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THE WESTERN DEMOCRAT

J. YATES, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

March 31, 1868.

THE DEMOCRAT .- For many years this paper has justly been regarded as one of the staunchest and most reliable leaders of public opinion in the State Its editor, Mr Yates, is an independent, experienced iournalist, and the public has ever looked to him in the hour of trial and doubt for counsel and adviceand hence now he is non-committal, many are at sea. "halting between two opinions." In view of the startling aspect of the political sky many are anxious for him to define his position. Where does the Democrat stand? Is it for us or against us? Is it for Holden or Ashe? Will it lend its influence to crush out Radicalism, or will it dissent so mildly as to allow the enemy of the whites and of constitutional government and liberty to be shielded from merited scorn and contempt under its ample wing? The community wants to know whether he is for Ashe or Holden. There cannot be neutrality now. The Bible tells us, he that is not for us is against us. We have every confidence in Mr Yates' conservatism, and we would be deeply gratified to see the names of the Conservative candidates floating from its masthead. Opposition to some features of the Constitution, and a strict neutrality between the candidates is almost as injurous as out-spoken opposition. Will the Democrat respond to these enquiries in its next issue? They are not asked in any spirit of captiousness, but from a sincere desire to benefit the country and to promote the cause of Conservatism .- Daily for themselves in advance. To all such we would Times.

Our neighbor is, indeed, very complimentary. Inasmuch as the "conservative party" has three recognized organs in this city, we might have been justified in supposing that "the party" had concluded it could do without the Democrat's counsel or influence, and very naturally made up our mind that we "could do without those who can do without us." However, if our friends (the people) "are at sea, and halting between two opinions," we must not permit them to suffer if we can help it.

But we think if our neighbor, Mr Waring, (the Editor of the Times,) had been a constant reader of the Democrat he would have understood our position -he would have seen that we long since defined our position, (even before he did,) and that we are not "non-committal" or "neutral" and never have been in regard to any issue on principle or policy. We do not attend political meetings, but we are nevertheless decided in our opinions.

We cannot suppose that our neighbor has done so or intended to misrepresent us, but we know that some persons (to us unknown) have been industrious

But that is no reason why we should denounce and abuse them as men. The best way is to show that their principles are wrong.

Our readers know that we are not a radical is any respect. There are radicals in both parties-men of extreme views who promote contention and strifeextremes of any kind are dangerous. We are a better conservative than many of those who assume to be leaders of the party of that name, for we have always advised oaution and moderation, while at the same time doing all in our power to maintain the rights of our citizens and promote the welfare, peace

and quiet of the people generally. We have written this article not for the purpose of securing the favor of any party or individual .-- we intend to do what we think is right regardless of what the public may say. We merely answer a respectful question of a cotemporary. By advice and counsel we heretofore did all in our power to save the people from present embarrassments, and we are still willing to agree to any fair compromise, or a division of the State offices with the white Republicans if they will agree to reject the proposed Constitution and frame another more in accordance with the views of our white citizens and tax-payers.

Keep Cool and Don't be Discouraged.

We know that many people are discouraged at the signs of the times, and dread something awful to happen in the future. Of course they can't tell exactly what they fear, but they are nevertheless afraid. They forget that "sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof," and are disposed to make trouble say, keep cool, don't be discouraged, enjoy present

blessings, do your duty, be honest and industrious, cultivate kind feelings, and trust Providence for the future. We can truly say that we never hid the "blues," never felt discouraged or "low-spirited," and while life lasts we intend to conform to crcumstances over which we have no control. If any one thinks this country is going to detruction before the end of the world, he is very such

mistaken. The country comprised within the bun daries of the United States is the best the sun 'er shone upon, and that particular portion betweenhe

Yadkin and Catawba Rivers is "as good as the be:" Keep cool about politics, and don't be discourag. Let us all do the best we can under the circumstanc

Bold Robbery.

tered the bed chamber of our worthy fellow-citizen. Mr Wm Maxwell, and robbed him of six or seven hundred dollars, and a quantity of clothing. Mr ingine and cars were all built at the Company's

object without attracting attention. Mr Maxwell is

The New Constitution.

We published last week the new Constitution which is to be submitted to the people of this State for ratification or rejection. We presume all our readers have read it, and formed their opinions.

We are opposed to the adoption of this Constitution. 1. Because it requires the collection of nearly two millions of dollars in taxes next year. The people in their present impoverished condition cannot pay such an enormous tax.

