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### FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 9.

The following Proclamation was issued this morning by the President:

### PROCLAMATION.

By the President of the United States of America:

WHEREAS: In the month of July, anno domini, 1861, the two Houses of Congress, with extraordinary unanimity, solemnly declared that the war then existing was not waged on the part of the Government in any purpose of oppression, or for any purpose of conquest or subjugation, but for the purpose of restoring and interfering with the rights of established institutions of the States, and to defend and maintain the supremacy of the Constitution, and to preserve the Union with all the dignity, equality and rights of the several States, unimpaired, and as soon as these objects should be accomplished, the war ought to cease, and

Whereas, the President of the United States, on the 8th day of December, anno domini, 1861, and on the 26th day of March, anno domini, 1862, did, with the object of suppressing the then existing rebellion, of inducing all persons to return to their loyalty, and of restoring the authority of the United States, issue proclamations offering amnesty and pardon to all persons who had directly participated in the then existing rebellion, except as therein excepted, amnesty and pardon, with restoration of all rights of property, except as to slaves, and except in certain cases where legal proceedings had been instituted, but upon condition that such persons should take and subscribe an oath therein prescribed, which oath should be registered for permanent preservation, and

Whereas, In said proclamations mentioned, the 29th day of May, anno domini, 1865, fourteen exceptions of persons therein specially described, were altogether excepted and excluded from the benefits thereof, and

Whereas, The President of the United States did, on the 2d day of April, anno domini, 1866, issue a proclamation declaring that the insurrection was at an end, and was henceforth to be so regarded, and

Whereas, There now exists no organized armed resistance of misguided citizens, or those opposed to the authority of the United States in the States of Georgia, South Carolina, Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Florida and Texas, and the laws can be sustained and aid, the

therin by the proper civil authority, State or Federal, and the people of said States are well and loyally disposed, and have conformed—or, if permitted to do so, will conform in their Legislatures, to the condition of affairs growing out of the Amendments to the Constitution of the United States prohibiting slavery within the limits and jurisdiction of the United States, and

Whereas, There no longer exists any reasonable ground to apprehend within the States which were involved in the late rebellion any renewal thereof or any unlawful resistance by the people of said States to the Constitution and laws of the United States, and

Whereas, Large standing armies, military occupation, martial law, military tribunals, or the suspension of the privilege of the writ of habeas corpus, and the right of trial by jury, are in time of peace dangerous to public liberty, incompatible with the individual rights of the citizens, contrary to the genius and spirit of our free institutions and exhaustive of the national resources, or allowed except in case of actual necessity for repelling invasion or suppressing insurrections or rebellion, and

Whereas, A retaliatory and vindictive policy, attended by unnecessary disqualifications, pains, penalties, confiscation and disfranchisements now, as always, could only tend to hinder reconstruction among the people and national restoration, while it most seriously embarrasses, obstructs and represses popular energies and national industry and enterprise, and

Whereas, For these reasons it is now deemed essential to the public welfare, and to the more perfect restoration of constitutional law and order, that the last mentioned proclamation as aforesaid, issued on the 29th day of May, 1865, should be modified, and that the full benefits and pardon conceded thereby, should be opened and extended to a large number of the persons who, by its aforesaid exceptions have been precluded from executive clemency:

Now, therefore, be it known that I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, do hereby proclaim and declare, that the full pardon described in the said proclamation of 28th May, 1865 shall henceforth be opened and extended to all persons who directly or indirectly participated in the late rebellion, with the restoration of all privileges, immunities and rights of property, except as to property with regard to slaves, and except in cases of legal proceedings under the laws of the United States; but upon this condition, nevertheless, that every such person, who shall seek to avail himself of this proclamation, shall take and subscribe the following oath, and shall cause the same to be registered for permanent preservation in the same manner and with the same effect as with the oath prescribed in said proclamation of 29th May, 1865, namely:

"I do solemnly swear, or affirm, in presence of Almighty God, that I will henceforth faithfully support, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States and the union of the States thereunder, and that I will in like manner abide by and faithfully support all laws and proclamations which have been made during the rebellion with reference to the emancipation of slaves, so help me God."

The following persons, and no others, are excluded from the benefit of this proclamation, and of the said proclamation of the 29th May, 1865, namely: first—the chief or pretended chief executive officers, including the President, the vice-President and all heads of Departments of the pretended Confederate, or rebel Government, all who were agents thereof in foreign States or countries, and all who held or pretended to hold, in the service of the said pretended Confederate Government, a military rank or title above the grade of Brigadier General, or naval rank or title above that of Captain, and all who were, or pretended to be, Governors of States while maintaining and abetting, or submitting and acquiescing, in the rebellion.

2d. All persons who, in any way treated otherwise than as prisoners of war, persons who in any capacity were employed or engaged in the military or naval service of the United States.

3d. All persons who, at the time they may seek to obtain the benefits of this proclamation, are in civil, military or naval confinement or custody, or legally held to bail, either engaged directly or indirectly in the assassination of the late President of the United States, or in any plot or conspiracy in any manner therewith connected.

