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SPECIAL NOTICE.

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 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, 1868.

W. DRAUGHON,
AUCTIONEER,
S. E. Corner Market Square,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
☞ Prompt attention given to all business in his line entrusted to him.
June 10, 1864. 40tf

H. McMILLAN,
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,
No. 22, Hay Street,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
June 6. 39-3m

ISAAC HOLLINGSWORTH,
Grocer and Commission Merchant,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
June 13. 40 tf

WM. McL. McKAY,
Attorney at Law,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
WILL attend the County and Superior Courts of Cumberland, Barnett, Moore and Robeson Counties. Prompt attention given to the collection of all claims entrusted to his hands.
Oct. 17, 1859. 58-tf

JOS. UTLEY,
Grocer and Commission Merchant,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Jan'y 10, 1863. 93-tf

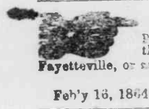
NATHAN A. STEDMAN. WM. H. BERNARD.
N. A. STEDMAN & CO.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 19, Hay Street,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
April 20. 28tf

B. G. WORTH. D. G. WORTH. E. G. DANIEL.
WORTH & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 16, 1863. 73-12m

WANTED.
2,500 BUSHELS WHEAT,
1,500 " CORN.
Persons having the above articles to sell will receive the highest Cash price by calling on Mr. M. Thomson, at the Merchant Mills, Fayetteville, or on the subscriber at his old stand on Market Square.
ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr.
Nov. 5, 1862. 75tf

ARMY HARNESS.
I AM prepared to manufacture all kinds of Wagon Harness for Army use. I can my leather and can give good bargains. Agents will do well to send their orders to me as they shall have prompt attention, and sent off in quick dispatch. JOHN CARTER.
Goldston P. O., Chatham Co., N. C.,
June 13, 1862. 94tf

200 lbs. Gum Arabic for sale by
J. R. LEE.
Oct. 15. 69tf



After this date I will pay 15 Cents per pound for rags, or the highest market price, delivered in Fayetteville, or at my mills on Rockfish.
CHARLES MURPHY
Feb'y 16, 1864 7-tf

Wanted to Purchase,
WESTERN RAIL ROAD STOCK;
Bank Notes;
Gold and Silver;
North Carolina Treasury Notes (Fundable;)
" " " $1 and $2;
" " Bonds, old and new;
County of Cumberland Bonds;
Town of Fayetteville Bonds;
Greensboro' $1 and $2 Certificates;
Confederate 7 and 8 per cent. Bonds;
Coupons of $15,000,000 loan;
" of Town and County Bonds;
" of old North Carolina Bonds;
T. S. LUTTERLOH.
Oct. 12, 1863. 71tf

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, N. C., May 9, 1863.
LEAD WANTED.—I wish to purchase Lead for this Department. Persons having large or small quantities will please apply at once. Will give 1 pound of POWDER for 10 pounds of LEAD.
THOS. D. HOGG, Capt. C. S.
69-tf In charge of Ordnance.

Egypt Coal Mine.
THE undersigned were, at the November Term of the Confederate Court, District of North Carolina, appointed Managers of the Egypt Coal Mine property, and have entered into copartnership for the purpose of mining and selling Coal, and solicit orders for the same in any desired quantity. Orders for any amount can be supplied on short notice. The Coal from this property is undoubtedly the best in the Confederate States. Applications may be made to Chas. B. Mallett, Fayetteville, N. C., or James Browne, Charleston, S. C.
CHARLES B. MALLETT.
JAMES BROWNE.
Fayetteville, Jan'y 20, 1863. 96tf

WANTED, for the Hospital at Fort Fisher.
POULTRY, Chickens, Butter and other delicacies for the sick Soldiers at this Hospital. Persons having these articles can obtain the market price on application to the subscriber at his old stand or at Mr. J. W. Powers's on Hay Street.
R. B. HEIDE, Gen'l Ag't.
Aug. 28] 59-tf

COTTON CARDS, No. 10.
THE FAYETTEVILLE COTTON CARD MANUFACTURING COMPANY are now manufacturing CARDS superior to any run through the blockade, and at present are selling for a less price the single pair or by the quantity.
Any person ordering six or more pairs, they will be securely packed and delivered in Wilmington free of expense.
Call upon or address A. A. McKETHAN.
J. A. WORTH.
ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr.
Fayetteville, N. C., April 18 24tf

