Dailn Journal-Observer

Fifty millions of dollars were invested in building houses in New York city last year.

It is said that Lady Florence Dixie don't enjoy the jokes that are perpetrated on her steel corsets.

The daughter of Senator Dawes, of Massachusetts, is about to take an editorial position on the Pittsfield Jour-

The Rev. Lindsay Parker, of the New York East Conference, M. E. Church, will soon take orders in the Episcopal

The day that Postmaster General Howe died, Frank Hatton, first assistant postmaster general, narrowly escaped death by a runaway accident.

Judge Kyle of Alabama, evidently believes that the Southern farmer raises too much cotton and refuses to rent his lands to persons to cultivate cotton.

The Chattanooga, Tenn., Democrat and Times are exchanging editorial courtesles of that peculiar kind that pass when the angry passions rise.

New York does not wish to put people to any extra trouble when they have legal swearing to do, and consequently supplies them with 12,529 notaries pub-

The pamphlet putlished by Mr. W. R. Henry, of Raleigh, on too much cotton. is attracting considerable attention in Georgia and other Southern States.

The par value of seats in the New York Cotton Exchange is \$10,000, but the other day a seat belonging to a bankrupt broker was sold at auction

It is now said that Keeley, the motor mun, will make a trial trip with a locomotive expressly constructed for him, on the 5th of next July. The apparatus will have a power equivalent to a 500horse power.

Members of a new Western temper ance society, instituted by an eloquent Roman Catholic priest of Milwaukee, and called the Luague of the Cross, do not cominit themselves to total abstinence, but swear not to enter any place where alcoholic drinks are sold for consumption on the premises.

From a correspondence published in Thursday's issue of the Raleigh News and Observer we learn that while Gov. Jarvis has tendered the appointment of State Geologist to Prof. Kerr, the latter has not yet signified his acceptance, but has the matter under consideration.

The Pannsylvania politicians have raised the cry that "the business interests of the country" demand Mr. Randall's election to the Speakership of the next House. If the business interests of the country about which they talk were identical with the people's interests the cry would be more cheerfully responded to than it is lakely to be.

It is reported from Washington that Frank Hatton, First Assistant Postmaster General, is in the lead for the vacant place of Postmes'er General Practically speaking, he ran the machine before the death of Postmaster General Howe, who wasn't much at home in the mail bag department.

A miser recently died in Westmoreland county, Pa. The minis.er who preached his funeral sermon dwelt in severe terms on his absorbing love of money and general meanness, and then perhaps he felt bad when the miser's will was read and it was discovered that he had bequeath d \$1,000 to that minister's church.

it is interesting to know that Dr. Lewis Swift, who has just taken the prize of the Paris Academy of Science as the most distinguished astronomer of the year, only a few years ago kept a little hardware store in the suburbs of Hochester, M. V., and carried on amateur observations with a small telescope from the roof of a convenient dider mill.

Public men who have aspirations to office should not amuse themselves with latter writing, for the letters are sure to be raked up, and mix things, sometimes, terribly. They are pulling out some old epistles now on Mr. Boynton, of Georgia, written in 1868, congratulating Bullock on his election as Governor, and they are damaging his prhapects very much

A correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer says: "In eleven years I have never seen the Ohio Democracy more hopeful, more united, more harmonious, There are no factions. There is a good natured rivalry between Judge Hoadly Judge Geddes and Gen. Durbin Ward for governor, but there is no bitterness. The feeling is that whoever is nominated can be elected.

The progress of railroads in Mexico the imes country. Que of the Mexican journals complains that railroads and that, the locomotives, burn too much wood.

In the early days of railroads in the West the farmers of some sections objected to them because the whistle of the logomotive frighted the gattle and prevented them from grazing comfort-

There is at least one candid Republiin the country, and he is the man who writes to the New York Sun that his party will be cowardly if they do not declare in their platform in 1884 that "the primary object of sustoms duties shall be the protection of every industry in the United States up to the point of absolute independence of foreign competition;" that "revenue shall be incidental to protection," and that "in no case shall protection be inciden-

tal to revenue." This is the true Radical doctrine plainly stated, and we hope the party will be honest enough to put it in their form and ask the people to endo

The correspondents having announced a dozen different places to which the President is going, the Boston Globe is moved to say that the only sure thing is that President Arthur is going to retire permanently from publife after the election of 1884.

