COLUMBIA, S. C.

Friday Morning, November 8, 1878.

The Presidential Election. The issue of the election for President of the United States is now known and heralded all over the world. The returns published yesterday morning, with leaders who have thrown their coils comments of the leading journals of New York and London, show an im- to a higher appreciation of his Presimense majority for Grant, and immense satisfaction with the result. One of the English journals thinks it disproves the old charge that republics are ungrateful. The New York Herald considers it the most remarkable Presidential election in the history of the country, and the Tribune concedes that there is scarcely a parallel in the completeness of the rout and triumph. While charging it to the improper use of money, true to its professions, the Tribune pledges its aid to the President in any reform he may seek to effect. But its services will hardly be needed.

It is now bootless to inquire minutcly into the causes which produced this astounding triumph. The lavish use of money, patronage and official position may be credited with a large part of it. But there must have been other causes, equally potent. We find some of them in the peculiar temper of the people of the North. They are eminently prone to hero worship. They dearly love a ford, and go into ecstacies over a popular chieftain. Genoral Grant serves of a better. And a shallow, emptyheaded man, if he only has pluck and will and plenty of self-conceit, is better for them than a great, good or able one. Having been instrumental in the overthrow of the Confederate forces, and in accomplishing the collapse of the Southern Confederacy, and having then identified himself with the great domineering Radical party, he has since rode easily and triumphantly upon the waves of popular favor. His quarrel with Andy Johnson, in which he plainly came out second best; his tortuous and sinister course in the San Domingo scheme secure civil service reform; the complicity of some of his military entourage in the New York Custom House abuses and made the statement, and added, deficiencies as a statesman, shown in his sorry exhibitions of himself as a speaker and writer; and in his miserable choice of men to discharge public trusts, and his evident dislike to men of virtue and talent-none of these, nor any other just causes of dissatisfaction with him which might be mentioned, weighed a teather against him with the great masses of the people, North, East and West. We have no doubt now that they were of service to him, being viewed by the great bulk of his admirers, who look only on the surface, as mere abuse, and considered by many others as not worthy of any weight, even though true. It was enough for them that Gen. Grant had "put down the rebellion," (as they phrase it;) that under the forms and with the professions of peace, he had kept up the war against the beaten people of the South, keeping them prostrate through Congressional legislation and carpet-bag

we will notice. Gen. Grant renews his Ecocal old promise of peace. It is given out from Washington that his official conduct will be so shaped the to meet the expectations of the country and to units the people in stronger bonds of peace." By "the country" we fear that Gen. Grant means his party, and the party around him. But perhaps he may rise dential duties, and obey those better instincts which seem to have once had some hold upon him. Possibly he may reach a higher plane of official dignity, and acquire a higher independence of party trammels and personal dictation. Perhaps he does not mean again to mock us of the down-trodden States with delusive promises. It may be that he really means peace this time. We shall see, and we shall be prompt to acknowledge any genuine movement toward it; as, Heaven knows, we most anxiously

and ardently desire it.

NORTH CAROLINA POLITICS. -It is said that a formal notice of the contest for Governor in North Carolina has not yet been given, and as the Legislature convenes on the 18th instant, unless given before that time, Caldwell, Republican, will take his seat. The Democratic majority in the Legislature on joint ballot white 875; colored 3,117-of which the is twenty-four. The excitement of the next session centres on the election of scattering 44. Grant's majority 2,546. a United States Senator, to succeed the The following are the Grant electors: Hon. John Pool. The prominent can. State at large-D. H. Chamberlain, W. them well in this capacity in the absence didates are ex-Governor Zebulon Vance, B. Nash, Wm. Gurney; First District-Judge Merrimon, the defeated candidate S. A. Swails; Second District-W. N for Governor, ex-Senator Clingman, General D. M. Barringer and others. The Republicans, it is thought, will support General Barringer.

