern and South-western States to unite him to pieces and made him as thin as a skelewith Virginia in establishing a line of steamers from so that he neither enjoyed rest by night or by day. He tried many things for the cure of

Mr. Charles Albert, of the District of Columbia, offered a series of resolutions declaring the Holloway's Pills, and well rub sing the Ointment attachment of the South to the Union, and its fixed determination to preserve it. The following gave these remedies a fair trial, he was able to where goods must be paid for on delivery. is one of the resolutions:

Resolved, That we have an abiding faith in the left him. His friends who have not seen him for heartfelt sentiments of the masses of the people some time, now hardly know him, he has so -that they are radically Union-however at wonderfully improved. times they may be misdirected or misre-presented by the unscrupulously ambitious and designing. The wrongs we have suffered, we trust, are of a transient nature; and we feel that we corroborate the fact expressed in our inspired Declaration of PHINEAS F. WOOD of this town, to Miss MARY M. Independence, that " all experience hath shown that mankind are more disposed to suffer while evils are sufferable, than right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they have been accustomed;" and, therefore, here, on the soil which gave birth to our Washington and our Henry, we yow eternal fidelity to the constitution and our

The resolutions were referred, and the convention adjourned to meet again on Friday.

A SLAVE TRADER IN CHINA. The Friend, of China, received by the last

Very few coasting vessels ever leave Shanghae or Ning-po without an assorted lot of boys thrown to J. H. Flanner. has the following notice of the execution:

In to make up the cargo. The traffic in girls is & J. L. Hathaway & Co. still more general, in consequence of the preva-On the day of his execution he called a friend lence of infanticide, which countenances the mur- Geo. Houston. or two in jail, and besought them to join bim in | der of female infants as soon as they are born .prayer until the last moment of his earthly exist- We hear of one hundred girls ready for shipment ence; he sent out a supplication for the prayers at one place, for the sugar factory at Manilla, and of the vast multitude then and there assembled. | an order for two thousand girls for Cuba has late-The hour arriving for his execution, the sheriff, ly been received. Boys can be sold at a profit with a bleeding heart and tear-moistened eye, for \$3 to \$3 75, and girls as low as a shilling to twenty-five cents a head.

> From the Albany Evening Journal. FATAL COMBAT.

A novel and rather exciting incident occurred lows, praying all the way until he arrived in sight in this city on Sunday last, which was witnessed of the gallows, when, trembling like a leaf, he by several of our acquaintances. It was a fight gave vent to an expression of feeling that no pen between two birds, and resulted in the total can describe, and which touched the most callous annihilation of one of the feathered tribe. It ocheart. Arriving at the gallows he sued for the curred in a tree in the central part of our city, list moment, and begged every christian on the and is represented as having been an exciting and desperate encounter. After maiming its vic-It was here that the sheriff read him a brief tim, the victor deliberately set to work and deite, reminding him of future rewards and pun- voured its a ntagonist, scattering its plumage on i hments-of the awfulness of dying with a lie the ground. From a description of the attacking his lips, and invoking him to say, while he bird, we are led to believe that it was an Ameritooked eternity in the face, whether he was guil- can Sparrow Hawle (Falco Sparverius), a kind or innocent of the murder. He replied that peculiar to this country. This common and well he had " said all that he had to say about it-he | known little falcon has a wide geographical range. was not guilty!" So the prisoner protested his It scarcely ever builds a nest, but occupies those i nocence to the last moment. Mounting the of other birds. History tells us that a few reso fold and "forgiving every body," at 15 min- main in this State during the entire winter. It s past 12 o'clock Williams' soul was launched feeds on smaller birds, but chiefly on quadrupeds. reptiles and insects. It is easily tamed. Its bill is much curved, with slight indentations on the apper mandible, and anterior to that, a sharp tooth fitting into a corresponding cavity in the a good story of a rich and miserly father, a lower mandible. The crown of the head is orange brown-back and upper part of tail bright ferru- AT NETT COST TO CASH BUYERS gineous-tail with a broad black subterminal band tipped with white or vellowish white-chin. sitated to consent to their nuptials with throat and all beneath white or cream-colored. rich, fashionable, and loving young men. The sides of the breast with arrow-head and rounthe reason that he would have to pay out ded brownish spots, under the wings spotted and and a sums for the marriage settlement. He sud- brown. The female is entirely of a reddish brown ify became ill, and the physicians pronouncing above barred with black. It was probably the latery to be very doubtful, the young men | ter bird which was the victor in the combat, and its estations of victim a bird known as the snow bird. The whole occurrence occupied about three quarters of an hour, when the victor flew to parte unknown.