Commissioner Raum says the President will not reduce the number of internal revenue districts and that there are good reasons why it should not be done. There is one reason, which he does not refer to, and perhaps the most potent of all, and that is the reduction would reduce the number of zealous workers and organizers of the Republican party, especially in the South where their services are required and appreciated by the administration, of which Raum is no small part.

The New York Sun, in reply to the nquiry, "What is a tinker's dam?"-a phrase generally supposed to be profane -says that a tinker's dam is a dam of dough or other suitable material, constructed by a tinker to confine his molten solder to the business at hand; and that, inasmuch as when a tinker's dam has once served its purpose it possesses little or no commercial value, the phrase has come to be a frequently used and almost universally understood synonyme for worthlessness.

The capacity of thoroughbred horses for jumping is wonderful. The most extraordinary leap we ever saw was the one made by General Robert Ransom's mare "Fanny," when the Yanks surprised his brigade below Kinston, N C. He put her across a gap where a railroad culvert had been torn up, at full speed, and the distance, afterwards measured, according to our recollection. was over 25 feet. This, however, is much less than the distances jumped by some English horses as follows: Chandler cleared 39 feet over a break at Warwick; Calverthorpe, 33 feet over hurdles at Newport Pagnell; King of the Valley, 35 feet over the Wissedine Brook, Leicestershire; Lottery, 34 feet at Liverpool; Peter Simple, 37 feet at

Ochiltree's Salary Cannot be Withheld. WASHINGTON, March 30.—Controller Lawrence of the Treasury has decided that the language of the constitution providing that Senators and Representatives in Congress shall receive compensation for their services is imperaive, and therefore that the salary of Representative Ochiltree, of Texas, cannot legally be withheld because of his indebtedness to the government. With regard to the two Territorial delegates, whose accounts as United States disbursing officers have not yet been settled, Judge Lawrence holds that they stand upon a different footing. Their offices are not created by the constitution but by statute, therefore their pay can be held as a set off. This opinion was transmitted to the acting secretary of the Treasury, who decided to abide by it. Hence Ochiltree will get his pay the same as other

members of Congress. Poisoned by Her Niece. LYNCHBURG, VA. March 30-Mrs Jonathan Monroe and her son Warren Monroe, living near Brook Neal, Campbell county, were poisoned several nights since. The poison was admin istered in coffee and both mother and son died from its effects a short time after drinking the coffee. Suspicion attaches to a niece of the poisoned woman, who was visiting at the house at the time of the occurrence. It is rumored that the girl meant only to poison the mother in the absence of the son in order to remove an obstacle to marriage with the latter. Warren returned unexpectedly and was also

Indian Signal Fires.

TUCSON, ARIZONA, March 30-A special from Benson says that an unusual number of fires were seen from that place Wednesday night at the foot of Draggon Mountains. They were successive flashes and it is understood that a large number of Sonora Apaches are approaching the line near Nogales The people there have called for United States troops and one company has been sent to that point. There is a rumor that a skirmish occurred between troops and Indians in the Whetstone Mountains on Wednesday night.

The Work of the Sayage. SAN FRANCISCO, March 30 .- A Lords burg despatch says a party just returned from the scene of the massacre in Thompson's canyon, found Mrs. Judge McComas shot through the head, lying by the side of a buck board and stripped naked. Judge McComas' body was found two hundred yards further south. He had been shot in four places. His body was also stripped naked. The

boy is missing. Another Fenian Bugahoo.

London, March 80 .- The police are in receipt of a letter purporting to emanate from Fenian sources, threatening that unless the men charged with the Phoenix Park murders and now confined in Kilmainham jail, Dublin awaiting trial, are at once released, the central telegraph office in London will be blown up.

Appointed Assistant Treasurer.

