-gyprif max, H.a. Andra THE TIMES. THE TIMES. TWES. ent PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY AT ADVERTISING RATES: RALEIGH, N. C. Advertisements will be inserted in THE TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION : FINES at the usual local rates. Special con - -\$2.0 One year, -Six months, racts made for long advertisements. As a 1.00 RALEIGH, N. C., AUGUST 9, 1882. H. A. London Three months, ery large edition of the paper will be pubthe at Address all communications to shed during the campaign, it offers extra in-VOL. L NO. 14. "THE TIMES," Raleigh, N. C. accounts to advertiser The speaking being over, on mo-tion, the meeting adjourned. Good order prevailed throughout, and the addresses were listened to with marked attention. The people are alive to their interests in this section. Samuel Calvert, Rep., qual. '68, white. Raleigh Post Office. a small boat that is faintly detected REGISTER OF DEEDS. The Butcher. CAMPAIGN ECHOES REGISTER OF DEEDS. John N. Brown, white, Democrat, from July, 1868, to July, 1870, whose deputy was a white man and a Demo-crat. J. J. Judge, from September, 1870, to 1872, whose deputy was a white Democrat. B. H. Franklin, white, Re-publican, from September, 1872, to March, 1875; deputies, white Demo-crats. R. I. Lewis, white, Republican, from March 1875, to present date; deputy, white Republican. a small boat that is faintly detected gliding astern. "What a narrow es cape for them," whispers a passen-ger to the captain, who gruffly re-sponds: "Narrow for ns, you mean; I wish we had cut her down; it is a patrol boat, if I mistake not, that will patrol to the down areas as a state of any meaners." JOHN NICHOLS, Postmaster. A butcher is a man who wears an GRAND REPUBLICAN RALLY apron like that of a barkeeper, hence Note Changes in Arrival and Departure it frequently happens, particularly in Austin when the Legislature is in of Mails. Enthusiastic Gathering at County Samuel Calvert, Rep., qual. '68, white. Jesse Flythe, """""" J. A. Buxton, """""" Line in Davie County. Office hours: 7:30 a. m. to 7:00 p. b. Sundays, 2:30 to 3:30. Money Order Office: 8 a. m. to 5 session, that belated revelers, who are returning home early, just about and will be heard from on election day in tones which the Bourbons will 3,000 People Present -- Speeches by Hon. will notify the fleet of our presence.' survise, frequently drop into a butcher's shop and request him to prepare them a tonic. Or perhaps it is the smell of the butcher's breath Sure enough; from almost where the James H. Harris, Dr. J. G. Ramsay, Dr. S. Angle and A. S. Richardson. never forget. Those of the opposi-Sol. Parker. never forget. Those of the opposi-tion who have counted on any disaf-fection among the Republicans, will be sorely disappointed. The Repub-lican vote will be solid almost to a boat was last seen, a spool of fire ascends, unrolling a luminous thread Buxton. Registered Letter Office: 8 a. m. to Holloman. 5 p. m. The front doors of the Post Office remain open day and year. W. Brittle, Dem., " in R. Drake, Rep., " signal well understood by the hazy TREASURERS. TREASURES. E. T. Clark, white, Democrat, from April, 1868, to September, 1870; John R. Gary, white, Democrat, from Sep-tember, 1870, to 1872; E. T., Clark, white, Democrat, from September, '72, to September, 1876; L. M. Long, whit, J. Conocrat, from September, 1876, to December, 1878, E. C. Clarke, white "MY GOD. ABERNETHY !" stranger aforementioned, when a lights flash and fade as the bottle lanhat draws the belated reveler into Idean vote will be solid almost to a man for the Coalition