Fayetteville Rosin Oil Works.
OUR Oil Works are now in complete operation, and as we use nothing but good rosin in producing the Oil we can recommend it to be the best of the kind made in this country. It is a fine Lubricating and Tanner's Oil, and we would be glad to receive orders from the Government and the public generally. We will sell on reasonable terms. MOORE, CASHWELL & CO.
April 15. 22tf

EAGLE FOUNDRY.
SOME months ago we completed all our fixtures for the manufacture of CAR WHEELS, but owing to the failure of the supply of iron of proper nature, we have not lately been able to supply any demand for them; this difficulty however, will be overcome in the course of six weeks, at which time we shall be able to furnish wheels of the following sizes:—24, 26, 28 and 30 inches; also Chilled Tires. The iron we shall use for them will be Cold Blast Charcoal Iron, and we warrant our wheels NOT TO CRACK, and to be equal to any made in the Confederacy, or to those of Whitney & Sons of Philadelphia, whose reputation is so well known by all Railroad companies.
We are prepared to execute Loom, Dry Sand, and Green Sand Work, of any shape or size.
D. ANDERSON & CO.
Fayetteville, March 30, 1864. 19tf

LUBRICATING OIL.
THE undersigned is now prepared to furnish to the public a very superior article of LUBRICATING OIL, *especially for Cotton and Woolen Factories*. We claim that this Oil does not gum, and may be run at greater speed with less power than any other Oil except Sperm.
Mr W H Porter, Superintendent of Phœnix Cotton Factory, says of it: "I have been using your Lubricating Oil for 2 or 3 months, and find it to be superior to any other Oil now in use for lubricating."
Mr John Kershaw, Sup't of Blount's Creek Factory, says: "I can cheerfully say your Lubricating Oil is a superior article. It does not gum in the least, but keeps the journals clear and bright."
Mr A F Beckerdite, Chief Engineer of the C S Arsenal and Armory of this place, was requested to try it and says: "I think for light machinery—such as Cotton Factories—and for heavy machinery when the motion is slow, your Lubricating Oil will compare next in quality to Sperm."
Other cotton manufacturers have tried it and pronounced favorably of it.
HENRY E. COLTON.
Agent Fayetteville Kerosene Co.
April 4, 1864 20-tf

EAGLE FOUNDRY,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., July 4, 1864.
WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE ORDERS for
RAIL ROAD WHEELS
of the following sizes, viz: 24, 26, 28 and 30 inch. Also CHILLED TIRES. The Iron we shall use for them will be COLD BLAST CHARCOAL IRON, and we warrant our wheels NOT TO CRACK, and to be equal to any made in the Confederacy, or to those of Whitney & Sons of Philadelphia, whose reputation is as well known by all Rail Road Companies.
We have the best facilities for transportation by Steamers to Wilmington, from thence to any part of the Confederacy.
Orders respectfully solicited
40tf] D. ANDERSON & CO

WESTERN RAIL ROAD.
THE FREIGHT AND PASSENGER TRAINS of this Road leave Fayetteville daily, (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock, A. M., and returning leave Egypt at 1 o'clock, P. M.
Cattle and Horse Train MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY.
By order JNO. M. ROSE,
Treas'r and Gen'l Trans. Ag't.
Jan. 22, 1863. 97tf

From and after this date the Steamer A. P. HURT will leave at 8 o'clock, A. M., on Monday and Thursday.
JOS. A. WORTH,
April 6—17tf] Ag't C. F. Steam Boat Co.