WASHINGTON, March 30.-The Presi dent this afternoon appointed E. O Graves Assistant Treasurer of the United States to fill the place of A. M. Wyman, promoted to be Treasurer. Graves has hitherto been superintendent of the National Bank Redemption Division of the Treasury Department.

Mormon Converts Bound for Utah. ST. Louis, March 80 - This me 200 persons under charge of Elder Morgan of the Mormon Church, passed through Union depot en route for Utah. These converts all came from the Southern States.

Conservatives Elected Over Parnellites DUBLIN, March 30.—Three Conservatives have been elected poor law guardians in place of three Parnellites in the Rotunda ward. This indicates an important revalsion of feeling, and has considerable political algorithmaps.

Prepared to Pay Its Coupons. Augusta, Ga. March 30.—The Augusta & Knoxville Bailroad Company, which failed to pay the coupons on its bonds due last January, gives notice that they will be paid on presentation at the Augusta Sayings Hank.

Fire in a Texas Town. GALVESTON, March 80.—A News Gatesville special says a fire yesterday destroyed buildings and stock valued at \$38,000; insurance \$12,000.

Horsford's Acid Pheephat

A BAD RAILROAD SMASH.

Land Slide Wrecks a Passenger Train and Injures a Number of

CINCINNATI, March 30,-A landslide ear Mason on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad this morning threw the north bound passenger train from the track. The place of the accident is 40 miles

Later .- 4 p. m .- The injured are just arriving from the wreck. They say the train was going 40 miles an hour, on a sharp curve, when the entire train left the track and rolled down an embankment 50 feet high. Two sleepers were completely wrecked, and one car was burned. The passengers were extrica-ted with great difficulty. No person was killed outright. The total number of injured is 53, several of whom are very seriously hurt. The only names obtained thus far are those of Major McDonald, of Xenia, O, seriously injured, and J. G Spalding, of Port Clinton, O, slightly hurt. The whole train did not leave the

track. The cause of the accident was a broken rail. Engineer Michael discovered it and immediately applied the brakes and reversed his engine. The engine and the baggage car remained on the track but the smoking car was partly thrown off and ladies car enleft the rails and stood at almost right angles with the road lower end down embankment. This car was subsequently burned. The sleeping cars rolled down the embankment and were badly wrecked. Very few passengers escaped without injury, though most of the injured were not serious. Among those are J. C. Roberts, Cherry Lane, N. C., burt internally: James Lilton, Sparta, N. C.; D. E. Emory A. A. C. (2018). ry, Athens, Ga., leg broken; Mrs. E. Bellamy, Macon, Ga, slightly injured.

A Young Raymher Hanged. WASHINGTON, March 30.—Charles William Beaver, a colored youth, was hanged in the fall yard at Leasburg. Virginia, this morning for rape, committed on a girl aged ten years, daughter of George A. Hunt, near Purcell-ville, Loudon county. The hanging took place in a drizzling rain and was witnessed by about fifty persons. Beaver passed the night quietly, ate a hearty breakfast and was led to the scaffold at 6:40 o'clock. He ascended the scaff old with a firm step, and as the black cap was drawn said: "Farewell friends and fellow-creatures." After prayer by the Rev. R. T. D4vis, the trap was sprung at 6:52, and his neck was broken by signed a written confession of

Louise Surrenders to Save Her Mother Annovance.

Paris, March 30 -Louise Michel called at the prefecture of police yesterday evening, but as the prefect was absent at the time, left the office announcing that she intended to surrender herself to the authorities to day. This morning she was arrested without any difficulty or objection on her part. She stated that she was willing to give herself up rather than subject her mother to any further annovances from the

She was arrested while leaving the house of a friend. The specific charge brought against her was that she had entered bakers' shops at the head of an armed band and plundered them.

Not Germanized by a Good Deal. METZ, March 30.—An uneasy feeling prevails in Lorraine amongt that part f the population who retain and still quietly avow their fealty to the French overnment. This occasionally breaks out into unwonted agitation. Such is the case now. The immediate cause of the excitement is an address just issued by deputy Antoine, in which he acknowledges the receipt of the money collected by a patriotic league for the benefit of the sufferers by the recent nundations along the Rhine, and apeals to the French government not to forget those unhappy children of France, who, although parted from her temporarily by force of arms, are waiting the day of revenge.

