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From and after this date, no name of a new subscriber will be entered without payment in advance, nor will the paper be sent to such subscribers for a longer time than is paid for.

Such of our old subscribers as desire to take the paper on this system will please notify us when making remittances.

Jan'y 1, 1858.

FAYETTEVILLE HOTEL,
T. WADDILL, PROPRIETOR.

THIS, the most commodious Hotel in North Carolina, fronting 300 feet on Hay and Donaldson Streets, located in the centre of the business portion of the town, and surrounded by all the Banking Houses, Wholesale Merchants and principal Produce Dealers.

Business men will find the Hotel a convenient and comfortable house.

All the Stages arrive and depart from this Hotel.
Fayetteville, Oct. 1, 1858. 51-

SHEMWELL HOUSE,
A FEW DOORS NORTH OF THE MARKET HOUSE.

OWING to the extensive increase of patronage to this House, during the year, I have extended my facilities by the addition of a number of comfortable sleeping rooms, with other important improvements, which will add materially to the comfort and convenience of those favoring me with their patronage.

To those who have been my kind friends and customers for the past six years, I tender my most sincere thanks, at the same time respectfully soliciting a continuance of their patronage, and also the patronage of a large number of new patrons.

I have good Stables and a No. 1 Ostler.
P. SHEMWELL.
Jan'y 16, 1860. 84-

NEAREST AND QUICKEST
ROUTE TO THE RAILROAD!

BEAMAN & ROBINSON'S
FOUR HORSE STAGE LINE TO KENANSVILLE, VIA WARSAW,

IS the shortest and most expeditious for travelers going North or South. Leaving Fayetteville every day at 2 o'clock P. M. THROUGH IN TEN HOURS.

Our Coaches are large and comfortable, drivers sober and gentlemanly, our teams good and sure of five miles an hour.

The traveling public who would study their comfort and convenience will take the Warsaw Stage.

☞ THROUGH TICKETS TO WELDON may be had at the Stage Office, Fayetteville.
May 25, 1860. 25-tf

NORTH CAROLINA WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS.

WILL BE OPEN for visitors the 1st of June. They are situated near the present terminus of the Western N. C. Rail Road, not an hour's ride by superior Omnibuses and Stages.

The Proprietor has procured the services of
THOMPSON TYLER
as Manager, whose experience at the various fashionable watering places of Virginia, added to his commanding appearance and gentlemanly bearing, insures good order and good fare.

The *very best* BALL ROOM LEADER and BLACK BAND of MUSICIANS that the city of Richmond, Virginia, affords, have been procured.

Riding Vehicles and Horses, BILLIARD SALOONS and BOWLING ALLEYS, are at the command of visitors.

The country is elevated and healthy; the scenery beautiful and roads most excellent, and the pleasure grounds extensive.

There is no water better than that afforded by the North Carolina WHITE SULPHUR.

The patronage of the Carolinas is confidently relied on to repay the Proprietor for the expensive outlay he has made to fit up a watering place suited to their wants. And he promises that no pains shall be spared by himself or his gentlemanly assistant, to render all who may visit him, pleasant and comfortable.
H. L. ROBARDS, PROPRIETOR.
May 14, 1860. 18-tf

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital in Premium Notes amounts to	$267,688 26
Cash on hand and other assets,	5,077 35
Total,	$272,765 61

The Company have paid all losses promptly, and have never made an assessment on their premium notes.

Total losses paid,	$29,682 69

OFFICERS:
GEO. McNEILL, President.
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John Collins and C. C. McCrummen, Traveling Agents.