2. Because it creates eleven new State offices, and five or six new offices for each county. Thus requiring an additional expenditure of public money from the State and County Treasuries.

3. Because it requires the erection of a Penitentiary and other public buildings, and then a host of new officers to manage them. We have always opposed the creation of new public offices of any sort. 4. Because it requires the election of Judges by the people, and thus makes an officer who should be independent of frowns, favors or affection, dependent on popular caprice for a position that demands impartial judgment and action.

5. Because it abolishes whipping thieves and inflicting speedy and just punishment on evil-doers and disturbers of the public peace.

6. Because it diverts the poll-tax from the common public fund, and requires its expenditure for a particular object.

7. Because it requires so many elections by the pople, that the turmoil and contention will be never enting, and the people generally (colored laborers especially) instigated to neglect their work for the purpose of participating in popular assemblages. 8. Because it abolishes to an unnecessary extent

all distinction in color. We are very willing to accord the colored man all the rights that will protect him in person and property, but we do not believe such a sweeping abolition of distinctions will promote either

We consider the Constitution so highly objectionable, that in order to avoid having it forced upon fis, we would be willing to compromise with the Republican party and give them half the public offices, provided they would not insist on the adoption of this Constitution.

Home Manufactures.

A splended new Engine, called the "Pioneer,' On Friday night last, some person or persons en brought a train of three new passenger coaches over the N. C. Railroad on Friday last, to this place. The

Maxwell, wife and daughter were sleeping in the hops in this State, under the superintendence of It shall be the duty of the Registrars, upon the ap-Maxwell, wife and daughter were sleeping in the room, but the rogues managed to accomplish their chiest without attracting attention. Mr Maxwell is

Gen. Canby's Election Order.

HEADQUARTERS, 2D MILITARY DISTRICT,) Charleston, March 23, 1868. General Orders, No. 45.

The Constitutional Convention of the State of North Carolina, in conformity with the Act of Congress of March 23, 1867, "to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States," having framed a constitution and civil government according to the provisions of the aforecited laws; and having by an ordinance adopted on the 17th day of March, 1868, provided that the said constitution shall be submiteral as hereinbefore provided, and to be held after by the qualified electors of the District. the expiration of thirty days after the notice thereof to be given by the said convention;" and having further provided, by the aforesaid ordinance that at the same time an election shall be held for Senators and Representatives in the General Assembly, and for all State and County officers who are to be elected by the people under this constitution, and further that in each Congressional District of the State an election shall be held for a member of the House of Repre-

sentatives of the United States Congress, It is ordered: day of April, and ending on Thursday the 23d day of April, 1868, at which all registered voters of said State may vote "For Constitution" or "Against Constitution," and also on the same ballot for the State States House of Representatives, as specified in the Enquirer. before cited ordinance.

Second. It shall be the duty of the Boards of Registration in North Carolina, commencing fourteen days prior to the election herein ordered, and giving reasonable public notice of the time and place thereof, to revise for a period of five days the registration lists; and upon being satisfied that any person not entitled thereto has been registered, to strike the name of such person from the lists, and such persons shall not be entitled to vote. The Boards of Registration shall also, during the same period, add to such lists the names of all persons who at that time possess the black man's welfare or good feeling between the the qualifications required by said Acts, who have not already been registered.

> Third. In deciding who are to be stricken from or added to the registration lists, the Boards will be guided by the law of March 2, 1867, and laws supplementary thereto, and their attention is specially directed to the supplementary Act of July 19, 1867. Fourth. Any only registered voter of this State who may have removed from the County in which he was registered, shall be entitled to vote in the County to which he has removed and has resided for the ten days next preceeding this election, upon presentation of a certificate of registration from the County in which he was originally registered, or upon his affidavit or other satisfactory evidence that he was so registered, and that he has not voted at this election. moved or is about to remove from the precinct in

tificates and for the affidavits herein required, will

be furnished the Registrars and the Inspectors of

Eighth. No member of the Board of Registration,

who is a candidate for election to any office to be

filled at this election, shall serve as a Judge or In-

spector of Election in any precinct which he seeks to

Ninth. The Sheriff and other peace officers of each

County are required to be present during the whole

time that the polls are kept open, and until the elec-

tion is completed; and will be made responsible that

there shall be no interference with Judges of Elec-

tion, or other interruption of good order. If there

should be more than one polling place in any County,

the Sheriff of the County is empowered and directed

to make such assignments of his deputies, and other

peace officers, to the other polling places, as may in

his judgment best subserve the purposes of quict and

order; and he is further required to report these ar-

rangements in advance to the Commander of the

and other peace officers of Counties, will be held re-

sponsible for the strict enforcement of this prohibi-

tion, and will promptly arrest and hold for trial all

Twelfth. Military interference with elections,

unless it shall be necessary to repel the armed ene-

mies of the United Statest or to keep the peace at the

Military Post in which his County is situated.

treated as an additional offence.

persons who may transgress it.

law.

adjournment.

