Becretary.

When the meeting had been organized, the chairman brickly and clearly explained its ob-Then, on motion of Rob't. A. Thompson, Esq.

It was

Resolved, That the chairman of this meeting appoint a committee, consisting of five from each battalion in this district, to make arrangements for the mass meeting to be held at Tun

Under this resolution, the following gentle men were appointed:

1st Battacion, 2d Regiment.—Rob't. A. Thomp. son, Elam Sharp, A. Bryce, Senr., A. B. Bow-den, Rob't Maxwell. 2d Battalion.—D. A. Ledbetter, J. C. Miller,

Legnard Towers, J. A. Doyle, Geo. R. Cherry.

1st Battalion. 5th Regiment.—Wm. Hunter, J.

J. Hollingsworth, James Lawrence, Wm. S.

 Milliams, John Bowen.
 2d Battalion — E. H. Griffin, A. J. Anderson,
 L. Thomas, Rob't. Craig, Benj. Hagood.
 The chairman of this meeting was, on motion, added to the above committee. The meeting then adjourned sinedic 24 May,

F. N. GARVIN, Chm'n. J. J. NORTON, Secretary.

MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE. Immediately after the adjournment of the public meeting, the Committee of Twenty-one

was called to order by the Charman.
On motion, it was resolved that a Committee of Invitation be appointed, when Messra. Win. Hunter, F. N. Garvin, J. M. St. John, Z. C. Pollism and W. S. Grisham, were named as its members.
On motion, it was determined that the pro-

posed Mass Meeting should be held at Tunnel Hill, between the Reviews of the 2d and 5th Regiments, to be ordered by His Excellency Gov. Gist.
On motion, it was resolved that a Sub.

Committee of seven be appointed to select site, receive contributions, and make such arrangements for the proposed meeting and barbeene at Tunnel Hill, as may be necessary. This Committee consists of Meson. Elam Sharpe A. B. Bowden, E. Herndon, W. Pitchfork, John Humbird, Rob't, Maxwell and D. Biemann. On motion, the members of the Committee of Twenty from each Battation were authorized to appoint sub-committees to receive con-tributious, either in money or provisions, and

urge the necessity of liberal and prompt action. On motion, the Chairman was authorized to appoint Committees at Pendleton and Ander son for the same purpose; which will be com-posed of the following gentlemen; At Pendleton.—W. H. D. Gailiard, John B. Sitton, John C. Cherry.

At Anderson, -A. O. Norris, S. Bleckley, I.

W. Taylor,
On motion, the Committee of Invitation was instructed to invite Mesers, B. F. Perry and C G. Memminger to make speeches on the occa sion, and that the members of the Legis'ature, with other distinguished gentlemen, be invited On motion, the committee adjourned.
ROB'T. A. THOMPSON, Chin's.

THE DISTURBANCE IN UTAH. The Peace Commissioners sent out to Utah by Mr. Buchanan last summer established a treaty of peace with the Mermona upon the basis of a general amnesty, and with the un-derstanding that they should be treated by the government in the same liberal spirit as the in-habitants of any other Territory, with the comprehensive concession from them of obedience to the laws. Gov. Cumming has at-tempted to adhere to this treaty; and if he has thus given satisfaction to the Mormons, he has also satisfied the President in the discharge of the delicate responsibilities of his office - Judge Condictorugh, however, having no faith in Mormon promises or pledges, in proceeding recently to hold a court at the Town of Provo, enlied upon General Johnston for a detach-ment of the army to take care of certain prisoners to be tried. The troops were sent as required, to the extent of a hundred men; but subsequently some nine hundred more were marched to Provo under the orders of General

supposed, holds the army subject to his orders, had given no authority for this military requisition at Provo. They also secured, on a statement of the facts, a counter-proclamation from the Governor protesting against this mil-nary occupation of the town, under the de-mand of Judge Cradlebaugh and the command of General Johnston. And thus stands the case between the Governor on the one hand and the Judge on the other, with the commanding army officer on hand with his troops

As Htah is at present organised, the laws and the ends of justice in that Territory will doubtless, to a great extent, be subject to Mornay interpretations of mon juries and Mormon interpretations o Mormon offences; but the President can only deal with these things as he finds them. H cannot make a new organic law for the Territory, nor assume the exercise of judicial or military powers which he does not clearly pos sees. If he cannot do this himself, he cannot permit it to be done by his officers in the Territory, judicial or military. If his instructions to this end have been disregarded, the offending parties must be held accountable. With the lesson which the M. ing parties must be held accountable. With the lesson which the Mormons have received from Mr. Bochanan, they will not very soon try the experiment of rebellion. On the contrary, with the continuance of that spirit of moderation which has marked the policy of Gov. Cumming, and also of Gen. Johnston, they may be kept under a pretty fair state of discipline until the meeting of the next Congress.—Herald.