A California Earthquake Shakes
Things Up Lavely.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 30.—There was a slight shock of earthquake here at 7:45 this morning. Further south the shock was heavy. At Watsonville, Santa Cruz county, nine shocks were felt with breaking of crockery, plaster-ing, etc. At Hallasti, San Benito county, plate glass windows were smashed and brick buildings cracked, causing a emporary panic. The streets were illed with the inhabitants, many of bem in undress,

An Absconder Arrested CINCINNATI, March 30.-Casius Markle, the absconding member of the Pittsburg paper manufacturing firm which recently made an assignment by reason of his withdrawing a large sum of money from the partnership fund, came here Thursday and registered at the Burnett House as C. F. Overhalt. He was arrested to-day. He says be has been in Chicago and St. Louis, and has been drinking heavily. Mr. Lippincott, assignee of the firm, is here, and has identified him. \$28,400 were found on

Information Concerning Another Dynamite Plot.

LIVERPOOL, March 30.—Police are in cates that the arrests here and at St. Helen's yesterday of men bringing infernal machines from Ireland were timely and prevented outrages which had been plaused and were to have been executed yesterday evening. Destruc-tion of public buildings involving possibly great loss of life was part of the

The Tennessee Railropd Commu NASHVILLE, March 20 .- The subst

on the passage of the substitute requires a call of the yeas and nays, and therefore the legality of anathront is still in doubt, as there are strong proba-bilities that there will not be a quorum to day, the date fixed for adjournment Mercantile Failures.

NEW YORK, March 30.—The business failures for the past seven days reported to R. G. Dun & Co., mercantile agency number 182 against 196 last week, distributed as follows: Western States, 58; New Logland, 14; Southern States, 29; Pacific States and Territo-ries, 15; New York City, 2; Canada, 32, Murdered by Indians.

Tucson, Arizona, March 80.—Judge H. C. McComas and wife were murder-ed Wednesday by the Apaches at Thompson Canyon, Their son was with them and is supposed to have been We are Gratified

THE CITY.

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Indications.

South Atlantic and East Gulf States, cloudy weather, with local rains, south-westerly winds, becoming variable, sta-tionary or lower temperature and pres-

LUCAL RIPPLES.

- Matt Daniel, agent for Hewley's Humpty Dumpty troupe, was at the Beaufort yesterday. This troupe will appear here next Friday.

- Nazarenus & Co.'s new delivery wagon is quite an acquisition to Charlotte's display of vehicles. It is a handsome wagon and helps to make our streets look city-like. -At a meeting held last Thursday

light, the Literary and Debating Club

was reorganized and a new constitution and set of by laws were adopted. Next Thursday night the reficers of the club are to be elected. have been issued, and that the trains will be put on one week from to-mor-

row, as the order has already been issued to that effect. -As will be seen by an announcement elsewhere, the popular Shannonhouse will be opened for boarders next Monday, by Mrs. J. H. Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Shanonhouse will have the super-

vision of the establishment. -Policeman Stevens, on going home night before last, killed a big muskrat that was trying to get in his back door The rat was on exhibition at Beattie's store yesterday and attracted much attention by reason of its extraordinary

- A friend in Philadelphia sent Dr. Jo Graham a fine terrier pup through lumps of various sizes from a marble rived here yesterday the pup was dead. It had been shipped in a box that had contained red pepper, and had sneezed -Our citizens will be treated one day

next week to a public parade of the graded school. The six hundred and sixty children will be marched in line, two by two through the square, and it will be a sight that has never been seen before in Charlotte. -The young carp that through the city about a week ago for Mr. Ewart, at Hendersonville, were

R. L. Beall, of Lenoir. Dr. Beall is shipping the young carp quite extensively and a few days since expressed a large lot to East Tennessee. - Bill Meeks, a noted thief of Cabarrus county, was captured in Salisbury Friday, by deputy sheriff George Murr. and carried to Concord jail. Meeks has been eluding the officers of the law for three or four years and has often been

chased and shot at, but always man-

shipped from the private ponds of Dr.

aged to make his escape. He will go to the penitentiary for fifteen years. -We see that Mr. Jas. Gamble, president of our city water works company, has been testifying in the star route cases, but did not know much. His testimony before the committee was to the effect that he occupied a portion of the office used by Dorsey in 1881, at 145 Broadway. He described the rooms and their occupants, and said he saw no red book in that office: never saw Bosler there.