ticket, and we are receiving large accessions of Lib-erul's every day. An old gentleman, by the name of Sparks, came all the way from Yadkin county to attend the meeting, as he said, "just to hear Jim Harris." He has heretofore been a Demonst. of the deprese days but he shop, for the number of trips a H. Burgess, SCHEDULE OF MAILS. A large and enthusiastic gathering W. Newsum. SCHEDULE OF MAILS. Northern-Through-Fast freight-R. & G. R. R. -Arrive, 8:20 a. m. Norfolk--(Special)-Fast freight-R. & G. R. R. -Arrive, 8:20 a. m. Close, 5:50 p. m. Northern-Through and Way-Reg-ular mail-R. & G. R. R. -Arrive, 8 p. m. Close, 8 a. m. *Fayetteville, Hamlet, &c.-Regular mail-R. & A. A.-L. R. R. -Arrive, 8:80 a. m. Close, 7:15 p. m. terns are carried by the open ports. Flash—boom—and the cannon's glare outcher takes to the nearest saloon A large and enhusiastic gathering of colored Republicans met at Coun-ty Line, Davie county, on Saturday, the 29th day of July, being the an-niversary of the Annual Grand March of the colored people at that place. The names of several promi-nent speakers had been announced in advance to deliver addresses on the W. Conner, Lankford, Dem. o his stall is simply incredible. His black Rep., Fish - boom - and the cannon's giare etches in crimson upon ebony, a full-rigged ship, with all its intricacy of ropes, masts and spars. The shot rushes overhead and sinks in the ostensible object in going to the sa-loon so often, is to "get change." Whenever he sells a dime's worth of meat, he has to rush off to the saloon . Peele, Mason, white Scenocrat, from September, 1876, to December, 1878; E. T. Charke, white, Demoerat, from December, 1878, to December, 1880; L. W. Batchelor, white, Democrat, from December, 1880, to the present time. Dem., W. Grant, Wheeler, Parker, Rep., C. Parker, Rep., V. Newsum, J. Maddry, Dem., Rep.. to get change. He never omits on a Democrat of the deepest dye, but says he will never in future support waves beyond. More pressure is ap-plied, and we bound along. To the right and left narrow ribbons of light such occasions to change his breath, or rather to strengthen it, for he usually adheres to whisky straight. If you hand him a five cent piece for a piece of meat for the cat, he will advance to deliver addresses on the issues of the day, in consequence of any prohibitionist for the Legisla-ture, and has no use for Vance or mail—R. & A. A.-L. K. R.—Arrive, 8:80 a. m. Close, 7:15 p. m.
Eastern and Northern—Regular mail—N. C. R. R.—Arrive, 3:25 p. m. Close, 1:20 p. m.
Western and Southern States—Reg-ular mail—N. C. R. R.—Arrive, 1:50 p. m. Close, 3:10 p. m. flutter on the waters, denoting the position of blockaders. The lights are soon obscured, but the roar of SURVEYOR. which some 3,000 people were pres-ent, fully one third of whom were Mason, Robert Brinkley, white, Democr it, ected by Republicans on the regular F. Kidd, Robbins. He is a man of character Holloman, Rep. illiam. " Grant, Dem., and influence, and is only one of the whites. The meeting came to order at noon, and Alexander Carson, Esq., say, "excuse me until 1 get some small change," so absent minded has ticket. gun, hiss of shot, and whirl of shells are the indication that we are heard, if not seen. Most of the shots fly many who are rapidly leaving the ranks of the fossilized Democracy. CORONERS. was called to the chair. The chairman then introduced Dr. Rep., essé Flythe, 7. J. Edwards, if not seen. Most of the shots hy wild, but one comes inboard, rips open a cotton bale and carries a large sample of feminine defense to the mermaids in the depths. The flash of

