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The decision of Judge Pearson threatens a serious conflict with the Confederate Government, unless steps are st once resolved on to prevent it. This decision carries no authority, and ought not to carry any. It is adverse to the decision of every Judge, in every other State, so far as we have heard. It is adverse to Judge Pearson's own decisions made in the case of the Fayetteville Bank, and in that of the Wilmiggton and Raleigh R. R -In both of which, under far inferior necessities, the violation of a contract by the sovereign was upheld and justified. But the force of this decision is further weakened, by the settled public opinion, that it is in accordance with fixed predjudices and sympathies, and not the result of unbiased legal conviction. The public were as well satisfied before it was made, how it would be, as after it was done. Indeed, the general rumor bas it, that on several occasions the Chaf Justice had committed himself, in writing, against the act of Congress, so explicitly as to make any argument a mere absurd form, or the presence of other Judges for consultation a useless ceremony. But the decision is now made-and added thereto is the further ruling : "That the suspension of the Hibeas Cor pus does not apply in these cases."

The Government will hold that it does-and its efficers will neither obey Judge Pearson's writ, nor his summons-but will proceed to sen I the conscripts to the camp. Then, the question arises, will any Julge attach the officers? If he do, the officer will resist under orders, and employ his command in self-defence. The Sheriff will then summon his posse, and Government will strengthen its officer. The Government being still the stronger, the ministerial officer will call upon the Governor-and there the dread responsibility at last will rest.

Unless wisdom and prudence, and patriotic duty shall control the Judges, an issue may be sprung of a most dangerous character.

What is the duty of a Judge under such circumstances? Why, clearly, to abstain-to reconsider and stop. The act of Congress and its meaning are too clear for dispute. Its purpose, as shown by the proviso to the 5th section, is to prevent "ALL ATTEMPTS to avoid military service," by placing the whole question of liability under the control of the War Department. By this means only could uniformity, justice, and above all, the overriding necessity of the nation be met. The Government now cannot shrink from the full discharge of the duty imposed-nor can it wait until June when the Court meets; for before then the fate of the nation may be decided .-The soldier, brave and heroic, but few in number, has appealed for every possible supply to fill his ranks. He has re-enlisted for himself, and will do or die; but he would rather to do-and to this end, he has implored the Government to bring to his side the idle and useless thousands at home, who have too long been sheltered behind his courageous service.

The Government will do it. It can't afford to wait on Judge Pearson or any other Judge. Besides, when the Court meets, even if the two other Judges differ, it will at last carry no authority, as the decision of an appellate tribunal. It would be the mere dictum of two Judges against one. This would not bind even Judge Pearson ; for he has already committed himself to be bound by the act of the first Judge; (as we have heard,) yet now, he has receded from this position.

So, that there remains no escape, but by prudence and discretion.

The acts of the government must be prompt and up to the necessity of the case. And if a Judge shall place himself in the attitude of aiding the conscript to desert, or of encouragiag desertion-or if he shall give "aid and comfort" to the enemy by using his judicial process to deprive the government of the service of those who owe it, that Judge may be in danger of TREASON -and in these days of dark danger, no obstacle must impede the cause of independence and safety. On a trial for this species of treason, the mere construction of the act of Congress would determine the crimeand Judge Biggs is clothed with an authority of opinion quite as ample as that of any State Judge.

The condition of things in North Carolina must be met, and will be met. If extreme measures become necessary, they will be adopted. For ourselves we are free to say, rather, if a blow must fall, let it strike the guilty who know what they do. We pity the poor and ignorant. The criminal who knows better, is the proper subject for punishment, and for example. No, the government cannot retard its action until June, for then thousands of useful arms would be lost in the most important moments of the nation's necessity-and the spirit of those in the field will be depressed by the intelligence that these sleek, oily, well-fed and doubly-paid principals have made their escape. Policy, justice, necessity forbid the government to delay. Its action will be right and proper, and that will fix the guilty responsibility wherever it may belong.