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital in Premium Notes amounts to	$267,388 25
Cash on hand and other assets,	5,077 35
Total,	$272,765 16
Total losses paid,	$29,692

The Company have paid all losses promptly, and have never made an assessment on their premium notes.
OFFICERS:
GEO. McNEILL, President.
D. A. RAY, Vice President.
C. A. McMILLAN, Sec'y.
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S. W. Tillinghast.	A. E. Hall,

Jos. Collins and C. C. McCrummen, Traveling Agents
☞ The Company invite applications.
May 28, 1863. 2

Flag of Truce Letters.
CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA,
WAR DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF EXCHANGE,
Richmond, Va., July 1st, 1864.
1. All letters to go North by flag of truce must be sent to this office.
2. Each letter must be inclosed in a separate envelope and addressed to me, Bureau of Exchange, Richmond, Va.
3. No letter must exceed in length one page of ordinary sized letter paper, and its contents be confined strictly to personal or family matters. No letter alluding to the movements or localities of troops will be allowed to pass.
4. Each letter must contain a United States postage stamp, or its equivalent in silver or United States currency. These regulations will be rigidly enforced, and no letter transmitted in which they are not strictly observed.
ROB'T OULD,
Agent of Exchange.
[Official.]
W. H. Haven, Capt. and A. A. G.
July 2. 52 6t

HEADQUARTERS, RESERVE OF N. C.
WELDON, July 13, 1864.
General Order No. 3.
I. THE Commandant of Conscripts will use every possible exertion to expedite the organization of the Reserve of N. C., holding his subordinates to the strictest accountability for any want of energy or activity.
II. At the earliest practicable date, after the Senior Reserve are organized into companies, the District Enrolling Officers will organize them into a Reg ment, if there are ten companies; or into a Battalion, if less than ten Companies, by assembling the Company Officers, and holding an election for Colonel, Lieut. Colonel and Major, for a Regiment; a Lieut. Colonel and Major for a Battalion of less than six companies.
III. Hereafter, all applications for indulgences of every kind, will be made through the proper channels to these Head Quarters; and sending such application the applicant will be considered and treated as though it had not been made.
IV. All furloughs, leaves of absence, details, and Army Exemptions, heretofore granted to officers and men, belonging to the Reserve of N. C., by officers connected with the Conscript Bureau, are revoked. All men absent, by virtue of such papers, from Companies in the field, will at once join their commands.
V. The Reserve, from being called into service only in cases of emergency, are not liable to be detailed as *Farmers, Mechanics*, &c.
By command of Lt. Gen. HOLMES.
JNO. W. HINSDALE, Ass't Adj't Gen'l.
July 18. 50-7t

RICHMOND, VA., June 27th, 1864.
Exchange Notice, No. 11.
ALL officers and men of the Vicksburg capture of July 4th, 1863, who reported for duty either at Enterprise, Miss., Demopolis, Ala., Jonesboro', Tenn., Vicksburg, Natchitoches, Shreveport, or Alexandria, La., at any time prior to April 1st, 1864, and whose names have been forwarded to me by the proper officers, are hereby declared exchanged.
50 6t] RO. OULD, Agent of Exchange.

BONDS FOR SALE.
Five Hundred Million Confederate Six Per Cent. Bonds.
THESE Bonds present the greatest inducements for investment. They have thirty years to run, interest payable semi-annually, and are secured by import and export duties; are exempt, principal and interest, from taxation, and the coupons receivable as coin for custom duties. Apply to
ALLEN S GIBBES,
Agent Treasury Department.
July 17 51-tf

TO RENT.
THE 3 story brick building adjoining Geo. McNeill's. Suitable for a store and dwelling. Apply to
J. W. POWERS.
July 14. 52 3w

By the Governor of North Carolina.
A PROCLAMATION.
WHEREAS, it hath been represented to me that Henderson Jones, late of the County of Guilford, has been convicted of the murder of Wm. Stephenson, late of said county, and that the said Henderson Jones has escaped from prison and is now at large.
And, whereas, it hath also been represented to me that W. T. Evans, alias Turner Fry, of said county of Guilford, who stands indicted for the crime of Burglary in said county, hath also escaped from prison and is at large.
Now, therefore, to the end that the said Henderson Jones and the said W. T. Evans, alias Turner Fry, may be arrested and brought to justice for their said offences, I do issue this, my Proclamation, offering a reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension and delivery of said Jones and THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the arrest and delivery of said Evans to the Sheriff of the county of Guilford aforesaid.
In witness whereof, Zebulon B. Vance, Captain General and Commander-in-Chief, hath signed these presents and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed.
[SEAL.]
Done at Raleigh, this 22d day of July, A. D., 1864, and in the year of American Independance, the eighty-ninth.
By the Governor, Z. B. VANCE.
A. M. McPHETERS, Private Secretary, pro tem. 50-2w

