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February 24, 1857.

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N. C., a negro boy who calls himself Henry, and says that
he belongs to Anderson Willis, of Caswell county, N. C.,
that he ranaway from his master at the Yadkin river while
he was on his way to Alabama. Said boy appears to be 17
or 18 years old, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches in height and
weighs about 135 or 140 ft s., black, and had on when taken
an old wood hat, two coats, one vest, and a pair pants, all
wooden, and a good deal worn. The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove and identify his negro according to law and take him away.

November 8th, 1856.

J. W. STEED, Sheriff.

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SALE AND RETAIL.—We respectfully inform our friends and the public that we have in store a large and most excellent Stock of Leather and Findings, for the Spring Trade, which ve will sell as low as any other establishment South of New York, and for less price than they can be had even there, expenses of travelling, freight, &c., considered. All of our purchases having been made from the Importers and Manufacturers by the whole case or package, and the advantage of receiving Leather regularly from our own Tannery, places it in our power to sell Goods as above stated. Those who wish to buy cannot lose by giving our stock an examination, and we believe we shall be able to please, both as to price and quality. Below we enumerate some of the leading articles viz:

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40 dozen French Skins, best quality, " American Calf Skins,
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Aug. 25, 1855.

50 " Band Leather, Lasts, Boot-Trees, Shoe and Boot Maker's Tools of every Lasts, Boot-Trees, Shoe and Boot Maker's Tools of every kind, Tanner's and Currier's Tools.

Also, Sewed Brogans of our own manufacture, warranted to give satisfaction, and many other articles too numerous to mention, at No. 21, Old street, opposite B. P. Harrison's Saddlery.

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TO MILLERS AND MILL OWNERS.—This Machine received the first premium at the North Carolina State Pair, and was recommerded to the public as the best now in use in the State. Seven hundred of them are now running in orth Carolina, all of which are now in operation and have given the most entire satisfaction, in regard both to performance and durability, same lawing runsix years and performance. and durability, some having run six years and perform as well now as they did at first, and have not been out of order one day. We have thrown out ten different Smut Machine to make room for this. They are warranted for five years and delivered at the Mill any where in the State.

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SUCCESSORS TO THE LATE FIRMS OF Puul & McIlwaine, and McIlwaine & Graham, IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN DRY GOODS,

No. 60, SYCAMORE STREET, PETERSBURG, VA., RE NOW RECEIVING BY SHIPS ONT ARIO, NEW A RE NOW RECEIVING, BY SHIPS ONTARIO, NEW World, Ellen Austin, and Albert Gallatin, and by steamships Africa, Atlantic, City of Washington, and others, their Spring importations of European Goods, and by the various Steamers and Schooners from the Northern and Eastern Cities, large supplies of American Manufacture, which, together, will enable them to offer to the trade an assortment of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, equal, if not superior, to any ever exhibited by their predecessors. They would invite particular attention to their large im-jortations of low priced Brown and Bleached Cottons of English manufacture. R. A. HAMILTON.

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Sheetings and Osnaburgs, and for genuine Irish Flax
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March 17, 1837.

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Literary Criticisms.—By Horace Binney Wallace, Esq.

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The Bible in the Woodshop.—By Mears.
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Rags Wanted, Rags Wanted,

TO BE DELIVERED AT THE RAILROAD STAtions or at my warehouse in Raleigh, or they will be taken from the different stores in the State. Merchants and others buying rags will please advise me when they have a quantity on hand, or will send them to their nearest Railroad station, as I can still afford to pay the highest price in cash on delivery from store or at Railroad station, either in bank bills, checks or Northern funds.

References—Cashiers of our Banks in Raleigh, and the principal North-Carolina and Virginia Merchants.

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Ral gh, March 17, 1857. 33— Hillsboro' Recorder, Winston Sentinel, Salisbury Banner, Danville (Va.) Republican, Goldsboro' Tribune, Favetteville Carolinian, Wilmington Weekly Journal, War-renton News, Newbern Union, and Kinston Advocate, each copy six months and forward bills to me at Raleigh.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.—A SHF County—In Equity.—Caleb R. Phillips, vs. John S. Shoun and Andrew Shoun—Original Bill filed Spring It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the above named defendants—John and Andrew Shoun—are not residents of this State: It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North-Carolina weekly Standard for six weeks, that said defendants appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Equity, to be held for the County of Ashe, at the Court House in Jefferson, on the 2d Monday after the 4th Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, otherwise judgment pro confesso will be rendered against them.

