

According to information that has reached Washington, on which we have every reason to rely, emigration to Kansas has greatly slackened recently...

We find the following communication in the Charleston papers, which will interest many of our readers: To Rev. Dr. Howe, Moderator of the Synod of South Carolina.

Has continued active for the past week, and we are pleased to record the fact that the numerous cotton waggoners crowding our streets give cheerful evidence that our cotton market—one of the best in the State—is daily appreciated abroad...

The recent controversy between the South Carolina Railroad Company and the Postmaster General, has given rise to various comments and speculations on the part of several papers in the State.

The editor of the Carolina in speaking of the opening ceremonies of this new establishment, which took place on Thursday says: We took a run down at 12 o'clock and made a hasty examination of the premises.

ARRIVAL OF THE AMERICA. HALIFAX, Nov. 9.—The British and North American Mail steamship America has arrived at this port from Liverpool, which port she left on the 28th ult.

The "ugly" disposition of the Misourians, by whom they are surrounded, too, has certainly operated to increase the disinclination of the New England pauper emigration to remain.

We would therefore respectfully propose that members of Synod suffer the pro re nata meeting to fail, and that at the appointed time they come directly to Charleston.

On yesterday, closed his pastoral duties as the Minister of the Methodist E. Church of Camden. For the past two Conference years Mr. Martin has served us, faithfully and zealously, and with entire acceptability to the congregation; his departure is attended with sincere mutual regrets.

Justice and candour compels us to say that the business community of Camden have been seriously imposed upon for the last two or three months, by the great difficulty thrown in their way in the transportation and receiving of their merchandise.

Dr. Thomson is a serious loss to our community. His professional acquirements and abilities entitled him to a high rank. As a gentleman, he was thoroughly imbued with the highest sense of the proprieties of his profession.

Up to the 21st of October the bombardment of Sebastopol proceeded, the besieged returning the fire of the allies with great effect.

Some of the hardest fighting in war is in defending the colors or attempting to take those of the enemy. An instance, so common in all wars, is related as occurring at the battle of Alma.

The South Carolina Annual Conference will hold its session for the present year in this place, on Wednesday, the 15th. A number of the ministers, candidates for ordination, and committees of examination, will meet three days before the day of the regular session.

On Wednesday evening last a Cotton house attached to the premises occupied by Major K. S. Moffat as a store, was destroyed by fire, with its contents, consisting of 45 bales of cotton, three new Patent Cotton Gins, &c.

There are one or two more figures which we regret to say contain more truth than poetry in the idea. Printer Editors are often unfortunately obliged to go on tick, tick, tick, until they run down and require to be wound up before they can go again.

THE LATE GOVERNOR BURT.—The remains of the late Governor Burt, accompanied by the committee appointed for the purpose, arrived here yesterday. The Town Council and a number of our citizens united in an escort, and the remains were conveyed to the Council Chamber, where they were deposited until this morning.

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.—The California papers have the details of the battle of Petrozavodsk. It is a Russian fortress of 120 guns, and garrisoned by 1800 troops. It was attacked by six of the Allied Ships, and several of the forts having been silenced, the assailants landed, but fell into an ambush, and were forced to retire, having sustained a terrible loss.

Among the many daring exploits, says one writer, of the intrepid men by whose energy and unshaken courage the heights of the Alma, have been carried to the heights of the Alma, we have not heard of an instance which surpasses in cool daring the conduct of Lieutenants Lindsey and Thistlewaite of the Scots Fusilier Guards.

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