A FATAL AFFRAY. - A difficulty oc-curred near Graniteville, S. C., last Sunday afternoon, between Messrs. John B. Harriss and Jeff. Howard, which result-ed in the killing of the latter. It ap-pears that Mr. Harriss, whose place ad-joins that of Mr. Howard, missed some cotton from a pape in one of his fields. cotton from a pen in one of his fields. He reported that he had traced the cotton to Mr. Howard's gin-house, and asserted that that gentleman had stolen it. ter course in the San Domingo scheme This report reached the ears of Mr. of annexation; his abortive promises to Howard. Sunday afternoon the two men met, and Howard at once charged Harriss with having spread a false report about him. Harriss replied that he had "d-p frands; his open and widely-extended nepotism; his disregard and neglect of the plain duties of his office in constant the plain daties of his office in constant absences and junketings at watering Harriss, who fell. The ball struck Harplaces, and at horse races; his palpable riss in the head, and he died almost immediately. Howard left him lying in the road, where he was found the next day, and an inquest held. The report that Mr. Harriss wrs murdered and then robbed is incorrect.

[Augusta Constitutionalist.

A FIENDISH ACT-GIN-HOUSE AND MILL BURNED. -On last Friday morning, about daylight or a little after, a fire was discovered in the large three story ginhouse of Mr. Thomas W. Lang on the West side of Wateree River. Tho gin-house was used jointly by Messrs. Theo-dore and T. W. Lang, and contained at the time of the fire about thirty-seven bales of cotton, fifteen of which were lint, 1,000 bushels of cotton seed and extensive machinery for ginning cotton and threshing rice. It seems that when the house was opened the interior was on fire to such an extent that it was impossible to enter, and consequently nothing was saved, except a few bushels of cotton seed next to the mill race, and about a bale of stained cotton. The mill adjoin- 2.30 P. M.; closes 11.30 A. M. On ing the gin-house also caught fire and ourned almost to the water's edge. The loss will amount to not less than \$9,000, governments, and that he was soundly and there was no insurance upon the

Itoms, CITY MATTRES. The price of single copies of the PHENIX is five conts. A man of letters-The postmaster. All letters and communications intended for this office, should be directed to

"PECENIX, Columbia, S. C.," or to the proprietor, JULIAN A. SELBY. There were thirty-one arrivals at the Hendrix House, and forty-seven at the Columbia Hotel, yesterday.

At a meeting of the South Carolina Club, the following officers were elected: President-Col. Y. J. Pope, of Newberry. Vice-Presidents-R. G. Bonham, Edgefield; Allen Jones, York; L. E. LeConte, Richland; Burwell Boykin, Kershaw; Jas. G. Holmes, Jr., Charleston. Treasurer--(re-elected) D. II. Crawford, Columbia. Secretary- (re-

elected) W. C. Fisher, Columbia. The damage to the interior of the Representative Hall is being repaired by Messrs, Howie & Allen for the meeting of the Legislature.

Mr. Dent will continue his barbecue, to-day, at the Fair Grounds.

John S. Sims Las been appointed Treasurer for Aiken County by Governor Scott.

The total vote of Richland County, for Presidential electors, was 3,992-Grant ticket received 3,247; Greeley 701; Taft; Third District-Henry Sparnick; Fourth District-T. J. Mackey.

A rural sport who tried to eat his pie with a fork at one of our hotels, yesterday, because a citygirl was sitting opposite, had the misfortune to harpoon his tongue at the second mouthful, and in his efforts to pull out the fork upset a dish of cranberry sauce in the lady's lap. He says he "don't go a cent on style hereafter, and will shovel in his food in the old manner hereafter if Qucen Victoria sits next to him."

Mr. G. E. Elford has resumed the publication of the Greenville Mountaineer. on his own account.

We learn that the railroad bridge over Three-and-Twenty Creek is rapidly approaching completion, and trains will pass over within the next week. The energy of Colonel Dodamcad will be appreciated by the traveling public, as the break has caused serious inconvenience. The bridge is on the Blue Ridge Road.

DANCING SCHOOL .- Prof. Milam will open his dancing school, in hall over Messrs. Lorick & Lowrance, Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, at halfpast 7 o'clock, for gentlemen, commencing Monday, November 11. Class for ladies, misses and masters Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons, at 3 siderable attention-birds as well as cage. o'clock.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS. - The Northern mail opens at 3.20 P. M.; closes 11.00 hibilion a model of an improved cotton A. M. Charleston day mail opens 5.30 P. M.; closes 6.00 A. M. Charleston night mail opens 7.00 A. M.; closes 6.15 P. M. Greenville mail opens 6.45 P. M.; closes 6.00 A. M. Western opens and closes 1.30 P. M. Wilmington opens Sunday office open from 3 to 4 P. M.