Witness, George Bower, Clerk and Master in Equity for the said County of Ashe, at office the 2d Monday after the 4th Monday in February, 1857.

GEORGE BOWER, C. M. E.

April 7th, 1857.

NEW BOOKS .--- THE STAR CLOUD; BY A. S. Roe, author of I've been Thinking; To Love and be LENA RIVERS, by Mrs. Mary J. Holmes, author of Tempest and Sunshine.

THE 'ARCTIC EXPLORATION and Discoveries during the Nineteenth Century; being detailed accounts of the Expeditions conducted by Ross, Parry, Back, Franklin, McClure, and the Grinnell and Kane Expedition; by Samuel Suneker.

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AUTUMNAL LEAVEN; being Tales and Sketches, in prose and verse; by L. Maria Child.
THE AMERICAN CITIZEN; by Bishop Hopkins. At POMEROY'S.

BOOKS RECENTLY PUBLISHED, WORTH READ-ing.—Literary Criticism, by Horace Binney Wallace. Art Scenery in Europe, and other Papers; by Horace Binney Wallace. Violet; or the Cross and the Crown; by Miss McIntosh. Aurora Leigh; a Poem, by Elizabeth Barret Browning. Chesterfield's Letters to his Son; new edition. John Halifax, Gentleman. At

CHINESE SUGAR CANE. AND SUGAR MAting; its history, culture, and adaptation to the climate, soil, and economy of the United States, with an account of various processes of manufacturing Sugar; drawn
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Releigh April 7, 1857 Raleigh, April 7, 1857.

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THE SUBSCRIBER, HAVING SERVED THE PUBLIC 30 years in the capacity of landlord, and wishing to retire, offers his Hotel for sale.

This Hotel, situated near the Court House, on Main Street, 300 yards North of the N. C. R. R. Station, contains, in addition to Parlor, Hall, and large Dining Rooms, 27 comfortable Bed Rooms, all (5 excepted.) have fire-places; also, in process of completion, 7 other Bed Rooms. On the premises are all necessary outbuildings, 2 wells, ice house, &c. Persons desirous of purchasing valuable property would do well to call soon, as I am determined to sell. Terms easy.

J. P. MABRY, Proprietor.

Lexington, N. C., Feb. 27, 1858.

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PIANOS ON TRIAL—PAYMENT WITHHELD
We propose to purchasers of Piano Fortes to take our
Instruments on trial in order to test what we say of their
quality before paying for them.

Twenty years experience on our part satisfies our own
minds, and we could get over lifteen hundred persons to
unite with us in the opinion, that no establishment, North
or South, can possibly furnish better or cheaper instruor South, can possi ments than we do. Nov. 14, 1856.

GREENSBOROUGH MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY. This Company offers inducements to those wishing to effect Insurances for life, rarely presented by similar institutions.

Those who take Policies of Insurance for Life, and those
only, are *Members of the Company*—entitled to such profits
as may be realized from an accumulated Premium Fund,
and from the large amount of Deposits in the Trust Departments of the Company, which are kept actively employed.

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Policies of Insurance issued on the applicants' own life, or on the lives of slaves, for a year, or term of years, at a Deposits of money received in the Trust Department - the operation of which is that of a Saving's Bank—and the depositors allowed interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum for any time not exceeding four months; 4 per cent. over four and not exceeding six months; and 5 per cent. for any time over six months.

Panphlets containing full and particular information forwarded to any required address.

D. P. WEIR, Sec. & Treas.

Greensborough, N. C. September 1, 1854.

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R EVISED CODE, PRICE 24 00. POSTAGE when sent by mail 45 cents. For sale by W. L. POMEROY. Also, the Revised Code interleaved. A few copies only in this form remaining. \$5.50.
W. L. P. keeps also constantly on hand Jones' Digest. Eaton's Forms, Iredell on Executors, and Law Books generally, particularly those required to be read for County and Superior Court License.

N. C. MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. A T THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NORTH CAR-olina Mutual Insurance Company, held on the 14th inst, the following persons were elected Directors and Officers for the ensuing year:
DIRECTORS:

Henry D. Turner, Raleigh. J. R. Williams, T. H. Selby, do. C. W. D. Hutchings, do. D. Battle, do. George Little, do.
James M. Towles, do.
James E. Hoyt, Washington
Alex. Mitchell, Newbern.
Joshua G. Wright, Wilmington John M. Jones, Edenton. W. W. Griffin Elizabeth City. F. F. Fagan, Plymouth. J. W. Harrell, Murfreesboro. H. B. Williams, Charlotte, Geo A. Smith, Milton.