FURTHER ADVICES IN CONSOLS. when an would soon leave them the whole of immense fortune, they said they cared nothing for the settlement, and were accordingly marninety, a farther advance of 3 to 1 per cent. In the commercial circles of London and Liverpool.

A when to their chargin, he recovered speedi-

WARRINGTON, Feb. 1.—In the House this thern Commercial Convention at Richmond, ternoon, on the resolution declaring Mr. Banks speaker, Messrs, Dunn, Moore, Harrison and anes would be very large, but it turns out Hasen voted as heretofore, against him. On the dution declaring Mr. Alken speaker, there was nion of Democrats and American-Messrs. Barelay and Hickman, Democrats, and Mr. Cul-

Williams and Wheeler in the affirmative. Mr. Aiken having received one more vote than Wm. Brewer, of Maryland; Thos. D. Day, of Mis- Mr. Banks on the direct question, though a larger sourl; J. D. B. De Row, of Louisiana; Dr. Fran- number voted on the proposition to elect him than cis Mallory, of Virginia; Col. Walter Gwynn, of on the proposition to eloct Mr. Aiken, the friends out being a burden to our friends or disposing of North Carolina; John T. Towers, of the District of the latter to-night are congratulating themselves that he might be elected by the adoption of the plurality resolution.

WESTERN GAME.

A greal slaughter of wild game, animals and handsome address, in the course of which he fowl, has taken place at the West since the cold weather set in, allowing of its transportation to distant points. But remonstrances against the practice are very general in the game regions, operations. From 200 to 250 bushels of Meai can the bosom of every one present will be that of ar. practice are very general in the game regions, dent attachment to the Southern portion of the lest the war be carried on to an extinction of those cial will be received without payment in advance | Confederacy, I also hope it may be remembered | animal and feathered tribes most sought for, and that the best and highest interests of the South | State Legislatures are petitioned for the passage are to be found in the Federal Constitution and of laws for their protection. The Milwaukee Sen-All yearly advertisers are expected to pay half the integrity of the Union. [Applause.] We tinel says, "few readers can have any idea of the should never forget that this should be the promi- enormous quantities of game sent East, from Wisserted for a specified time, must be paid for at nent feeling in the breast of every citizen of the consin and Illinois, during the cold weather. A United States. It will be time enough to talk of few days ago, two hundred boxes of quail, averaa dissolution of the Union when the circumstan- ging probably 100 to a box, were shipped from ces shall leave no other alternative-and God For- Janesville, direct for New York," and the Sparta bid that the time shall ever arrive. [Applause.]" (Monroe) Watchman, of the 8th instant, states After a prayer by the Rev. Thos. C. Hame, of that "within a short time previous, two hundred Portsmouth, a "business committee," consisting | deer, shot in that county, had been sent to New of three from each of the six States represented, York. The effect of this is not only to diminish and an equal number from the District of Colum- very rapidly the quantity of game in our State,

> ARRIVAL OF THE GEORGE LAW. The United States mail steamer George Law arrived at New York on Wednesday, from Aspinfornia mails of January 5, \$881,000 in treasure on freight, and 338 passengers Of her treasure \$250,-Wells Fargo & Co., and \$114,000 to Wm. Hoge to me to call and settle, with cash or by note, as

The George Law connected with the Golden Gate, which left San Francisco the 5th of January, with 390 passengers and \$1,176,928 in treasure \$395,628 of which was on foreign account. Her California dates are the same as received by the

SHIPMASTERS AND SEAMEN.