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Rep. Dem. Rep. Dem.

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HORSE ROUTES.

HOHSE HOUTES. Ragle Rock, Stanhope, &c. — Arrive, 6 p. m. Wednesday and Saturday. Close 9 p. m. Monday and Thursday. Leachburg and Gully's Mill—Arrive 7 p. m. Wednesday and Saturday. Close 9 p. m. Tuesday and Friday. Myatt's Mills, Averasboro, &c. — Arrive 5 p. m. Monday and Thursday. Close 6 a. m. Tuesday and Friday. Hayes' Store, Fish Dam and Red Moantain—Arrive 7 p. m. Tuesday. Thursday and Saturday. Close 9 p. m. Smoday, Tuesday and Thursday. Hutchinson's Store and Rogers' Store—Arrive 7 p. m. Monday and Friday. Close 9 p. m. Sunday and Thursday.

Thursday. Collection from letter boxes twice

Collection from letter boxes twice daily, at 6 a.m. and 12 m. Registered mail cloces half an hour before closing the regular mails. The Post Office Department desires that every letter or parcel deposited for registration shall have on the out-side the eof the name and full address of the sender, preceded by the word "from." No letter or parcel will be registered unless this request be com-plied with. easoning and unanswerable argu. ment. He said this system was only one of the many obnoxious acts of the Bourbon Democratic element, all tending to the perpetuation of the nachine, and the oppression of the poor toiling masses of both colors, and both political parties. That the day of retribution had come, and the beyone all over the State were rising in their might, and by an over-whelming majority at the polls next Nevember would rebuke this viola-

plied with. Box holders are requested not to entrust their keys to children or other irresponsible parties. Much annoy ance and inconvenience might be avoided by a strict compliance with this ru.e

The making and use of keys to letter boxes is a violation of law. Extra keys will be furnished on application at the

When the Stamp Department is closed stamps, &c., can be obtained at the General Delivery.

*This mail makes close connection at Hamlet with trains on the C. C Road for Wilmington and Charlotte.

Our Governments.

OFFICERS OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

THE EXECUTIVE. Chester A. Arthur, of New York, President of the United States.

Frederick 7. Frelinghuysen, New Jersey, Secretary of State. Charles J. Folger, of New York, Secretary of the Treasury. H. M. Teller, of Colorado, Secre-

tary of the Interior. Robert T. Lincoln, of Illinois,

Secretary of War. Wm. E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, Secretary of the Navy. Timothy O. Howe, of Wisconsin,

Postmaster General. B. Harris Brewster, of Pennsyl-

Next week I will give you some campaign incidents from our section vert, of a general character. To say the Bourbons are mad and desperate up Conner, Dem., Barnes,

here, is a very mild way of putting the situation. JUNIUS. The Voice of Johnston.

At the County Convention for Johnston, held at Smithfield, on the 29th ult., to appoint delegates to the District Congressional Convention, the following preamble and resolu-rectly from, the people; and that all government of right originates from, and is founded upon, their will; that they should have the exclusive right to regulate the internal government and police thereof; the spirit and in-terest of which evidently is, that the Maddry, prace, there were nine white men to one negro in the State, and he (the negro) a comparatively ignorant one at that. And if there were ever any fears in that respect, either for the state of the state Peele, Moore, Weaver. J. L. Lassiter, E. A. Martin, Ira W. Futrell, Wm. Grant,

last summer's campaign were in such "brotherly accord" with Price, Johnson, Hood and others. That Capt. Gudger (coz. to Zeb. of investigation gerrymander of the Congressional and Senatorial Districts in North Carolina, the Bourbon Democracy committee fame) canvassed with Cæsar Johnson, a colored man "so ave even gerrymandered the princi black that a piece of charcoal would make a white mark on him." That pal cities and towns of the State, and in a manner that, it would seem, would make even Bourbosism blush together, and Capt. W. T. R. Bell tipped his hat to Joe Price, colored, with shame-making one vote in many instances, in the same city or on the speakers platform in Tucker Hall, congratulated him, and in-vited him to call on him should he town, count as much as six others — all simply to get and perpetuate Bourben centrol. 3. The Bourbon Democracy have ever visit King's Mountain. With

shown by their acts and class legisla-tion that they are no friends to the this record, made scarcely a year ago, he thought the ory of "nigger domi-nation" come with rather ill grace. common laboring people, and unwill-ing to trust them, even with the elec-He spoke at length on the liberal movement, inaugurated by the masses, tion of their officers.

4. We therefore appeal to all reaable and true Demo rute to unit

COMMISSIONERS

COMMISSIONERS. C. N. Webb, white, Republican, chairman in 1863; B. A. Lavender, white, Republican, chairman in 1870; W. P. Solomon, white, Republican, chairman in 1872; J. M. Grizzard, white, Democrat, chairman 'o 1874; J. E. O'Hara, colored, Republican, chair-man from 1874 to 1878

MAGISTRATES FROM 1-868 to 1878. R. H. Smith, Jr., Dr. F. M. Gantt, Jno. A. Norfleet, L. F. Larkin, J. H. McGee, J. M. Foote, C. N. Webb, Dr. John O'Brien, R. W. Brown, B. F. Gary, J. T. Dawson, J. J. Judge, J. C. Spruill, W. T. McMarks, J. J. Good-win, G. V. Hardy, Balaam Dickins, E. D. Dickens, John W. Johnston, all whites whites.

Running the Blockade.

[From the Philadelphia Press.]