☞ The Company invite applications.
May 28, 1860. 21-1y

"WE refer our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. CHURCH & DUPONT, No. 409 Broadway, New York. The 'Blood Food,' is one of the greatest medicines of the age, and is rapidly driving out of the market all the quack nostrums of modern times. Its efficacy is so great, and its superiority so justly acknowledged, that it is found difficult to supply the immense and increasing demand for the article. Dr. Eaton's celebrated 'Infantile Cordial,' is a medicine prepared by a regular physician of eminence in his profession, and one who has devoted his life to the peculiar phases of Infantile diseases. It is no humbug, but a medicine which commends itself to those only who can appreciate it."—*Apalachicola, Flor. Times.*

☞ *See advertisement.*
March 24. 8-

Fayetteville Female High School.

THIS school will commence its Eleventh session on the 1st MONDAY IN OCTOBER, under the joint superintendence of J. DeB. Hooper, (for many years Professor of Languages in the University of N. C.,) and T. C. Hooper, (the present Principal,) assisted by a full corps of experienced and carefully selected instructors.

TERMS:

Board per Session of 20 weeks,	$60 00
Tuition in Collegiate Department,	20 00
" in Academic "	15 00
" in Primary "	12 00
" in Music on Piano,	20 00
" Harp,	25 00
" Melodeon,	18 00
" Guitar,	18 00
" in Painting in Oil Colors,	20 00
" in Water Colors,	12 00
Grecian Painting,	15 00
Drawing,	10 00

Use of Piano 4 00, Harp 5 00, Melodeon 3 00, Guitar 2 50.

One-half of Board and Tuition payable in advance.
July 16. 35-t01

PRIVATE FEMALE SCHOOL AT GLENWOOD.

THE 16th Session of the School at my house will commence the 1st day of September next, under the care of Miss L. G. Jerome, a lady who taught for us successfully and satisfactorily eight years ago, and who has been regularly engaged in teaching, since that time, in the South. Therefore, from a previous acquaintance, and her ample experience, I feel confident in recommending her as a competent and faithful teacher of the various branches usually taught in the best schools.

Our terms per session of 5 months are as follows:

Board, including washing, fuel and lights,	$50 00
Tuition in higher branches English,	15 00
" lower " "	12 50
Music on Piano, with use of Instrument,	22 50
French and Latin, each,	10 00

Address GEO. FIELD, M. D.,
Warrenton, N. C.
July 25. 39-e2wt1st8

EDUCATIONAL.

THE AMERICAN SCHOOL INSTITUTE

IS a reliable and practical medium, through which Families, Schools and Colleges, may engage experienced and accomplished Teachers and Professors.

Teachers of ability are aided in securing engagements.

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Circulars explaining plan, and containing first class educational and business references, in every part of the country, sent to every friend of education, who may favor us with his address.

SMITH, WOODMAN & CO.,
609 Chesnut St., Philad'a.
July 26. 39-6t

MEDICAL COLLEGE OF VIRGINIA,
AT RICHMOND.
Session of 1860'-61.

THE Annual Course of Lectures will commence on the First Monday in October, and continue until the 1st of March.

CH. BELL GIBSON, M. D., Prof. of Surgery.
DAVID H. TUCKER, M. D. Prof. of Theory and practice of Medicine.
BEVERLY R. WELLFORD, M. D., Prof. of Materia Medica and Therapeutics.
A. E. PETICOLAS, M. D., Prof. of Anatomy.
L. S. JOYNES, M. D., Prof. of Institutes of Medicine.
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JAS. B. McCAW, M. D., Prof. of Chemistry.
MARION HOWARD, M. D., Demonstrator of Anatomy.

This institution offers to the Student every facility for the acquisition of a thorough medical education.

Through the liberality of the Legislature, at its last session, in appropriating the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars in aid of the College, these facilities will be greatly extended. A new Hospital is now in course of erection, in immediate proximity to the College, which will much enlarge the field for Clinical instruction. All needful repairs and alterations of the College building will be duly accomplished, and large and important additions are being made to the apparatus and illustrations for the Lectures in every department.

Ample facilities will be afforded for the prosecution of Practical Anatomy.