Complimentary German. The German given by the Pleasure Mr. E. F. Young, who left this morning for Winston, where he engages in merchandising. These was a good attendance of both ladies and gentlemen, and the german was decidedly one of

the most delightful of the many given in Charlotte the past season. Mr. Young has/long been a member of the given to account for it. but none are Pleasure Club and his departure from the city will leave a gap in the social circle that will be felt. The best wish- knowledge of this wonderful appendage es of his many friends accompany on a sound basis. The total solar eclipse him to his new home.

330 lb Drummer. Mr. H. Maddux, who during the war was a slim, athletic young private in Mosby's command, and who is now traveling salesman for a Baltimore lfquor house, was in the city yesterday and registered at the Buford House. In personal appearance he has considerably changed and none of his old comdes who might see him now for the

t time since the war, would have idea who he is. A string three as long will just about reach around der he is as broad as two ordinary men. been seen in these parts for a long while. Mr. Maddux is as good natured and jovial as he is fat, and has never sat down on anyhody in his life for ask-ing how much he weighs.

in Tampico, Mexico, has been firmly established under the pastorate of Rev. Neill E. Pressly, a young minister who went from Cabarrus county to the land of the Montezumas, as a missionary of the Associate Reformed Presb; terian Church of the South. Mr Pressley was reared near Coddle Creek postoffice, in our neighbor county, and is consequently identified very closely with the gen-timents and opinions of this section. His little church in Tampico has gathered such strength as to justify the erection of a larger house of worship Wherever he and his church have friends, funds are being raised to aid in its erection. From this date until Tuesday evening next, any contributions to this fund will be gratefully received at the A. R. P. church in this city by Rev. Dr. Pressley, the young missionary's father, who will immediately forward of the church fund. If more conveni-ent to contributors, such donations will be received at THE JGURNAL-OBSERVER office and duly acknowledged.

Murder Trial Moved to Concord.

The case of the Stanly county moonshiner, Fraley, who murdered Mr. Walker about six weeks ago, was called before Judge Shipp at Albemarle this week, and on motion of the defendant's counsel, it was moved to Cabarrus Superior Court for trial. Fraley's counsel, Capt. Chas. Price, claimed that the community was too much prejudiced. against the prisoner to give him a fair trial, and the case was accordingly moved to Cabarrus county and will be heard at the fall term of the Superior Court in Concord.

Special Term of the United States Court, by Chief Justice Waite.

Chief Justice Waite is to convene special term of the United States court in this city on the 28th of April. The Chief Justice was to have assisted Judge Dick at the regular term of the court in June, but finding that he could not be here at that time, the lawyers were yesterday consulted through Judge Dick, and the holding of the special session was agreed to. Some cases of importance will come up for trial at this special term, among them -It is stated that the schedule for | being the First National Bank vs. the the Air-Line day trains Nos. 52 and 58, City of Charlotte, and the "futures speculation" case of Tannahill vs. Welborne.

The First Storm of the Season.

Yesterday afternoon a storm remark able for the suddenness of its coming up and passing away, visited the city. Not a great deal of rain fell but the wind blew almost a gale, the highest velocity attained, as recorded at the signal office, being about forty miles an bour. The little cups over the office looked like a ring of iron so rapidly did they revolve. No hail fell in or near the city, but passengers who arrived on the Carolina Central train could talk of nothing else but hail. At Stout's and Monroe the hail fell in immense quantities and the passengers described the the Southern express, but when it ar- to a baseball. The ground was white in the vicinity of Stout's for half an hour after the storm had passed away.