Joseph White, Anson County.

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Josh. Boner, Salem,

A T. Summy, Asheville.

OFFCERS OF THE COMPAN 1. T. H. Selby, President. H. D. Turner, Vice President. John H. Bryan, Attorney. Hamden S. Smith, Secretary and Trees were.

T. H. Selby, exoficio.
John R. Williams,
C. W. D. Hutchings, Executive Committee. C. W. D. Hutchings,

This Company has been in successful operation over 10 years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State, (except Steam Milis and Turpentine Distilleries,) upon favorable terms. Its Policies now cover property amounting to \$4,837,649, a large portion of which is in country risks; and its present capital is over Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds, properly secured.

The average cost of Insurance upon the plan of this Company has been less than one third of one per cent, per annual, on all grades of property embraced in its operations.

All communications in reference to is surance should be All communications in reference to it surance should be addressed to the Secretary, post paid.

HAMDEN S. SM TH, See'y.

Raleigh, Jan. 20, 1857. Office N. C. Mutual Insurance Co. RALEIGH, January 20, 1857. N PURSUANCE OF THE ACTION OF THE ANNUAL Meeting of the N. C. M I. Company, held on the 14th inst., the Board of Directors, at a meeting on the 15th inst., levied an assessment of 1 per cent on all unexpired Premium Notes in the office on the 1st day of July, 1856; and an assessment of 3\(\xi\) per cent on all unexpired Premium notes in the office on the 28th day of July 1856.

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BEOWN & WIGGINS
No. 46, Fayetteville Street,
(OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,)

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BEG LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE just returned from the Northern Cities, and have received and are now opening a large and well selected stock of Goods, all entirely new, and purchased on the most favorable terms. Being new beginners, with a stock of new Goods, and also being determined to sell as cheap as the cheap est, they hope to deserve and to receive a liberal patronage. They will take pleasure in showing their Goods to customers, and those desiring to purchase are invited to call and examine for themselves.

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Our Stock embraces a large and beautiful assortment of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, BONNETS,
GLOVES,
UMBRELLAS, SHOES, GROCERIES, &c. March 14, 1857.

ANAWAY FROM THE SUBSCRIBERS, IN JANUary, 1856, a negro man named SOWELL, purchased by us from W. F. Askew, of Raleigh, who purchased him from Madison Hodge. Said boy is about six feet high, and weighs 180 pounds; is 23 years old; has no marks recollected except a ringworm on his face; has a wife at Jacob Terrell's, in Wake county, and is supposed to be lurking in that neighborhood. A reward of \$200 will be given for the apprehension and delivery of said boy to us, or for his confinement in any jail so that we get him again; and \$100 will be paid for poof sufficient to convict any one of harboring him. Address

SOUTHERLAND & POWELL,
Wilmington, N. C.
February 18, 1857.

For Sale.

THE LARGE AND EXCELLENT FARM, KNOWN as the Caddo Place; containing two thousand eight hundred (2, 800) acres; about 900 acres cleared land, and the balance will timbered, and the whole mostly rich alluvial bottom. On the farm is a good and substantial two story brick house, double brick kitchen, brick smoke house, a good double roomed frame house, together with a black smith shop, and wagon making shop, and negro quarters sufficient to accommodate lifty or seventy-live bands. There is also on the place a good cotton gin house, and Press, and an excellent horse mill, and cribs, barns and stables. The Caddo river meanders through the whole length of the tract. There is a well of never failing and excellent water in the house yard, with milk house attached, and a splen did garden lot. There are several good springs on the place, and a very bold Chalybeate spring about 600 yards from the house. The Military Road, the great western thoroughfare to Texas, runs by the house. This is one of the richest, and most desirable places in south-western Arkansas. It is situate about four miles from Arkadelphis, the county town of Clark county.

Also, one thousand two hundred (1,200) acres in another farm, lying in Daltas county Arkansas, on the Ouschita River, a navigable stream, partly bottom, and partly up land, with sixty or seventy acres opened. The attention of persons intending to settle in Arkansas is invited to these lands.

Also, one thousand and forty (1040) acres, of superior

lands.

Also, one thousand and forty (1040) acres, of superior Black lands, situated in Clark county, immediately on the Cairo and Fulton Railroad Line, and six miles from water navigation, 400 acres of this tract cleared land.