Brig. Gen. Baldwin was killed by a fall from his horse at Mobile, recently,

The glorious spirit of the Troops, evinced in the chivalrous canulation in the re-enlistment for the war-the response of the President by an Address to the Army replete with a bold and manly accusation of the nefarious purposes of our foes-with a hopeful assurance of our ultimate success, and a touching recognition of the soldier's claim upon the nation's confidence and the people's gratitude -abonce gave comfort and joy to the heart of the country.

Congress has met its grave responsibilities with a like patriotic firmness, and advanced itself to the standard of the popular expectations. A series of measures, well matured, deliberately discussed and thoroughly examinel, have been passed-for the increase of the army-the restoration of the currency-the further support of the war-the administration of supplies from abroad—the correction of evil practices by speculators and extortioners, and the adaptation of the people to the economies and restraints necessarily incident to the raging revolution-and, not the least of their wise legislation, the withdrawal of a sacred prerogative of the State and privilege of the subject from that abuse which was fast running it into a political machine of evil.

At the close of its labors, in the spirit of a public servant who felt his responsibility to the public and who desired the public approval. Congress did put forth an Address to the Nation, worthy in style and matter of the occasion, of the body making, and of the constituency to whom it is dedicated.

It is known to have emanated from the pen of Mr. J. L. M. Curry, of Alabama. It bears the impres of a master mind-calm, temperate, moderate-it exposes the causes of our separation, the injustice of our enemies, their horrible atrocities and inhumanities, and their ulterior purpose of subjugation and destruction. In the same temper it displays our long torbearance-our united action in effecting the separation-the legal and constitutional medium through which we formed our new alliance, carry a universality of conviction among the people, that the new Government is the child of law instead of socition-of right instead of violence-of deliberation instead of

The whole address is a monument to Mr. Curry's capacity as a writer; to his ability as a statesman, and to his character as a christian. It is at the same time an instructive guide to the nation. It marks in precise and sententious terms, our anxiety for peace ; and defines within explicit boundaries the conditions of its acceptance. It recapitulates the evidences of our desire for peace, to be found in the oft-expressed sentiments of the press, of our public speakers and assemblies, in the consecutive efforts of our Government to enter upon negotiations at least to modify the inhumanities of war. It contrasts the sullen, malignant and repeated spurns of our offers, and the contemptuous rejection of all terms of conciliation and compromise by our enemies, with our own frequent expressions of desire for its advent; and it sums up in the presentation of the late Resolution passed by the Federal House of Representatives-the last defiant and vindictive determination of those who assail us-to oppose propositions for peace, to prosecute the war, and to enforce if possible their hateful domination on our people. Thus fortifying its position with impregnable bulwarks built upon the right-the truth—the justice of our cause—the necessity of our defence, and of maintaining it by the power of our strength; it rests upon the logical conclusion, that until a change of policy indicates a change of feelings on the side of the enemy-"any direct overtures for peace 'would compromise our self-respect, be fruit-'less of good, and interpreted by the enemy 'as an indication of weakness. We can only 'repeat the desire of the people for peace, and our readiness to accept-terms consistent with the honor and integrity and independence of the States, and compatible with the 'safety of our domestic institutions."

This announcement of Congress is reciprocated by the patriotic public. We would gladly hail peace on the terms submittednothing less would suffice, except to recreants

If any remnant of wisdom yet remains to the North, a party strong enough to put down abolition fanaticism may arise and succeed: and may propose to meet us on these fair and reasonable grounds. The people may be assured that our Government would lose not a moment in welcoming this overture, and in entering upon the necessary negotiations. In the mean time, the agitating and silly projects of State action, would but weaken the chances of such an overture, and lead to division among ourselves. The duty of patriotic men is to aid the Government-to put forth our military strength-to fill the army-to provide for its comfort-to sustain the poor at home, and leave the constituted authorities in their several spheres to the performance of their duty-untrammelled by agitations-agitations which produce no good-which only bring to the surface selfish politicians and weak, vain men, whose aspirations are satisfied with notoriety, while the people at large are disturbed and discontented.

Away with all such-and let us wait upon our Government-on our indomitable soldiers -the instruments, under a merciful and allwise Providence, by whom our deliverance is to be effected.