United States.

represent.

election, and when used will be attached to the bal-

Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Sampson, Cumberland, Robeson, Richmond, Harnett, Moore, Montgomery and Anson; the Fourth District of the counties of Wake, Franklin, Warren, Granville, Nash, Johnson and Chatham; the Fifth District of the counties of Stanley, Alamance, Randolph, Guilford, Rockingham, Davidson, Forsythe, Stokes, Surry, Person and Caswell; the Sixth District of the counties of Rowan, Cabarrus, Union, Mecklenburg, Gaston,

Lincoln, Catawba, Iredell, Davie, Yadkin, Wilkes and Alexander; the Seventh District of the counties of Ashe, Alleghany, Watauga, Yancey, Mitchell, Mc-Dowell, Burke, Caldwell, Rutherford, Cleaveland. ted "for ratification to the persons registered, under Polk, Henderson, Transylvania, Buncombe, Madison, the provisions of this Act [March 23, 1867, Section | Haywood, Jackson, Macon, Cherokee, and Clay: in 4] at an election to be conducted by the officers ap- each of which Districts, one person will be elected as pointed or to be appointed by the Commanding Gen- Representative to the Congress of the United States

By Command of Bvt. Maj Gen. Ed. R. S. Canby, LOUIS V. CAZIARC, Aid-de-Camp.

COTTON MARKET.

News from Liverpool and New York dated Saturday, 28th, is favorable, and there is an upward tendency in the price of Cotton.

SHERIFF'S SALES IN S. C .- We notice that First. That an election be held in the State of the Sheriff advertises a great deal of land to be North Carolina, commencing on Tuesday, the 21st sold for taxes on the next sale day. We are informed by him that he has received instructions to buy for the State, all the lands for which there are no purchasers. Those interested will do well and County officers and for members of the United to make a note of this and pay up.- Yorkville

> There seems to be a division of opinion among Republican Senators about impeachment.

MARRIED.

In Petersburg, Va., on the 25th inst., by the Rev James L. Fisher, Mr David W Oates of Charlotte, N C., to Miss Annie M Blanks of the former city. In this county, By R. D Whitley, Esq., Mr Sam'l Pucket to Miss Sene Lawing

In Gaston county, on the 10th inst, by the Rev J D Hall, Mr Robert Crowell to Miss Cynthia Tucker. In Albemarle, Stanly county, on the 19th instant, Richard A. Caldwell, Esq, of Salisbury, to Mrs J.

Jennie Smith In Statesville, on the 18th inst, Mr W T Bailey of

Davie county, to Miss Vera J Woodward In Davie county, on 5th inst, Mr Wm M Gaither to Miss Ellen R Anderson.

In York District, on the 17th instant, Mr Samuel T. Faries to Miss Catharine R. Story

DIED.

In this City, on the 23d instant, Mrs. Violet W Alexander, widow of the late Dr. M. W. Alexander, aged 69 years. She was a devoted and consistent Stock, as I have had an experience of over ten years member of the Presbyterian Church, and exemplified | in the business. in her daily walk the true principles of Christianity

T. W. DEWEY,

Agent

Assessor's Office. UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE. Sixth District, North Carolina. SALISBURY, March 23d, 1868.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of section 19th of Act of June 80, 1864, as amended by subsequent Acts, including the Act of March 26, 1867, that I, H. H. Helper, Assessor 6th District of North Carolina, will sit at my office, on the corner of Long and Innis streets. in the city of Salisbury, on the 2d day of April next; at the Court House in Mocksville, Davie county, on the 3d; at the Court House in Yadkinville, Yadkin county, on the 4th; at the Court House in Concord, Cabarrus co., on the 6th ; at the office of Assistant Assessor, F. Ahrens, Charlotte, Mecklenburg county, on the 7th; at the Court House in Monroe, Union county, on the Sth; at the Court House in Dallas, Gaston county, on the 8th; at the Court House in Lincolnton, Lincoln county, on the 7th; at the Court House in Wilkesboro, Wilkes county, on the 6th; at the Court Bouse in Statesville, Iredell county, on the 4th; at the Court House in Taylorsville, Alexander county, on the 7th; at the Court House in Newton, Catawba co., on the 6th, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., of the several days of April named above, to hear and determine any appeals relative to any erroncous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by the Assessor or Assistant Assessors returned in the annual list. Notice is further given that no appeal will be allowed to any party after he shall have been duly assessed and the annual list containing the assessment has been transmitted to the Collector of the District.