OFF SHORE, WILMINGTON, —'64. — Dear Frank: I'll bring a boat to meet you at wharf and hour designated. Be prompt; the captain and boilers are fuming. We will cer-tainly attempt to run to night. Wear your dark clothes, black the whites of your eyes and put your teeth in A mysterious missive, understood when I explain that I had obtained a passport "to go outside of the lines," and secured passage upon a Nassau-bound runner, which having been laden with cotton and naval stores, only awaited nightfall to test her speed against the gunnery of the blockading fleet. Names and dates were, for obvious reasons, omitted, in all communications likely to fall into the hands of spies, who were not very rare in Wilmington. As we approached, the vessel which I was to board could scarcely be discerned for the smoke which nearly enveloped her. To my expressed fear that she was on fire the reply was: "Oh, no; they are smoking out stowaways who have been incited to foreign travel by ne attention of the conscript officer." Fabulous sums were offered for secret passage, and many stowaways were smuggled. Some were caught and brought back; and were turned adrift with supplies, and more than one man was found dead at the end trip, suffocated or crushed to

of a trip, suffocated or crushed to death by the cargo. Our craft is a staunch vessel, built for the traffic. She is long and nar-row, with upper deck about ten feet from the water. The masts are low and unprovided with yards, and tonned with "crows's nests" for the tattern, as do two or three others tried the water, and if out of reach of her metal we need fear her not. There's a flash, her bows are shrouded in gray, and the boom of a gun comes across the waves, and a shot sinks tonned with "crows's nests" for the the storm, as do two or three others tried

he become from the force of a bad habit. A gentleman of a statistical turn of mind measured the distance from a San Antonio butcher's stall to the nearest saloon, and found that the butcher traveled seventeen miles the guns indicates the course of our pursuers in chase. We almost run upon a cruiser silently groping for us, and the signalled engineer reins the butcher traveled seventeen miles every morning, just to get change to accommodate his customers, al-though, like Polonius, he became a little weak in the hams toward the latter end of the walking match. If one of the ends of the track is a sa loon door, almost any butcher will distance the best trained pedestrian Perhaps some butcher will say that he spends his own money for tenics, and it is none of the public's business what he does with his own resources.

That is just the point we are going to elucidate, right now. We shall Morning is sent to us under an envelope of fog, but the drift of the fog is aloft, and this with our speed soon shoves our bows out into the demonstrate that the convivial walk-ing matches of the butcher are not entirely at his own expense. The hungry public has to come down lib-erally with gate money to see that walking match. When you ask for open of clear sky and sea. Ere long here dashes out of the receding fog bank a sloop of war with all sails set, and her funnels publishing vast libraporterhouse steak, he produces a bone that looks as if it belonged to a ries of what is known as "volumes of smoke." The huge "bone in her mouth" betokens unusual speed. Each vessel is a revelation to the mastodon, with a little meat hanging to it. He hooks this bone on to his badly-adjusted scales, swings himself other; she makes an advance with friendly signals, and we, with friendly false ones, endeavor to coquet with her. This rule fails and she calls for aid by sending skyward on it, and yells "Five pounds !" You pay for five pounds of meat, but you only carry off three pounds of bone " and six ounces of meat. And the she calls for aid by sending skyward great puffs of smoke to notify all cruising Pharaohs to close in. They can be seen further than a cannon can be heard. These signals are an-swered from points introficient of the bill of a philostheric transpace of the proceeds to chop off the bone, which he keeps, and afterwards sells it to a hotel to make soup out of. swered from points interfering with our progress. 'A survey of the situsome butchers are. There are others who are not quite

ation' decides our commander. Like a scarred rabbit about we go, so enthusiastic. They do not swing themselves clear off the floor when almost heading for the foe. Disguise is thrown aside. Naval stores are fed to the furnaces. Long pennants of smoke trail aft as the speed in-creases. The craft throbs like the pulse of a racing Broaddingnag giant. The high pressure and speed drived they weigh meat. They only keep a hand as big as a canvas covered ham on the meat to prevent it from blow-ing off the scales. In law and equity, ou are entitled to the butcher's hand along with the meat, for you have The high pressure and speed drive the bows downward, lifting the lead-ers of the screw. "All hands to roll cotton aft!" is the order. A number of bales thus shifted restores the nebought it and paid for it, but never delivers the goods. He needs that hand in his business. It is so handy in weighing. He sells that hand at eight or ten cents a pound forty times a day, but he always keeps it on hand, cessary equilibrium, and we "bowl along" at a rate that would astonish along" at a rate that would astonish as it were, it being so useful in mak-the figures of a ship contractor in ing change, lifting up beer mugs, and in removing a customer who wants to have the meat weighed over.