Instead of the "Warren Prize," of One Hundred Dollars, heretofore offered to the graduating class, Two Prizes, of Fifty dollars each, are now offered—one for the best Essay on any surgical subject, and the other for the best Essay on any subject pertaining to the Theory or Practice of Medicine.

FEES:

Ticket of Each Professor	$15
Matriculation	5
Graduation	25
Demonstrator's Ticket	10

For further information, or for copy of Catalogue containing full particulars, address
L. S. JOYNES, M. D.,
Dean of the Faculty.
July 13. 35-11t

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,
HARTFORD, CONN.
Incorporated 1819. Charter Perpetual.

Authorized Capital,	$1,500,000 00
Paid up Capital,	1,500,000 00
Assets,	2,030,423 80

DIRECTORS.

T. K. BRACE.	S. S. WARD.
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ASSETS.—July 1859.

	Market value.
Bank Stocks in New York, Hartford, Boston, St. Louis, &c.,	$915,344 00
United States Stock and Treasury Notes,	215,126 50
State Stocks: New York, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri,	168,050 00
City Stocks, Hartford, Rochester, Brooklyn, Jersey City,	116,000 00
Railroad Stocks: Hartford and New Haven, Boston and Worcester, Conn. River,	87,058 00
Mortgage Bonds,	83,089 60
Real Estate, unincumbered,	70,103 78
Miscellaneous Items,	25,348 77
Cash, on hand and deposited on call, and in agents' hands,	350,303 15
	$2,030,423 80

LIABILITIES.

Claims: unadjusted and not due,	$88,242 08

☞ Agent of the above Company in Fayetteville,
E. J. HALE.
March 21, 1860. 3tf

NOW IN MARKET.

ALL persons having NEGROES for sale, will do well to address the subscriber at Clinton, Sampson county, as he is determined to buy and pay as liberal prices for them as the state of the market will permit.

By addressing him he will call immediately, and make liberal offers, as all will find who will try him.
CHARLES T. STEVENS.
Clinton, Sampson Co., Sept 10, 1859 48-1ypd

A GEM!
The New Style, Small,
COLORED PHOTOGRAPHS,
AT
Vanorsdell's Gallery.

ART.
Woodward's Solar Camera.

PHOTOGRAPHS can be had at Vanorsdell's Skylight Gallery, Hay street, opposite Marble Yard, Fayetteville, N. C.: plain, retouched, colored, in water colors, oil and pastile; from small to life size. Ambrotypes, Melaneotypes, and all other styles of Pictures pertaining to the Art. Also, Gilt Frames, Gilt Moulding, Glass for very large pictures—as large as 26 by 36 inches. Cord and Tassels for hanging pictures; Instruments, Stock and Chemicals for sale low for cash. Life size colored Photographs made from small pictures.

Having permanently located here I hope to merit your patronage. I would also return my sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on me heretofore by the good people of Fayetteville and vicinity.
C. M. VANORSDELL,
Photographist and Proprietor.
Dec'r 20, 1859 77-

Star Polish of the South!
MANUFACTURED BY
A. J. WOODWARD,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

That Polish! How it Shines. Many of you recollect nine years ago that I travelled through North Carolina and a portion of South Carolina for the purpose of introducing this Polish. As time elapsed I found that it would mould. I have succeeded in making it perfect and will warrant it to give satisfaction. It can be had at retail for 10 cents per box or at wholesale for sixty cents per dozen. Dealers will forward their orders two weeks previous to the time they wish them filled.
May 5, 1860. 15-1y

MOTHERS

Thousands are daily speaking in the praise of
DR. EATON'S
INFANTILE CORDIAL,
and why? because it *never fails to afford instantaneous relief* when given in time. It acts as if by magic, and *one trial alone* will convince you that what we say is true. It contains