In testimony whereof, I have signed these presents, and caused the seal of

the United States to be thereupon affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, the 7th Sept. 1867. By the President, ANDREW JOHNSON. W. H. SEWARD, Sec. State.

### N. F. BURNHAM'S CELEBRATED FRENCH JONVAL TURBINE WATER-WHEEL.

This WHEEL, the GREATEST INVENTION of the age, surpasses all other wheels in power, economy of water, and steadiness of run, simple in construction and a masterpiece of workmanship. It is not liable to get out of order, and from its position in the flume is accessible at all times.

It is cheaper than any other Wheel (of same weight and finish) in market.

Send for circular.

Persons ordering these WHEELS can have them put up by most competent workmen at a small cost.

Will also contract for the erection of Mills and Factories for all kinds of manufacturing purposes; both of Steam and Water Power.

Address all orders to

E. H. CHESTERMAN, Millwright and Engineer, Richmond, Va. Sole Agent for Va. and N. C. Aug 29-3m. 32

### Dissolution of Copartnership

LINCOLNTON, Aug. 13th, 1867. The Copartnership of STUBBS & CLOSE, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All parties that we have claims against must come forward at once and make settlement. Those having claims against us must present the same at once.

E. W. STUBBS, J. E. CLOSE.

The business will hereafter be conducted by STUBBS & CAUBLE. (see the advertisement) and we bespeak the patronage of the public for the new firm.

E. W. STUBBS, J. E. CLOSE.

### Richmond Type Foundry.

The only Manufactory of Type on southern soil, South of Baltimore.

THE Proprietor of the above Foundry have also united with their Foundry a complete

Printer's Furnishing Warehouse. Having on hand or furnished to order, every article requisite for a Printing Office.

From a Bodkin to a Ten Cylinder Press.

Type and Printing Material from any Foundry North furnished when required. We can and will manufacture in Richmond as good an article, at the same specimen prices as any Foundry North. We respectfully solicit the patronage of the South.

HENRY L. PELOUZE & CO.

We refer you to every Printer in the City. We also desire every Newspaper in the South to copy this advertisement or one month sending us one copy of their paper, and receive their pay for such advertisement upon purchasing five times the amount of their bill from us.

Feb 22 H. L. P. & CO.

### The Raleigh Sentinel

Published Daily, Semi-Weekly and Weekly, Raleigh, N. C.; Wm. E. Pell, proprietor and State Printer. Edited by W. E. Pell and Seaton Gales.

THE SENTINEL is an Independent Newspaper—a warm supporter of the Union and the Constitution, of Andrew Johnson, our magnanimous President, and his policy, and devoted especially to the recuperation and prosperity of the South and of North Carolina.

It labors to promote harmony, good feeling and equal rights among all the races, but will rebuke all unfounded expressions against the loyalty and the integrity of the Southern people.

Special attention will be paid to the news and market departments.

Full proceedings of the Legislature and all important State papers appear in the Sentinel.

Its circulation is believed to be equal to any in the State, if not the largest. Its advertising patronage is large and growing. The daily and weekly are now issued—the semi-weekly will appear in a short time.

Terms:—Daily, in advance, per year \$10 00; Semi weekly, \$5.00; Weekly \$3 50.

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### FOR SALE.

A second hand BUGGY, in first rate repair. Will be sold very cheap for cash or country produce. Inquire at this office.

Aug 16'67-24.

## PAY UP! PAY UP!!

All persons indebted to me will confer a great favor by calling and settling their accounts, as I need my money.

J. F. SPECK.

Lincolnton, Aug., 8th 1867.

N. B.—Hereafter all accounts must be settled at the end of every month, and those failing to comply with the above, need not ask for further indulgence.

J. F. S.

### Boot and Shoe Factory,

LINCOLNTON, N. C.

[Next Door to Lincoln Courier Office.]

J. F. SPECK, begs leave to inform his friends that he has engaged skillful workmen, and is now employed in the manufacture of

BOOTS, SHOES & BROGANS.

Their supply will be made out of the best Leather and the workmanship shall not be excelled by any other Manufacturer, North or South.

Every article Warranted as represented.

No Auction Stock.

No Paper or Wooden soles. One price to all.

Mr. JAMES CAMPBELL, well and most favorably known by this community as a fashionable and skillful workman, has been engaged and he is now prepared to please his many friends and former patrons.

Call upon us and leave your measures.

On hand and for sale, LEATHER FINDINGS, &c., which will be sold cheaper than they can be bought elsewhere. Call and see.

All orders promptly attended to

J. F. SPECK.

Feb 22'67

### Settlements.

The subscriber takes occasion to notify his patrons that he has adopted as a rule, Monthly Settlements, say on the first of each month, and he hopes that those now indebted will respond promptly.

Those making accounts hereafter will take notice that their bills must be attended to monthly.

April 12'67-11 J. F. PECK.