Many of our readers will be glad to know that the narrative that has been running in Texas Siftings since last May, entitled Through Texas on a Mexican Mustang," and written by Sweet & Knox, editors of that paper, is being published in book form by the eminent publishing house of S. S. Cranton & Co., of Hartford, Conn. It will be a book of over six hundred pages, illustrated with two hundred original illustrations designed by several of the most prominent artists in this country. It will be sold only by subscription, and will be ready for delivery in May next.

The book will contain all of the narrative that has been published in Siftings. Authors, artists, and publishers have combined in a determination to make this book, in general interest, in elegance of make up, and in profusion and beauty of its illustrations, the best and handsomest subscription book that has ever been published in the United

Celestial Observations.

As the moon has now left the even ing sky, the comet discovered by Brooks on February 23d has again been observed. It is fading visibly, but is much higher up in the sky, being now near the Pleiades, and moving so rapidly that in watching at intervals through the telescope one can see it changing its position among the surrounding stars. The great comet of last year is also still seen, but it is too faint for any Club last night was complimentary to but a practiced eye to observe. There is also now to be seen in the western sky on any clear, dark evening what is known as the zodiacal light, a lenticular-shaped column of faint light, rising up from near the sunset point and exextending about forty-five degrees toward the south. Many theories are really satisfactory. Future discoveries and labor are yet needed to put our of May 6th may give us some new light on this subject, and astronomers are hopefully waiting its results.

For forty years pneumonia has been a growing cause of mortality in this country, and it now ranks next to consumption in destructiveness. It has been unusually prevalent this year, and March is the month in which it reaches its annual climax. Although not generally fatal among the young, it is one of the most deadly diseases with which the aged contend, and a prominent his waist and from shoulder to shoul- physician says that you can count on your fingers all more than 70 years of His actual weight is three hundred and | age who recover from its attack. Few thirty pounds. Nothing like him has people more than 50 years of age are able to withstand it. As a destroyer of distinguished men it has become conspicuous, and its fatality among those who have passed the meridian of life Pneumonia is still a mysterious dis-

ease, and its origin is as much in dis-It is not generally known that the pute as it was a quarter of a century the dog looks sadly at the tin oyster can first Protestant church ever organized ago. Climatic changes undoubtedly affect it, but the condition of the person is more important than the condition of the weather in regard to its assaults. A slight cold may speedily develop into malignant pneumonia in a person of dissipated habits, while the severest cold may not result in pneumonia in a person of correct life and robust health. There is no disease which pays more respect and obedience to the laws of health than pneumonia. They who study and observe those laws have little to fear from its ravages. Meanwhile, all should bear in mind that this is the season of pneumonis, and therefore take especial precautions to protect themselves from colds,

Prof. James A. Bowell, A. M., M. D., MEDICAL FACULTY, LAVAL UNIVERSITY, Que-e, states; "I have found Golden's Liquid Beet onic particularly useful in advanced stages of manageties, Weakness, Dyspopaia and all nervous factions. In progressit somes it has been resulta-twhen every other article of food was rejected.

of the Pinest" 5 cent Cigare, at G. H. Nazaronus & Cole.

Another Fatal Runaway Accident.

A runaway accident, strikingly simiar to the one that happened to little Frank Stansill, near this city, a few weeks ago, occurred yesterday at Pee Dee Station, on the Carolina Central railroad. The victim was a small negro boy. His father had been ploughing in a field, and at dinner time put the boy on the mule to ride to the house. The mule became frightened from some unwas thrown from the mule's back, but the field for nearly a quarter of a mile before the mule could be stopped. The little fellow was unconscious when his foot was disengaged from the chain, and the doctor, who examined his wounds, found that they were of nature so serious as to admit of no hopes of the boy's recovery, giving the opinion that he had but a few hours to

Seized by a Rough. A bold outrage was perpetrated at the residence of Mr. H. B Williams Thursday night, a little after ten o'clock by an unknown negro man. Mr. Williams' daughter, Mrs. A. Cox, went to the back porch to get a drink of water, and just as she reached the bucket, a burly negro man grabbed her by the arms. Her frightened screams for help caused the negro to release her and he skipped just as Mr.
Williams and other members of the family appeared. Mr Williams caught a glance of the retreating form and sent a bullet whistling after it. It is thought that the negro's object was to rooms in the State. gag Mrs. Cox and rob her of the jewelry which she wore, but in this fortunately he was unsuccessful. This is cess to it, as "competition is the life of another warning for our citizens to trade keep their premises well guarded

against these prowling rascals. Horsewhipped on the Streets.