6, 1872 .- Stewart, administrator, vs. chinist. The Gardner fire annihilator, Pearson, et uz, et al; Stewart, respond-ent, vz. Blease; Mayer & Bro., vz. Long, et al. ent, vs. Blease; Mayer & Bro., vs. Long, proved very satisfactorily that it really pany. et al. is-what its name implies-a fire extin-

THE FAIR -The ugly weather, early numerons individuals. It was noticeagrounds were far ahead of any previous Executive Committee will, hereafter, mals became frightened and ran off; the and slightly hurt. vehicle was somewhat broken and the Senator Owens' horse also became unmanageable and ran off-throwing the occupants out of the buggy. Mr. Altee had his leg injured, but Mr. Owens was unhurt. The buggy shafts were broken.

There were a great many vehicles on the ground, and a considerable amount of reckless driving; but fortunately no serious accidents occurred. Mr. J. N. Robson, of Charleston, is

present at the Fair, and, with his wellknown and commendable z-al and energy, is using his best endeavors to infarmers. He has already succeeded in establishing a large and growing trade for the Soluble Pacific Guano, which he guarantees always to be exactly what he faction. Mr. Robson has also the agency our planters a very superior article of ing rust and smut proof oats, which is grown by Wm. H. Young, Esq., of Columbus, notice, for its many valuable properties. We are always glad to welcome Mr. Robson to our State Fairs, and wish we had liable men to aid in building up our State in her agricultural interests,

Albert Solomon, (son of Hardy Solomon, Esq.,) was awarded a premium for best riding.

An improved chicken coop, with several fine game chickens, exhibited by Mr. J. B. Elkin, of Lexington, attracted con-Dr. M. R. Clark, of Richland, (the inventor of a patent cotton tie,) has on express, through the medium of which he claims to be able to compress a bale several inches smaller than by any other press. His improvement consists in having two "followers"-one above and another below; besides which the sides of the box are composed of rollers, instead of solid pieces of timber. Mr. R. Tozer's small engine, "Agricola," exhi-

the London people are to be pitied rather

than ridicaled, and the "one more un-

plunges into the black river from Water-

loo or Blackfriars Bridge, has possibly more justification in the sight of Heaven

THE RACES YESTERDAY. -- Considerable yesterday morning, had a tendency to interest and amusement was furnished at performed to a full house well lined with greenbacks, having been race. Afterwards there was a scrub race, spirited away. For more than an hour, between Greenville and Sumter horsesthe multitude were gratified at the dis- the animals coming in neck and neck. play of horses in the arena-some re- The fences and a frame building on the

markably fine animals being on exhibi- lot were broken down by the weight of tion. Mr. Thos. Anderson, of Fairfield, human beings crowded upon them. Two met with a mishap. He was changing or three individuals who persisted in rethe bridles on his horses, when the ani- maining upon the track were run over

"Surprise," entered by Jeff. Steere, owner thrown heavily to the ground. trotted a mile dash for \$50-time 2.39. "Brown Dick," entered by Pettingill, was distanced.

> JOINT STOCK ASSOCIATION, AUXILIARY TO STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY .- Pursuant to notice, a meeting was held yestorday, at the Court House, to organize a joint stock company, auxiliary to the State Agricultural and Mechanical Society. Col. A. B. Spring was called to the Chair, and E. S. Keitt, Esq., ap-

pointed Secretary. It was announced that the necessary

ergy, is using his best endeavors to in-troduce the articles for which he is the motion to go into an election for Direcagent, to the notice of our planters and tors was offered, but afterwards withdrawn, when Col. J. S. Richardson offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a committee consisting of M. C. Butler, M. W. Gary, J. M. represents it, and which has never failed, Baxter and E. C. McClure, be appointed in a single instance, to give perfect satis- Act of incorporations, and ascertain if it faction. Mr. Robson has also the agency be expedient for us to organize under for the Pacific Guano Company's Com-said Act; and also to consult with the pound Acid Phosphate of Lime. This committee appointed by the State Agricultural and Mechanical Society, as to is designed expressly for composting the terms upon which the Society and with cotton seed. This year Mr. Rob- the company can unite, and report to an son is introducing to the attention of adjourned meeting to be held this even-

> Upon motion, Mr. Richardson was added to the committee.