FROM UTAH .- The intelligence from Utah is to the effect that further troubles may be anticipated there. Judge Cradicbaugh had obticipated there. Judge Condichaugh had tained the presence of a portion of troops from Camp Floyd, at Prove, to remain there during the session of his court, to prevent the escape of parties arrested on criminal charges. was made necessary by the refusal of the Territorial Government to provide any place of confinement for such prisoners. The Mormon citizens of Provo became greatly dissatisfied at this measure of Judge C., and through their mayor urged the removal of the troops in strong terms, at the same time expressing a fear that the indignation of the citizens would lead to a collision between them and the troops. The Judge explained that it was impossible to dispense with the troops; that their presence entailed no expense on the componity; and that their behavior furnished no cause for exeitement or complaint. Governor Cumming also protested against the action of Judge baugh, evidently while laboring under an erropeous impression as to the stances; but the latter still persisted in keeping the troops in Provo, which measure seems receive the approval of the Gentiles in that vicinity, and of the army officers. The grand and traverse juries had been discharged; as the former, after two weeks' session, refused to find any indictments, and the latter were not, therefore, required. The court was then res lved into a committing court, and several cases were taken up for examination. This occasioned the flight of a number of persons, among whom were four members of the grand jury and several high Mormon officials. Soeiety in the Territory is in a very perturbed condition, and it seems almost impossible to apply the proper remedies without resort to force of arms.

- The Annual Session of the American Medieal Convention commenced at Louisville, day before yesterday. Twenty five States and Territories being represented. Harvey Lindsley, of Washington, was elected president, and S. M. Bemis, of Louisville, and A. G. Semmes, of

Washington, was chosen secretaries. A BRIEF EPISTER.—The Richmond Enquirer publishes a letter from Governor Wise, occupypublishes a letter from Governor Wise, occupying twenty eight of its columns, addressed to Wm. F. Bamford, Esq. The letter discusses all the political issues of the country, past, present and to come, and will no doubt be found an exhaustive document by all who have the temerity to attempt to read it.

THE INDEPENDENT PRESS.

ABBEVILLE, S. C. W. A. LEE, EDITOR. Friday Morning, May 13, 1859.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

We direct attention to the notice e dissolution of the partnership of Messrs. JOHDAN & McLAUCHLIN; to the card of DR. D. A. JORDAN; the Military notice of the Brigadier General's election ; to the change in Da. J. T. BASKIN's advertisement; to the change in the advertisement of WADDEY's Stage Line; and to the other advertisements generally.

S. C. INSTITUTE. At a meeting of the members of the South Carolina Institute, the following officers were

WM. M. LAWTON, President. WILLIAM KIRKWOOD, Vice-Presidents. JOSEPH WALKER. Directors .- R. Dewar Bacot, E. M. Beach, Richard Caldwell, Henry Cobia, James M. Ea son, William Lebby, Francis J. Porcher, James

Ravenel, G. N. Reynolds, Jr., C. Y. Richardson

elected:

James H. Taylor, Daniel G. Wayne. THE BLUE RIDGE RAILROAD. We copy in another column from the Pickens Courier, the proceedings of a public meeting creased to about four or five hundred persons. held at Pickens C. H., to make arrangements for the contemplated Mass Meeting, to be held at Tunnel Hill, in the course of the summer, in furtherance of the claims of the Blue Ridge Railroad enterprise. A great gathering of the masses is expected, and very ample arrangements will be made for their entertainment .-Many distinguished speakers will be present from a distance, and the claims of this great enterprise promise to be thoroughly discussed.

THE CONCERT.

We take pleasure in announcing that Mr. M. McCarrny, the blind Musician, assisted by Messrs. CHARLES JONES and BENJ. ROTHSCHILD, will give another Concert, in our Village, at the Marshall House, this evening, (Friday.)

The two former Concerts were a decided suc ess, and led to a general desire for a repetition of the entertainment. Messrs. McCarthy, JONES and ROTHSCHILD, have, during the interval, been practising a number of new pieces together, and promise an improvement still upon their former efforts. They are accomplished musicians, and we invoke for them a liberal patronage.

THAT BOUQUET.

The fair donors will please accept our best thanks, for that lovely bouquet of choice and fragrant flowers-richest gems of Flora's brilliant diadem-which derived new beauty and attractiveness from the graceful mode of the presentation. Thrice welcome ! in thy beauty and fragrance, sweet emblem of bright thoughts and sunny smiles ! worthy representative of the blooming Queen of May and her radiant train! May the pathway of the fair donors ever be strewed with roses, and their lives ever exhale the delicate fragrance of the

THE COURANT.

We have received the first number of this new literary weekly, published in Columbia by W. W. WALKER, Jr. & Co., and edited by HOWARD H. CALDWELL.

The present number is well filled, and in the variety of its contents fully redeems the pledges of the prospectus. The Editorial and Critical departments are wellaustained, and exhibit many specimens of the editor's clear and polished style, and his just exposition of the Johnston.