A decision, interesting to shipmasters, was made on Wednesday, in the New Yo k Court of short distance of the Wilmington & Weldon Rail-Common Pleas, before Judge Daly, the case being road depot, and a considerable sum may be saved that of a man who was flogged on board the steamship Hermann, by order of the Captain - business, can give assurance to those who may The court held that, in view of the existing law send that article to his care, that it will be propersubsist or not, are all matters pertinent and cog- of Congress in relation to flogging on shipboard, ment strictly observed. the punishment was illegal. The plaintiff was awarded \$500.

A SURE CURE FOR A FELLON .- This we know will be gladly received by all our readers. invited to bring with them, or forward in their When the soreness first commences, or even when far advanced, it can be relieved and entirely cured by holding the finger or part afficted in Perry Davis' Pain Killer for half an hour. It has been thoroughly tested, and proves a never-failing remedy. A felon is a troublesome thing, and semblies for the purpose of sending delegates be | we would advise all so troubled to test the teme-

Holloway's Ointment and Pills, will Cure Asth-Mr. Myers, of Norfolk, offered a resolution ma and all Disorders of the Chest .- Henry Vinasthma for nineteen years, which literally shook this complaint, but they did not benefit him. About three months ago, he commenced taking sleep at night. By persevering with them for only seven weeks, every symptom of his disorder

MARRIED.

On the 3d inst., by Rev. Thomas Murphy, Mr. daughter of the late Wm. II Cayne, of Fayette-

## MARINE NEWS.



PORT OF WILMINGTON, FEBRUARY 2.

ARRIVED. 1. Steamer Magnolia, Barber, from Fayettteville, to Lutterloh & Elliott. 2. Schr. Southern Bell, Daniels, from New York

3. Schr. Diadem, Brown, from Charleston, to

CLEARED. 2. Schr. J. H. Chadbourn, Simpson, for Boston. by J. H. Chadbourn & Co., with lumber, naval stores &c.

Brig Plumas, Clark, for Boston, by T. C. Worth with naval stores. Schr. John Forsythe, Applegate, for New York

by Wm. M. Harriss, with naval stores. Brig Emily, Richardson, for Boston, by T. C. Worth, with naval stores. Schr. A. J. DeRosset, Brewster, f r New York by A. D. Cezaux, with naval stores.

Schr. Emily Ward, Ward, for New York, by Geo. Harriss, with naval stores. Schr. Sarah N. Smith, Smith, for Philadelphia, by Geo. Harriss, with naval stores &c. Schr. V. Sharpe, Sharpe, for Salem, Mass. by Geo. Harriss, with 2 350 bbls. rosin.

Schr. Wm. H Smith, Alden, for New York, by A. D. Cazanx, with naval stores &c. Steamer Magnolia, Barber, for Fayetteville, by Lutterloh & Elliott. U. S. Mail Packet David Reid, Price, for Smith ville, by Master.
4. Schr. Albert, Cole, for New York, by Pette-

way & Pritchett, with naval stores. VALENTINES! VALENTINES! 14 FEBRUARY 1856.

LARGE and beauti ul assortment of the lates style Valentines, just received and for sale at the Broadway Variety Store. W. H. DENEALE. Feb. 5.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned being on the eve of dissolving their coparinership, have concluded to offer their magnificent stock of Fancy and Staple Dry and warranted to improve by age, for sale by Goods as well as their large assortment of superi-Goods as well as their large assortment of superi-

Persons indebted to the firm either by Note or Book account, are hereby earnestly requested to settle the same immediately in order to facilitate the closing of the business. KAHNWEILER & BROS.

#### Wilmington, Feb'y 4, 1856. L. W. PIGOTT, COMMISSION MERCHANT,

BEAUFORT, N. C.

Any business entrusted to his attention will be attended to promptly and to the best of his ability

Mr. Benjamin L. Berry, General Age wrighters, Beaufort, N. C. Feb. 5th, 1856.

WILMINGTON LIBRARY ASSOCIA- WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

Maps, Charts and all curiosities of literature will

THE Librarian gives notice to the members of the "Wilmington Library Association," that the Library will be opened at an early period next week. Already some 250 choice Volumes have been placed on the shelves of the Library, It is expected that the reading portion of our community as well as its members will particulate the nity, as well as its members will contribute liber ally books of value to this association.

also be acceptible.
Authors and Editors throughout our State would find it to their interest to have a copy of their works in the Library. Donations of Books from friends of the association abroad will be duly appreciated.