Rev. Dr. Moses D. Hoge, of Richmond, will preach in the Presbyterian Church, in this city, on Sunday (to-morrow) morning and afternoon.

We learn further, that Dr. Hoge will deliver his promised Lectures, in this city, on Monday and Tuesday evenings, next.

Secretary Mallory.

We have published, and invite the public attention to the report of the committee appointed by the two Houses of Congress, at its session before the last, to investigate the conduct and management of the affairs of the Navy De-

Mr. Mallory had been harshly accused, his capacity had been severely criticised, and altogether a public judgment had been prayed upon his administration, of condemnation and execution. The President was again and again urged to dismiss from his councils an incompetent and useless officer. The President, with that wisdom and prudence which mark a just and discriminating mind, refused to yield to popular clamor, but at once responded to the call of Congress.

to send for persons and papers. Mr. Secretary Mal ory courted the investigation, and in the language of the report "offered all information under his control and every facility for obtaining it he could employ," in order to a complete sifting inquiry. Evidence has been taken to fill a volume, and the result not only exonerates Secretary Mallory from every specific fault which has been laid to his charge, but the committee, by an unanimous decision, re-

"That the testimony does not furnish any sufficient grounds for imputing the shortcomings, failures and disasters of our Navy " to the Secretary; on the contrary, it shows "that he has been vigilant, industrious and en-"ergetic in employing the means within his " power to purchase and build a navy."

Mr Mallory, while in the United States Senate, had been for a long time on the committee of Naval affairs, and its chairman in the Senate. He had acquired an experience of many years' intimate official association with the best officers of the old Navy. He had devoted much labor and study to this branch of the public service; and he carried the confidence of the body, which again and again entrusted him with the interests of the navy.

The present investigation is a just tribute of approval to a faithful officer, and justifies to the President and country the fitness of his appointment and retention.

Those Georgia Resolutions.

A VERY WRONG WRIGHT. It will be recollected that a Mr. Wright of Georgia, introduced into the House of Representatives of the late Congress, certain PEACE RESOLUTIONS. We have forborne heretofore to notice them, although they for a moment compensation allowed and expenses paid, gave much comfort to the agitators in this State, because the disposition of them was so curt and summary, that we were content to see them die, as they did, like a pig with a knife in his throat-one spurt, a squeal and a

But we have lately been accurately informed of their fate-and this is the recital of the birth, life, and death of this other "cradle joy "-a legitimate twin brother of our own "joie du berceau." (Mr. Dick will please

This Mr. Wright on one day when the States were called for resolutions, offered a paper to be read at the Clerk's table containing resolutions. A member immediately enquired what they were? and was informed they were PEACE RESOLUTIONS-and thereupon before they reached the reading desk, the House went into secret session. They never were read-never received-of course never considered. But, after Mr. Wright gave them out to be printed, it was found, that like our own "State action," they squinted at "terms with the enemy," and reconstruction-whereupon, a member prepared a reso lution for the expulsion of Mr. Wright; but before it could be presented, this worthy took leave of absence

"They missed him on the accustomed hill, Nor up the road, nor by the brook was he."

We won't vouch for the quotation, but the application we stand by.

And no more did Mr. Wright make his appearance during the session. He, his resolutions, and his intended Buncombe, all went off together-like a pinched out tallow candlea little smoke, a disagreeable odor, and then FORGOT. Such will be the fate of any ignorant and fool-hardy agitator, who may venture in the next Congress to tamper with its patriotic temper.

Senator Dortch.

In striking contrast with the position taken by Mr. Reade in his short life of Sepatorial duty, is the attitude maintained and the character carned by our other Senator, Mr. Dortch In our intercourse with members of that body we were greatly gratified to find that the representatives from North Carolina whom we last named, had inspired a universal respect for, and confidence in his practical business qualities. He has been a fast supporter of the cause and of the Government, and well merits the public commendation for his useful and valuable service.

