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D. McNATT.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 1.

State of North Carolina,

ANSON COUNTY. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Oct'r Term, 1861.
Alexander Biles, Adm'r of Philip Gatewood, dec'd., vs.
John Gatewood, William Gatewood, George Gatewood,
Alexander H. Ross and wife Sarah, James T. Woolen, Ann Eliza Woolen.

Petition to make real estate Assets. IN this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the Defendants, John Gatewood and William Gatewood, are non-residents of this State; It is therefore ordered, by the Court, that publication be made for six weeks in the Fäyetteville Observer, notifying the said non-residents to be and appear at the next term of this Court, to be held for the County of Anson, at the Court House in Wadesborough, on the second Monday in January next, then and there to plead, an-swer or demur to this petition, or judgment pro confesso will be taken and the same heard ex parte as to them.

Witness, Patrick J. Coppedge, Clerk our said Court, at office in Wadesborough, the second Monday in October, A. D. 1861. P. J. COPPEDGE, Clerk.

NORTH CAROLINA,

ROBESON COUNTY. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, November Term, A. D. 1861.

of Hugh McKay, dec'd, and others.
Petition for an Account and Settlement. T appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, Alexander McKay, is not a resident of this State: It is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six consecutive weeks in the Fayetteville Observer notifying said Alexander McKay to be and appear at the next Term of our said Court, to be held for the Court of Paleson at the Court House in Line April 8

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Guilford—Jno. A. Gilmer, Ralph Gorrell, R. P. Dick.
Halifax—R. H. Smith, L. W. Batchelor.

Granville—A. W. Venable, T. L. Hargrove, lowing receipt, which, in our present condition, will be universally useful. Oil of every kind is very scarce, in fact can hardly be obtained at all, and candles too are too high priced for free use.

Let every family provide its own light, which can be done if this receipt is observed, at a greatly reduced expense:

Take a half pound of alum and saltpetre, pulverise coarsely, pour on it a quart of boiling water; take from twelve to twenty pounds of tallow, according to its firmness. The former quantity

Candles .- A correspondent sends us the fol-

for the oily tallow we get from the fat beef in the summer, or for lard, and the latter for tallow that will stand in a cake; put it in an iron vessel near the fire, and when melted, stir in the dissolved alum and saltpetre, and boil until the water is expelled from the tallow Have wicks made rather smaller and of finer thread than usual for home made candles-and when perfectly dry mould the candles in the usual way. If any one, after giving this receipt a trial, goes in darkness, it is because their deeds are evil.—Iredell Express.

A. H. Douglas, a well known and influential merchant of Bennettsville, had his left toot badly crushed by an accident on the South Carolina Railroad, on Wednesday, the 4th instant, at the Charlotte Junction, two miles below Columbia. He was taken to Hunt's Hotel, where he lingered in great agony until Monday, the 9th instant, when death put an end to his sufferings.

Charleston Courier.

Resignations in the Army. - We learn that the War Department has determined to adopt the uniform rule of refusing to accept the resignations of commissioned officers in the army, unless on evidence of disability, furnished in a surgeon's certificate, or for especial reasons within the discretion of the Secretary of war. - Rich, Exam.

Senator Douglas's Children .- The North Carolina relatives of the children of the late Senator Douglas, sent an agent to the North to se-cure their emigration South. He has just re-turned without success, in consequence of the refusal of Mrs. Douglas, to whose care the dying father confided them. It is understood that some months ago she was willing to the removal, the object being to save their large property in the South, which would otherwise come under the operation of the Confederate sequestration law. We understand she now says that the prowill soon be saved by the speedy triumphal advance of the "Grand Army," which in a few weeks will have taken possession of North Carolina. By thus adopting the miserable delusion of the Northern braggarts she sacrifices the interests of her step-children.-Rich. Enquirer.

We conversed with the Agent, Capt. Yudy, on his return from Washington. Mrs. D's retusal to permit the children to come South, is to be regretted. It would be hard to deprive these innocent children of their inheritance. Their mother was a Southern woman, and their father, was a where, with his usual winning ways, gentlemen can find staunch friend of the South up to within a few Miss Cutts, of Washington City.

Raleigh Standard.

Steam Navigation a Pecuniary Failure.-The London Times declares that while steam navigation has been a scientific success, it has been a pecuniary failure, inasmuch as all the lines of ocean steamers require enormous appropriations from the government to keep them affoat.

An Exacting Husband .- Wycherly, the comedian, married a young girl of eighteen when he was verging on eighty. Shortly after, Providence was pleased, in its mercy to the young woman, to call the old man to another and better world. But ere he took his final departure from this, he summoned his young wife to his bedside, and announced to her that he was dying; whereupon she wept bitterly. Wycherly lifted himself up in his bed, and gazing with tender emotions on his young and weeping wife, said: "My dearest love, I have a solemn promise to exact from you before I quit you forever here below. Will you assure me my wishes shall be attended to by you, however great the sacrifice you may be called on to make?" Horrid ideas of suttees, of poor Indian widows being called on to expire on funeral pyres with the bodies of their deceased lords

With a convulsive effort and desperate resolution, old Wycherly's young wife gasped out an assurance that his commands, however dreadful they might be, should be obeyed. Then Wycherly, with a ghastly smile, said, in a low and solemn voice, "My beloved wife, the parting request I have to make of you is-that when I am gone-(here the poor woman sobbed and cried most vehemently) -when I am in my cold grave -(Mrs. Wycherly tore her hair)-when I am laid low-(the disconsolate wife reared with grief)-when I am no longer a heavy burden and a tie on you-("O, for Heaven's sake, exclaimed Mrs. Wycherly, what am I to do?") I command you, my dear young wife-(said the old, dying comedian) -on pain of incurring my maledi never to marry an old man again." Mrs. Wycherly dried her eyes, and, is the most fervent manner, promised that she never would; and that faithful woman kept her word for lite. - Ex.

Insidunt in Utiky.—In the Faul of 1856 I showed my show in Utiky, a trooly great sitty in the State of New York.

The people gave me a cordyal recepshun. The press was loud in her praises. 1 day, as I was given a descripshun of my Beests & Snakes, in my usual flowry stile, what was my skorn & disgust to see a big burly feller walk up to the cage containin' my wax figers of ETS, ruled and printed from the most approved walk up to the cage containin my wax figers of forms in use. Also, further supplies of other BLANE the Lord's Last Supper, and cease Judas Iscarrot by the feet and drag him out on to the ground,

as hard as he cood. Sez he, "What did you bring this pussalanermus cuss here for?" & he hit the wax figger another tremenjus blow on the hed.

Sez I, "You egrejus ass, that air's a wax figger, a representashun of the false 'Postle." Sez he, "That's all very well for you to say, but I tell you, old man, that Judas Iscarrot can't show hisself in Utiky with impunerty, by a darn site!" with which observashun he kaved in Judasis hed. The young man belonged to I of the fust

famerlies in Utiky. I sood him, & the Joory brawt in a verdict of Arson in the 3d degree -Artemus Ward, An old maid, who has her eyes a little side

ways on matrimony, says "the curse of this war is, that it will make so many widows, who will be fierce to get married, and who know how to do t. Modest girls will stand no chance at all."