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All of which will be sold LOW FOR CASH, or on usual

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M. C. McNAIR, This arrangement, it is believed, will greatly advance

Sec'y Board of Trustees.

SPECIAL TERM. Sate of North Carolina, Cumberland Co.

Superior Court of Law, Fall Term, 1860. His Honor ROBERT S. FRENCH, Judge Presiding. IT is ordered that a Special Term of the Superior Court of Law and Equity for Cumberland County, be held on the First Monday in February A. D. 1861, and that publication thereof be made in the several newspapers published in the Town of Fayetteville. Jurors, Suitors and Witnesses in civil cases are hereby notified to be in attendance.

J. W. BAKER, Clerk. Presbyterian copy.

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Fayetteville, Oct. 9, 1860. 60tf

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EIGHT HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND, adjoining the land belonging to the estate of George Wilcox, dec'd, and lying three miles South from Carbonton, on Little Pocket Creek, Moore county. These Lands are well adapted to the growth of corn, cotton, wheat, oats, rye, &c. There are on the premises a comfortable Dwelling, and all necessary Out-

vancing in price in this section.

For further information apply to Mr. M. M. McRae, Crane's Creek, P. O., Moore county, or address me at DANIEL MCRAE,

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For the Heirs of Gilbert McRae, dec'd. Carbonton, Moore co., N. C., Aug. 24 43tf

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N. G. JONES.

NOTICE. DXPECTING to be absent from the State until the L middle of next Summer, say till July, 1860, I have authorized Archibald McLean, of Harnett county, to transact business for me during my absence, to sell my Lands in Harnett county, and generally to attend to ali

Harnett County, N. C., Jan'y 13, 1860.

A CARD. A WORD TO MY OLD FRIENDS-

PHOSE persons for whom I have been attending to Banking business for years:—I am still willing to serve you with the same promptness that I have always lone; and to others that may want discounts, Pension ousiness, &c., &c I offer my services, with a promise

CAPT. WILKES'S REPORT ON THE DEEP RIVER MINERAL REGION.

PHE undersigned have caused to be published from the Congressional plates, an edition of the Report of Capt. Wilkes, U. S. Navy, and his Associates on the Board appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to examine the Deep River Region of North Carolina. This is the most important and scientific statement of the great wealth of that section of the State, and the Maps the most perfect and valuable, of any yet published. The Maps are worth the price of the work, which is 50 cents, nearly bound in cloth. Copies sent by mail, free of postage, on the receipt of 50 cents. A liberal discount to wholesale buyers. Orders solicited.

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A constant supply of Plain, Fancy & French Candies. Also, a large and well sell selected stock of

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R. H. BATTLE, Secretary, Raleigh.

E. J. HALE, Agent at
Fayetteville, N. C.

The Hartford Courant, which is a great stickler for "human freedom," says:—"We want no

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DISUNION AND ITS EFFECTS. The subjoined instructive historical parallel is

from the the Richmond Va. Central Presbyterian: "In such a period as that on which we have 20 00 15 00 fallen we naturally look back for historic parallels 12 00 to aid us in our efforts to forecast the future. 1 00 One of these that will suggest itself to every Bible Tuition in Music, Painting, Drawing, Modern and reader is the union of the Hebrew tribes, and the subsequent dissolution of that union under Rehoboam. Two facts are apparent; one, that this dissolution was not a sudden rupture, but only the consummation of a slow loosening of ties for many years; the other, that it was the beginning of disuster to both parties, ending in their political ruin.

"It is curious and interesting to trace the indi-

cations of loosening ties between the northern and southern tribes of the Hebrew union. The Empire tribe of the North was Ephraim, around which a number of minute historical facts show the other and planually rallind as a leader. The great Southern tribe was Judan, and the national metropolis, civil and religious, was on ayer Raisins, in whole, half and quarter boxes; Citron, the line between Judah and Benjamin. The religious capital of the tribes had for three hundred years been in Shiloh, in Ephraim, and their political capital in Shechem, in the same tribe. And during the Judges Ephraim had manifestly obtained an ascendancy that could not brook even the appearance of neglect, as we learn from their harsh chiding of Gideon and Jepthah. This fact created jealousy when David transferred the capital to Jerusalem, that was continually breaking out in fierce words between Ephraim, or Israel, and Judah. Ephraim could not see without angry emotions the transfer of the glory of Israel to the Southern tribes. This feeling was aggravated by the large levy of Ephraimites that was compelled to labor under Solomon in beautifying Jerusalem, placed under the command of Jeroboam, an Ephraimite, who was capable of any thing that would aggrandize himself; and thus the ties were gradually loosening for twenty years. A number of minute facts show that the Northern and Southern tribes were gradually alienated, that one tie was loosened after another, and that at last the dissolution came; not as a sudden and abrupt schism, but as the inevitable result of these chafing and loosening causes that had been acting for years. Those who wish to see the indications of this gradual process will find them stated with much ingenuity by Professor Blunt in his Coincidences of the Old Testament Scriptures, part 2, sec. 15, in which he traces the gradual separation of the two sections and their several consolidations around Judah and Ephraim as their respective nuclei.