The appointment of Mr. Davis to the Department of Justice, and to membership of his Cabinet, is another assurance from the President of his good disposition towards North Carolina. When history shall do her justice, and some are waiting. Our Board of Examiit will be seen that as well in his frank and unreserved official intercourse with Governor Vance-as in all other matters the President has endeavored in a marked and earnest manner to render justice to the State. In Mr. George Davis he selected a fit representative for the State in the Department to which he was assigned. From the time when this gentleman was first selected by both parties to a seat in the Senate, to the present, he has done no act and omitted no duty to forfeit the universal esteem in which he is held.

Now, as then, all moderate and unprejudeed men rejoice at his elevation; and our people generally will be pleased to know the warmth the Cabinet of the Executive.

Murder, Violence and Treason.

The following letter from Randolph county, will give some idea of the mischiel which the Agitators in North Carolina are producing .-And this will be but the beginning if stern and prompt measures be not taken to arrest the evils. We call the attention of the Confederate and State authorities to the enormities and outrages reported by our corres-

RANDOLPH Co., N. C., Feb. 22, 1864. Messrs. Editors: On last Wednesday, the 17th, several deserters went to the house of Mr. Pleasant Simons, of Montgomery county. Some four of them entered his house after the family had retired to bed and demanded bacon of him. He concluded to give them some and ordered his caughter to get it. She brought them two hams: they said that A committee was appointed, with full power | would not do, they must have more. They then went to the smoke-house, broke the door open and begun to cut down the ifeat; when an acquaintance, Mr. Jacob Sanders, who was lodging with Mr. Simons that night, got up and went out to them, with Mr. Simons. The deserters ordered them back in the house, or they would shoot them. They went back, but Mr. Sanders got a gun and repeater from Mr. Simons and went out armed, when the wretches fired on them, killing Mr. Sanders and mortally wounding Mr. Simons. Mr. Sanders fired twice or three times before he expired, and it is believed he killed the noted Bill Owens, and probably one other. Mr. Sanders died in fitteen minutes; Mr. Simons survived some twenty-four hours.

Mrs. Simons came out of the house to her husband, when the devils ordered her back is the house or they would put lead in her : that they had sent their sons to the war, and they were all a d--d set of secessionists, and took up a rock to put an end to Mr. Simons, as they said he was not quite dead. His daughter interceded, and they left to take off t eir wounded or dead. Six or eight balls went through the smoke-house door, and one ball through the dwelling house door. The yard was strewn with human gore: it stood in some places in puddles, where the men lay.

I attended the funeral of my friend Mr. Simons, who was a very respectable citizen, as was also Mr. Jacob Saunders—both men over 60 years of age, and leave large families, having sons in our army.

Only a few days previous, a Mr. Cagell was shot in the same neighborhood, but not mortally. Can nothing be done to put a stop to those acts of murder and treason?

The attention of Ministers of the Gospel in this State, is directed to the Advertisement of Col. Jno. A. Baker, 3d N. C. Cavalry, near Kinston. Here is an earnest appeal to the Preachers to minister to the spiritual wants of the soldiers of this regiment, with ample which we hope will not be disregarded by them. By the means adopted by Colonel Baker, the members of the various denominations can be served; from time to time, by ministers of their respective religious predilections-provided the Preachers will respond to the call made upon them. We trust that the religious papers of the State will call attention to the matter

We learn that the family of Col. Cantwell of this city, have received a letter from bim, which states that all the Confederate officers whose names begin with A, B, and C, who have been confined as prisoners of war at Johnson's Island, have been moved from that place to Point Lookout. Persons who have friends among those prisoners whose names begin with either of the above mitials, should address them at Point Lookout. We hope it is an en route movement for their exchange.

The assignment by the President of General Braxton Bragg to duty at the Seat of Government, is a distinguished testimonial to the worth and value of this able Soldier and true Patriot; while the concurrent approval of Gens. Cooper, Lee, Johnston and Beauregard, carry the weight of an authority that must silence opposition. The country could not afford to lose the services of Gen. Bragg, and North Carolina glories in being the mother of such sterling merit.