All appeals to said Assessor, as aforesaid, must be made in writing and specify the particular cause, matter or thing respecting which a decision is requested, and must state the ground or principle of error complained of. H. H HELPER,

Assessor, 6th District North Caroline. March 20, 1868 2w

DRUGS! DRUGS!!

Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs,

Glass, Varnishes, Kerosene Oil, the best Lampa Chimneys, Lanterns (so very important at night).

Landreth's and Buist's Garden Seeds. Cologne Extracts, and fine Toilet Soaps; also, Chemi-

cals, Medicine Chests and Instruments, Trusses and Supporters, every variety of Medicine, consisting in part of Sulphur, Salts, Oil, Blue Pill, Rhubarb, Cream of Tartar, Soda, Magnesia, Laudanum, Paregoric, Peppermint, Essence Lemon and Cinnamon, Godfrey's Cordial, Bateman's Drops, Harlem Oil, British Oil, Indigo, Madder, Copperas, Cudbar, &c. Charlotte, N. C. DR. JAS. N. BUTT.

To Country Physicians. I particularly invite Country Physicians, and all other persons buying Drugs, to call and examine my DR. JAS. N. BUTT.

Window Glass,

Putty, Lindseed Oil, White Lead and Zines, Colors-

Green, Red and Yellow. Painters and builders will

Dry Goods.

Great variety of Hats, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes,

kc., &c., to be sold cheap. These Goods must be

give me a call.

DR. JAS. N. BUTT.

in misrepresenting and assigning us a position that mean and unworthy purpose, though we felt so much | troyed or carried off. contempt for such conduct, and were so confident

that it could not injure us, that we have not alluded to it heretofore. We have long since passed the day when our paper could be injured or affected by street-corner politicians or under-strappers of any sort.

But we appreciate the kind words of the Times and will endeavor to reply to it in the same spirit.

We say we are surprised that any intelligent reader of our paper should not know our position In the language about the new Constitution, in reply to a Creek are often put to much inconvenience and trouble letter addressed to us by Mr Stillwell:

permitted to suggest that a Constitution which in- necessity. creases the number of salaried offices and thereby increases the taxes of our people; that enjoins the expenditure of large sums of public money for additional public buildings, &c.; that multiplies elections by popular vote, and in that way gives cause for constant contention, turmoil and collision; that makes changes in our customs and laws which the white native citizens and tax-payers cannot approve; that seeks to place the negro on a perfect equality with the white man, and puts white and black children together in the same school, and white and black the negro a ruler over white men, is not a good Constitution for North Carolina."

Is not that plain enough for the commehension of any one? Is it not apparent that all the talk about our not defining our position is unnecessary and uncalled for ?" We have never hesitated, on any occasion, when alluding to the matter, to express opposition to the Constitution. If the Convention had merely complied with the demands of the Reconstruction Acts and gave the negro the right to vote, and had not undertaken to upset all our laws, usages and customs, and enjoined the expenditure of large sums of public money, we repeat that we would support the Constitution (no matter who was pleased or displeased) and await future opportunities to make such alterations as might seem necessary. But, believing that the Constitution, as it is, is not a good one for the people of North Carolina, we say em-This phatically that we are opposed to its adoption. has been our position ever since we saw enough of the instrument to form an idea of its meaning. Certainly there is no room for any one to misunderstand our position on that point.

Now in regard to candidates. In the same article from which the above quotation is made we also used this language :

"We have no vote-we are disfranchised-and therefore shall take no part in the scramble of candidates for office-there are as good men in the Republican party as any in the Conservative party-but we cannot, with our present notions of right and injurious to our best interests and promote error, evil and strife." * * * "Our opposition to the Constitution is not based on party feeling, for we do not co-operate (belong) with either party, and do not ask or expect favors from either party as a party."

By the word "co-operate" in the last sentence we intend to mean that we do not belong to either party, as a party.