The Mormons were naturally enough thrown canons of literary taste and criticism. The into a high state of indignation at this specta-into a high state of indignation at this specta-cle of a United States court surrounded by a Poems by W. W. EAST,," and whilst pointing excellent officer. Upon the conclusion of the number contains a genial review of "College talion was commanded by Capt. Jav, a very out their occasional blemishes does full justice to the many beauties which give promise of

more abundant fruit. We trust that the work will receive the patronage which it deserves. Its continuance, it is said, is well guaranteed by an ample endowment for two years, and our friends therefore need entertain no apprehensions in sending on their subscriptions.

THE MARSHALL HOUSE. Our estcemed host and hostess of the Marshall House have been entertaining us during the past week with the very fat of the landchoice mutton, and delicious English peas and strawberries. Perhaps many of our readers have been equally fortunate, and if so they can appreciate our feelings, and can join with us in due acknowledgments for these first fruits of the benignant season.

May is indeed the Queen of flowers, but the delights equally in fruits. She regales herself with beauty and fragrance, but draws her aliment, from more substantial viands. Her votaries should hence consult her varying moods. She has already had the incense of the flowers -"the feast of reason and the flow of soul,"and we are now preparing more substantial oblations for her on the evening of the 20th nst. In the mean time, our host and hosters of the Marshall House have given us an anticipation of the "good time coming." We trust the Executive Committee, for the District Fair that all of our readers are equally favored.

COLTON'S GENERAL ATLAS.

We commend to the kind attention and generous patronage of our readers, Mr. G. H. WRIGHT who is now canvassing our District in behalf of "Colton's General Atlas," a work of high character, alike creditable to the genius, talent and skill of America, and one much superior to any former production of the kind.

The work consists of one hundred and seventy steel plate Maps and Plans, accompanied by descriptions Geographical, Statistical and Historical. These exhibit all the latest discoveries of Geographical Science-the representations of all works of public improvement, such as the lines of railroads, canals, &c.; the surveys made under public authority, &c. ; and a large mass of information with regard to the develope ment of the countries delineated, and the progress of civilization.

In the preparation of the work the latest and best sources of information have been consulted, and the work will be found to present an accurate and complete survey of the various States of the New and the Old World.

The various railroad routes to the Pacific are faithfully delineated, and the various post offices, post routes, and railway stations, are given with minute accuracy.

To politicians who are desirous to keep pac with the growing progress and civilization of our country, the work will be an invaluable resource-whilst its accurate delineations of the Continental States will impart much neces sary information with regard to the present in-

teresting questions of foreign politics.

To the man of science and to the general reader, the work will be found invaluable on secount of the large mass of accurate and valuable information which it embodies. We have been long familiar with its merits, and take pleasure in commending it to the patronage of our readers.

THE REVIEW AT DRAKE'S.

In company with a small party from the Village, we attended the Review of the Upper Battalion of the 6th Regiment, at DRAKE's Old Field on Saturday last. Making an early start we had a delightful ride of eleven miles to the Village of Due West. The roads were excellent, the air cool and pleasant, and we were continually greeted with the cheering sights and sounds of the budding Spring-the green fields, the pleasant sunlight, and the waving forests-the fragiance of the breezes, and the

melody of the groves. To us the Village of Due West, as seen in the clear light of the early morning, seemed particularly attractive. First came into view the tall spire of the Observatory, and then the other College buildings rising gracefully above the trees of the Campus; and then the neat and tasteful private residences, which greeted us as we passed over the bright sandy street, which contrasted beautifully with the green of the adjacent shrubbery.

Stopping only for a few moments, we hasten ed to the Muster Ground which was distanabout four miles beyond. This was pleasautly situated, near a very fine bold spring of cool water and was skirted by the forest trees, which furnished a refreshing shade. Here upon our arrival, we found a number of persons already assembled, and soon the company in-The Battalion, it is said, at one time could number at least five hundred men upon parade. but of late years there has been, a falling off in the attendance from the decrease of the white population and other causes. The number of men doing duty on the present oceasion amounted, we suppose, to upwards of three hundred, and they seemed to exhibit no lack of Military spirit. The promptness with which the duty is performed in this Battalion, is shown by example of the Hogskin Company. which out of a muster roll of one hundred men could only show four defaulters on the present occasion.

The line was formed about 11 o'clock by the Adjutant, J. R Ellis, and under the command of Maj. McD. MILLER, the Battalion was reviewed by Col. WILLIAM CLINKSCALES and Staff The various evolutions were performed with promptness and alacrity, and in the true military spirit. Upon the conclusion of the Review the Colonel returned his thanks to the Battallion for their prompt performance of duty, and they were then addressed at some length by Dr. C. V. BARNES, a member of the Colonel's Staff, upon the necessity of maintaining the present military organization. His remarks were well received, and seemed to be

cordially endorsed by the Battallion. The day passed off very quietly, and nothing occurred during our stay to mar the general harmony. We saw no drinking, nor disturbance of any kind. In this respect, we believe, there has been quite an improvement of late years, and is certainly some compensation for any decline of the military spirit. The company generally dispersed at an early