The butcher can be very sarcastic if ho tries. Possibly his trade has something to do with his making cutting remarks. Besides, he is a man of brains, having more on hand than he has any use for, which may account for the fact that he is never

Brittle, Buxton, Rep. J. A. Buxton, R. A. Weaver, Dem., W. J. Maddry, Bullard Moore, Rep., , Gilliam, Dem. Coker. Deloatch. D. Holloman Rep . ssa Flythe, Newsum. Grant, Dem., Brittle, ppeland, Jr Rep., Conner, Dem., Mason, H. Parker. Conner, Martin, . Parker,

Peele, Selden, Calvert, people should have the election of all their officers from the highest to the lowest; therefore 1. Resolved, That we view with Coker, T. Peele, ob D. Hill, alarm the acts and tendency of the Bourbon Democracy in abridging the Harrell, Moore, Grant, rights of the people, by depriving them of the election of justices of the peace, county commissioners, school committeemen, &c. Also, in the many new offices they are con-Ira W. Futrell. Lassiter, Reid. Parker, Maddry,

any of these new officers by the people, but all are to be appointed by the General Assembly either directly or indirectly, which is contrary to the spirit of true democracy or re-

that party, notably such men as Merrimon, Vance and Bell, who in publicanism. 2. That, aside from their unjust

W. H. Parker. Isaac Peele, Those marked "Democrats" in the cregoing lists were influential Demo crais then, and are now, and generally, of the highest respectability. The Constables are not given, but rere all white; and generally Demo-rats. So also the clerks of township

The SHERIFFS and DEPUTIES all white, and between 1868 and 1872 there was one Republican Deputy and one Democratic Deputy. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 1868.

Four white, one colored. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 1870.

Three white, two colored. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 1872. Three white, two colored.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 1874. Three white, two colored. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, 1876. All white, except the p:e-ent incum-bent, J. H. Jenkins, colored.

MAGISTRATES FROM 1868 to 1878.

rightened thing, as the sceam is noiselessly blowing off under water. The cruise having passed, we start again, and feel out of danger as we observe astern the glare of guns fired at the spots where we had been.

FOG AND FOES.

up so suddenly as to throw passen gers and crew off their feet, while the craft lay trembling like some frightened thing, as the steam is

torney

THE JUDICIARY.

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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OUR STATE GOVERNMENT.

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Thomas J. Jarvis, of Pitt, Governor.

James L. Robinson, of Macon Lieutenaut Governor. W. L. Saunders, of New Hanover,

Secretary of State John M. Worth, of Randolph,

Treasurer. Donald W. Bain, of Wake, Chief

Clerk. Hal. M. Worth, of Randolph, Teller.

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John C. Scarborough, of Johnston, Superintendent of Public Instruction. Johnstone Jones, of Burke, Adju-

tant General. McLeod Turner, Keeper of the

Capitol. herwood Haywood, of Wake

State Librarian.

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SUPREME COURT.

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Associates. W. H. Bagley, of Wake, Clerk. R. H. Bradley, of Wake, Marshal.

test, "Local self-government, a free ballot and a fair count.

and which was the outcome of a long series of oppression and tyranny, by with us in the coming election in our which the people had been systemati-cally ignored, and by which the faefforts to restore to the people the lection of all their officers, and such vored few now managed the govern-mental affairs of the State, from the other rights as they have been de-prived of by Bourbon rule-thus Governor down to a school commitaurling from power these enemies of He endorsed the move ment and exhorted his people to sup rue democracy. The following executive committee port solidly the Coalition ticket. egard to prohibition he said the Bourbons now claimed that the issue was a dead one, having been buried beneath 116,000 majority. But "My

inery of a Bourbon

had, in violation of the expressed

S. Angle, of Eagle Mills, who came forward and addressed the meeting

in a ringing speech, heartily endorsing the Liberal movement, and dealing

some telling blows against the Bour-ton Democracy of the State. Hon. James H. Harris was next

ntroduced to the meeting and re-sponded in a speech of an hour and

sponded in a speech of an hour and a half with marked effect, eliciting frequent and enthusiastic applause from the large assemblage. Harris' speech was acknowledged by all present to have been one of his hap-picet efforts, and his arraignment of

on of their rights, and strike a death low to class rule in North Carolina.