We cannot consent to aid in promoting bad feeling by joining in the denunciation or abuse of men of either party, as is now too much practised by the press and public speakers of both parties. The true

Clerk of our County Court, and with the money he we do not occupy. We believe this was done for a had valuable papers, but the papers were not des-We think it probable there is a gang of profes-

sional thieves lurking about this city, and it would be well to keep a strict watch over stores and dwellings Those having money in their possession had better deposit it in the Banks for safe keeping.

A BRIDGE NEEDED .- At the request of several

country friends we call the attention of our County authorities to the great necessity for a Bridge across McAlpin's Creek, on the road between Charlotte and Monroe. The Ford is frequently impassable, Democrat of March the 10th, we used the following and the citizens of the county living beyond the

The frame-work of the old bridge is still standing "We agree with Mr Stillwell that a good Constitu- and probably might be used in constructing a new tion should be framed and ratified, but we must be one. A bridge at that point is actually a public

The Results of Bitter Party Feeling.

We learn from the Raleigh Sentinel that that City on two occasions, recently, came near being the scene of a bloody riot. One cause was the hanging of Mr Holden in effigy in the Capitol Square by unknown parties. Several personal collisions have occurred in Raleigh, and if nothing more serious happens before the election is over we shall be greatly men together in the militia, and which tends to make gratified. We caution all well-disposed people against excess in language or conduct. Let fair argument be used, but resort to no abusive language or insulting and provoking acts.

> Corros SEED.-It will be seen by advertisement that J. Y. Bryce & Co. want to purchase Cotton seed. They will pay 20 cents per bushel of 33 lbs. Would it not be well for farmers to sell their surplus seed and buy fertilizers for their ground, instead of using for action weck before the seed for manure.

Beer" See the advertisement of H H. Helper, Assessor of the Internal Revenue Tax in this District

A Big Tree.

We are informed by Maj. J. M. Potts of Steel Creek, in this county, that he recently discovered a poplar tree of extraordinary size in York District, S. C., on the West bank of the Catawba River, near Carothers' Ferry. It measured 21 feet 4 inches in circumference two and a half feet above the ground where the trunk was round and smoothe, and at least 50 feet to the first limb. The tree has all the appearance of being sound and perfect.

Is not this the largest tree in this section of country, and does it not approach the size of the celebrated trees in California, about which so much has been published.

per Sergeant Bates, (late of the U. S. Army,) who made a bet that he could walk from Vicksburg, Miss, to Washington City, and carry a U. S Flag, wrong, consent to endorse and approve a Constitution without being insulted or molested, arrived in Charfor our own native State that we believe will prove lotte on Thursday, last. He was met at the boundary of the City by Mayor Harris and a committee of the Board of Aldermen and escorted to the Mansion House He remained here two nights and a day as a guest of the City. Sergt. Bates' suit of clothes would make several first-rate velvet vests.

> We are indebted to the Public Treasurer of North Carolina for a pamphlet copy of the Revenue Acts and Instructions to Officers.

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad stock sold in Wilmington, on the 24th inst., at \$35.50 per share of \$1. It is unfair to ask it. We think there the Commanders of Posts will keep their troops well \$100.

sufactured, we are informed, at nearly 50 per with a certificate that he was so registered, and to Cless cost than if they had been purchased in a note the fact in the registration books of the precinct. Nhern market. That is the true way to restore In default of the certificate, the affidavit of the voter Prerity to our State.

LTION ORDER .- We publish the Order of Gen. 'an for holding the election in this State.

Energy and Industry.

Lebse who complain that they cannot find any way take a living, read the following from the Danvi Va.) Times:

CBOLDE WITH A Cow.-There is a man living District Headquarters with the returns required by not far Danville, who, when the war closed, finding self without a horse, a mule, or even an old steet tched up his milch cow and made a good crop. fed the cow high, and she not only ploughed land but gave him milk for his table We get information from a gentleman who has seen the of tobacco made by this enterprising conformity with the Acts of Congress and as far as man, and ronounces it very good." may be with the laws of North Carolina.

That manould be made an honorary member of all the icultural Societies in Virginia and

Israe Lash, of Salem, has been nominated for Congress e Republican party of the Fifth District. D. F. Caldwe q, of Greensboro, was nominated by the Conserva party in opposition to Mr Lash.

Thattempt Failed. A bill was intro I in Congress by Mr Bromall, of Pennsylvania, to lish all political distinction in race or color in Northern States-in other words, to coufer on negro the right to vote in Ohio, Pennsylvania, York, &c , without regard to the laws of those St. The bill was called up in the House of Representatives, and it turned that so many Republicans were opposed to it a attempt was a failure bet was withdrawn. The

attempt was a failure bet to forcing negro equality members were opposed after they had forced itieir own constituents shame! shame!

new Constitution formed for that State.