THE BATTALION REVIEWS. We omitted to mention in our last issue, that owing to the inclemency of the weather, the Review of the Upper Battalion at McCaw's failed to come off according to appointment. The day was very unfavorable, and the attendance small, and the Colonel, WM. M. Rogens,

thought it best not to call out the Battalion. On Saturday last, the Lower Buttalion was reviewed by Col. Rogens at Baspley's, and we learn from a friend who was present, that though the number of men upon duty was not large they performed the various evolutions with something of the true spirit. The Bat Review, the Colonel made then a strong speed in which he urged the necessity of austaining the Law, and pledged himself to its rigid enforcement. The Colonel is himself a very fine officer, and is in no wise responsible for the present defection, and the decay of the military spirit in his command. Indeed we would select him as the very man to arrest the present tide of discontent, and revive something of the

old enthusiasm, As long as the law remains on the Statute Book, we think it ought to be enforced. And we would even go further, and hold with the late Senate Committee, that the present system in its main features had better be preserved. It may be relieved of some of the onerous du ties of the petty drill, but we doubt whether it can be essentially changed for the better It has received the revision and approval of our best Statesmen. There is a disposition, we think, to underrate the advantages of the system in a military point. Even if these were less they are, the good feeling and general har nony, of which frequent meetings of our citizens are productive, should not be slightly regarded. These afford ample compensation for the loss of time in business operations.

THE AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

We commend to the attention of our readers the Premium List, which has been prepared by to be held in our Village in October next.

The List is very comprehensive, embracing an aggregate of premiums to the amount of about \$500.00, and affording free scope for the exercise of taste and skill in every department of the useful and ornamental. The number of premiums in the various branches of Domestic Manufactures is unusually large, and has been suggested by the observation and experience of various members of the Committee.

We commend the List generally to the at tention of the intelligent planters and fair la dies of the District, and trust that they will award to this new enterprise that meed of encouragement which will inaugurate the onward career of improvement in our midst.

ADMITTED TO LAW. The following gentlemen were, on Tuesday last, admitted to practice in the Courts of Law n this State:

W H Almey, Edgefield; R E Bowie, Sparanburg; W M Connors, Lancaster; T W Dinkins, Sumter; H W D Edwards, Beaufort; P A Eichelberger, Newberry; L B Gray, Sum ter; W H Grimball, Charleston; W J N Hammett, Somter; W M Heath, Edgefield; W W Humphreys, Anderson; Chas. Inglesby, Charleston; M. B.A. Legg, Spartanburg; Chas. W. Montgemery, Newberry; John B Moore, Anderson; W A Moore, Yorkville; W Munro Anderson; J D Nance, Newberry; Henry Seabrook, Charleston; B F Smith, Edgefield; J C Winsmith, Spartanburg.

DEATH OF JEE PORTER, THE KENTUCKY GRANT.—This celebrated individual was found dead in his bed at Shippingford, hear Louisville, on the morning of the 25th metant, having been afflicted for some time, with inflamatory rheumatism. He was 49 years of age, having been born in 1810, near Portamouth, Okio. Mr. Porter had had many liberal offers to visit the continent of Europe and exhibit himself, but he invariably dealined. He made one tour through the United States. His height was about 7 feet 9 inches.

DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee the District Agricultural Society, held at Abbeville C. II., on the 7th inst., it was ordered that a Fair be held at Abbeville C. II. on Wednesday and Thursday, the 19th and 20th of October next.

It was unanimously rasolved that the Hon. A. Burt be invited to deliver the first Annual Oration before the Society, at the Fair in Octo-

It was further resolved that the District pa pers be requested to publish the proceedings of this meeting, and the following Premium List

J. FOSTER MARSHALL, C. W. SPROULL, D. WYATT AIKEN, A. C. HAWTHORN, J. J. WARDLAW, H. H. HARPER, D. M. ROGERS, OCTAVIUS PORCHER,

Executive Committee. WM. C. DAVIS, Sec'y and Treas'r.

PREMIUM LIST. FIELD CROPS.

For the greatest production of cotton on one acre of upland, with the mode of preparation, amount and kind of manare used-variety of cotton-time of planting. and mode of cultivation. The measurement of land and weight of cotton to be vouched for by Cup. \$10.00 affidavit.

For the greatest production of Corn on one acre of upland, same requisitions as above, Cup, 10.00 For the greatest production of

Wheat on one acre of upland. Cup, 10.00 same requisitions as above. Best Bushel of Wheat, Cup, 5.00 Cup, 5.00 do Corn. Cup, 5.00 do Barley, Cup, 5.00 do do Rye, do Sweet Potatoes, Silver, 2.50 Silver, 2.50 do Irish do Silver, 2.00 do Cow Peas. do Ground Peas, Silver, 2.00 Silver, 2.00 do Turnips, Silver, 2.00 Best Dozen Ears of Corn,

Best Bale of Cotton, not less than Cup, 10.00 400 lbs., Second best Bale of Cotton, not less than 100 lbs. Cup, 10.00 Best Bale of Wool, not less than 100 lbs.

