FOR GOVERNOR,

THOMAS BRAGG, OF NORTHAMPTON.

The Editor of the Commercial is too unwell to attend to correspondents or other Editorial du-

COMMISSIONERS OF NAVIGATION.

The Commissioners of Navigation, recently 14th inst., and proceeded to organize. R. F. ington. Brown, Esq., was appointed Chairman, and Wm. J. Love, Sr., Secretary.

The Board being duly organized, the following appointments were made, viz:

Dr. B. A. Anderson, Port Physician. . C. Singletary, Harbor Master.

John Smith, Wm. Furpless. Fumigators, at Smithville. Wm. J. Potter, Fumigator at Federal Point. Capt. S. H. Martin, Shipping Master. Captains C. D. Ellis, John Davis, and S. H. Mar tin, Examining Committee,

HARBOR MASTER'S REPORT.

The following list shows the number of vessels that have arrived at this port from the 6th of May, 1855, to May 14, 1856: BARQUES-American

Bremen BRIGS-American SCHOONERS-American British Dutch Galliot

JOHN GRIFFITH, Harbor Master. Wilmington, N. C., May 14, 1856.

PRESIDENT SWAIN'S LECTURES. We were prevented by imperative business from attending the above Lecture, but we have heard them spoken of in terms of commendation by several persons who were present. We publish with pleasure the following communication pre-

PRESIDENT SWAIN'S LECTURES SEFORE THE LIBRA-BY ASSOCIATION, MASONIC HALL, MAY 9TH.

pared by one who heard both Lectures :

Ma. Eprroa: - By your permission we will make a few remarks relative to the two addresses delivered on the 9th inst. before the Libra y Association of Wilmington. Ex-Governor Swain, who come. has been President of our University for about twenty years, is no ordinary man. He possesses living, who have a greater amount of historical Longford. information at their ready command. We doubt history, ancient or modern, with which he is not perfectly familiar. At least, this is the conclusion to which we have arrived, after listening to ther acquaintance of several years. Many things bourne. conspired to render his recent visit to this place. both interesting and pleasant to all parties. He is a native of our own State, and has devoted the energies of a long and useful life in promoting the best interests of North Carolina. We love to honor the man who has stood firmily by our ship of state through every vicissitude-in sunshine in shade, in the calm and in the storm, in weal and in woe. David L. Swain has ever been found the true and faithful friend of the good Old North State. What Nestor was to the conflicting Chiefs of Greece, he now is to the partizan leaders of North Carolina. And to him we may truthfully apply these beautiful lines of the Iliad :

"To calm their passions with the words of age, Slow from his sent arose the Pylian sage, Experienced Nestor, in persuasion skill'd, Words sweet as honey from his lips distill'd; Two generations now have passed away,

Wise by his rules, and happy by his sway." In his morning Lecture he gave us a vast amount of statistical information, for the purpose of showing the comparative strength of several nations as regards their territory, wealth, population, intelligence and national power. For example, he stated, that England proper, divested of Scotland, Wales, Ireland and her foreign colonies, has just the same territory as the State of North Carolina, Yet that small dominion is equal in national power to any government upon earth, and her possessions encircle the globe. Again; the ancient State of Attica was not larger than the county of New Hanover; but small as it was He drew several other contrasts which were very striking and interesting-all going to confirm the emphatic declaration, " Men ! brave men constitute the State!"

He then devoted the remainder of his Lecture to the early settlement and proprietary Government of the State. Here he vindicated the characters of the first settlers of this colony from the foul aspersions which have been thrown upon them by certain prejudicial writers, who have maliciously represented them as a set of "rogues and rebels." In the course of these remarks, he held up before the audience to their highest gratification, quite a venerable literary curiosity-the first Bible ever brought into North Carolina. He gave a brief sketch of its history. It was originally the property of George Durant, who fied hither to escape religious persecution, and settled on our eastern shores, in the Albemarle region, about two hundred years ago. Thus he proved that many of those who first landed on our coast like those who colonized New England, were exiles flying from religious oppression. After dwelling upon these facts with great ability, he at length placed that venerable Book upon the desk before him, exclaiming in his emphatic manner, " This Bible is the Plymouth rock of North Carolina!" Just then a thrill of patriotic pride ran through our frame, and we felt in unison with the bard of our State:

"Carolina | Carolina | Heaven's blessings attend her, While we live, we will cherish, protect and defend her P' At night the Masonic Hall was quite crowdedthe attendance being much greater than in the the United States, especially under existing cirmorning. The lecture related chiefly to the Revolutionary history of our State. Here he was perfectly at home. He corrected some errors of late writers relative to certain events. Read several letters written by the principal men of the State, at that time. The letters had been preserved by the descendants of those brave heroes who struggled to achieve our liberties; and as they were eye witnesses of the transactions which they recorded in their letters, their testimony is of the highest authority. He also produced Gov. Tryon's Letter Book, in further confirmation of the positions which he maintained. He read several of Tryon's letters, all fully showing the bravery and heroism of our fathers. As these docusachts were being read, the sons and grandsons of many of those whose names were mentioned and whose worthy deed were there related, sat in the andience; and many hearts were filled with honest pride to be the posterity of such noble and patriotic ancestry. But we must close these remarks. Our sketch; we feel, is quite imperfect; marks. May many years yet be ALUMNUS. added to his useful life.

ARRIVAL OF STEAMER ASIA.

3 DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE. THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT NOT CENSURED FOR THE FALL OF KARS.

Lord Clarendon's Reply to Secretary Marcy-The Italian Question-Decline in Cotton-Advance in Breadstuffs, 4-c.

The steamship Asia, with Liverpool dates to he 8rd inst., which was below N York on Thurslast evening we received our English files. The York. political news is unimportant.

Among the passengers by the Asia are Dr. A

The motion of Mr. Whitesides, in the British Parliament, to censure the Administration for the fall of Kars, was lost by a majority of 127.

Four hundred men, employed in the carriage department at the Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, have received the usual notice to leave. This will make the reduction since the peace, about 900. Benjamin Allen Howard, (who was apprehended in Liverpool on board the Persia) and Oscar were further examined and again remanded. The Dispute about Central America. - We learn

who give credit to and are alarmed by the statement of a United States journal, that the English | assurance of the safety of transit passengers for and French Governments are about to send mili. future, and that until he heard from his own govtary forces to Central America, for the purpose ernment in the matter he will take all the means of expelling the "Fillibusters," who are now, like in his power to avert further danger. incur such a useless expense. The question be- wall. tween the English and United States Cabinets, as Times.

IRELAND. An order has been issued by Lord Panmure to the county of Dublin Militia to resume the recruiting. This appears to signify that the military force will not be disbanded for some time to

Accounts have reached Dublin bringing the intelligence of the death of R. M. Fox, one of the a most astonishing memory; there are few men representatives in Parliament for the county of

Archbishop Cullen has issued a pastoral on the whether there is any important event recorded in peace. He points attention to the conduct of "our brave Catholic fellow countrymen and our powerful Catholic allies,"

Mr. Gavan Duffy, late of the Nation newspahis instructions at the University, and after a fur- per, had arrived and been entertained at Mel-

> The general appearance of the corps throughout France is described as most promising.

Kherson, Nicolaieff, Taganrog and Simferopol, with a Consul general at O'Dessa. The baptism of the Imperial Prince will take

ITALLIAN AFFAIRS. The most interesting feature of the Peace Conference happened after the treaty was signed, in the shape of an interchange of opinion on the

subject of European interest. Count Walewski invited this interchange of sentiment, and among other things refered to the disturbed state of Italy, recommending that suggertions of a milder rule be conveyed to the Italian Government, to which suggestions the pleni-

potentiaries generally heartily agree. Count Cavour, on behalf of Sardinia, demanded that the secular government be established in the Roman Legations, and that the Austrian troops be withdrawn. Sharp words hereupon ensued between the Austrian and Sardinean representa-

tives, but it ended in nothing. The plenipotentiaries then proceeded to a discussion of the new declaration of maritime law in reference to neutrals. To all the principles of this law, they each gave their adhesion, Russia qualifying her assent in the matter of privateer-