South, are pursuing a very wheducation in the ing it. They require each to se in distributtablish a school to raise three-fin which they es-amount, while they only furnish the necessary Thus, say a given school costs Spier two-fifths. the citizens will provide \$600 of ther annum; if maining \$400 will be paid out of punt, the re-on for any other amount in propord; and so a wholesome stimulus to local enter This gives a wholesome stimulus to local resource while it lightens the burden upon local resource - Wilming-

We don't think the Trustees of thi are pursuing a wise course If it is intended o in the education of poor children, let the mone for that purpose without being coupled onated tions that cannot in many cases be condi-The people of all our cities and towns has with. many charitable objects to contribute to at as well afford, and besides their State, courcan and Government taxes are pretty heavy wn

few can be found who will agree to the prope of the Trustees of the Peabody fund. But fee

which he was originally registered, to furnish him

Valuable Property, Situated in a desirable part of the City, is offered for must set forth the County and precinct in which he Sale privately. Call on was originally registered, and the length of time he March 30, 1868 3w has resided in the County in which he desires to vote. In doubtful cases, the Registrars or Inspectors of VARIETY STORE. election shall require such additional evidence as may be necessary to satisfy them that the applicant

is legally entitled to vote. Blank forms for the cer- Dry Goods and Groceries.

JAMES H. HENDERSON. (One door below B. Koopmann's, Trade Street,)

lots cast by such voters, and will be transmitted to Takes pleasure in informing the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country that he is now carrying on the Dry Goods and Grocery business in his own name, Fifth. The said election will be held in each and asks a share of public patronage. County at such places as may bereafter be designa-He has on hand

ted, under the superintendence of the Boards of Registration as provided by law, and in accordance with Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, And indeed everything that can be found in a first class Dry Goods Store.

He is thankful for the very liberal patronage which Sixth. The polls shall be opened at such voting has been bestowed upon him in former days, and places at six o clock in the forenoon, and closed at hopes by fair and honest dealing, and strict attention six o'clock in the atternoon of each day, and shall be to business, to merit a continuance of the same. kept open during these hours without intermission or

Groceries.

Seventh. All judges and clerks employed in con-In the Grocery line he has a good supply of everyducting said election shall, before commencing to thing needed for family use, such as Flour, Meal, hold the same, be sworn to the faithful performance Bacon, Lard, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, &c., &c. of their duties, and shall also take and subscribe the Give me a call as I am determined to sell as cheap oath of office prescribed by law for officers of the as any house in the City.

To Farmers.

I am now prepared to pay the highest cash price, or exchange Goods, for Country Produce.

JAS. H. HENDERSON.

Notice.

The Accounts of A Aschkinass & Co., having been transferred to me for collection, all those indebted will please come forward and settle immediately. March 30, 1868. JAS. H. HENDERSON.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby forewarned against tresbassing upon the Lands of the undersigned by hunting with guns or dogs, or laying down the fences, as the law will be strictly enforced against each and every one so offending.

C. E. BELL, Tenth. Violence, or threats of violence, or of dis-March 30, 1868 1m JAS. BOYCE. charge from employment, or other oppressive means to prevent any person from registering or exercising Gold Coin. his right of voting, is positively prohibited ; and any OO FOR SALE IN SUMS such attempts will be reported by the Registrars or **\$10** Judges of Elections to the Post Commander, and will to suit, at the Banking cause the arrest and trial of the offenders by military House of THOS. W. DEWEY & CO.

authority. The exhibition or carrying of deadly March 30, 1868 lw weapons in violation of General Orders No. 10, of 1867, at or in the vicinity of any polling places during Family Groceries and Provisions the election herein ordered, will be regarded and

JAS. F. ALEXANDER & CO., Eleventh." All bar rooms, saloons, and other places

(In the Basement Store of Springs' Building.) for the sale of liquors by retail, will be closed from Keeps a general assortment of Family Supplies and six o'clock of the evening of the 20th of April, until six o'clock of the morning of the 24th of April, 1868, Groceries, such as Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Rice, and during this time the sale of all intoxicating | Flour, Meal, Fish, Bacon, &c-anything usually kept | liquors at or near any polling place is prohibited. in the Grocery line. Prices will be made reasonable, and everything The police officers of cities and towns, and the Sheriffs

done to please and accommodate customers Give us a call at the Store under the City Bank J. F. ALEXANDER & CO. room

March 30, 1868.