second Best Bale of Wool, not less than 100 lbs. Cup, 5.00 Best Bale of Hay, not less than 300 lbs Cup, 5.00

HORSES, JACKS AND MULES. For the Best Stallion over 4 years Cup, \$10.00 old, South Carolina raised, For the Best Stullion 3 years old, Cup. 8.00 raised in the District. For the Best Stallion 2 years old, Cup, 5,00 For the Best Mare and Colt, raised in the District, Cup, 8.00 For the Best Gelding, 8 years old, raised in the District, Cup, 5.00 For the Best Gelding 2 years old, Silver 3.00 raised in the District, For the Best Year Old Colt, raised Silver, 3.00 in the District, For the Best Pair of Carriage Hor-

Cap, 8.00 ses, raised in the District, For the Best Pair of Carriage Cup, 8.00 Mares, raised in the District, For the Best Pair of Carriage Horses, open to the world, Cup, 8.00 For the Best Single Buggy Horse, open to the world, Cup, 5.00 the world, Cup, 5.00

For the Best Saddle Horse, open to For the Best Saddle Poney, not over 14 Hands high, Cup, 5.00 CATTLE. Devons. Durhams. Brahmins and Aureshires For the Best Bull over 4 years old, Cup, 8.00

Cup, 5.00 do 8 do do do do 2 do Cup, 3.00 do Calf over 1 year old, Silver, 2.00 Cup, 5.00 do Heifer, 2 years old, Silver, 3.00 Heifer Calf, 1 year old, Silver, 2.00 GRADES.

Cup, \$8.00 For the Best Bull over 4 years old, Cup, 5.00 do do 8 do do Silver, 8.00 2 Silver, 2.00 do Calf 1 do do Cup, 5.00 Cow. Heifer, 2 years old, Silver, 3.00 do Heifer Calf 1 year old, Silver, 2.00 COMMON STOCK. For the Best Bull over 4 years old, Cup, \$8.00 Cup, 5.00 do do 3 do Silver, 8.00 do do 2 do Calf. 1 Silver, 2.00 do do

Cup, 5.00 do Cow. Heifer, 2 years old, Silver, 8.00 do Calf, 1 year old, Silver, 2.00 BHEEP.

Merinon South Down, Bakewells and Cotmoold Silver, 8,00 For the Best Buck. Silver, 3,00 do Ewe and Lamb. COMMON STOCK. Bilver, \$8,00 for the Best Buck. Silver, 8.00 do Ewe and Lamb. SWINE.

Chester County, Suffolk, Irish Grazier, Berkshire and Essex. Silver, \$8.00 For the Best Boar. Silver, 2.50 do Sow. do Sow and Pigs, not less Cup, 5.00

GRADES. Silver, 2.00 For the Best Boar. Bow. Bilver. 2.50 do. Sowand Pigs, not less Cup, 5.00 than 6,

COMMON STOOK. Silver, 8.00 For the Best Boar, Silver, 2:50 Sow. Sow and Pigs, not less POULTRY. For the Best Collection of Poultry,

MANUFACTORIES IN WOOD, IRON AND For the Best Family Carriage made Cup, \$10.00 in the District, Buggy with and without top, each, Four Horse Wagon made

in the District, Cup, 8,00 Two Horse Wagon made in the District, Cup, 5.00 Ox-Cart and Yoke made in the District, One Horse Cart made in the District. Silver, 8.00 Wheelbarrow made in the District, Cotton Gin, open to the

Fan, open to the world, Thresher, do do Cup, 5.00 Grain Cradle made in Cup, 5.00 the District, Straw Cutter, open to Cup, 5.00 the world,

do Silve r3.00 Cotton Planter, do 2 Horse Turning Plough, Silver, 3.00 open to the world, 1 Horse do do, do Silver, 3.00 do Silver, 3.00 Subsoil Plough do Silver, 3.00 Cotton Scraper, do Sil·er, 3.00 Cultivator

Collection of Plough Moulds made in the Dist. Cup, 5,00 do Silver, 3.00 Plough Stock Club Ax, do Silver, 1.00 Hatchet, do Silver, 1.00 Broad Ax, Manure Fork, do Silver, 1.00 For the 3 Best House Brooms, do Silver, 1.00

For the 3 Best Scrub-Brooms made by a Slave, For the Best Collection and Variety

Cup, 5.00 of Tin Ware, do do Cooper's Ware, Cup, 5.00

Of District Manufacture. For the Best 3 Sides of Sole Leather, Silver, \$3.00 3 do Upper do 3 do Harness do Silver, 3.00 3 do Calf, Goat and Silver, 2.00 Sheep Skins, each. Pair of Carriage Harness, Cup, 8.00 do Buggy do Gentleman's Saddle, Cup, 5.00 Silver, 3.00 do Riding Bridle, Silver, 2.00 do

Set Wagon Harness, 4 do Horse, Set Wagon Harness, 2 do Silver, 3.00 Set Plough Gear complete, Silver 3.00 6 Blind Bridles for Plan-Silver, 3.00 tation.

do Cup, 5.00 do 6 Brogans, Silver, 3.00 Pair Dress Boots, do Water Proof Boots, Silver, 3,00 do Dress Shoes, Silver, 3.00 DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.