The Library is in the room rear of Messrs. Rankin and Martin's office, where all contributons can LIBRARIAN. Feb. 2, 1856. 138-2:.

FOR SALE.

IF NOT DISPOSED of Privately, will be sold on Tuesday, 26th February, at suction, that valuable GRIST MILL, known as the Wilmington Granary. The property conbe ground daily. For particular apply to D. DuPRRE, Jr.
P. S. There may be had a lease of 4 years and

months, on the Mill House and lot. The wharf may be purchased with the proverty above named, as per advertisement of J. A Baker, Wilmington, N. C. Feb. 5, 1856.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

HAVE this day associated my brother Oliver, I with me in the General Grocery and Commis-sion business. The firm will be GEO. H. KEL-EY & BRO. We hope that our kind pat-ons and friends will continue their patronage which they have so liberally bestowed on the senior partner f the concern heretofore.

Our stock will consist of Sugars, Coffee, Mo

lasses, Flour, Butter, Cheese, Lard, Bacon, Rice, Soap, Candles, Candies, Fish and Potatoes, Starch, Brooms, Tobacco, and everything in the grocery line, except liquors. We also further promise not to be undersold in the price of our articles or bettered as to quality. We shall still con-tinue the cash system, or 30 days to good and punctual customers. GEO. H. KELLEY 138 if.

LAST CALL.

S I have this day Associated my brother with A me in business, I wish all that are indebted my business must be settled up soon, or the acofficer's hands. GEO. H. KELLEY. officer's hands.

COMMISSION, FORWARDING AND SHIPPING BUSINESS ATTENDED TO. HE subscriber having been for some time out I of employ, purposes to commence a small busines on his wharf, near the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad depot, and offers his services to those sending produce to Wilmington for sale or shipment; and would also remind those who may patronise him, that his wharf is within a very in the item of drayage. The subscriber having been long engaged in 'the Spirits of Turpentine ly attended to and instructions as to sale or ship-B. FLANNER.

### JUVENILE CONCERT.

THE 3rd, and positively the last CONCERT. under the direction of D. KEMMERER. will take place on Tuesday evening; February 5th, at the Masonic Hall. Nearly one hundred pupils will take part in singing 25 pieces choice Miscellaneous Music. During the evening Mr. K. will sing several popular Ba lads. Tickets 25 cents. Children and servonts half price. Performance to commence at 71 o'clock.

JUST OPENED

LARGE, well selected and varied ass, riment Cheese, Lard. Pickle Coffee, Fresh Ments. Soaps, Starch. Tin and Wooden Candles. Ware,

Flour, &c . &c All of which may be found at the corner of Market and Water streets, at the "Cheap Cash Store E. D. COWAY, Superintendant Herald and Journal copy.

GLASS.

50 boxes Berkshire Window Glass, 8x10 and 10x12, just received, for sale by GEO. HOUSTON.

THIRD AND FOURTH [] OLUMES of Macauley's History of Eng and,

received and for sale at an. 17. S. W. WHITAKER'S. FOR RICHMOND, VA.—The sent MOONLIGHT, Rogers, Master, will have quick despatch as above. For freight or FOR RICHMOND, VA .- The schr

passage, apply to J. H. FLANNER FOR NEW YORK.—The schr LAMMOT DUPONT, Corson, master, will have quick despatch for the above port. For freight or passage, apply to J. H. FLANNER. passage, apply to

ADAMANTINE CANDLES.

40 Boxes No. 1. Adamantine Candles, just received and for sale by ZENO H. GREENE.

DAILY EXPECTED

25 Bbls, C. Yellow Sugar. 2 Hhds. Museovado do. 10 Bbls, Crushed and ground do. 30 Bbis. Irish Potatoes-Planting and Mer

30 Rags Rio and Laguayra Coffee 100 Ploughs, Corn Shellers and Straw C tters. For sale upon arrival, by ZENO H. GREENE, No. 7 Market st.

COFFEE.

A FULL Supply of Java, Laguages and Ric GEO. HOUSTON. Feb. 5.

SUGAR.