Edinboro' Medical College. ROBESON COUNTY, N. C.

polls," is prohibited by the Act of Congress approved February 25, 1865, and no soldiers will be allowed The summer course of Lectures will commence the to appear at any polling place, unless as citizens of first Monday of May and close the first of August. the State they are qualified and are registered as The fall course commences the first Monday of November and closes first of March.

EXPENSES. Full Course of Tickets . . \$75 00

sold to make room for more important business. DR. JAS. N. BUTT. Charlotte, N. C., March 30, 1868. NEW ARRIVALS At J. Kuck & Co's Grocery Store. 5.000 POUNDS OF MOUNTAIN BACON, 1,000 Pounds Baltimore Bacon. 25 Sacks of Rio Coffee, 50 Sacks Salt, common to fine, 50 Boxes of superior Star Candles. 5 Tierces of Sugar Cured Hame, 25 Barrels of Sugar, all grades, 10 Hogsheads of Molasses, 10 Barrels of Syrup, At J. KUCK & CO'S. March 30, 1868.

Spring and Summer Stock----1868. FOR THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE

WITTKOWSKY & RINTELS.

Have now in store one of the largest stocks of Goods ever brought to this market. It consists in part of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, READY-MADE CLOTHING, &c.

They invite particular attention to their elegant assortment of

Ladies Dress Goods.

and feel confident that they can give satisfaction is price and quality. Their stock of Ready-made Clothing and Gentle-

men's Furnishing Goods is complete and embraces everything in that line.

Boots and Shoes

In large quantities and at the lowest cash prices. Their stock of Groceries and Hardware is suffcient to supply the demands of their customers and friends.

the attention of country Merchants is requested, and they are respectfully invited to call and examine this stock of Goods.

Returning thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, they promise to do all in their power to give satisfaction to customers hereafter.

Millinery and Dress-Making.

A separate department is devoted to Millinery and Dress-making, where the Ladies can have work done promptly and in the latest styles.

WITTKOWSKY & BINTELS, March 30, 1868. between the two Drug Stores

Foreign Exchange.

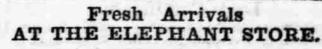
We draw directly on the principal cities in the following countries at New York rates: England, France, Switzerland, Holland, Russia, Sweden, Norway, Italy, Spain, Portugal and South America; also in 130 cities in the German States. It is now unnecessary to order Foreign Exchange from New York. A. G. BRENIZER, Cashier,

City Bank of Charlotte, Trade street. March 30, 1868.

Interest! Interest!!

Interest on deposits of currency, gold and silver, llowed at the City Bank of Charlotte, Trade street, Springs' Building A. G. BRENIZER. March 20, 1868. Cashier.

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Arkansas has reject

perty-holders and moneyed men have "bled"since the close of the war; and we guess

are willing to tax themselves \$1.50 in order, voters, and then only for the purpose of voting; but

