

NEW BOOKS.

LIFE OF GEN. TAYLOR.—We are indebted to the publishers, Messrs. Grigg, Elliot & Co., of Philadelphia, for a copy of their "Illustrated Life of Gen. Taylor."

LIFE OF PAUL JONES. In one vol., 12 mo., with 100 illustrations. We have also to thank Messrs. Grigg, Elliot & Co. for a copy of this interesting work.

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FROM ENGLAND.

The news from England is of the most gloomy character. There has been a general mercantile failure, and the prospect immediately ahead is not very pleasing.

The following article on the money crisis through which England is now passing, is full of interest. The money crisis in England. The subject of this article is from a source which entitles it to attention, as the reader will discover. The intimate connection between the commercial transactions of England and those of every part of the world is such that whatever deeply affects the great money market of London is felt every where, and especially throughout this country.

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pleasure by the issue of its notes. The raising or lowering the rate of interest, of which much is said, is out a matter of great importance any way, as whatever may be the rate of interest, its ability to discount is restricted within the same limits.

A large party, however, in England think that the bank should possess the power it formerly had, and furnish means in a time of scarcity to relieve the public. They say that the bank has seven millions of gold which is of no use, and might be employed for the relief of the public.

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creased. This shows that, owing to the quickness of intercourse and other facilities, only half the money is required to perform the same office which it did formerly.

2. We hear much of the high rate of interest in England, and of the pressure now existing there. This high interest is only 5, 6, or 7 per cent. per annum, which is here considered a low interest. High and low interest are comparative terms.

"We intend to hold these Mexican adherents and apologists, big and little, up to the scorn and reprobation of the American people. They have a foretaste of the sentence that awaits them in the doom of the 'moral traitors' of the last war."

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Correspondence of the Messenger.

Ms. Arvex.—Dear Sir: By letters received at this place from Mexico, we have the painful intelligence of the death of one of our Cherokee soldiers. Thomas Rhea died near Saltillo on the 14th September.

Although it was not his fate to die "amid the roar of cannon and the clash of arms," yet he died a martyr to the cause of his country, and even when the taper of life was fast sinking in its socket, he could raise his eyes and see the flag that he bore from his own dear home floating in the breeze, triumphantly proclaiming to the world that the cause he had so willingly espoused was victorious.

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NOTICE TO BANK DEALERS.

WILL act as Agent in offering Notes for Discount and Renewal of the Asheville Branch of the Bank of Cape Fear, and will charge the Customary Fee for his services. Asheville, April 15, 1847. 346-ly.

ALBERT T. SUMMEY, AGENT. Will attend to Renewing and Offering Notes for Discount at the Branch Bank Cape Fear. Asheville, January, 1847.—353.

ESTRAY. Taken up by Julius T. Siler, in Macon county, N. C. 4 miles north of Franklin, on the 20th day of Oct., 1847, a Strawberry Roan Stead Colt, supposed to be two years old, black mane and tail, no brands, and spotted by G. F. Coker and B. G. Jones, at \$25. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away within the time prescribed by law, or he will be dealt with according to law. Wm. HOOD, C. Ranger. Nov. 4, 1847. 375-3.

New Fall & Winter GOODS. J. DUNLAP is now receiving at his Cash Store, direct from New York and Philadelphia, an excellent Stock of NEW GOODS, suitable for Fall and Winter, which he invites his old customers and the public generally, to call and examine.

GRAVE'S Invaluable Ointment, FOR SALE IN ASHEVILLE BY HUGH JOHNSTON, The only Agent West of the Blue Ridge. August 15, 1847.—6m. 353

Casinetts, Fancy Cashmeres, A general assortment very low, just received. RANKIN & PULLIAM. January 28, 1847. 352-4.

Ribbons, Flowers, Fancy Neck Ties, Dress Hdkfs, kid gloves, and silk mitts, of various styles, at low prices. RANKIN & PULLIAM. Super. Blue, Black, Brown, Green and Ivory. Six Green Cloths, English, French, and American Casimere, just opened and offered at very low prices. Call and see. RANKIN & PULLIAM. Oct. 7, 1847. 371-4.

CLOTHS, CLOTHS. Upper, Sole, Bridle and Harness Leather for sale. RANKIN & PULLIAM. may 27, 1847. 352-4.

Lady's French Morocco and Kid Slippers, and walking Shoes, Philadelphia make. Also, gentlemen's Call Boots, finest cloth quarters and other styles for summer wear, just received at RANKIN & PULLIAM'S. may 13, 1847. 370-4.

HATS, CAPS, SHOES & BOOTS. A large quantity, every variety, and at very low prices, just received at RANKIN & PULLIAM'S. Oct. 7, 1847. 371-4.

GUN LOCKS. A superior article, just received. RANKIN & PULLIAM. April 22, 1847. 353-4.

WANTED. One or two Apprentices will be taken at this Office, if application be made soon. July 8, 1847.

A beautiful lot of handsome and desirable patterns of mousseline de laines are offered at unprecedentedly low prices, by RANKIN & PULLIAM. August 5, 47

Sale of Real Estate. Notice is hereby given that on the 24 day of Dec. next, on the premises, in pursuance of a Decree of the Court of Equity for Buncombe county, I will expose to public sale, on a credit of one and two years.

307 ACRES OF LAND, lying on Dick's Creek, joining lands of James Hays and others, belonging to the estate of Wm. Wolf, dec'd. Also, on the following day, to wit: the 4th day of December, I will sell on the premises, 100 Acres of Land, lying on the head waters of Beaver Dam Creek, joining lands of Rev. Thomas Studley and others, on a like credit of one and two years. The purchasers will be required to give bond and approved security. Title made on the payment of the purchase money. I. B. SAWYER, c. o. n. s. Dec. 21, 1847. 375-4a.

NEWTON COLEMAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will attend regularly the Courts of Macon, Haywood, Buncombe, Yancy and McDowell. All business entrusted to his care will be promptly attended to. Asheville, N. C. April 8, 1847. 345-ly

The Farmers' & Planters' ALMANAC For the Year 1848, Published by Blum & Son, of Salem, N. C., just received and for sale at wholesale and retail by PATTON & OSBORN. Asheville, Oct. 7, 1847. 371-7L.

NOW OPENING. Every variety of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Cutlery, suited to the present and approaching seasons. RANKIN & PULLIAM. Oct. 7, 1847. 371-4.

Sugar, Coffee & Tea. 100 Bags prime Rio Coffee, 2000 lbs. Sugar, just received and for sale very low, at RANKIN & PULLIAM'S. Oct. 7, 1847. 371-4.

Blanks for Sale Here.