Trade street, down in cotton town, was the scene of an exciting horsewhipping affair yesterday, between two gentlemen of color. Tom Moore inindulged in some "sass" towards a country declaration of the business, at No. 1 Granite Row. driving a team for Mr Walker Kirkpatrick. The country darkey held a wagon whip in his hand and in reponse the depot Thursday evening and was to a suggestion from a by stander, he detained for two or three hours. A proceeded to ply the same to Tom's great many "bosses" made their appearance at the scene, each with many back. Tom started to run, when half of his coat tore off and remained in the grasp of the country darkey, who followed close at Tom's heels, cracking him vigorously with the whip. He followed Tom to the guard-house corner, cutting his head and back at every step. It was a most thorough and severe castigation and the country darkey seemed to be satisfied. He used the remnant of Tom's coat for a saddle blanket and drove out of town with a happy smile lighting up his counte-

In the Pulpits To-morrow.

A number of visiting ministers are already in the city for the purpose of attending the meeting of the First Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Synod, to be held in the church of that denomination in this place on Monday. According to the custom on such occasions, the pastor of the church has made the following an-

By request the following brethren of the First Presbytery are expected to preach in the order given below on Sunday, April 1st: First Presbyterian church-11 o'clock

. m., Rev. J. E. Presaly, D. D.; 71/2 o'clock p. m., Rev. Jno. T. Chalmers. Second Presbyterian church-11 clock a. m., Rev. C. B. Betts; 734 stream." Then in justice to a faithful and diligent officer and to ourselves let us re-elect Captain DeWolfe. clock p. m., Rev. Mason W. Pressly. Methodist E. church, (Tryon street) -11 o'clock a. m., Rev. J. A. White; 71/2 clock p. m., Rey. C. E. McDonald. Lutheran church-11 o'clock a. m., Rev. R. Latham, D. D.; 71/2 p. m., Rev.

D. G. Caldwell. Associate Reformed Presbyterian church-11 o'clock a. m., Rev.-B. A. Ross, D. D.; 3 o'clock p. m., Rev. W. B. Pressly.

this year, it is now near at hand, and

if there is any truth in the old saying

Signs of Spring. Although Spring is late in coming

that coming events cast their shadows before, then the following signs of the times may be considered never-failing: When the young man takes his last year's straw hat out of the closet and anxiously inspects it; when the Italian organ grinder thaws out his monkey against the summer tour; when the wife's bill for an appropriation of one hundred dellars for her Easter bonnet is ordered to a third reading; when the garbage collector lifts the airy ash-can high in the air, and the vagrant zephyr fraught with the light fragrance of the first primrose powders the passing lady's sealskin sacque; when the ulster wishes it could look unobtrusive; when the candidate grows solicitous of the health of your family; when the seedsman gets out a chromo catalogue and sells onions for imported bulbs; when the young man with a ten-dollar-a-week income wonders if he can go to the same watering place with his \$100,000 girl; when the goat has its portrait taken for the bock beer porter; when the fashionable pastor begins to develop an interesting cough and to hint that the air of Europe is good for incipient consumption; when the youth tries to hock his skates; when the strawberry mistakes himself for a millionaire; when the committee on streets and superintendent of police and chain gang smile on the March rains; when the lady in the fourth story of an apartment building begins to balance flower pots on a two inch window; when the brash young shad tells his grandmother that he doesn't believe there are no such things as nets, no how, and he's going up the river if it broils him; when the Ethlopian purloins the public sods to mend his garden.

The great success of the season—the Oigar, for only by G. B. Namer

At the Hotels.

Among the Buford's arrivals yes terday were F A Budlong, Miss M C Budlong and Mrs E D Russells, Lewiston, Me., who have taken rooms until May 1st; Samuel Waggoner, Thomas Atkins, Richmond, Va; E H Hart, W H Colley, H W Foote, New York; H Cab Maddux, Baltimore.