Letters from Rome state that the ecclesiastical in respect to territory, it produced military chief- circles were panic struck at the Sardinian protains, poets, orators and artists whose fame will gram for Italian reform. The sudden departure be commensurate with the history of the world. for Paris of Monsigneur Berardi was supposed to old Mexican military officials in Lower California. be connected with this movement. RUSSIA.

A squadron of war steamers will sail from Constadt early in the present month. It is said to be the intention of the Imperial

Government to give a greater development to its maritime establishments in America and China. Russia has prohibited any further levy of troops | ready computed at six hundred thousand dolfor six years, but invites the disbanding militia to lars.

SPAIN.

The Madrid journals assert that Russia will next acknowledge the Queen, Isabella, and that to the northern frontier. this recognition will be followed by the submission of a great number of Carlist chiefs.

A letter from Madrid says that the King of Poringal will visit that capital if he is specially invited

were disturbances at Aleppo and at Damascus .- | er did the enemies of democracy make a more Many inhabitants of Eupatoria, especially Tartars, were emigrating. In Abasia great disquietude prevailed. Four hundred Circassion chiefs were assembled at Anapa to sign an address to the Emperor Napoleon, the Queen of England and the Sultan, in which they ask for their independence, for which they are determined to contend till the last extremity.

Accounts from Teheran state that the American travelers were busy trying to convince the Persian Government of the utility of a treaty with

THE LATEST. London, Saturday .- The treaty between Engand, France and Austria, guaranteeing the independence and integrity of the Turkish empire, was presented in Parliament yesterday.

Lord Clarendon's answer, to Secretary Marcy's dispatch of the 28th Dec'r, was before Parliament last evening. The Daily News, in commenting on the document, refers to the demand for Mr. Crampton's recall as an invitation for the English Cabinet to disgrace itself for the amusement and gratification of the Government at Washington.

> GRATITUDE: The hound will fawn on any one That greets him with a kind caress; The flower will turn towards the sun, That nurtures it in loveliness. The drooping bird, with frozen wing, That feeds in winter at your sill Will trim his glossy plumes in spring, And perch about your window still.

Serious Accident on the Panama Railroad.

Many Passengers Killed and Wounded.

The Isthmus steamer Senora, which left San in two years the mortality from this disease would Francisco April 21st, had upwards of \$2,000,000, be diminished one half. day night, arrived up early yesterday morning, and in treasure, of which \$1,650,000 was for New

The principal consignees on the specie list are W. T. Coleman, \$764,000; Drexel & Co., \$430,-George and wife, of Baltimore, and Joseph Pea- 000; Wm. Hoge, \$100,000; Metropolitan Bank, & Co., \$268,000.

FROM THE ISTHMUS.

The Isthmus papers are filled with official documents concerning the Panama riots, but no new additional names of the killed and murdered are given. The citizens of Panama had formed a of the results. guard for protection of property, and the authorities had placed a force at the disposal of the Railroad Company, so that no further violence was Ringston the two American hotel plunderers, anticipated. The correspondence between the Governor of Panama and Commander Bailey is published in full. The closing note of the latter with some little surprise that there are people is exceedingly sharp. He tells the governor that his answers are not satisfactory, and affords no

the Morgans of another century, attempting to A severe accident happened on the Panama dominate in the Spanish main. So far as the Railroad to the train carrying the George Law's British Government is concerned, there is not a outward bound passengers, by which many were word of truth in the allegation; and we give the killed and wounded. The correct number had French Cabinet credit for more prudence than to not been ascertained when the steamer left Aspin- graph;