Home Manufactory.
PLOW LINES, CLOTHES LINES, BED CORDS, or any size to 1 inch Cotton Rope; FISHING LINES, and any size Cotton Cord, by wholesale or retail. I am prepared to furnish any quantity at short notice. Strict attention given to all orders that may be sent to me, and the work will be sent without delay and in good order to any place where it may be possible.
Apply to S. G. DAVIS,
Fayetteville, N. C.
July 25 53 4tpd

200 DOLLARS REWARD.
ON last Thursday my bay mare, with a black mane and tail, broke loose at Egypt Station, Chatham county. I have not seen her since. I judge that some person has taken her up or stolen her since she got loose. She is of common size, good looking, her mane considerably worn off with the collar; her left eye has been all knocked out, the hair rubbed off her back.
I will give $160 for the recovery of the mare and $100 for the arrest of the thief if stolen.
HARRIS TYSON.
Fair Haven, July 2. 48 7tpd&tf

Wool Wanted for the State of N. Carolina.
THE undersigned continue to exchange COTTON YARN for WOOL, one bundle of Yarn for 4 lbs. unwashed, or 3 lbs. clean washed Wool. They will also pay a liberal price in cash for large or small lots.
GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO., Agts.
Fayetteville, June 18. 42tf
Presbyterian copy.

Surgeon General's Office,
RALEIGH, N. C., JUNE 10TH, 1864.
A MESSENGER will leave this Office on the first day, and the fifteenth day, of every month, for Gen. Lee's army. All boxes left here for any member of that army will be carried there promptly by him and delivered to the owner.
EDWARD WARREN,
41-tf Surgeon General North Carolina.

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA,
ENGINEER DEPARTMENT, DIST. CAPE FEAR,
Wilmington, N. C., March 10th, 1863.
NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims against the Engineer Department, for services of slaves employed as laborers on the *land defences* near Wilmington, N. C., that the undersigned is authorized and prepared to pay the same at his office, on the second floor of the building next above Meares' Drug Store, Market Street.
☞ Persons executing Powers of Attorney will observe the following form—their signatures, in all cases, to be witnessed by two witnesses and signed in duplicate, or they may be witnessed before a Justice of the Peace or Clerk of any Court.
FORM OF POWER OF ATTORNEY.
I, ——, of ——, do hereby appoint ——, of ——, my true and lawful Agent to sign receipts for, and receive payment of all moneys due to me by the Engineer Department of the Confederate States of America, for the services of my slaves employed as laborers on the land defences at ——, during the month of ——, 186
Witness my hand and seal at ——, this —— day of ——, 186
(Signed in duplicate.)
—— [Seal.]
Witness
——
——
The signatures of colored persons should be witnessed by three witnesses.
There must be separate duplicate Powers of Attorney for each month. Blank forms can be had upon application at this office.
W. H. JAMES, Capt. & Chief Eng.
Jan'y 20, 1864 1300tf

Cow Strayed.
A BROWN COW, marked with smooth crop and underbit both ears, medium size. Any information will be cheerfully received, and a liberal reward paid for her recovery, by Mrs. E. M. WALKER.
Haymount, May 19. 43tf

Charlotte Female Institute.
THE exercises of this SCHOOL will be resumed on Wednesday Sept 14. Those who wish places must make early application. For circular containing terms &c., address
Rev. R BURWELL, Charlotte, N. C.
July 28 52-10pd

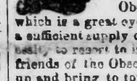
Desirable Goods.
WM. MAC INTYRE
Offers for sale:
200 SETS KNIVES and FORKS, assorted;
40 Doz Fine 3 and 4 Bladed Knives;
900 Gross Steel Pens;
125 Gross Blue Steel Knitting Needles;
30 Reams Ruled Post Paper;
300 Gross Agate Shirt Buttons;
2000 Gross English Bone Pant Buttons;
1 Barrel Cayenne;
2 Barrels Borax;
5 Barrels Rosin Salts;
5 Barrels Alum;
5 Barrels English Green Copperas;
10 Kegs Bi carb. Soda;
1 Bag Alspice;
3 Bags Black Pepper;
1 Package Saltpetre.
July 4. 46-5w