AM hourly expecting the arrival of 50 bbls. and 10 hhds. Sugar, different grades, and which will be sold low for cash. GEO. HOUSTON.

PAINT.

I HAVE just received a lot of Pridgewater Fire and Water-proof Paint, (ground in oil,) in packages of 25, 50 and 100 lbs. each. This article, for roofs, vessels, and br dges, &c , is superior to any other in market-is cheap-and should be univer-sally used. Try n. GEO. HOUSTON. sally used. Try II. Feb. 5.

GUNNY CLOTH! GUNNY CLOTH!! 20 BALES just received and for sale by T. C. & B. G. WORTH.

CHEESE.

GUANO. 13 TONS daily expected, for sale by ADAMS, BROTHER & CO. April 24.

NOW RECEIVING. 50 boxes Superior Cheese; 20 bbls. and half bbls. extra Genessee Flour;

10 firking Goshen Butter;
5 hhds. Porto Rico Sugar;
20 bbls. Crushed, Loaf and Clarified do.;
10 kits Mullet Roe;
10 do Pickled Salmon;
50 boxes Smoked Herrings. For sale by
GRO. HOUSTON.

HAY, FISH AND POTATOES. 100 BALES prime Nova Scotia Hay, 50 bbls, prime Eating Potatoes, 5 quintals Dry Potlock, 25 t bble Platfed Shad

BACON, per lb., kcgs, ..... Hams, Western, ..... Sides, Western, ..... 134 a Balttmore, ..... 00 0 'anal......00 00 n 00 00 Rio. nba...... Porto Rico, ...... Molasses, per gallon, N. Orleans Porto Rico, ..... uba ....... Hay, per 100 lbs., Eastern, ..... 1 50 Rectified,.... N. E. Rum, ..... Vines, per gal., Madeira, ..... 1 00 a Porty ...... 1 00 a Mathga Glue, per ib., American,.... Cotton per lb , ..... ... Yarn. per lb.,.... 4-8 Sheeting, per yard, ..... Feathers, per lb., N. C. Tallow, .... Northern. Adamantine..... Varnish. 00 a Pine Oil. 00 a

Sperm. ...... Virgin Dip..... Yellow Dip, ..... 2 55 Hard, ..... 1 60 a Pitch. ..... 1 75 No. 3,----- 1 19 Spirits Turpentine, per gallon.....

Rosin Oil, ..... Sperm Oil, ..... 1 25 a Linseed Oil ······ ron per ib., American best refined English assorted, .....

Sweed, best refined, ..... Shear, ..... Cut Nails . ..... Wrought Nails,..... Steel, per lb., German, ..... Blistered, ..... Best quality Mill Saws, 6 feet, .... 5 00 a 5 River Lumber. Flooring,..... 0 00 a 0 00 Wide Boards,..... 0 00 a 0 00

Scantling. 0 00 a 0 00 Timber, Shipping, 0 00 a 0 00 Prime Mill, a 9 00 Common, 5 50 a 7 50 nferior, ..... 2 50 a 3 50 Staves, per 1,000. W. O. bbl. Rough Dressed ... R. O. hhd , rough, .....

Contract, ..... 4 25 a 0 00 alt per bushel. Turk's Island, .... Liverpool Sack ..... 1 00 a 1 Soap per lb., Pale, ..... Brown, ..... 

TO NEW YORK. Turpentine, per bbl. Rosin and Tar, per bbl., 25 Spirits Turpentine, per bbl, Flour, per bbl.,

Rice, per 100 lbs, gross, 'otton per bale, 1 25 Cotton goods and yarns, per foot, 00 Flaxseed per cask Pea Nuts per bushel. 5 00 Lumber per M. TO PHILADELPHIA. Naval Stores, per bbl., 00

Spirits Torpentine. Yarn and Sheeting per foot Pea Nnts, per bushel. Lumber, per M. TO BOSTON. Naval Stores, per bbl. Spirits Turpentine, per bbl.,

Lumber, per M . Pea Nots, per boshel Rough Rice, per bushel.