NO PAREGORIC OR OPIATE

of *any* kind, and therefore relieves by *removing the sufferings* of your child, instead of by *deadening its sensibilities.* For this reason, it commends itself as the *only reliable* preparation now known for **Children Teething, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Griping in the Bowels, Acidity of the Stomach, Wind, Cold in the Head,** and **Croup,** also, for *softening the gums, reducing inflammation, regulating the Bowels, and relieving pain,* it has *no equal*—being an *anti-spasmodic* it is used with *unfailing success* in all cases of **Convulsion or other Fits.** *As you value the life and health of your children, and wish to save them from those sad and blighting consequences which are certain to result from the use of narcotics of which all other remedies for Infantile Complaints are composed, take none but* **Dr. Eaton's Infantile Cordial;** this you can *rely* upon. It is perfectly harmless, and cannot injure the most delicate infant. Price, 25 cents. Full directions accompany each bottle. Prepared only by
CHURCH & DUPONT,
No. 409 Broadway, New York.

BLOOD FOOD

Healthy human Blood upon being
ANALYZED
always presents us with the same essential elements, and gives of course the **True Standard.** Analyze the Blood of a person suffering from Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, &c. and we find in every *instance* certain *deficiencies* in the red globules of Blood. *Supply* these deficiencies, and you are made well. The **Blood Food** is founded upon this Theory—hence its astonishing success. There are

FIVE PREPARATIONS

adapted to deficiencies of the Blood in different diseases. For **Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis,** or any affection whatever of the **Throat** or **Lungs** inducing **Consumption,** use No. 1, which is also the No. for **Depression of Spirits, Loss of Appetite,** and for all **Chronic Complaints** arising from **Over-use, General Debility,** and **Nervous Prostration.** No. 2, for **Liver Complaints.** No. 3, for **Dyspepsia.** *Being already prepared for absorption* it is **Taken by Drops** and carried immediately into the circulation, so that what you *gain* you *retain.* The No. 4 is for **Female Irregularities, Hysteria, Weakness, &c.** See special directions for this. For **Salt Rheum, Eruptions, Scrofulous, Kidney,** and **Bladder Complaints,** take No. 5. *In all cases the directions* must be strictly followed. Price of the **Blood Food** $1 per bottle.

Sold by **CHURCH & DUPONT.**
No. 409 Broadway, New York.
And by all respectable Druggists throughout the country.
Nov 11, 1859 66-1y

Notice.

TAKEN up and committed to the Jail of Cumberland County, on the 1st of May 1860, as a runaway, a negro who says he is free, that his name is HENDERSON SEARS, and that he is from Davidson County, and was bound to David Hunt. He is about 26 years old, 6 ft. high, and weighs about 180 lbs.; had on when taken up a hickory shirt, black Cas. pants, and black round coat. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.
G. L. McKAY, Jailer.
June 4, 1860. 23tf

Books! Books!

FURTHER supplies of the Southern Harmony; N. C. Readers Nos. 1, 2, 3; Monteith's Geography Nos. 1, 2, 3; Lincoln's Botany; Kames Elements; Webster's Primary Dictionary; Davies' Arithmetic; Columbian Orator; Northend's American Speaker; Little Speaker; Emerson's Arithmetics, &c. &c.
Just received by E. J. HALE & SON.

Webster's Elementary Spelling Book for sale by E. J. HALE & SON.

New Spring Goods.
ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr.

HAS received in part, and is daily receiving, a large and desirable stock of
SPRING GOODS,
Embracing all the newest styles of
Ladies' Dress Goods, Shawls, Lace Points, Mantillas, Embroideries, &c.
—ALSO—
—A fine assortment of—
Gentlemen's Summer Goods, and Ready Made Clothing, Bonnets and Millinery Goods of all kinds.
March 15. 900tf

SECOND SPRING STOCK.