As to the cry of "nigger domination," ne said, that had already been ef-

or real, entertained by the Bourbon Democracy, that was finally settled by the action of the great lights of thet metry methods

or the county was appointed, to-wit P. T. Massey, chairman; A. K. Dun-can, Elijah Parrish, H. A. Hodges, J. B. Jernigan, M. Bizzell, J. D. Massey, W. L. Graves, J. T. Stans-cill, R. M. Barber, J. W. Narron and Par. May, Parsus God Abornethy," says he, "what to do the Bourbons care for a majority." Prolonged applause, and cries of "that's so," that's so."] In proof of the assertion he instanced various Braddock Pearce.

THE OPPRESSION OF NEGRO acts, among them the action of the RULE IN EASTERN county commissioners of thirteen counties in the State, who, irrespon-COUNTIES. sible to the people, appointed and kept in office by the organized ma

All Cry and But Little Wool. Legislature List of Officers Who Have Ruled in North-

ampton and Halifax Counties

will of the people, virtually enforced the prohibition bill by refusing to The following carefully prepared grant license to dealers in their re-spective counties. He also referred and correct list of county officials who have held office in Northampton to the suppression of a large per centage of the vote in the State, nd Halifax counties since the re-or especially that of the colored peo-le,) by means of fraud and intimiganization of the State government in 1868 to the time of the adoption dation, and by which the will of the majority was subverted, and made to of the Bourbon amendments, with their color and political status stated, ubserve the base ends of the Bourhas been handed us for publication.

bon minority. A. S. Richardson, of Salisbury, The statement demonstrates how lso spoke, urging the people to suputterly baseless and fraudulent is the port the Liberal tickst, and endors-ing the platform of the Liberal party. Dr. J. G. Ramsay made the closing address, endorsing the policy of the Bourbon cry of "negro domination" in Eastern counties. In 1870 Northampton contained in colored popula Liberal party, and urging an active and aggressive canvass. He was for tion 2,271 majority, and Halifax and agressive canvass. He was for "carrying the war into Egypt," and exhorted the Republicans and Lib-7.572, and the exhibit shown in these two counties is a fair sample of the erals never to desist till they had planted their battle flag on the ramother eleven counties in Eastern North Carolina containing a colored parts of the enemy, inscribed with the watch-words of the coming con-

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY. The following list comprises the

Three white, two colored On School Committees it was usual appoint one colored man, especially

a large colored districts. The STANDARD KEEPER, J. N. Selnd is white, The County TREASURER, James W.

opeland, is and was a Republican, nd white, and acted until the office as abolished, and upon the restora-on of the office, was in 1880 re-lected to the same office, and now olds the same. The CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

has always been a Republican and is white. The Register of Deeds has alway

been white, and a Republican until by the throwing out of votes a Democrat got in, and the Supreme Court held with the present incumbent.

HALIFAX COUNTY. (From 1868 to 1882.)

CLERKS OF THE COURT.

John T. Gregory, white, from Feb-ruary 10, 1866, to the present time. Deputies all white Democrats, to-wit: W. P. Hamlin, George T. Simmons, Thomas N. Harrison.

SHERIFFS.

John A. Reid, Republican, from 1868 to his death, November, 1874, whose deputies were all white men and Democrats, to-wit: W. E. Whitmore, G. C. Whitehead, H. K. Reid, Thos M. Lewis, Dr. L. W. Batchelor, L. F. Larkin, white, Republican, from November, 1874, to December 1874. Deputies: A. B. Hill, L. O. Wilcox, T. C. DECEMBER, H. C. DEVILLE, S. Jako

C. Burgess, H. C. Phillips, J. S. John-ston, B. F. Gary, all white and Demo-

In 1876, L. M. Long, white, Demo-crat, was appointed Treasurer by a Re-publican Board of County Commissioners; and in 1878 was appointed by them as Tax Collector; he for several years has been the chairman of the Democratic County Executive Commit-

tee. J. T. Dawson, white, Republican, frou December, 1978, to the present time. Deputies: B. B. Pullen, S. T. Norman, J. C. Deer, B. I. Allbush, I. C. Cook, all white Democrats.