The accident occurred at Obispa bridge, 15 to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, remains in statu quo. miles from Panama. There were nine cars, con-The British Government is willing, and most de- taining 900 passengers-chiefly steerage. Over the night being very thick and rainy she struck sirous, to refer all the points in dispute to arbi- fifty of the wounded had arrived at Aspinwall, as, on Point Lookout Bar and beat over it, losing tration; it places no limitation on the selection owing to the accident, the passage through could her large anchor and chain, and leaking so badof an arbitrator, and it will be bound by the de- not he effected. Two of those wounded died ly that it became necessary to run her ashore at cision of whoever is chosen. - Wilmer & Smith's shortly after arriving there. The day after the the mouth of the Potomac, were she now lies." accident there was a further arrival of the wounded and uninjured.

At the latest advices the wreck had not been wholly cleared, but thirty bodies had been taken out. Very few ladies or children were injured .-Among the wounded and killed were a number of brakesmen. The only name given is that of Mr. Dalhouse, clerk, belonging to Aspinwall, who was

There were no signs of further disturbances at

Later accounts from Oregon state that Cascade had been retaken by the regular troops previous to the 5th of April, and the Indians had dispersed towards the mountains.

FROM CALIFORNIA

The steamer Golden Gate arrived at San Fran-March 20th. The steamer John L. Stevens, up- suspicions are affoat. ward bound, left Acapulco on the 22d ult. The French consuls will be appointed at Kertch, steamer Golden Gate passed May 1st a steamer, supposed to be the America from Panama for San Francisco.

forma during the fortnight. Mining operations The King of Wurtemburg is expected in Paris. were taking a new start. The crops promise an

abundant harvest. The governor has signed the bill consolidating the city and county of San Francisco.

The democrats had carried the municipal election at Sacramento. The republicans attempted | the different cities. to hold a meeting in the same place, but were driven from the ground by violence.

A large fire occurred at Placerville on the 16th

ult., involving a loss of over \$50,000. The powder vessel at Sacramento sunk in th river on election day-loss about \$70,000.

Business generally was dull at San Francisco. The demand from the interior for goods had been very light during the fortnight, and the great bulk of receipts had been placed in store. No improvement had taken place in any article except ing rice and sugars. Flour had fallen \$2 50 per bbl. Other leading staples were also weaker, and the money market was quite stringent. Domestic flour \$11; Haxall \$14 50; Mess Pork \$27; Hams 14 a 15 cents in brine. Whisky 58 cents; Turpentine 35 cents.

The California papers are calling loudly upon

Congress to strengthen the State defences. Difficulties have arisen between the new and Several of the latter have been imprisoned, and others have left the country. Their troops are starving, and there are a large number of deser-

The senatorial election in California has been postponed until the next session. The war debt of Washington territory is al-

U. S. vessels Massachusetts, Decatur, John Han-

From the Washington Union. DEMOCRATIC VICTORIES IN INDIANA. The Democrats of Indianapolis have elected their candidate for Mayor by 315 majority, and the remainder of their city ticket by still larger It was rumored at Constantinople that there | majorities. The Indiana Sentinel says that "nevdesperate effort to carry their ticket; and yet the nigger-stealing phalanx have been vanquished.

beaten, cleared out, and shattered." At New Albany-which has been cursed with Know Nothing misrule for two years past-the Democrats have succeeded by a majority of over

At Terre Haute the Democrats have elected their Mayor, and all the general city ticket except the Marshal.

At Lawrenceburg, the entire Democratic ticket for city officers is elected by a large majority. At Aurora the Democrats have swept everything before them-completely routing the combined hosts of the opposition, who made a despe-

rate struggle to carry the city. At Lafayette the Democratic majority is 248, and Tippecanoe county is claimed as good for 500 Democratic majority in November.

At Vincennes the entire Democratic ticket was elected, with but one exception. Remarking upon the above results, the Sentinel

"The Democratic banner to-day floats proudly over the principal cities of the State. They have all, with the exception of Jeffersonville, (the Penitentiary is located there,) thrown off the fetters of Know Nothingism with which they have been

"In October and November next the whole State will speak, and the Black Republican column will be shattered and broken-swallowed up in a defeat so terrible and destructive, that they

ARRIVAL OF THE GEORGE LAW. REMARKABLE STATISTICS-DR. HUNTER.