Palma Christi Beans.
THE subscriber will pay the highest cash prices for any quantity of Palma Christi Beans.
J. A. WORTH.
Fayetteville, Oct 8

Fayetteville Arsenal and Armory,
June 30, 1864.
$100 BOUNTY.
Wanted, 40 Mounted Riflemen.
AUTHORITY having been granted by the War Department to raise a Company of Mounted Riflemen for service in this vicinity, notice is hereby given that recruits to the number of 40 *non conscripts* will be received for this service, to fill up the company to the required Number of 100. Each recruit will be required to furnish a serviceable horse, for which he will be allowed 40 cents per diem, and his pay $12 per month. *Written permission* will be required from parents or guardians, where the applicant is under the conscript age.
Each recruit must bring with him a blanket or bed spread, and come prepared to remain.
Bridles, saddles, halters and saddle blankets furnished by the Government, or if the recruit comes provided with them, he will be paid for them a fair valuation.
Apply to Major MATTHEW P. TAYLOR, at the Arsenal. F. L. CHILDS,
45 tf] Lieut. Col. C. S. A. Comd'g Post.

FLOUR AND OATS.
FLOUR and OATS will be exchanged for Corn at the Store of D. McLaurin, by giving him a few days notice. Flour good. Oats No. 1, black or white.
Jan'y 29. 2-tf

Nurse Wanted.
A TRUSTY good tempered colored woman is wanted to hire as nurse to an infant. Apply to Mrs. E. M. WALKER, Hay Mount.
June 30 45tf



RAGS! RAGS!!—The inferior quality of the paper on which the Observer has been printed of late, and which is a great eye-sore to us, is owing to the want of a sufficient supply of good rags, and the consequent necessity to resort to inferior materials. We appeal to the friends of the Observer at all accessible points, to save up and bring to town all the rags they can procure. We have no time ourselves to attend to their purchase but Messrs. Geo. W. Williams & Co., the Agents in this town of Mr. Murphy, will pay 15 cents per lb. for them.
E. J. HALE & SONS.
Feb'y 15. 5-tf

State of North Carolina,
ROBESON COUNY.
Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, A. D. 1864
IT was ordered by said Court, that from and after this Term, Monday of each Term be assigned for the trial of the State Docket. All parties, witnesses and defendants, are notified to attend on Monday of next Term of said Court to be holden for said County, at the Court House in Lumberton, on the fourth Monday of September next. J. R. CARTER, C. S. C.
Lumberton, N. C., July 20 51 6w3pd

A Chance to Invest Confederate Money.
THE undersigned will sell his STORE LOT at Allensville, Person county, N. C., containing 11 acres of Land, with a large Store House, Grocery House, Office and two Log Houses all nearly new, nicely painted, is 60 yards of a Church, in a healthy section of country. There is a tract of land adjoining which can be bought, a good stand for a store and location for a Doctor. Any person wishing to purchase would do well to come and see, or address me at Allensville, Person county, N. C.
WM. R. ROYSTER, Agent.
June 18. 44*9tpd

State of North Carolina,
RICHMOND COUNTY
Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, 1864.
Joseph McCulloch vs James Butler.
Attachment Levied on Land.
IN this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the Defendant, James Butler, resides beyond the limits of the State: It is therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made in the Fayetteville Observer, a newspaper published in the Town of Fayetteville, for six consecutive weeks, notifying said Defendant to be and appear at the next term of this Court to be holden for said County, in the Court House in Rockingham, on the third Monday of September next, then and there to replevy or plead to said attachment, otherwise judgment will be entered against him, and the land levied on condemned to Plaintiff's use.
Witness Randol S. McDonald, Clerk of our said Court, at office in Rockingham, 3d Monday of March, A. D. 1864
50*6t] R. S. McDONALD, Clerk.

State of North Carolina,
MONTGOMERY COUNTY.
In Equity, Fall Term, 1864.
Charles McKinnon, Murdock McKinnon, and others, vs Sarah A. McKinnon, Margaret McKinnon, and others.
Petition for the Sale of Land for Partition.
IT appearing to my satisfaction, that Sarah A. McKinnon, Margaret McKinnon and John A. McKinnon, the defendants in the above petition, are non residents of this State: It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Fayetteville Observer for six weeks, notifying said defendants to be and appear at the next Court of Equity, to be held for the county of Montgomery, at the Court House in Troy, on the last Monday in August next, otherwise this petition will be heard ex parte as to them, and judgment pro confesso rendered against them.
Witness, Edmund J. Gaines, Clerk and Master in Equity, for said county, at office in Troy, July 10th, 1864.
53-1t*5tpd] E. J. GAINES, C. M. E.