WE have received our second purchase, consisting of a large and desirable stock of
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,
HATS, BONNETS, BOOTS, SHOES, UMBRELLAS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING, TRUNKS, &c.
Which we offer exclusively to Wholesale Buyers, on terms as favorable as they can be bought North or South.
STARR & WILLIAMS.
April 23. 11tf

James Kyle

HAS just received his SPRING AND SUMMER SUPPLY of
DRY GOODS,
—among which are—
Summer and other Silks,
Printed Lawns,
Double Skirt Robes,
Single ditto,
Prints, real French, British and Domestic,
Irish Linens, Diapers, &c.,
Bolting Cloths;
With a very large assortment of all kinds of Goods generally kept in wholesale and retail Stores; all of which are offered at wholesale and retail—CHEAP.
March 24, 1860. 3tf

No. 34 Hay Street.
J. K. KYLE

Is now receiving his Spring and Summer Stock of
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
Among which may be found the following articles, at prices which will prove satisfactory to the purchaser:
Dress Goods in pieces, consisting of Muslins, Lawns, Ginghams, Prints, Bereges, Black and White Challies, Silks, &c., &c.
In ROBES the following line:
Lawn Robes, Double and Single Skirts, Berege do., Gingham do., Lace Points, Shawls and Mantillas in profusion, Ribbons, Hosiery and Gloves, Spool Cotton, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes.
All of which will be offered very low. Call and examine; no charge for looking. J. K. KYLE.
March 14, 1860. 2tf

TO THE FRIENDS OF
HOME MANUFACTURES.
THE KINSTON
SHOE FACTORY

IS NOW IN SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

ORDERS for negro BROGANS and BOOTS are solicited.
J. C. CARPENTER, Agent.
Kinston N. C., June 24, 1860. 39-tf

GUANO! GUANO!!

A FRESH SUPPLY just received.
C. T. HAIGH & SONS
April 16. 9-tf

Bacon and Corn.

2000 BUSHELS of GOOD CORN;
15,000 lbs. well-smoked BACON.
For sale by E. F. MOORE.
Feb'y 20. i4t-93tf

Glue and Spirits Barrels.

CONSTANTLY on hand by
E. F. MOORE.
Feb'y 20. i4t-93tf

To Turpentine Distillers.

THE highest Cash price paid for SPIRITS TURPENTINE by E. F. MOORE.
Feb'y 20. i4t-93tf

Guano! Guano!!

500 BAGS No. 1 GUANO. For sale by
E. F. MOORE.
Feb'y 20. i4t-93tf

E. F. MOORE,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND will keep constantly on hand every article in the Turpentine Distillers' Line.
Feb'y 20. i4t-93tf

Liquors! Liquors! Liquors!

J. W. HORNE being desirous to close out his stock of Liquors, will offer inducements in prices. As he intends to quit the trade, his stock will be sold low.

☞ For sale at cost and charges. ☜

100 BARRELS,
of various kinds and qualities.

☞ Persons indebted **must call and settle.**
Feb 16 92-tf

Cross Creek Co's Yarns.

THE undersigned is Agent for the sale of the above celebrated Yarns, which have given such general satisfaction for years past.

Merchants and others wanting our Yarns will please send on their orders and have them filled on as favorable terms as heretofore.
JOHN SHAW, Ag't C. C. Man. Co.
June 4, 1860. 23tf

WANTED.

A LARGE quantity of COTTON and LINEN RAGS, for which fair prices will be paid.
DAVID MURPHY.
Aug. 17 41-

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

ON Thursday the 23d day of August next the subscriber will sell at public auction in the town of Fayetteville, the Stock, Lots of Land, Engines, Boilers, Shop Tools, Fixtures, Lumber, Wagons, Carts, and all the materials used by Walton & Barry at their Foundry.

One tract of land is situated on the Western Railroad, near John McPherson's. The other is a small lot on the railroad in the suburbs of town—where their Foundry and car shop is established.

The terms of sale will be liberal.
WILLIAM MURDOCH, Trustee.
July 26. 38ts

BLANK BOOKS.