The New York Express of April 21, a daily paper of good authority, remarks that when the practice of inhalation for the treatment of consumption was first established by Dr. Robert May next. Hunter, of New York, and its success and avail-New York, May 16.—The steamer George law ability strongly advocated in the leading journals, arrived at this port to-day with 800 passengers the assertion was made by Dr. Hunter that "if ond \$1,600,000 in treasure, from California via every case of consumption in this city were pla-Aspinwall. She sailed from Aspinwall May 7th. ced under judicious treatment by inhalation, with-

The opponents of the new principle of local application of vapor for the cure of disease of the lungs, appealed accordingly to the bills of mortality, predicting the most discouraging consequences from the wide prevalence which the new elected, convened at Commissioners' Hall on the body and G. W. Shields, Esq., and lady, of Washamination of facts in connection with the system, the Express ventured to give its voice, with oth- and speedy cure for Burns, Piles, Boils, Corns, ers, in favor of a fair trial, and is, accordingly, rejoiced to see the repeated assurance of every facts had been discovered of any importance. No good result to the afflicted, from what appears to be the broadest basis of judging in the premises,

Dr. Hunter, in answering the appeal to the bills of mortality, regularly published in his journal, the Medical Specialist, points out a further decrease in the deaths from consumption in New York, reaching now to the extent of thirty one per cent decrease for a comparison of the three months just past, with the corresponding quarters of the previous years. For the three months ending March, 1854, the number of deaths from this disease are given as 843, for March, 1855, the number was 766, and for March, 1856, the number is 580, a decrease of two hundred and sixtythree, or more than one third.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES. Under the marine head in the Gazette of the 8th instant was published the following para-

"Schooner C. F. A. Cole, Baker from Barbados for Alexandria, in ballast, encountered on the night of the 30th ult. a severe gale from the east,

We have since learned that the whole crew of this vessel, all Spaniards, took the steamboat Alice C. Price, at Piney Point, soon after her abandonment, and came up to Washington, where they landed and dispersed. The schooner it is said, cleared at Baltimore last November for Madeira, and just before clearing changed ownership. No such vessel has since cleared from Barbados for this port. When she was observed coming up to the mouth of the river, a pilot put out for her. when she altered her course. That night she came back and ran on Point Lookout bar. She is supposed to be filled with water casks, and is peculiarly fitted up-and her name had been e- Many of them by eminent citizens of the State. rased from her stern, and then chalked on again. Inquiries are on foot to ascertain further lacts with regard to this affair, and some persons from this city, having authority, are to proceed to an cisco April 18th, with mails and passengers of examination of the vessel. Various reports and

Alexandria (Va.) Gazette. IMPORTANT TO AMERICAN TRAVELLERS. Austrian government has given notice that Amer- | complete. There had been heavy rains, throughout Cali- ican travelling passports will not be respected by cans about visiting Austria to have their passports renewed, which can be done by forwarding the same to the State Department at Washington, directly, or through the proper authorities in

> TERRIBLE FRESHET IN TENNESSEE. The Tennessee papers report destructive freshets in that county; in Giles county, hogs, cattle and sheep were drowned, bridges carried away, and much other damage done. One farmer lost 200 head of sheep. At Lebanon, the town was everflowed, and many families driven from their houses, to seek shelter elsewhere.

AND THERE WERE GIANTS IN THOSE

DAYS. While excavating recently for the cellar of a new building in Burlington, Iowa, the workmen broke into an arched vault, six feet deep and ten | thousand dollars annually. feet square, in which they found eight human skeletons, each of which was a little over eight feet long. The walls of the vault were about 14 CHARACTER CALLED CHILDISH COMPOSIinches thick, well laid up with cement of indes- | TIONS, containing, in lessons easy enough for all

A HEAVY BUSINESS.