### B. F. GRIGG,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Returns his grateful thanks to the citizens of Lincolnton and surrounding country, for the liberal patronage which they have bestowed upon him, and he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same. He flatters himself that by close attention to the study of his business, and the special instructions he received from one of the most fashionable houses in New York, that he is competent to please the most fastidious in taste.

He would also notify his patrons that interest will be charged on all accounts not settled at the expiration of thirty days.

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### Medical Notice.

J. M. LAWING. : : T. H. MEANS.

### Drs. LAWING & MEANS,

Having associated themselves in the practice of MEDICINE and its kindred branches, offer their Professional services to the people of Lincolnton and vicinity. They hope to merit by their close and prompt attention to business a liberal share of the public patronage.

They can always be found at the Drug Store, when not Professionally engaged.

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### MACHINE WORKS.

E. W. STUBBS; : R. W. CAUBLE.

### STUBBS & CAUBLE.

The undersigned having entered into a Special Copartnership, for the purpose of MANUFACTURING and REPAIRING all kinds of MACHINERY, respectfully ask a share of the public patronage.

Steam Engines, Saw and Grist Mill Irons, wood and iron Turning Lathes, Shafting and Gearing of all kinds, Horse Power and Threshing Machines, Forges and Brass Castings, fitted up in the best manner.

### Blacksmith-Shop.

We do all kinds of custom work with neatness and dispatch.

Terms, to regular customers, a settlement monthly, all others cash on delivery of work. STUBBS & CAUBLE.

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## Fresh Goods.

J. C. JENKIN'S Stand.

I am now receiving DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GLASSWARE

AND GROCERIES,

Together with a variety of such articles and goods, as are generally found in similar establishments.

Also a fine stock of Ladies Dress Goods, Ladies Hats, Bonnets, &c., &c.

J. C. JENKINS.

April 19'67-12

### Ice Lemonade.

If you want a good cool glass of ICE LEMONADE, call at the Grocery Store, where you will find Messrs ALEXANDER and CROWSON, at all times ready to wait upon you.

LEMONADE will be furnished by the Quart or Gallon to families at reasonable rates.

June 20'67 if 21 J. F. PECK.

### CHEAP PRINTING PAPER.

TO EDITORS AND PUBLISHERS.

LETTER FROM W. G. CLARK, ESQ. PRESIDENT OF THE SOUTHERN PRESS ASSOCIATION.

ATLANTA, GA., April 18, 1867.

J. S. THRASHER, ESQ.—DEAR SIR: It affords me much pleasure to communicate to you the following resolution of the Southern Press Association: Resolved, That as a testimonial of our appreciation for the zealous, faithful and effective service of John S. Thrasher, Esq., as Superintendent of this Association in years past, we hereby tender him the thanks of this Association and confer upon him the complimentary position of Agent of the Southern Press Association in the City of New York:

The terms of commendation employed in the above resolution do no more than justice to your important services during your Superintendency-service which none had better opportunity to know, and none, can more highly appreciate than myself. Should occasion require, I shall be glad to avail myself of the aid provided for by the resolution.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. G. CLARK, President.

### NOTICE.

I would respectfully request every Daily Tri-Weekly, Semi-Weekly, Weekly and Monthly Journal, South of the Potomac and Ohio Rivers, and the 36th deg. 30 min. parallel of latitude west of the Mississippi, to publish this advertisement twice, and send to me at New York, each time, a copy of the paper containing it, post paid, with bill for same.

It is desirable, in my combinations to procure cheaper printing paper for Southern journals, that I shall have the fullest information regarding the sizes of paper used by the several publications, and I can procure it in no other way than by requesting particular attention to the need of sending copy of the publication with the bill.

I desire it sent twice to provide against mail failures, and that they be post-paid to secure post office delivery.

J. S. THRASHER, Sep 5'67 Box 5 939 New York.

### Dissolution.

The Copartnership which existed between C. C. HENDERSON and G. H. MARTIN, under the style of HENDERSON & MARTIN, having been formed to do the Stone Work for a Bridge on the Congaree River on the C. & A. R. R. ad, was dissolved on the 10th of this month (July), as the Job was completed on that day. The Business of the Company will be settled up by C. C. HENDERSON.

G. H. MARTIN.

July 30th, 1867. Aug 2'67.

### The Carolina Times,

R. P. WARING, EDITOR & PROP.

The Daily Times is furnished at \$7 00 per annum; six months, \$4.00; three months, \$2 50, in advance.

The Tri Weekly Times is published every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and supplied for \$5.00 per annum; six months \$2 50; three months, \$1 50, payable in advance.

The Weekly News, containing 28 columns, a transcript of the Daily Times, is published every Tuesday, at \$2.00 per annum; \$1.50 for six months.

Advertising Terms.—For one square, ten lines or less, \$1.00 for first insertion and 50 cents for each subsequent insertion. A reasonable deduction made for Advertisements inserted for a longer period than one month. Advertisements inserted in the Weekly News at \$1.00 per square, for each insertion.

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