Moore Superior Court of Law,
SPRING TERM, 1864.
George S. Cole, Adm'r, vs. Mary Muse, et al.
ON motion it is ordered, that Mary Muse is appointed Guardian for Samuel T. Muse, Mary Ann Muse, David Muse and Effy J. Muse.
It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that John A. Muse has arrived at the age of majority, and further, that he is a non resident of the State, it is ordered, that publication be made in the Fayetteville Observer for six weeks.
Witness, J. H. Caddell, Clerk of our said Court, at Office in Carthage, the Monday before the last Monday in Feb'y 1864. Issued June 20, 1864.
47*6t] J. H. CADDELL, C. S. C.

Office Post Quartermater,
FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT, N. C.,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., July 28th, 1864.
To the Farmers of the 4th Congressional District.
NOTICE is hereby given that in the collection of Tax in Kind for the Crops of 1864 that no Receipt to the farmer is valid except from a regular authorized Tithe Agent, appointed either by the County Agent or myself—the receipt of any other man, whether officer or not, will not be received. The Tax Payer will be notified when the Agents are ready to receive, and no man can say until he has the Assessor's estimate with him to show the amount due, and his receipt will be upon his estimate. J. M. McGOWAN,
51 2w2tsw] Capt. & Post Q. M.
Carolinian, Presbyterian, and Wilmington Journal one time and send bill to Capt. McGowan.

TAX IN KIND, Assessor's Notice.
HAVING been appointed Assessor for the Tax in Kind, I respectfully request the producers on the East side of the River to meet me at the following times and places to list their crops of Wheat, Oats, Rye, cured Hay (if ready,) and Wool, *produced during the present year*. The above named crops *must be* listed before delivery. Much trouble will be saved *by listing promptly* before it is too late. Appointments:
Cedar Creek Dist, at Terebintho, Monday, Aug 8.
Cook's Creek Dist, Joseph Cade's, Wednesday, Aug 10,
Flea Hill Dist, Mary's Garden, Thursday, Aug 11
Silver Run Dist, David McNeill's, Esq, Friday, Aug 12,
Black River Dist, Smith's Mills, Saturday, Aug 13.
Only one round will be made for the above crops, so it is evident that everybody must appear and list promptly. O. H. BLOCKER, Assessor
July 28. 54 *&w

TAX IN KIND.
THE Farmers of Cumberland County West of Cape Fear River, are requested to meet me at the following times and places, prepared to list their Wheat, Oats, Rye, cured Hay, and Wool:
Gray's Creek Dist, at Bethel Church, Aug 17.
Rockfish Dist, at Rockfish Village, Aug 18.
Quewhiffle Dist, at Mrs J A McKethan's, Aug 19,
Seventy-First Dist, at D C Munroe's, Aug 20,
Carver's Creek Dist, at Kingsbury, Aug 22.
Fayetteville Dist, at Market House, Aug 23.
J. A. JOHNSON, Assessor.
July 30, 1864 54*2t&2tswpd

ENROLLING OFFICE,
HARNETT COUNTY, July 25, 1864.
AFTER this date my Headquarters will be at Johnsonville, on the Western Plank Road, leading from Fayetteville to Carthage.
All free white men between the ages of 45 and 50 years of age, that have not reported for enrolment of this county and of Black River, Silver Run and Carver's Creek Districts of Cumberland, are hereby ordered to report to these Headquarters on the 10th day of August 1864. Any person failing to report promptly on that day will be sent to the army. No excuse will be considered reasonable.
The Militia Officers of their respective Districts will see that this order is enforced. A. H. TOLAR,
54- tf] Capt and E. C. for Harnett county.