# COMMERCIAL.

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REMARKS ON MARKET

TURPENTINE .- 497 bbls Turpentine were disposed of at \$2.08 per bbl for Virgin Dip; \$2 60 per 1-bl for Yellow Dip and \$1 60 per bbl. for Hard. Rosin.-No sales, of either quality, that we

SPIRITS TURPENTINE. -38 bbls. Spirits Turpen ine were sold at 384 cts. gallon. TAR .- 385 bbls Tar, sold at \$2,12 1-2 cts. per

TIMBER. - No sales reported, some rafts are in Coan -120 bushels of Corn was sold at 85 cts per 56 lbs. from wharf.

Molasses. -275 hhds. Molasses just arrived, and selling at 41 to 43 cts per gallon, according to quantity, FLOUR .- 30 Lbls nour (Wilmington super) sold

at \$9 25 per bbl. HAY .- - 50 bales Eastern Hay (damaged) sold at auction for \$1,40 cts. per 100 lbs. Corron.-51 bales (good midling) cotton, sold at 9 cts. per lb.

Exports for I week ending 4th lust. 8. S. Lumber 619 896 feet; River do. 105.000; bingles No. 284,000; Turpentine 2956 barrels; Rosin, 18,453 do.; Spirits Turpentine 3 215 do. Varnish, 10 do.; Tar. 8.730 do.; Pitch. 284 do.; Flour 40 do.; Copper ore 103 do.; Soap stone, 24 to ; Tobacco, 4 bhds. ; Yarn 70 bales ; Cotton 942 bales; Wool, 1 bale; Feathers. 7 bales; Dried Fruit 12 bbls and 4 boxes and 90 bags; Bers Wax, 4 bbls and 1 bag; Rough Rice, 21 760 bush els; Pea Nuts 5 611 bushels; Paper, 180 bundles; Dried Hides No. 516; Far. 6 blds.; Skins; No. 45; Flax Seed, 78 bushels; 39 Spars and 6 Masts

NEW YORK MARKET. Feb. 2. The Ship and Com. List reports:

Cotton.-The market roled very firm previous o the receipt of the Arabia's news, with an active demand for home spinning and a moderate ex-port inquiry. We quote 84 to 114. Flour.—With a light supply on sale, the mar-ket for State and Western Flour opened firm on Wednesda, and, with an increased demand the buoyancy was supported until Friday, when prices receded 25 a 37 cents under the influence of the adverse accounts per Arabia.

Corn -The Corn market is 2 a 3 cents lower and shippers have withdrawn from the market since the arrival of the steamer, while the home trade buy very sparingly; sales 72 000 bushels, the market closing nominally at 88 cents for Western mixed, 83 a 90 for Southern White and

Oats are plenty, and dall at 43 a 47 cents for State, 47 a 50 for Western, and 40 a 44 for Jersey. Naval Stores — Turpentine continues to be firm ly held at \$3.50 per 280 lb., for prime quality, though we know of no further transactions since gent for Undergent for Under25 i bbla. Pickled Shad,
Just received per brig Triumph and for sale by
21-12m-w.

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with occasional sales as high as 42-for lots in ship ping order, or on short time—stock II a 12 000 bbls., not including that on shipboard. Tar is in prefty large stock, and though in good request prices have not further advanced—stock 10,000 bbls. Common Rosin tends to decline—stock ample. The sales are 1500 bbls. Spirits Torpen-tine at 41 a 42 cents part of the latter in shipping order and part 30 days; 600 New-Berne, &c., Tar. \$2.75 in order in yard; Thin is comparatively scarce and brings full as much as Shipping or Rope ; 2 500 Common Rosin. \$1.474 affort - and \$1 55 per 310 lb, from yard delivered; 109 No. 2, \$1 721 per 310 lb; and 400 No. 1, \$2 a \$2 25 per 280 lb Rice - The market is very unsettled, with downward tendency in all descriptions. The sales of the week amount to about 800 tes: at \$4,874 a

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FAYETTEVILLE MAR KET. Feb. 2 - The North Carolinian remarks :

Market well supplied with Bacon and prices ower. Corn is in better supply -sales from wagons at 90 cents. No change in price of Cotton. Supply of Flour light - no change in price. Oats still scarce and wanted. Spirits Turpentine 35 cts. per gallon. Raw do. \$2 10 and \$1 10.

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