A report was submitted by Gen. Bat-Ga., and which is rapidly coming into ler (chairman of the committee) and adopted, that the terms of the General Incorporation Act are not sufficiently comprehensive to embrace the Auxiliary Joint Stock Company, and that it canmany scores of just such live, active, re- not assume a corporate organization and powers under that Act; and, therefore, recommends that the company organize by the election of ten Directors, who shall elect a President from their body; and that they be instructed to apply to the Legislature for an Act of incorporation, in which the President and Directors and their successors are to be the corporators.

corporators. The following is the result of the elec-tion for Directors: R. C. Shiver, J. B. Palmer, Johnson Hagood, W. C. Swaf-field, H. T. Peake, D. W. Aiken, R. O'Neale, Jr., E. B. C. Gash, M. W. Gary, T. W. Woodward.

Resolutions were adopted, constituting the present President and Directors temporary custodians of the funds on hand and to be collected, and that steps been picked out of the pit, and granite be taken to increase the amount. That hammers.

subscriptions be made payable one-half in sixty days and the balance in six months. That Masters of Granges of Patrons of Husbandry act as subscrip-tion agents, and that members of granges Patrons of Husbandry act as subscrip-tion agents, and that members of granges Whitworth gun is composed, has been be requested to subscribe for stock; and proven by one of the experiments made SUPREME COURT DECISION, November bits the skill of that experienced ma- that stockholders be requested to meet at the recent trial of the weapon. A in Columbia, or by proxy, on the 15th cylinder, representing the chamber of a

THE THRATRE -The troupe gain, last dampen the ardor of the fair-goers. By the Fair Grounds Race Course yesterday. night, notwithstanding attractions e'se-12 c'clock, however, it cleared off, and There were two races and a scrub. For where. The "Hidden Hand," drama-Old Sol put in an appearance-the crowd the first there wore three entrics- tized from Mrs. Southworth's novel of followed suit, and in a short time the "Billy," by J. N. Tolbert, of Richland; the same name, (in the rendition of Fair Grounds were thronged. The "Little Mack," by Owen Daly; "Charley which Mrs. Watkins was highly comthree card monte dealers, chuck a-luck Logan," by James Graham. "Logan" mended by the taleated authoress,) was and other dice-manipulators roped in was distanced on the first heat. "Billy" very well given, considering the small was the winner of the first heat-time amount of stage room. Mr. Watkins' ble that the number of gamesters on the 2 59. "Mack" won the second and third rendition of "Old Hurricane's" body -time 2.53; 2.49 The second race was servant, "Wool," was particularly fineyear, and it is carnestly hoped that, for for a purse of \$73-mile dash-for which either as Irishman or darkey, Harry is the sake of the rising generation, the thore were two entries-"Croquet," by inimitable. Mr. Paul, it is feared, in-Col. Waring; "Girl of my Heart," by jured the frontal muscles, as his facial positively forbid anything of the sort. Fludd & Cash. The first was decided a contortions were tremendous. The The pick-pockets also plied their voca- dead heat, and in the second the "Girl" balance of the company are excellenttion profitably-several pocket-books, galloped around the track-winning the a grade or two above the talent usually found in traveling exhibitions. To-night, "Kathleen Mayourneen" is to be performed.

> PERNICIOUS PURCATIVES .- The brilliant idea of half a century ago that the weak and ailing could be bled, blistered and salivated into a condition of health and vigor is hat pily exploded; but vio-lent and prolonged purgation is still, to some extent, in vogue. We have impostors who are daring enough tooff; to the world, as tonics and restoratives, the most destructive cathartics, unmodified by a single stimulating, soothing or restorative element. Compare the ope-ration of one of these terrible nostrums with that of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, in which are combined the three great curative elements-a tonic, an alterative and an aperient. The former completely paralyzes the vital forces, so that nature can make no resistance to disease; the latter sustains the strength of the pa tient, while it restores the suspended functions of the secretory organs and relieves the bowels without violence or pain. It is simply a choice between restorative and prostration. Notail

LIST OF NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Nathan & Peixotto-New Departure. Monteith & Bauskett-Notice. Scott Pope-Butcher Stand. Meeting Palmetto Lodge. Hope & Gyles-Apples.