The town of Winchendon, Mass., is more largely engaged in the manufacture of woodenware than any other place in the country. They furnish annually 1,560 000 pails, 240,000 tubs. 15, 000 churns, and 1,000,000 toy pails, that have a total value of \$360,000, or about \$1,000 a day, including Sundays through the year.

THE MARTIN.

has no boubt struck the attention of many, that the common Martin-bird which has heretofore cock and Jefferson Davis are at Seattle, in Wash- made its appearance here about equinox, has ington territory. The latter is shortly to proceed this year failed to visit us. We have not, to our knowledge, seen or heard one of them jet, either in the city or its vicinity. We feel their absence ing to our ears than the lively notes of those cheerful and familiar birds, especially in the early hours of the morning. We wonder what has become of them ?- Wheeling Times.

From the Philadelphia Pennsylvanian. THE CROPS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY The advices from all parts of the country in relation to growing crops are usually satisfactory .-In this State the general accounts are, that there is a present prospect of a large crop of wheat .giving good accounts of the prospects of the coming crops. The season is backward, but that is said to be very favorable to the wheat, which was sown in immense quantities last Fall.

LARGE SALE OF LIQUORS.

On Tuesday from, \$300,000 to \$400,000 worth of liquors were offered at auction in Boston, and a great portion of them sold. This is the largest sale of the kind, the Traveller, says, that ever took place in Boston.

THE GERMAN RIOT. Upon the further examination of the German

Turners, at Covington, Ky., last Wednesday, on a charge of riot, all were discharged except those who carried guns. Twenty-nine were admitted to bail of \$2,000 each, and two were remanded to RECRUITS FOR NICARAGUA. NEW ORLEANS, May 16 .- The news from Wash-

which will probably sail on the 22d, will take out

guard ' in opposition to the invincible Democra- inst., for San Juan, but will he detained a day or two at Fort Mifflin in taking in powder.

STATE AND ADDRESS.

The undersigned respectfully announces himself to his fellow citizens of the County of New Hanover, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to a nomination by the Convention to be held at Long Creek on the 29th day of May next. JOHN L. HOLMES. April 15, 1856.

The subscriber respectfully announces him-elf to his fellow-citizens of the County of New Hanover as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, and trusts that his efforts to discharge faithfully and acceptably the duties of the office will secure to him a continuation of their E. D. HALL. March 13, 1856.

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Pea Nuis, 44 a
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Yellow Dip,

Shear,

Cut Nails

Wrought Nails

Steel, per lb., German,

Blistered, 6 a Best Cast, 20 a

Best quality Mill Saws, 6 feet, 5 60 a

River Lumber, Flooring, 0 00 a Wide Boards, 0 00 a

FREIGHTS

COMMERCIAL.

REMARKS ON MARKET.

TURPT.-877 bbls. Turpt. were sold at \$3 per

bbl. for Virgin Dip; \$1.92 per bbl. for Old; \$2.40

Sp'rs Tuapr .- 550 bbls. Sp'ts Turpt, sold at

TAR .- 208 bbls. Tar sold at \$1.30 per bbl.

Rosin .- No sales of either quality that we hear

Pirch.-420 bbls. Pitch sold at \$1.40 per bbl.

Molasses. - 50 hhds. Molasses were sold at 35

Corron.-5 bales (Good Middling) Cotton, sold

CORN MEAL. - 200 bushels sold at 671 cts per

Conn.-1650 bushels Corn sold at 581 cts per

bushel. About 1700 bushels Corn sold yesterday

afternoon at auction, in lots of 25 bushels and up-

wards at 47 to 51 cts. per bushel. The last lot

sold, consisting of about 1,000 or 1,100 bushels;

FLOUR .- 45 bbls Flour (Wil. Insp'n) sold at \$61

Exports for 1 week, ending 19th inst.