Bank Stock at Auction.
ON Wednesday the 10th inst., will be sold at Auction,
85 Shares Bank of Clarendon Stock
78 " Bank of Fayetteville Stock
JOHN H. COOK, Auct'r.
Aug 1 54 3t

FOR SALE.
A SMALL STEAM ENGINE, in excellent running order, with Belts, Pullies, &c., complete; has been used but little.
—ALSO—
2 Turning Lathes, one large and one small,
with a full set of Heads and Fixtures;
Together with a large lot of
Turners' Tools, Screw Cutters, Hand and Web Saws, Vises, Clamp Screws, &c., &c.
—ALSO—
A Lot of HORNS and BRIAR ROOTS.
Apply to Mrs LEBERLES, Hay Street,
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A GOOD DWELLING HOUSE and all necessary outhouses at the McNeill plantation on Carver's Creek, nine miles from Fayetteville, is offered for the balance of this year free of rent to any good family who will move to it to be there merely as a protection to the growing crop. It is a very healthy place, with good spring water.
G. W. LAWRENCE
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Lt. JOHN P. McLEAN.
CONTRARY to my first resolves on the subject, I feel called upon to say a word in the canvass for members of the Legislature.
In a communication which appeared in the Observer of the 28th inst, headed, "*Beware of Holdenites*," signed "A Voter," there is an implied charge of *disloyalty* or *Holdenism*, against Lieut. John P. McLean, which in his absence, and in justice to his character, I take upon myself to pronounce *unjust and false*, and to say that the author of the communication has perpetrated a slander upon an absent soldier, which I hope the good people of Cumberland and Harnett will signally and indignantly rebuke at the ballot box on next Thursday.
Lt J P McLean had assented six months ago to be a candidate—a fact which was known to his friends—he has been absent with his Regiment ever since. The announcement of his name, as to time, &c, was left to his friends. He assented to be a candidate partly on account of his failing health, rendering him unsuited to camp life, and partly to serve the solicitations of friends. He is not responsible for the association of his name with others on any ticket, but is personally interested and solicitous for his own success without reference to other candidates. His character and position is too well known to require further assurance of his soundness or further testimony as to his claims upon the public for their favor, their confidence and support at the coming election. Let justice be done.
A FRIEND TO AN ABSENT SOLDIER.
July 20, 1864. 54 2tpd

AIRAM'S SALVE.
THIS SALVE has been thoroughly tested for many years, and is now offered to the public with the guarantee that it possesses all the valuable healing properties claimed for it. For all cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, risings, felons, blisters, ulcers, excoriations, sore nipples, ulcers and gathered breasts, and for all *wounds* of every description it will be found eminently successful in affording relief and effecting a cure.
It is peculiarly adapted to wounds exhibiting symptoms of erysipelas. It will also be found one of the best applications to the breast when it becomes necessary to dry up the secretion of milk.
None genuine without the signature of the Proprietor.
Reference is made to the following persons who have used the Salve and can testify to its healing powers:
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Pure Blackberry Brandy.
I HAVE for sale about forty gallons of BLACKBERRY BRANDY. This Brandy was distilled, with great care, under my own supervision from the pure juice of the Blackberry, and is perfectly free from all adulteration and of very high proof. As a medicine it is invaluable and is superior to French Brandy.
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HENRY E. COLTON, Fayetteville, N. C.
July 27. 53-tf

GENERAL POLK—A REMINESCENCE

ATLANTA, June 19, 1864.—The death of Gen. Polk is still the theme of conversation. It was announced in the Yankee army the day after it occurred. What a beautiful order that was of Gen. Johnston! The finest production on record I think.

At Resaca Gen. Polk was more than commonly subdued in spirit. At first I attributed this to the fatigue of his march from Demopolis, which had been long, wearisome and exposed, but his health and vigor seemed very robust, and I began to be of the opinion that his mind was uneasy about the situation. He afterwards told me that he had been in the greatest suspense all day on Sunday. "The enemy, sir," said he, "had it in their power at any moment after the loss of those hills on Saturday night, to burn our bridges and completely cut us off; and I was racked by the thought that they would improve the golden opportunity. But God is with us, sir, God is with us." It was on Sunday night that we retreated from Resaca. About noon that day the General took out his lunch (a bit of cold ham and hard tack, and I believe a piece of mutton) and as I happend to be near him offered to divide. I thanked him, but declined. "Tut, tut," said he. "I see from your Lungry face that you have had no breakfast, and I insist upon it—there's quite enough for both of us." "Very well, General, but suppose I look up a safer place."