"The same ingenious writer, in the subsequent sections of this work, traces the effect of the dissolution of the Union on the two sections. The first effect was the mutual armament and speedy warfare of the divided people, at a heavy cost to

startling prominence. They had their colonial history to the time of Samuel; the reign of Saul, which was only a monarchical confederation; the uaion under David and Solomon, which lasted and many other articles, which he offers low for CASH, eighty years; the dissolution of the union, brought about by sectional jealousies and chafings; and the subsequent history, of mingled civil war, military despotism, and anarchy, alternating with Sheetings and Cotton Yarus on hand at all times, at prosperity and growth, as religion flourished, but ending in both sections at last in national ruin."

All persons are respectfully invited to give me a call, at the old stand of J. & T. Waddill, South side Hay st. A. N. McDONALD.

The Teachings of History.—The distinguished German historian, Niebuhr, has said that, whatever "nearly may think of the practical utility of ever "people may think of the practical utility of history," it cannot be denied that "an intimate acquaintance with it is a sure preservative from NATURAL PHILOSOPHY from Ganot's Popular Physics by Wm. G. Peck, M. A.; Sanders' New Speller and Definer Analyser; Bullions' and Smith's Grammars; Monteith's, Smith's and Mitchell's Geographies; Goodrich's and Andrews' Latin and Greek Lescan hardly fail to prove instructive in every season of public apprehension, as serving to show that the "evils" believed from time to time to be inevitable, have existed rather in fancy than fact.

Heavy Fall of Rock at Niagara Falls .- The following is communicated to the Toronto Globe by Mr. S. Davis, of Table Rock hotel, Niagara

On Saturday, the 24th inst., at half past 1 o'clock, there was a tremendous fall of rock a little south of the old stair-case, completely filling up the pathway leading to the new stair-case. But a few minutes before the fall, a party was being conducted from the museum to the sheet of water. Had it happened at the time they were passing, all must have got crushed to pieces. I suppose some thousands of tons fell.

The Slave-Trade .- Among the extracts from E. G. Ripley, Pres't. T. A. Alexander, V. Pres't. T. K. Brace, Jr., See'y. A. A. Williams, Adjuster. was one from the West Africa Herald, in which Rates as low as PERFECT SOLVENCY and fair profit it is clearly shown that the Slave-trade was never more prosperous than it is in the year 1860. When the traffic was legal, and was carried on Market value between many countries and the Coast of Africa, \$915,344 00 the traders were not so numerous as they are now, ton, St. Louis, &c.,

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State Stocks: New York, Ohio, Kentucky.

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the traders were not so numerous as they are now, when the Island of Cuba is the only market open to them, and large fleets keep vigilant watch both to them, and large fleets keep vigilant watch both 168,005 00 in African and American waters. 116,000 00 Cotton Manufacture in England .- The Eng-

87,058 00 lish cotton spinners are said to have made an im-83,089 60 mense amount of money during the past year, and 70,103 78 at the latest dates from the manufacturing dis-25,348 77 tricts, at the beginning of November, were still 350,303 15 working on orders, at high prices, which called 52,030,423 80 were demanding for new contracts \(\frac{1}{2} \), to \(\frac{1}{2} \)d. a pound advance on yarns and cloths, to cover the rise in cotton. The late purchases of cotton at Liverpool had been made by speculators, and the manufacturers held a much larger stock than usual at this season, having taken advantage of the depressed state of the cotton market for some months previous, while the price in England was below that ruling in our cotton ports, and at the MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, same time the spinners were full of money, from the great profitableness of their trade. The Liverpool Times says: The cotton manufacture is becoming the greatest power in England—per-haps in the world. The men engaged in it are one year or for five years for two-thirds their value.

All losses are punctually paid within 90 days after every estate now-a-days that finds its way into the market is snatched up eagerly by some parvenu. For further information the public is referred to Agents.

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