SECRETS OF THE PRE-HISTORIC AGE. The remains of antiquity are found in America from Mexico to the lakes. Who those rude and curious people, the mound-builders of the valley of the Mississippi and Ohio, were, is an unsolved problem. According to the Maine His-torical Society, traces of the Northmen-whether of Lief, son of Eric the Red, or of Biorn, the son of Heriolf, or of later settlers, is undetermined-have been found in that State. Whence came the city-building Indians of New Mexico, and the older Aztee civilization? Here are secrets of old days for the antiquarian to puzzle his brain over. And every day is adding something new. The latest has reference to a number of ancient copper mines that have been dis-covered on Isle Royal, in Lake Superior. On authority of the Duleth Herald, shafts of considerable depth, filled up by the accumulated debris of ages, are being opened, and in penetrating to a distance of sixty feet, tools of wondrons workmanship have been found, together with charcoal remains, which mark this as the point where skilled artisans formed from copper tools whose tempor and duwould astonish ingenious makers rability of such things of the present ago. Ham-mers and chisels seem to have been the principle implements for working this mine, and they, together with fire, were used to reduce the ore to a condition which rendored its removal in detail easy. Finely tempered knife blades have

The extraordinary powers of resistance of the steel, compressed . by hy-STATE AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL through a touch-hole only one-tenth of an inch in diameter. The cylinder did Sociery .- At a meeting, last night, on not burst, but the whole charge hissed motion, Gen. Johnson Hagood was elected a member of the Executive Com-chamber uninjured. This hydraulically compressed steel furnishes a metal of the Gen. Hagood reported that he had met the City Council, and after an inter-view, the Council passed the following preamble and resolution:

for his vices and weaknesses. Samner's onslaught on him, as convinc-ing as it was scathing, evidently did him service. The greater the truth, the Sumner's onslaught on him, as convincgreater the libel, we suppose. This election shows, indeed, a great and lamentable departuré from the state of things which existed under General Washington and the carlier Presidents, and a radical change in the spirit and temper of the American people.

Bat we must admit that his reduction of the public debt, his babit of discrect silence, never offending any one by sharp criticism or stinging sarcasm, his free and easy manners, his love of pomp and show, and the settlement of our difficulties with Great Britain by the Geneva tribunal, occuring under his administration, have tended to conciliate popular his private character, which had been assailed in the canvass. This is scarcely a logical inference, but it shows at least a sensitiveness to changes. He had better, however, not rely too much upon a popular verdict of this sort. His private character was not in issue, nor did the people know or care much about it. There is a better, truer and simpler way to be found. No one can vindicate a man's private character so well as himself. Let virtue, decency and decorum rule his private life, as integrity, justice and patriotism should sway in his public 1873. The scene in the court room durself. Let virtue, decency and decorum acts, and he will not need any doubtful ing the passing of the sentence, was exvindication besides. One point more tremely touching.

This is the fourth case of gin-houses labor. - Camden Journal.

ANOTHER GIN HOUSE BURNED. -- On Friday evening last, Mr. Jacob Lagrone, living some three miles from Lott's, had this gin house, some ten bales cotton, sevenly-five bushels of oats, cotton seed, &c., destroyed by fire. The fire occur-red whilst the gin was in motion, and is supposed to have resulted from a match in the cotton. Loss over \$2,000. Mr. Lagrone had, however, on the day pre-vious, secured a fire insurance policy for \$1,000 on his gin house, which loss will be promptly paid, and enable Mr. L. to robuild again.—Edgefield Advertiser.

SLEEPING CAR BURNED. - The sleeping car "City of Huntsville" was burned Saturday morning, near Stevenson, Ala. The supposition is that the conductor of we are pleased to see that he regards his with the fire originated from the stove. success as a vindication by the people of fire, it was with great difficulty the pas-When the car was discovered to be on sengers were saved, most of them escap-ing with their night clothes only. One lady had her clothes scorched. Most of the passengers lost their clothing and monoy. The car cost \$12,000 originally. DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN. -- We regret deeply to announce the death of our old friend, George R. Mays, Esq., one of our best known and most honored citizens. Mr. Mays departed this life on Saturday last; aged about sixty years. [Edgefield Advertiser.