A FRESH supply just received.
E. J. HALE & SON.

The friends of James

W. Horne announce him as a candidate for the office of Major of the 23d Regiment of N. C. Militia.
Election Saturday Sept 1st, 1860.
August 13, 1860. 43-te

Annual Meeting.

THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Fayetteville and Albemarle Plank Road Co. will take place at the Town Hall, on the *last Thursday* in August, viz: the 30th day.
JNO. M. ROSE, Sec'y F. & A. P. R. Co.
August 10, 1860. 43-tm

NOTICE.

ALL those having accounts at Vanorsdell's Photographic Gallery will please call and settle them between this and the first of September as I must have the money. By that time those having Pictures at the Gallery will please call and pay for them and take them away, and oblige. C. M. VANORSDELL, Photographist,
Fayetteville, N. C.
August 13. 43-tf

NOTICE.

I will sell for cash at the Court House door in the Town of Fayetteville on the 3d day of September next, (being Monday of September Court,) the following Lots or parcels of Land or so much thereof as will pay the taxes and costs due for the years 1857–'58.

One Lot on Ramsey St., listed by Jos. Baker, Jr., for Sophia Williams. Taxes and costs due $4 47.

One lot of Land near Wilmington Road known as the Brickyard listed by J. E. Bryan. Taxes and costs due $14 11.

One Lot on Mumford St., listed by Jas. Banks for Martha Sampson. Tax and costs due $4 57.

One lot listed by Jas. Banks for Lucy Deal, tax and costs due $3 17.

One lot corner of Hillsboro' and Cumberland St. and one other lot joining the above listed by G. Deming for Sarah Ashe, tax and costs due $3 26.

One lot on North St. listed by G W. I. Goldston, Trustee of Jas. McPherson, tax and costs due $3 78.

One lot on Mumford St. listed by J. S. Raboteau, tax and costs due $10 10.

One lot on Old St. known as the Brumwell lot, listed by O. P. Stark, tax and costs due $5 36.

One lot on Arch St. joins J. A. Pemberton, unlisted, supposed to belong to the Estate of O. Gwinn, double tax due for 1857 and 1858, $11 06.

Price of this advertisement to be added to the above amounts. HECTOR McNEILL, Shff.
By R. W. HARDIE, Dep. Shff.
August 11, 1860. 43-ts

FOR SALE.

I OFFER FOR SALE 3000 ACRES OF LAND in the Counties of Moore and Montgomery, the best Timbered Land in the State, and lying generally within 20 miles of the Rutherfordton Rail Road, and immediately upon the route surveyed for the Rail Road from Cheraw to the Coal Fields, on Deep River. The outcrop of coal has been discovered by actual experiment in boring all around these Lands, and the purchaser will get a bargain, as I shall remove from the State, and am determined to sell.

I also offer 300 Acres of Land lying on Deep River, on the Plank Road leading from the Gulf to Fayetteville, and within 5 miles of the Fayetteville and Coal Fields Rail Road, supposed to be underlaid with Coal and Iron.

Also, One-fifth of one of the most valuable Coal Plantations on Deep River, to-wit: the Bingham place, spoken of in Dr. Emmons' report. The Coal on this property has been dug from a well on the premises, and found in numerous places where pits have been sunk, so as to justify the opinion expressed by Dr. Emmons, that almost the entire plantation is underlaid with Coal.

I also offer One-third of the McIntosh place, lying immediately upon the Fayetteville and Coal Fields Rail Road, six miles from the River, the best Timbered Tract of Land in this region, and having all the indications of the presence of Coal. The Rail Road cuts this land on one side of it, passing through it for a considerable distance.

I also offer One-third of three places on McLendon's Creek, in Moore County, containing Coal and Iron, easy of access and must become as valuable as any property in the coal region.