The brilliant success now achieving in a department under the command also of another of her sons, who is reverenced and cherished by her for his ancestral and individual worth, brings to the State a proud self-satisfaction .-Who shall question her renown, when the future will be filled with the deeds of these her illustrious representatives.

A Good Hint .- The Charleston Courier gives the papers in Alabama a wholesome hint, which some of the Press in other States might appropriate with benefit. It says:

Some of our exchanges in Alabama may be reminded without dictation, that their issues may reach Sherman as soon as a large portion of their Confederate readers.

It may be well to omit details as to places, purposes, or numbers-although the temptation to editorial strategy and advice is very

> For The Confederate. GREENSBORO', N. C., Feb. 24.

The conscript officer is this week enrolling n our county, and, as usual, the Examining Board have a number of sickly cases before them. One man has a very lame leg, who, before the constript law was passed could "dance all night, and go home with the girls in the morning." Another a stiff arm: another is deaf as a post, and another has a terrible stammering, and so on to the end of the chaper. Some get off; others are sent on, nation are a sober set of men, and thus far have given as general satisfaction as could be expected. Capt. Barnett, who takes the place of Capt. Anderson as Enrolling Officer, is a hightoned gentleman, but if he comes up

to Capt. A. in the affections of our people, will have to put on his best. The Standard has suspended! Well, thank God for that. I voted for Gov. Vance, and hope to do so again-was an anti-war man till to be one any longer would have entailed disgrace on my children. Now I go with you and the Observer for an honorable peace, but not a submission to Lincoln for the sake of a patched up peace.

Gen. Jo. Lane, formerly a United States Senator from Oregon, and candidate for the of his welcome by his present associated in Vice President in 1860, is now in the cattle trade in British Columbia

TELEGRAPHIC

REPORTS OF THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Entered according to act of Congress in the year 1863, by J. S. THRASHER, in the Clerk's office of the District Court of the Confederate States for the Northern District of Georgia.

> Glorious News from Mississippi. DEMOPOLIS, Feb. 26.

Later intelligence from Mississippi says-Gen. Forrest's loss during the recent engagements near Okalena, did not exceed two thousand, while the enemy's loss is estimated at 6,000.

Later in the evening of the 22d, the latter formed three separate lines and made a desperate stand-made three sabre charges on horsebackeach recoiled and were driven back with great slaughter. Many passed through our lines and were capture !. The roads are lined with sutlers' stores thrown away, dead horses and Yankees. Next morning, Gen. Forrest's command were too tired to continue pursuit, and Gen. Gholson. with six or seven hondred State troops arrived and went in pursuit. Many of the enemy's wounded fell into our hands. Among our wounded is Col. Barton, of Bell's brigade, severely in the breast. Gholson captured many prisoners, small arms, sabres, saddles, &c., and was pursuing their routed and seattered comrades about Pontotoc.

Gen. Forrest had two horses killed under him. He killed two Yankees with his sabre. We lost as many officers as men killed. Sherman's advance had reached Peaul river.

Sale of Stocks and Bonds.

RICHMOND, Feb. 26: At an auction to-day, bonds and stocks declined

on an average of 7 per cent. Sterling Exchange and gold also lower. Confederate eights, due 1874 and 1879, brought 124 to 1251/2. Fifteen million loan coupon bonds 175 average. Sugar and tobacco declined about one dollar

per pound to-day. Prices have a downward tendency .- Six million of dellars was funded at the Treasury yesterday.

From the North.

RICHMOND, Feb. 26.

A flag o' truca boat reached City Point yesterday, bringing U. S. papers of the 22d. They contain dispatches from the Southwest, giving fabulous reports of the success of Sherman and Grierson's expeditions. In Florida also it is represented as a complete Yankee success. The defeat of Dick Taylor near Natchez is likewise claimed.

Gold steady-on the 21st 1591. The Africa has arrived at Halifax with European dates up to the 7th. The Alexandra case is pending in Court of Exchequor on appeal. The case will probably be taken before the House of Lords.

