

## DOMESTIC.

### The Southampton Tragedy.

The court at Southampton has adjourned.—Twenty-one slaves have been condemned, of which nine have been recommended for reprieve or transportation, on account of their youth, or of their having been forced to join the banditti; some of the remaining twelve have been executed, and the others will be executed soon. The military forces are disbanded, with the exception of 16 or 18 men, reserved to guard the jail till the executions have taken place.—The whole number of lives, sacrificed in this horrid tragedy is about 110 or 112. Sixty-four whites were massacred—about 30 or 35 blacks, it is estimated, were shot down by the troops called out to quell the insurrection; one militiaman was killed in a rencontre, and twelve, probably, ere this, have been executed.

In addition to the above, between 30 and 40 slaves have been examined in Nansemond county; and one sentenced to death.

It is stated that 3 or 9 convictions have taken place in the county of Sussex, and that a black preacher, by trade, a blacksmith, in Prince George county, has been condemned.

Nat Turner, the contriver and leader of the insurrection, is still going at large. The governor of the state has offered a reward of five hundred dollars to any person or persons who will apprehend and deliver him.—*S. R. Telegraph.*

### More False Rumors.

Rumors of an alarming character reached this city, from North Carolina, on Friday morning last, stating that an insurrection had broken out in Sampson and Duplin counties, N. C. on Sunday night the 11th inst. that 17 families had been massacred;—that Wilmington, in the county adjoining Duplin, had been set on fire and some of its inhabitants murdered;—and that a large body of the insurgent force had been seen on their march towards Raleigh; one account stated the number at 2000, &c. in not one of which rumors is there a word of truth.

But it is, we regret to say, very manifest from the developements to which this alarm has led, that schemes of insurrection and massacre had been formed, and that the 4th of October was the time fixed for putting them into execution. The projectors of the scheme have been arrested and some of them executed.—*Ib.*