Also, a HOUSE and LOT in the suburbs of Pittsboro', containing about 4 acres of ground, a two story building thereon containing 7 bed-rooms, a parlor and dining-room, with a wide passage through the house, pantry and store-room, and a cellar of considerable size: there are also on the premises a double office, in the yard near the street, to be used either as law offices or for any other purpose. Also, smoke-house and kitchen, a house for servants, stable and sheds for cattle; an elegant garden spot and spring near the premises, and the whole area around the buildings covered with beautiful oaks of native growth.

Also, a tract of LAND in the vicinity of Pittsboro', which is well wooded.

500 shares of stock in Gold Hill Mining Company.

27 shares of Stock in the Cape Fear and Deep River Improvement.

Unless previously disposed of, I shall sell the above property at August County Court of Chatham, and on subsequent occasions by public out-cry, till all is sold.
M. Q. WADDELL.
July 21, 1860. 39-

D. & W. McLAURIN,

WOULD invite attention to their large and desirable Stock of
GROCERIES,
Consisting in part of—
150 Bags Rio, Laguira and Java Coffee;
100 Bbls. and Hhds. Sugar (assorted;)
25 Hhds. Molasses;
30 " Bacon—Sides and Shoulders;
500 Sacks Salt;
150 Boxes good Tobacco;
125 " Sperm, Adamantine & Tallow Candles;
50 " Soap (assorted;)
50 " Candy "
100 Bags Shot "
1000 lbs. Bar Lead;
30 ½ Bbls. Snuff—Eagle Mills;
25 Kegs Soda;
250 " Nails.
—ALSO—
A large and general assortment of
Hardware and Cutlery;
Farming Utensils, of all descriptions;
American, English, Swedes and Peruvian Iron;
Blister, German and Cast Steel;
Blacksmiths' Tools;
Coopers' Do.;
Corn Shellers and Straw Cutters;
Buckets, Brooms and Pails;
Cotton, Manilla and Jute Rope, (all kinds and quality;)
Plow Lines and Bed Cords;
Hollow Ware;
Cotton Yarns and Sheetings at factory prices.

All of which will be sold LOW FOR CASH, or on usual time to prompt paying customers.

☞ COUNTRY MERCHANTS are respectfully requested to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. D. & W. McLAURIN.
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BOOKS! BOOKS!!

THE MOULDER'S & FOUNDER'S Guide, by Overman; Wood's Class Book of Botany; Lectures on Natural History, by P. A. Chadbourne; Professor Emmons' Manual of Geology, 2d Edition; Aboriginal America, by Abbott; Mary Bunyan, by Ford; Model Book of Dreams and Parlor Entertainments; The Corner Cupboard, by the author of "Inquire Within;" The Prairie-Traveller; by Capt. R. B. Marcy; Dime Song Books, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.
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Colportage in North Carolina.—Mr. W. J. W. Crowder gives a cheering account of the work of the American Tract Society in sixty counties of North Carolina. In three months he had visited 283 families in sixteen counties, 203 of whom had never before received a religious visit, or had a prayer offered in their houses.

Among many incidents related, he says, "A colporteur found seventy families in one neighborhood who had never received a religious visit, and persuaded them to unite in a Sabbath-school and prayer-meeting. In another similar neighborhood, a Sabbath-school was formed under a board shelter in the woods, where parents and children are taught the alphabet and to spell and read. He visited families who had not heard preaching in two years, and some not in ten years. In one county, some two years ago, a colporteur was accompanied by a minister for a week in visiting a very poor neighborhood, and supplying every family with books and tracts. Since then four Sabbath-schools have been formed in that neighborhood, and the minister has just sent thirty dollars for books to replenish their libraries. Many have been converted in these schools, and three men, who were formerly intemperate, are now superintendents of Sabbath-schools, holding prayer-meetings, and visiting and praying with their neighbors."