Fighting had been going on in Denmark, but details not published. The Danes had evacu-

ated Schwelswig. In the House of Lords, Earl Derby characterize-

the foreign policy of Russel humiliating to England. Helrepudiates the idea of British responsibility to the United States for the depredations of the Alabama. Russell said England had not given the slightest promise of assisstance to Den-

Liverpool cotton market firmer.

From Charleston.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 26. One hundred and twenty shells fired at the city

TALLOW, 3 50@4.00 An official dispatch from Gen. Finnegan, dated Sandersville, via Tallahassee, 126th, says-"My advance forces occupy Baldwin. My main forces will reach there this afternoon. The enemy have retreated to Jacksonville."

For The Confederate.

RALEIGH, N. C. Feb, 26 1862. MESSES. EDITORS :- On Wednesd av evening last. I chanced to call at Major Foote's office, where the "Roll of Honor" is being prepared for our N. C. Troops. When in the Army of Northern Virginia, I heard of this " Roll," but had no idea it was so comprehensive. I wish all our brave soldiers thoroughly understood how much is here being done to hand down

the memory of themselves and their illustri-

ous deeds to all future generations.

This Bureau was established by the Legislature, and is in charge of Major Foote, who has -entered heart and soul into the work, and under those untiring labors the present plan has been admirably arranged and thoroughly systematized. It embraces the name, rank, residence, date of entering the service; whether volunteer, substitute, or conscript; time and place of those wounded. killed, died, discharged, dropped, cashiered or deserted; and a short-military sketch of every officer and private from our State-including all battles in which each has participated-and his conduct in every engagement. Ten large volumes are thus devoted to the different Regiments, Battalions. &c. Another is to contain biographical sketches of all our N. C. Generals; and lastly there is a mammoth "Scrap Book," in which are preserved sketches, resolutions, &c., from or concerning any of our Troops; editorials and personal references to special patriotic men and wemen who have displayed unusual exertions and sacrifices in feeding and clothing our destitute soldiers and their families, &c., &c.

It is intended, further, that all these volumes shall one day be printed, and embellished with elegant engravings of all our prominent men. What a glerious record this, to send forth to the world-of all the names and deeds of the heroic sons and daughters of the Old North State in this terrible struggle for nationality! What a roll of immortality! Then let the poor private remember that, though in comparative obscurity now, his name, as well as that of his commander, has a p'ace in his country's history, and in the hearts of his countrymen, that will never,

It will richly reward any one to call on Major Foote and examine these records. He will find the Major an obliging and accomplished gentleman, deeply devoted to the interest of the soldiers. By the way, would it not be a good idea

to get up another roll, that shall contain the

names of those speculators, extortioners, skulkers, &c., who have been fattening their vile carcasses by depreciating the currency, drawing the very life blood from the country, and reducing to starvation the families of many of our noble soldiers? What think you Messrs. Editorf? Very truly yours. N. C. SOLDIER.

[We second the move of our Correspondent, and would add to the "Roll of Infamy" the names of all Agitators, and all who aid and abet those who desire or "attempt to avoid military service." Let the "roll " be a complete one, embracing high officials as well as groveling cowards .- Ere. Correcte TE.]

ANOTHER PENINSULA RUMOR .- Early in the day of yesterday it was reported about the streets, in every quarter of the town, that the Yankees were again advancing on Richmond by way of the Peniusula, and that a heavy column had reached Diasound Bridge. Lat r in the day it was stated that their advance had reached Boar Swamp, on the Chickahominy, a few miles from Bottom's Bridge. In the evening we called upon the authorities. whom it was reasonable to presume would be advised if there was any foundation for the rumor, and were assured that it was a mere idle report. It is certain that there was no excitement or preparation to in icate that the city was threateningly menaced .- Richmond Dispatch, 25th.

Deserters are committing every kind of depredations in the region of the Chowan country. It appears, from the best information, that descriers from both armies find harbor there, and sally forth in squads numbering from ten to one hundred, and often are the actors in the most heart-rending scenes. A worse population were never before known to exist. Blood and robbery are the order of the day. Well may the loyal, who are thus made victims of a degraded race, exclaim: "How long ; O, how long ?""

MARRIED.