For the Best Pair Woolen Blankets, Silver, \$2.00 10 Yds. Negro Kerseys, Silver, 3.00 10 " Woolen Carpeting, Silver, 3.00 6 " do Jeans, Silver, 3.00 Cotton and Shuck Mat-6 Wool Hatsmade in S.C., Silver, 3.00 6 Shuck Collars made by Silver, 2.00 a slave, Counterpains - Woolen Silver, 3.00 and Cotton, each,

Vest Pattern-Woolen and Silver, 2.00 Silk, each Suit of Negro Winter Cup, 5.00 Clothes, complete, 6 Pair Woolen Socks, Silver, 2.00 6 " Cotton Silver, 2.00 Made Gentleman's Dress Coat, made in the Dist. Silver, 3.00 Made Gentleman's Vest,

made in the District, Made Gentleman's Pants, made in the District, Silver, 2.00 do Silver, 2.00 Cotton Comfort, Specimen of Sewing do Silver, 2.00 Silk, 3 Yds. Silk and Woolen

do Silver, 2.00 Cloth, 3 Yds. Silk and Cotton do Silver, 2.00 Cloth. Patch Work Quilt, Silk, Silver, 5.00 do do do Cotton, Silver, 3.00 Imitation MarseillesQuilt, Silver, 3.00 Ruised Work Ouilt. Piano Cover,

Silver, 3.00 Silver, 3.00 Mormons. Ottoman, Foot Stool, Cover, each. Silver, 2.00 Silver, 2.00 Worked Collar, " Handkerchief, Silver, 2.00 Pair of Undersleeves, Silver, 2.00 Infant's Dress, Silver, 2.00 Silver, 2.00 Petticont,

Silver, 2.00 Chemisetts, Collection of Wax Work, Silver, 3.00 Flowers, Silver, 3.00 HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT. Best Jar of Lard, not less Silver, 2.50

than 20 lbs.

do Jar Butter, not less than Silver, 2.50 10 lbs. Carolina Chcese, Silver, 2.50 Domestic Soap, not less Silver, 2.50 than 10 lbs. Toilet Soap, not less than Silver, 2.50 3 lbs. Jar of Preserves, Jelly, Jam, bottle catsup, each, Silver, 1.00 Half Bushel of Dried Apples, Peaches and Quinces, each, Can of Hermetically sealed Peaches, Strawber-

ries. Blackberries and Cherries, each, Gallon of Chinese Syrup, Silver, 2.00 Cooked Ham, 2 sides of Bacon, from District raising.

Loaf of Bread, Silver, 1.00 Barrel of Flour, manufactured in District. Cup. 5.00 Silver, 3.00

For the Second Best do. do. NATIVE WINE, APPLES, &C. Best Bottle of Catawba For the

Silver, \$1.00 Wine. Scuppernong do Silver, 1.00 do Silver, 1.00 Blackberry Brandy made from na-Silver, 1.00 tive Grapes, Specimen of Table Ap-Silver, 1.00 ples, one dozen,

Drum of native Figs, Silver, 1.00 EXHIBITION OF THE SENIOR CLASS OF SOUTH CAROLINA COLLEGE.—The first exhibition of the Senior Class came off, last evening, as announc-ed, and was witnessed by a full audience. the stage, we noticed his Excellency Gov. W.
H. Gist, Hon. J. F. Moses, Hon. T. C. Perrin,
Hon. G. Cannon, and the Faculty of the College. The exercises, were appeals.

legs. The exercises were opened with prayer by the Rev. R. W. Been well.

In consequence of the late hour at which the exercises closed, we can do no more than allude to the programme balow. The young gentle to the programme below. The young gentlemen all acquitted, themselves in a manner
creditable to themselves and their instructors,
and were warmly applauded by the spectators:
W. E. Boggs, (Farrfield.)—"Edgar Allan
Poe." W. T. Cleveland, (Anderson.)—"Poetry
and its Kindred Arts." R. C. Simpson,
(Laurens.)—"Horor to the Dead." T. H.
Lake. (Newberry.)—"Progress of the Sciences."
T. Legare, (Orangeburg.)—"The Supernatural." E Melintosh, (Darlington.)—"Foot-prints
of the Past." F. S. Morrissett, (Alabama.)—
"Character of Gen. Thos. Rusk, of Texas."—
Carolinan.

According to the Detroit Advertises the population of that city now numbers 78,000. The population of Cinchnati is estimated by the Gazette at 200,000.