S. S. Lumber, 407,203 feet; Shingles, No. 407,

355; Turpentine, 801 bbls.; Rosin, 14,784 do.; Spirits Turpentine, 3,116 do.; Varnish, 6 do.; Tar,

1,993 do.; Pitch, 235 do.; Flour, 70 do.; Pea Nuts.

384 bushels; Paper, 48 bundles; Wax, 3 barrels;

Dried Fruit, 9 bushels and 6 bbls.; Rice, 76 casks:

bbl.; Whiskey, 3 do.; Wheat, 7391/2 bushels; Skins, 1 bundle; Fluid, 1 bbl.; Vessels Mast, 1.

NEW YORK MARKET.

day, the market being usestiled at 104 for Mid-dling Orleans; Fair Uplands at 114; and Middling

Uplands at 10fc per lb. Flour and Wheat are up-

of Turpentine was drooping at 41c per gallon.

changed. Corn was lower and unsettled. Spirits

BALTIMORE MARKET.

May 16 .- Only 450 bales of Cotton were sold to

Rough Rice, 8 bushels; Yarn, 95 bales; Sheeting, 28 do.; Cotton, 41 do.; Hides, No. 131; Juniper Wood, 42 cords; Leather, 1 roll; Fur, 1

per bbl. for fine, and \$51 per bbl. for X brand.

for Yellow Dip, and \$1.40 for Hard.

37 cts. per gallon, 90 days.

was sold at 46 cts per bushel.

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Blistered,

Dressed....

R. O. hhd., rough,.....

Salt per bushel, Turk's Island,

Spirits Turpentine, per-bbl,

Cotton goods and yarns, per foot,

Rice, per 100 lbs, gross,

Flour, per bbl.,

Cotton, per bale,

Lumber, per M.,

Flaxsonde per cask,

Pea Nuts, per bushel

TO PHILADELPHIA.

Naval Stores, per bbl..

Pea Nuts, per bushel,

Turpentine, per bbl.,

Cotton per bale

Spirits Turpentine, per bbl.,

Rough Rice, per bushel.

Lumber, per M.,

TO BOSTON.

Rosin, per bbl.,

Lumber, per M., Pea Nuts, per bushel.

cts per gallon.

at 10 cts. per lb.

Hard, 1 40 Tar, 1 30

Pitch, 1 40

Port, 1 00 a Malaga, 40 a

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The Editor (Prof. Hubbard) in his Preface to Black's large, 6 00 1. THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF A FEELING OF SELF DEPENDENCE, and the enlistment of popular sentiment in behalf of the State, and its Bbl. Heading per M , Ash, 9 00 institutions. It was not thought important how-

posed, would be certainly used, and this great

parents and children would amount to several

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LONG CREEK, May 15th, 1856. THE copartnership of Jones, Moore & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All perington respecting the reception of Padre Vijil has sons indebted by note or account are requested to given a fresh impetus to the Nicaragua fever in in the hands of an Attorney for collection.

All persons indebted by note or account are requested to make immediate payment or they will find them in the hands of an Attorney for collection.

Wheat, \$1.00 to \$1.00, up. 10.00 bushels very prime brought \$1.75.—
White Corn, 43 to 47 cts; yellow, 50 to 52. Oats, 38 to 34. Whiskey, 26; to 27 cents. JOHN JONES,

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

May 16.—Cotton—The transactions of the day, so far as reported to us were limited to some 700 bales, at extremes ranging from 10; to 11c., and are said to have sustained our quotations of the morning. There have been sales, however, the prices of which have not been allowed to transpire which swells, the amount to about 1200 pire, which swells the amount to about 1200 bales. Freights-Two vessels were taken up to load for Havre, at to for Cotton in square bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

CHARLESTON MARKET

Liverpool, May 2 .- Cotton-Sales of the week 42,000 bales; sales to speculators of 7,000 bales, and to exporters 2,750 bales. The market is dall and prices have declined under the influence of the last advices from the States. Lower qualities have declined most, say i - better qualities are unchanged. Orleans fair 7; Middling 6 3-16; Mobile fair 64; Middling 6 3-15.