"The Trustees of the fund a George Peabody to aid the causely provided by

| andidates, for if the Constitution is defeated the andidates will have no officer to fill if elected The | g announcements: Osborne and others will address the people | DESTRUCTIVE FIRE — We learn by private in reser mation that a most destructive fire occurred in . de a ferson, Texas, on the 1st inst. Over one million do this lars' worth of property was destroyed. The town is almost completely ruined. | s election, will be rendered by the Boards of ration of the several registration precincts that the Commanders of the Military Posts in | Dissecting, 10 00 Matriculating 5 00 Graduating Fee, 20 00 Board at \$4 per week. HECTOR MCLEAN, M. D. March 20, 1868. 3w. | Just received a full and complete assortment of Groceries, embracing every article in that line, together with an assortment of THOMASVILLE MADE SHOES for Men, Boys, Women and Misses. Also, Plow |
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| ontention about candidates withdraws attention rom the Constitution, and, if the Constitution should be adopted, those who are making a fuss about the effices will be to blame to a great extent. | Tenourg at weese's, Tuesday, April 7th. I's, Wednesday, April 8th ar Creek, at Philadelphia Church, April 10th. rning Star, Saturday, April 11th. arlotte, Tuesday of County Court. ppointments will be made during Court week | CHARLOTTE MARKET, March 30, 1868. CORBECTED BY STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & Co. Cotton-Last week the market opened quiet at 21 ² to 22 cents, for middling, including tax, and remain- | their precincts are situated, and in accordance he detailed instructions hereafter to be given. rteenth. The State officers to be voted for at lection are: Governor, Lieutenant Governor, ry of State, Auditor, Treasurer, Superinten- Public Works, Superintendent of Public In- . Attorney General, Members of the General r, one Chief Justice and four Associate Jus- | Lime! Lime!! Lime!!! A good supply always on hand. Hydraulic Cement. A fresh supply of Hydraulic Cement just arrived. Nails! Nails!! | Moulds, superior Iron and a splendid lot of Wilson's Family Flour , And the whitest Meal in the City. I deliver all articles purchased from me free of charge at any place within the corporate limits. March 20, 1868. B. M. PRESSON. |
| dvise them to vote against the instrument that reates the office. Therefore, we say that the true lan is to stop quarrelling about men, and unite in howing the people by argument that the Constitu- ion is not a good one for either blacks or whites. As to placing the names of candidates at the head of our editorial columns, we long since abardoned Medicin | GE OF SCHEDULE.—The Mail and Passenger n the N C. Railroad will hereafter leave Char- 10.30 p m. and arrive here at 11.85 p. m. New Advertisements. Al Revenue—H H Helper, Assessor. nes, Dry Goods, &c-Dr Jas N Butt. | Flour readily brings \$5.75 to \$6 per sack from wagons-according to quality. | the Supreme Court of the State; one Judge of for Court for each Judicial District. Surf Justice and the Associate Justices of the Conjourt, and the Judges of the Superior State elected by the qualified electors of the Qual large throughout the State. elected or for each Judicial District, to be File qualified electors thereof. | Fifty Kegs of Nails for sale by the Agents, HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO. Virginia Straw Cutters, The cheapest and the best Steel Cotton Sweeps, and Utley's Plows, for sale by HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO, March 30, 1868. | State of North Carolina, Lincoln county. Court of Pleas & Quarter SessionsFeb. Session, 1868. Taylor & Duncan vs. N. C. Boggs. Attachment Levied on 250 Acres of Land. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that N. C. Boggs, the defendant in this case, is a non- resident of this State, it is therefore ordered that |
| hat practice—we have not dong so within the past six years, and never expect to do so again. Some weeks ago we published the names of the candidates —that is sufficient. Republicans have never considered us their party friend, nor recognized us as such. In their petition to Congress to remove the disabilities of those whom | are Store—R F Davidson. 1 College in Robeson county—H McLean, M. D. ies—B M Presson. Nails, &c—Hutchison, Burroughs & Co. rrival of Grocerics—J Kuck & Co. 0 Gold Coin for Sale—Thos W Dewey & Co. | Corn—The market is well supplied; we quote from wagons \$1.30 per hushel. Corn Meal \$1.35 to \$1.40; Peas \$1.25; Oats 70 to 75 cents. Bacon—Baltimore sides commands 17 to 17½ cents from store; Lard 18 cents. Butter 25 cents; Chickens 20 cents; Eggs 12½ cts. Corn Whiskey and Apple Brandy \$2.50 per gallon | this etc The County officers to be voted for at Clerk or: Sheriff, Coroner, Treasurer, County Five Coor Court, Register of Deeds, Surveyor, elector mers, to be elected by the qualified Sixte respective counties. compose he First Congressional District is quotank, punties of Currituek, Camden, Pas- Northampinans, Chowan, Hertford, Gates, Tyrrell, Hufax, Martin, Bertie, Washington, | Cradles, Cribs, Desks, Side-boards, Side and Corner Stands, Tables, Towel Racks, Wardrobes, Wash- | publication be made, for six weeks, in the Western Democrat, a paper published in the town of Charlotte, notifying the said N C. Boggs to be and appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Lincoln, at the Court House in Lincolnton, on the 3d Monday in May, 1868, then and there to plead, answer or replevy, or judgment final will be entered against him, and the land leried upon ordered to be sold to satisfy plaintiff's debt, in- |
| did not include our name, and we did not expect Propert | ty for Sale-T W Dewey, Agent. Grocery Store-Jas F Alexander & Co. | by the harrel. Liverpool Salt \$2.50 to \$2.60 per sack. Molasses 75 cents to \$1 by retail. | Greene, Ed. Craven, Jones, Lenoir, Wayne, Duplin; the Wilson, Onslow, Carteret and istrict of the counties of New | R. F. DAVIDSON. | Witness, W. E. Clark, Clerk of our said Court at Lincolnton, 3d Monday of February, A. D., 1868. 18-6w [adv \$10] W. R. CLARK, Clerk. |