can be telescoped so that the smoke can be ejected along the deck. Engin flames and smoke through which the iron surge heavily rolls. Ten ish sea coal is used because it possesses a maximum of heat power with a minimum of stowage room, halls dash the water in the air as they lance about with lessening stride ere and emits very little smoke to serve as a sky-trail for vigilant cruisers. they sink, and we laugh in fancied security. Then we see they are pivot Lead color is the prevailing tint ou the runner, as it has been found to ing a heavy gun around towards us. Men, whom its proportions dwarf into pigmies, jump about it—it is loaded. The gunner steps upon the blend with the gray of dawn, misty twilight and the hues of the sea. A convex forecastle deck, extending aft chassis and pats the gun, now right, now left; there he has the direction, up goes the muzzle higher and higher, and he gets the elevation; he is satis-fied with his aim and sets down. We nearly to the waist, enables her to orce herself through instead of over leavy seas. Driven by powerful knews, they defy successful pursuit. Admiral Porter said that the majorihear with our eyes: "Ready, fire,' and out of the smoky coil leap a 300 ty of his fleet could be sailed all pound missile with an initial velocity of 700 yards per second. Fourteen overed by these nimble neutrals. THE START WITH LADIES ON BOARD. We have a baker's dosen of passengers, three of whom are ladies. Evening closes in and we have "the dark of the moon," nature's clearance papers for blockade runners. Steam rises, the screw revolves, we are off,

bokouts. The funnels are short, and

knots an hour cannot beat that, and the bolt goes shricking past. It is now speed gunnery. We are doing our best, and so is the gunner. His shots fall all about us, but gradually we draw away from our energy; the gunner wearies and tompions his gun The chase is done.

summing up a trial trip.

HIT OR MISS.

A Wife Market.

It is related that in Naples, one of Italy's famous cities, a k nd of wife market is held every year in connection with the foundling hospital. All the marriageable girls of that institution assemble in a commodious room, to which young men of good character only have access. An offer of marriage on the part of any young man is conveyed by allowing his handkerchief to drop before the ject of his choice as he passes by 1 the girl takes it up, she thereby sig nifies her acceptance, but her refusal if she permits it to remain.

upon us," is the sharp, apprehensive cry that rises from almost under our bows. We sheer off and barely miss unwinds between.

ent to Congress or the Legislature We once suggested to a butcher proadside brought to bear is wreathed that he put his scales where the cuscomers could see the dial, not necessarily for publication, but as a pledge of good faith. "Oh, yes," he replied, scornfully, "I suppose, after a while, when you buy a five cent soup bone, you will expect me to put on my swallow tail Sunday coat and my stove-pipe hat, hire the finest hack in town and a brass band, go in procession to your shanty, and deliver the soup bone." We assured him he wis mistaken, that no such idea had ever entered our head, but we never after enriched him with any more suggestions how to acquire the esteem and respect of his fellow-citizens. We may mention right here, inci-dentally, in closing these remarks, that they do not apply to all butchers, but principally to the one who did secm to need any advice where o hang his scales. - Siftings.

Odd Delivery of Letters.

A short time ago Captain Craw-A short time ago Captain Craw-ford, while towing a vessel picked up, out from land, on a board about three inches wide by three feet long, upon one end of which was a bottle filled with letters. Upon one side of the board was written: "Please mail the tters and drink the wine. Officers U. S. Steamer Tallapoosa, bound for Pensacola, Fla. Please break the bottle aud mail enclosed letters." Upon the other side of the board was written: U. S. Steamer Tallapoosa, at sea June 20, '82. Weather fire." The bottle containing the letters was broken. Captain Crawford sighted the Tallapoosa in the distance and everything seemed to be working smoothly. He returned to Mayport in time to hand the letters to Mr. George L. Fox, the mail agent, who

rises, the screw revolves, we are on, and suspense begins. Outboard there is little noise. The lapping of the waves against the vessel's sides drowns the splashing of the propeller. "Fear is large eyed," says the Rus-sian proverb, and the passenger group is awed into silence, as wild-eyed they stare over the waters and descry the sails of an entire armada of blockaders in every wave that flashes its white cap in the gloom. In the starboard distance is a whitish mist, not unlike a wind-torn sheet of fog hung to dry upon the walls of night An officer accounts for it as the haze from ill-concealed lights upon a blockader. A turn of the whee shows that our craft has determined that the other is a good one to make a stranger of, and distance rapidly