Among the arrivals at the Central Hotel yesterday were the following: H known cause and darted away. The boy | E Welseger, Richmond; C D Bigelow, Thos Shortell, John Q West, Brooklyn, in falling his foot became caught in the NY; Geo W Harrison, Washington, D trace chains, and he was dragged across | C; Frenida Cruz, A Menendez, Havans, Cuba; Jas L MdGill, Bethany, S C; A Hand, Gaston county; B F Hicks, South Carolina; L J Pope, Polkton, N C: J C Watson, Company Shops, W L Hardin, Richmond; Chas McLean, N C; C A Carlton, Statesville, N C; Mart Daniels, Humpty Dumpty Company; R W Shelton, Davidson College; J N Abernathy, Mt Holly, Ernest R Olcott, F H McDowell, New York; Jno Huff, Dahlonega, Ga; J D Starr, C A Nicholson, Baltimore; Miss A V Lee, Shelby N C: V C Austin, Monroe, N C.

SALISBURY NOTES.

Manufacturing Interests Looking Up. Editor Journal-Observer SALISBURY, March 29, 1883.-Mr. Eugene Johnson, a successful tobacco manufacturer of Davie county, was in town this week, and tried to rent a house so he could move his family here.

residence, containing the finest dental There is a rumor in circulation that we are soon to have another large and

The opening sale at the new brick warehouse, which occurs April 4th, promises to be a great success. The break will be very large, in both the Brick and the Kluttz warehouses. Many buyers will be present from a

Carolina Railroad ran off the track at The Barringer Mine has not been sold positively, at least the money has not been paid. One of the parties

bargained for; but it had not been paid at last accounts. The Rendleman Mine has been "shut and the machinery is being down," moved away.

The new buss for the Boyden House

interested is North to obtain the money

has arrived. It is a daisy.

DeWolfe's Administration Approved. In your issue yesterday, you reproduced from the "Home and Democrat" an article favoring the selection of Capt. F. S. DeWolfe as mayor of our city, and we wish to add our unquali-fied approbation of each and every sen-timent expressed therein. Capt. De-Wolfe has in his administration carried ont the motto, dear to every North Carolinian, fiat justitia, ruat calum, and by his firm and just conduct made

our city one of the most law-abiding in the State, has done and will do all that men dare or can do to place her where she so justly deserves to be, the first city in the Old North State. He has commenced, and has now in hand, work for the good of our city and benefi of our citizens, which in justice he should be allowed to complete. He is sound on the graded school question sound on the road question and is heartly in favor of every movement that will advance our city and tendent. that will advance our city. "It is not safe to swap horses while crossing th

Prince Jerome's Manifesto.

BORDEAUX, March 30 .- Numero opies of a manifesto of Prince Jerom Napoleon have been posted in cor spicuous places and upon various pub-lic buildings in this city. As soon as they were discovered the police re-

A Defaulting Banker takes to Flight ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 30 .- W. W. Gills, a banker of Clifton Springs has failed and fied from the village. He is said to have put out \$30,000 of forged paper. McKenihie & Co., of Canandaigua are said to lose \$10,000 by the Woman Ends Her Life Upon the

Gallows. was hanged at 1:35 o'clock this aftermoon for the murder of her ward, Alice Meaker. She persisted to the last that she was innocent and said her son's confession was a lie and that he had prought her to the gallows. Brutality in Georgia.

ATLANTA, March 30.-Last mig several masked men went to the of Mrs. Joshus Hill aged over se and outraged her and two of her daughters. Two men have been arrest-ed as suspected members of the gang.

LOUISVILLE, March 80 .- A Courier-

Journal special from Hopkinsville, Ky, announces that Gen. S. B. Buckner is a candidate for Democratic nomination John Barleycorn. BIENVILLE, IND., March 30.—Jac son Wallace was instantly killed at his son, Thomas, fatally wounded ye terday morning by Simon William deputy sheriff, during a drunken qui

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I am, Respectfully, R. H. W. Barker