The old man looked above him, and a brace of shells came screaming along not far off. "Certainly, certainly, that will be more agreeable." I found a tree under the hill, came back and reported, and we sought the shelter, where we set to over the luncheon with lively appetites. Presently a schrapnel tore the branches just above us from the trunk, exploding and sending its leaden entrails all about us. "Umph!" exclaimed the General, shrugging his shoulders, "you're a nice fellow to send out after a safe place. I guess we'd as well move back to the front."

The day before this he had made a very narrow escape from the enemy's sharpshooters. He went riding with Captain Hunt, of Hardee's staff, and several of his own military family at the time. They were passing down Cheatham's line, and the Tennesseans, with whom Gen. Polk had always been a great favorite, were cheering him. The party paused in front of a regiment, and a group collected which attracted the yankee fire. In an instant, Captain Hunt's horse fell dead on one side of the General and the horse of a courier directly on the other. "Ha! that is paying pretty dear for a little handshaking," said the General; "good day, Colonel. Pick yourself up, Hunt, my dear fellow, and let's get out of this."

The last time I ever saw him he was at New Hope. He was full of business, and talked little. What a bereavement and breaking up to the most charming military family in the army.

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Rev. Dr. Quintard, of Atlanta, at the funeral ceremonies of Lieut. General Polk, in the course of his remarks made the following statements in regard to the religious character of the fallen hero. We clip from a report in the Atlanta Register:

It was my privilege to enjoy his friendship—it was my privilege to share his few hours of unrestrained social intercourse. And if there was one thing above another, which always shone forth, it was his unshaken confidence in God's providence—his unshaken trust in God's love—his unshaken confidence in God's faithfulness.

He was eminently a man of prayer—not praying where he could be seen of men, but retiring to commune with God in secret. He never ceased his devotions. He was instant in prayer; and I remember how, after the bloody field of Perryville, when the noise and heat of the battle had passed, we were in the town of Harrodsburg. There was a beautiful church there, rich in architectural proportions and carved work. He asked me to visit it with him. As we walked up the aisle alone, he exclaimed, with emotion, "Oh, for the days when we went up to the house of the Lord, and compassed His altar with the voice of prayer and thanksgiving."

Reaching the chancel he said to me, "can we not have prayers?" and we kneeled down, poured out our hearts to God, and he left the sanctuary with a face all bathed in tears. Such a soldier did not fight for fame. I remember at Chickamauga, as we were seated upon the ground a few days after the battle, he said to me, "God answered my prayers in giving us this great victory, for I prayed long and earnestly that he might bless our arms."

Yes, he was emphatically a man of prayer. The last few weeks of his life were more than others consecrated by prayer. As we look back upon them, now that he is gone, we see how God was preparing him for the higher communion of the church triumphant.

At midnight, with a faithful few, he baptized one of his companions in arms, the gallant Hood; and received, a few days later, his commanding General into the Church of Christ. His last Sunday on earth he gathered all his staff and attendants about him, and with prayer and with litany, supplication, and praise, seemed to leave them his benediction. He was greatly beloved by his troops. The tears of his commanding general were mingled with those of his privates when he fell. And oh! beloved, we are all smitten—the army, the country and the Church. We lift up our voice here between the porch and the altar, and cry to God for mercy. Mercy to our bleeding land, mercy to the hearts crushed by this monster calamity. Oh, God! lift up the rod, lest we be utterly consumed. Judge, oh, God! between us and our enemies.

The Currency.—Our new Secretary of the Treasury has commenced his administration by the adoption of a measure which, we think, will improve our currency. He has authorized the Depositories to receive currency on deposit on call at 4 per cent interest. It has been suggested that our Banks should now loan all their surplus funds to Government, and utterly refuse to discount for speculators, and we shall soon see a fall in prices; or, at all events, a check to any further advance in the necessaries of life.

Charleston Mercury.

Atlanta.—Atlanta is completely stripped of every thing in the way of army material, and the greater portion of its private and personal moveable property. If the enemy capture it they will not get much in that respect.—*Macon Confed., 23d.*