Corn is dull, holders demanding an advance.—

Some circulars quote corn a trifle lower.

Provisions — Beef is dull, with a declining tendency. Pork is firm, with an advancing tendency. The market is bare, and there is a good demand. The same may be said of hams. Lard-There is an active speculative demand at 54s a 55s. Prices have advanced about 1s. The Money market is tighter; consols 921.

MARRIED.

DIED.

In Greensboro, on the 14th, by Rev. J. J. Smyth. Mr. James D. Comming, merchant of this place, to Miss Kate, daughter of W. S. Rankin, Esq.

At Glenwood, Nassau county, Florida, on the morning of the 8th, Mrs. MARTHA E. DRANE, wife of Richard H. Drane, late of this town, aged 27 "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord; even so saith the Spirit, for they rest from their

MARINE NEWS

PORT OF WILMINGTON, MAY 20.

16. Br Barque Ringdove, previously reported ashere, has been lightered and brought up to Steamer Henrietta, Southall, from Payetteville o Master. Steamer Fanny Lutterlob, Barber, from Fay-

tteville to Latterioh & Elliott 17. Schr. Emeline, Chadwick, from Hyde Couny, to D. Pigott. Schr. Laura, Whitehurst, from Hyde County, to DeRosset & Brown. 18. chr. Kalulah, Morton, from Boston, to Peirce & Dudley.

Schr. Albert Dexter, Small, from Boston, to T. Steamer Scottish Chief, Russell, from Fayetteetteville, to John S. Banks, 19. Steamer Spray, Price, from Smithville, to A. H. VanBokkelen.

CLEARED.

17. Schr. John A. Stanly, Simmons, for Boson, by Willard & Curtis, with naval stores. Brig Pacific, Faller, for Honduras, by Adams Brother & Co. with Lumber & shingles Brig Sarah Wooster, Crabtree, for Cuba, by Peirce & Dudley, with Lumber &c.
Steamer Spray, Price, for Smithville, by A. If

Br Schr. Belle, Gilbert, for Halifax, N. S. by

Geo. Houston, with naval stores.

Brig Olive, Pettegrew, for Honduras, by De-Rosset & Brown, with Lumber & Shingles. Schr. Mary Isabella, Darrington, for Baltimore. by Russell & Bro., with naval stores. Steamer Fanny Lutterloh, Barber, for Fayetteville, by Lutterloh & Elliott. 19. Schr. E. C. Felter, Arnold, for New York

Schr. Exchange, Edwards, for Baltimore, by Russell & Bro., with 42 cords wood. Schr. Lucy White, Ingraham, for New York, by J. & D. McRae & Co., with naval stores. CLEARED FOR WILMINGTON, N. C.

Brig Teazer, (Br.) Carrall, at New York, 15th ARRIVED FROM WILMINGTON, N. C. Brig Pee Dee. Baker, at New York, 15th inst. Schr. David Smith, Peterson, at New York, 15th

Sc r. J. P. Wetherell, Cobb, at Boston, 14th

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE. THE undersigned have purchased the Drug Ea-tablishment of Mesers C. & D. DuPre,

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WALKER MEARES,
J. L. MEARES, M. D.

WILMINGTON, CHARLOTTE,

A GENERAL meeting of the Stockholders of the Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherford Rail Road Company, is this day appointed by the Board of Directors, to pe held in the town of Wilmington, on Wednesday the 18th day of June next.

A full attendance of the Stockholders either in

May 20. JUST RECEIVED. 20 BUSHELS beautiful White Beans. For GEO. MYERS'.

person or by proxy is carnestly requested. H. W. GWIN, President.

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May 17.—Sales of Howard street and City Mills
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Wheat, \$1.88 to \$1.45; do. White, \$1.40 to \$1.50;
Wheat, \$1.68 to \$1.45; do. White, \$1.40 to \$1.50;

LOTS FOR SALE.

which will probably sail on the 22d, will take out a great number of recruits for Gen. Walker's army.

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NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

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