(COMMUNICATED.) TRIBUTE OF RESPECT At a call meeting of the members of the Ecrosophic Society, the following Preamble and Res-

lutions were unanimously adopted: Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in his nserutable Providence, to remove from our midst, ALFRED B. TERRIN, Esq., one of the Associated Faculty of the Cokesbury Conference Institute, distinguished as a Christian gentleman and instructor, for his urbanity, gentleness, and until Exchange. We give below the latest items: ing devotion to his duties; and whereas, Mr. TURPIN, was one among the Honorary Members of this Society, noted for his activity and zeal in building up the best interests, moral and intellectual, of the Society; and whereas, we do Silver, 1.00 claim it our mournful duty and privilege thus publicly to testify to the many virtues and graces that characterized our departed friend and Instructor-be it therefore,

Residerd, 1st. That in the death of Mi A. B. Tunns, the Cokesbury Conference Institute has lost a zealous, prompt and indefatigable teacher, admirably gifted to train and develop the youthful mind.

Resolved, 2d. That the Erosophic Society has lost in this affliction one of its earliest founders

and most zealous and devoted Honorary Men Resolved, 3rd. That as an outward expres

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Si pers for publication, and to the family of the deceased, and that the same be entered upon

the records of the Society.

W. T. WHIKES,

J. J. COOPER,

W. C. ROUND. WASHINGTON NEWS.

Washington, April 29, 1859. The War Department this morning received a heavy mail from Col. Johnston, commanding the forces in Utah. The complications and lifficulties between the federal and judicial officers is fully explained, and his course officers is fully explained, and his course in responding to the requisitions made upon him by the judiciary, which are a co-ordinate branch of the government, is fully sustained and justified. It appears that Gov. Cumming was acting under special instructions from the State Department, and directly opposite to the instructions of Col. Johnston and the judicial officers. The Cubinet to-day had the subject mader consideration. Gen. Johnston's des under consideration. Gen. Johnston's des patches changes the aspect of affairs there, and t is not known what course the administra-tion will pursue as between the federal and

judicial officers.

The Court Martial which has been in session The Court Martial which has been in session for some time at Fort Moultrie, South Carolina, for the purpose of trying Surgeon Barnard M. Byrne on various charges, have rendered a vardiet of not guilty. The Secretary of Warnecepts the finding of the Court, but protests attended against the seasons of the Court, but protests strongly against the manner in which he was

Washington, May 3, 1859. Despatches are being prepared at the State Department, which will go out by special hearer, to our Minister in Mexico. The administration have determined to lend its power and influence in aiding and sustaining the Juarez government, and thereby insure, if possibled, its permanent ascendancy. The course pursued by Miramon, taken in connection with the action of the British and French Ministers, necessitates the prompt and decided action by our government which they have fully determined to adopt. Orders have been given for the steamers Water Witch and Fultor to be put in readiness, and they are to be des patched to the Gulf. The squadron is to be

largely augmented. THE GENERAL NEWSPAPER DESPATCH. Washington, May 4, 1859. The government has not yet taken definite action in the troubles among the federal offl-cers in Utab, but will wait for further informa-

tiod from that Territory, especially as to the course of Judge Cradlebaugh. The indication are that Governor Cumming will be sustaine by the administration, his conduct being re garded as wise and conciliatory. Such in structions will shortly be forwarded to Utah as will prevent further difficulties among the federal authorities. From all that can be ascernined, no troubled is apprehended from the

FOREIGN NEWS. HALIFAX, May 4.
The Niagara arrived at Habiax on the night of the 4rh, from Liverpool, which dates to the 23d, bringing thirty-three passengers for Halifax and fifty for Boston.

Lord Stanly had declined to come forward as a candidate for the city of London, but his nittee intend continuing the canvass. The Ministers express considerable anxiety ab the approaching, war, which is now considered inevitable, Earl Derby intimating that Great Britain will maintain a fully armed neutrality, and will sympathise in the strict maintenance of the treaty of Vienna.

It is rumored that strong language has pas sed between Lord Cowley and Count Walewski on this subject.

The Paris correspondent of the London

The Paris correspondent of the London Times, writing on Friday night, says, "We were, yesterday, it is believed, within a few hours of the declaration of war by Austria, owing to the prevarication of the Imperial Government of France on the question of s general disarmament, the only object being to gain time. England asked for an immediate answer on this point, and France plead that it could not exercise its influence with Sardinia enforce its compliance. Austria declared that if an answer was not obtained in a given time she would consider it equivalent to a de Silver, 1.00 claration of war, and would act instantly, and her troops would be in Turin in ten days. The French government then said that the terrible responsibility of a general war would fall on

them alone.

It was felt that Russia could not be relied on and that France would not have the symoathy of any Government except Piedmon The French Government is now supposed to have given way and agreed to a disarmamen previous to the meeting of the Congress which the Moniteur is expected to announce in a few days. The same paper reports an extensive movement of Cavalry not usual at this period

of the year in France.