Samuel Brown, colored, who was con-wieted of the murder of his father-in-law,

It is ordered by the court that unless briefs in the said cases, with the points and authorities, be not filed with the We we

We would suggest that a more liberal clerk within ten days from receipt by sprinkling of benches would be conthe counsel for the appellants of a copy of this order, (to be forthwith transmitducive to the general comfort. The ladies complain bitterly of the scarcity such of them, in which this order be not complied with, bo struck from the the premiums will be awarded from the docket. judges' stand.

William R. Jones vs. Henry P. Ham-mett, et al. It is ordered by the court that a re-argument be heard in the case stated.

At a meeting of the State Board of this month." It must be confessed that, Canvassers, yesterday, it was decided that Senator elect W. R. Jervey, of Charleston, is not constitutionally eligible to a seat as a member of the board. fine day, it is looking up a chimney; on a wet day, looking down one." And Hood The following officers, having received a majority of the votes, were declared elected:

Governor-Franklin J. Moses, Jr.; Lieutenant-Governor-R. H. Gleaves; Attorney-General-Samuel W. Melton; Secretary of State-Henry E. Hayne; State Treasurer-Francis L. Cardozo; Comptroller-General-Solomon L. Hoge; Superintendent of Education-Justas K. Jillson; Adjutant and Inspector-General -Henry W. Purvis; Congressmon, State at large—R. H. Cain; First Congressional District—Joseph H. Rainey; Se-cond District—Joseph H. Rainey; Se-cond District—Alonzo J. Ransier; Third District—Robert B. Elliott; Fourth Distriot-Alex. S. Wallace; Solicitor First Circuit-P. L. Wiggin; Third-S. F. Atkinson; Seventh Circuit-Wm. M. Floming.

to-day.

elected a member of the Executive Com-

A SUICIDAL MONTH.-It is said that the French almanacs have over against chanical Society has taken proper steps November, "The English commit suicide to have the said society incorporated, and the building thereon adequately inthis month." It must be confessed that, from all accounts, it is a most dismal season, and is, as described by a sufferer, best understood by saying, that "on a fine day, it is looking up a chimney; on a wet day, looking down one." And Hood

suit now pending in the Court of Comhas also, in his best punning mood, a mon Pleas between the city of Columbia number of verses, devoted to damp, and J. P. Thomas, William Wallace and John B. Palmer, trustees of the Agriculcold, fog and all things disagreeable, and tural and Mechanical Society; and the capping the climax with "November!" Council is prepared to give such further securities to the said Society as may be If climatic influences actually have the

If climatic influences actually have the securities to the said proper. effect upon both the human body and upon the mind that is claimed for them, fered the following resolution, which was adopted:

That this Society hold its next annual Fair in the city of Columbia, commenc-ing on Tucsday before the second Wednesday in November next, and confortunate," whether man or woman, who tinuing until Saturday of that week, inwith. It is said that these suicides have Gene

General M. C. Butler moved that the question of consolidating this Society with the Joint Stock Company be re-nose lately committed suicide." If she General M. C. Butler moved that the

THAT TORCH. -- Among the torch-bear-ers at Concord, from Lake Village, was ers at Concord, from Lake Village, was one T_____, a chap who was bound to let his light shine. During a short halt, T_____ was quietly relieved of his torch by a Concord gamin, and when the march was resumed T_____ wrs noticed standing by a lamp post, holding on to it as if it was a torch. Capt. P_____ eang out to him to "fall in." "Yes, yes," responded T_____, but failed to "fall in," and seemed to be making an effort to pull up the post. The Captain sang out again peremptorily to him to "fall out again peremptorily to him to "fall in." "Yes, yes," T _____ enswered. "but d-d if I go till I get my torch," and then gave a pull at the lamp-post that almost lifted the side-walk.

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The Spaniard, as well as the German, objects to conscription, and, unless a change is made, we are likely to have more of the hidalges among us than heretofore. If Grantism is carried out to its legitimate conclusion, there will be emi-gration on the same account before the world is a great deal older.

riot—Alex. S. Wallace; Solutior First Dircuit—P. L. Wiggin; Third—S. F. Atkinson; Seventh Circuit—Wm. M. Floming. The contesting Counties will be heard with. It is said that these suicides nave this autumn. We trust the Frenchman's idea of November may not, therefore, turn out a true one, and any increase oc-our.