Mr. Crowder says, "During the quarter I have visited or been informed of seventy-eight Sabbath-schools, which are believed to have resulted, more or less, from the labors of the Society's colporteurs in the families. One Sabbath I walked eight miles to visit one of these schools, now numbering ninety scholars. Good order was observed, and I never saw happier faces than when I scattered The Child's Paper among them, through the benevolence of a pious lady, who has since more than doubled her donation to make other young hearts glad. I have also heard of 142 persons hopefully converted to God by his blessing on printed truth and personal religious conversation."

Such is the work which the American Tract Society is seeking to carry forward in all parts of the land. Everywhere it commends itself to the sympathy and support of intelligent, active Christians.

Political Ambition and its Reward.—The eloquent testimony of Guizot, which we copy below, to the emptiness of political distinction, ought to reconcile those who have never succeeded in attaining such distinction to the more obscure walks of life, in which the multitude of men must always remain. We find it quoted by a contemporary from the third volume of the recently published memoirs of the great statesman and historian:

"I have no desire to intrude my private life and feelings on public attention. The more they are profound and tender, the less are they disposed to exhibit themselves, for I cannot show them in their intense reality. Kings exhibit their crown jewels to the inspection of the curious; but we do not parade our private treasures, the value of which is only to known to the owners. Yet, when the fatal day arrives in which these invaluable possessions are wrested from us, it would be evincing toward them a proper want of respect and faith not to declare the esteem in which they were held and the void they have left. I have been strongly attached to political life, and have applied myself to it with ardor. I have devoted to public duties, without hesitation the sacrifice and efforts they demanded from me; but these pursuits have ever been far indeed from satisfying my desires. It is not that I complain of the incidental trials. Many public servants have spoken with bitterness of the disappointments they have experienced, the reverses they have undergone, the severities of fortune, and the ingratitude of men. I have nothing of the kind to say, for I have never acknowledged such sentiments. However violently I may have been stricken, I have never found men more blind or ungrateful, or my political destiny more harsh than I expected. It has had alternately, and in great abundance, its joys and sorrows; such is the law of humanity. But it has been in the happiest days, and in the midst of the most brilliant successes of my career, that I have found the insufficiency of public life. The political world is cold and calculating; the affairs of government are lofty, and powerfully impress the thought; but they cannot fill the soul, which has often more varied and more pressing aspirations than those of the most ambitious politician. It longs for a happiness more intimate, more complete, and more tender than that which all the labors and triumphs of active exertion and public importance can bestow. What I know to-day, at the end of my race, I have felt when it began, and during its continuance; even in the midst of great undertakings, domestic affections form the basis of life; and the most brilliant career has only superficial and incomplete enjoyments, if a stranger to the happy ties of family and friendship."

A Deer Run Down by a Railroad Train.—About four miles from Lake City, a few days ago, as the train on the Florida Central Railroad was passing down, a deer was discovered at some distance to the right hand about on a parallel with the locomotive, under full, speed making for a bay-head on the opposite side of the track a considerable distance ahead. The fleet animal put forth all its energies to gain the desired point and we suspect (though without warrant) that the engineer may have *poked up* the fire a *little*, for it was about so good and so good with the iron horse and his nimble-footed competitor. The race became exciting and all on board looked on with much interest. Finally, the point of crossing sought by the animal was about to be reached, and it made one desperate leap to cross the track in advance of the locomotive, and might have succeeded had it not been encumbered by a ditch, but the locomotive struck it, breaking three legs and thus rendering it an easy prize. At another time the locomotive caught and disabled a wild turkey attempting to cross the track and rendered it a prize to the operatives. Since catching a deer and wild turkey, our folks along the line think their cattle stand a slim chance.

St. John's (Florida) Mirror.

A Civil Word.—"If a civil word or two will render a man happy," said a French King, "he must be a wretch indeed who will not give it. It is like lightening another man's candle by your own, which loses none of its brilliancy by what the other gains." If all men acted upon this principle, the world would be much happier than it is.

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