There is no change for the better in commer ial prespects, nor is any expected until the political horizon has become more bright. The Paris correspondent of the Globe says that the lislike of the French masses to a war with Austria or any other war, is most gratuitously

THE COLUMBIA TOURNAMENT. The Carolinian gives a full report of this af fair. We copy the following list of knightly

competitors:

Knight Templar, W. H. Taylor; Black Sluggard, C. R. Frost; Saladin. Wade Hampton, Jr.; Robin Hood, W. C. Hane; Luttle John, D. G. Calhoun; Friar Tuck, E. Bookter; Don Quixote, Alfred Wallace; Sancho Panza, E. J. Febder; Fox Hunter, A. R. Elmore; First Guerilla, A. Beck; Second Guerilla, T. Weston; Roland Avenel, John Taylor; Knight of the Lady Plume, J. H. Trezevant; Knight "Fra Charles Taber; Roderick Din, John McCullock; Knight of the Thistle, F. Weston; Lolla, Edward Wallace; Knight of Trimleston, Stephen E. Bardwell; Swiss Hursar, Wallace Pearsons; German Miner, J. Jones; Mexican Lancer, John C. Haskell; Cavalier of the White Rose, Thomas Legier; Cavalier, A. C. Haskell; Harry Hotspor, George Taylor.

The prizes were borne in order by the knight competitors :

The prizes were borne in order by the knight of La Manche, the Mexican Lancer and the Cava The evening was devoted to a Ball, of which

The evening was devoted to a Ball, of which the Carolinian speaks as follows:
The ball was a magnificent affair. We never saw a finer display. The Athensum Hall was a repository in which could be seen the fashions of almost every age. It was visited during the evening by a large number of ladies, who from the gallery had a fine view of the misutes. the gallery, had a fine view of the mingling befashion of many ages. This, we are pleased to say, also passed of the happily that those who have been principally astronomial in getting up the Tourrament sind the ball have much eased to folicitate themselves on the success and pleasure with which they were attended.

EUROPEAN WAR.

The news from Europe, seems to be decisive of the question of War. France and Austria, have already commenced the movement of troops, and though a collision has not yet taken place, it cannot be far distant. The effect of the news upon the course of trade, shows the extent of the public apprehension. The alliance between France and Russia seems to have created a general panic upon the London HALIFAX, May 10.

The steamer Adelaide, of the Galway line, arrived at this port to-day, bringing advices from Liverpool to the 30th ultimo. Her news

from Liverpool to the 30th unimals is highly important.

The sales of cotton for the week amounted to 30,000 bales. Prices have declined 1 to 10.000 bales. Prices have declined 1 to 10.000 bales. Prices have declined 1 to 10.000 bales. The market closed quiet at she following quotations: Fair Orleans 71—middling orleans 61; fair uplands 71—middling uplands 66.

Consois have receded to 80 to 981.

Hostilities have almost commenced, as the Austrians are invading Sardinia.
The reported crossing of the Ticino is not officially confirmed, and there have been no

ctual engagements.
The French are pouring into Piedmont. The French are pointing into Fredmon.

The Russian French alliance is denied; but the Times has published the provisions of the trenty, which caused great panic in London Exchange. Consols at one time were down to 88. About forty failures have been reported

among the stock operators. THE FAIR GROUND.-In the proceedings of The Fam Ground.—In the proceedings of Council, which we published yesterday, there were some matters of importance, to which it would not be inapprepriate to call attention. The resolution passed to give \$3,000 to the State Agricultural Fair, will be generally regarded with approbation; indeed, the only exception that can reasonably be taken is, that it does not go quite far enough. The want of an amphible attentions may not hear fell. from an amphitheatre has never yet been felt, from the fact that the weather has generally been nuspicious; but in what a dilemma would the Executive Committee find itself, should it be so inclement as to prevent the distribution of prizes in the open air. Or, again, what exhibition of prized stock could be had? This latter is no less important than the first, for of the many interesting features connected with the Fair, none attracts more interest than the parade of the prized stock. Besides, too, it is parade of the prized stock. Desides, too, it is an important consideration to the stock exhib-itor. With a large, commodious amphithea-tre, capatde of scating two thousand persons, the Committee would be able to act independ-ently of the weather. With the contemplated ently of the weather. With the contemplated building, many visitors would attend on these important days, whether is was raining or not, as they would have a place of refuge when they reached the ground. Columbia justly regards everything calculated to advance the interest of the Agricultural Society and contribute in any way to the success of its annual fairs, as directly effecting her interest; and as from her central position and growing importance she has been selected as the permanent place of exhibition, she has no heaitation in place of exhibition, she has no hesitation in advancing subscription, for the promotion of its weffare, and her citizens will warmly sus-tain the Council to the extent of their response

to the Executive Committee .- Carolinian. COMMERCIAL.

ABBEVILLE, May 12, 1859. COTTON .- The market has been depressed duing the past week. We give extremes of 7 to

HAMBURG, May, 9 1859. Corros.-Our market has been dull and lepressed during the past week, we quote ex-

remes 9 to 12 cents. H. & N. E. SOLOMON.

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sure it bears the name of E. Lyon. Remember 'Tis Lyon's Powder kills insects in a trice, While Lyon's Pills are mixed for rats and mice Sample Flasks, 25cts.; regular sizes, 50cts & \$1 BARNES & PARK, New York.

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