At the residence of the Bride's father, on the vening of the 24th of February, by the Rev. J. B. Anthony, Capt. JAMES M. Caowell, 28th N. C State Troops, to Miss MATTIE J. BARNHARDT, youngest daughter of Col. George Barnhardt, of Cabarrus County, N. C.

DIED.

At the residence of his mother, in Franklin Co., on Sunday, the 21st inst., of Chronic Diarrhoa, Captain THOMAS T. TERRELL, of Company G, 15th Regiment N. C. T., in his twenty-seventh year. -Capt. Ferrell entered the service in May, 1861, as a private, and was promoted by the confidence and respect of his comrades. won by his merits, to the rank which he held at his death. He was hardly ever absent from his Company, although his health was never good since he entered the army, and although it was often so bad as to render him unfit to be outside of a hospital; and thus by his devotion to his duty, this gallant soldier, who had passed unscathed through several of the bloodiest battles of the war, exposed himself to a more certain and sadder fate. The deceased came home on a sick leave of absence about the middle of December last, since which time he has not left his room, until borne out to his grave.

" How beautiful in death The warrior's corse appears, Embalmed by fond affection's breath, And bathed in serrow's tears!" Louisburg, Feb. 24, 1864.

Raleigh Market.

CORRECTED WEEKLY, BY J. W. ROGERS, GROCER.

RALBIGH, February 26, 1864. BACON, \$5.00 P lb.
BEEF, by the quarter, none.
BEESWAX, 4 00 P lb.
BUTTER 4.50@5.00 P lb. CH CKENS, 3.50@4.00 CORN...... 80 00 % bbl FLOUR...... 150 00 😿 bl. FODDER, 13.00@14 00 LARD, 3 75@4 00 P lb.
LOLASSES, 15@18.00 gal. NAILS...... 3.00 7 lb. PEAS, 20.00 & bus. POTATOES, Sweet,...... 15.00 P bush. RAGS,..... 15 % fb. SALT..... 60 7 1b SUGAR, 10.00 79 1b.

[From the Observer.

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET. February 25, 1864. Beef......190@1.25 Becswax......2.50 Butter......3.50@4.00 Cotton......1.50 Cotton Yarn......20@37.50 Dried Fruit....... 1 00@1,25 Fodder.....11.60 Hay......10.00 Shucks......10.09 Grain-Corn......17.50@18.50 Rve......15.00 Oats.....9.00 ron—Śwedes......4.00@5.00 Molasses..... 17.50@20.00 Nails......3.00@4.00 Rice...... 75 Fayettevill- 4-4 Sheetings Factory price

New Advertisements.

Headquarters 3d N. C. Cavalry, Near Kinston, N. C., Feb. 19th, 1864. THE Divines of the State of North Carolina, are earnestly solicited to visit the 41st N. C. r., (3d Cavalry,) stationed near Kinston.

They will be liberally remunerated for their services, and have their expenses paid. Natice of the intention of any one to comply with this call, addressed to the Commanding Officer of this Regiment, will receive prompt attention, and each one will be informed of the date his visit will be expected. 28-d 5t*

JNO. A. BAKER, Col. CONSCRIPT OFFICE,

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 25th, 1864. THE annexed order from Adjutant and Inspecter General's Office, is published for the information of all concerned. By order of the Commandant : E. J. HARDIN, Adj't.

ADJ'T AND INSPECTOR GEN'LS OFFICE, 1

Richmond, Jan. 5, 1864. General Orders,

No. 2. 5 for the information of all concerned, and to correct prevalent misapprehension, it is announced that there exists no mandatory provision of law securing to Enrolled Conscripts the right to choose in what company or regiment they will serve. They cannot be assigned to companies from other States, and, in general, their wishes are to be consulted as to the choice of companies. where no considerations for the good of the ser wice intervene to prevent compliance. Assign-ments once made by Commandants of Conscripts, in good faith, in the exercise of their discretion,

Adjutant and Inspector Gen't. JOB WORK OF all kinds will be neatly executed at this with cheapmen and despatch.

will not be considered as fit subjects for complaints.