Also, nine hundred (900) acres; lying in Clark county, about half bottom, and half uplands, nine miles from water navigation, and four miles from Rail Road line. One hundred (100) acres of this tract opened land.

Also, one thousand three bundred and forty (1340) acres, lying in Clark county, half rich bottom, and 25 acres opened, and the balance good upland.

Also, one thousand eight hundred (1800) acres, lying in Clark county, 100 acres opened; mostly rich bottom lands, and not subject to inundation.

All the above lands are finely Timbered and Watered.

For further particulars apply to.

W. F. S. BARKMAN,

Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

Jan. 27, 1857.

DENTAL NOTICE. PERRY & BASON WOULD RESPECTFULLY MAKE known that they are no longer associated.

April 14, 1857.

40—swlm. REV. C. B. TAYLER'S WORKS, IN NINE VOL-umes, 12 mo. Each volume sold separate. Mark Wilton; or the Merchant's Clerk. Earnestness; or Incidents in the Life of an English

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Lady Mary; or Not of the World.
Margaret; or The Pearl.
Records of a Good Man's Life.
Scenes in a Clergyman's Life.
Thankfulness; or Passages from the Diary of the Rev.
Allan Temple.
Angel's Song. A Christmas Token.
Christmas Token.

REENSBOROUGH MUTUAL INSURANCE COAt the end of Three Years, such has been the care and
economy of the officers of this Company, that we are still
free from debt; have made no assessments and have now
such a large Capital in cash and notes, that we have no besitation in saving to the public, that there is no safer Company in the Southern Country. The most of the Risks in
this Company being in the Western part of the State, where
the danger from fire is much less.

At the last annual Meeting the following officers were reelected.

No. 46

elected.

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S. G. COFFIN, Vice President.
C. P. MENDENHALL, Attorney.
PETER ADAMS, Sec'y & Treasurer.
W. H. CUMMING, Gen. Agent.

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All communications should be directed to the Secretary

PETER ADAMS Sec'y. free of . ostage. Aug. t 6, 1854.

ORANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBERS HAV—
ING purchased the above Hotel of R. Nichols, Esq.,
are now repairing and refurnishing, and will speedily have
it completed in such a manner as to give satisfaction to all,
even the most fastidious. They intend it for a first class
House. Its situation being on King street, which is the
principal thoroughfare to and from the Deport of the N. C.
Railroad, and by far the handsomest street in the town, offers inducements to the visitors and sojourner which cannot
be found elsewhere in the place. Our rooms, table and stables will accommodate both man and horse, with the most
comfortable home.

We shall keep no bar. Families and persons wishing to spend the Summer in this delightful country, will find rooms especially adapte We lope to receive what we are determined to merit, a liberal share of patronage.

H. C. STROUD & CO. Hillsboro', N. C., June 20, 1856. 72-swtf.

RALEIGH AND GASTON RAILWAY. Change of Schedule to connect with the North-Carolina Railroad. ON AND AFTER MONDAY THE 16TH INST., THE

ON AND AFTER MONDAY THE 16TH INST., THE trains will leave and arrive at Raleigh (N. C. R. R. Depot) as follows:

Express No. 1, leave Raleigh at 5 o'clock, A. M.,

Arrive at Weldon 11.28, A. M.

" Leave Weldon at 1, P. M.,

Arrive at Raleigh 6, P. M.

Express No. 2, leave Raleigh 5, P. M.,

Arrive at Weldon 10, P. M.

" Leave Weldon 11, P. M.,

Arrive at Raleigh 4, A. M.

Passengers going North will reach Weldon over this line more than two hours ahead of the line via Goldsboro'.

Breakfast and Supper at Franklinton.

JAMES M. POOL,

T. Agent R. & G. R. R. Co.

T. Agent R. & G. R. R. Co. March 17, 1857.

REWARD.—RANAWAY ON THE NIGHT of the 11th inst., my boy HARDY. The said one is about five feet ten inches high, is of a light copper color, has straight black hair, his front uppet teeth are somewhat open, and he is clear spoken. He had on when he left, a black frock-coat; also, he had on a low crown wool hat with a broad ribbon on it. He will probably go into South-Carolina, as he was last seen on the road to Cheraw. I will pay the above reward to any person that will return him to me, or place him so that I can get him.
REDICK DEAN. Wadesboro', April 21, 1857.

SHIPPERS OF SPRING GOODS.

Take Notice! THE ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY RAILROAD AND STEAMER ROUTES, NO Obstruction of any Nature whatever. FREIGHTS FROM BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE,

AND ALL THE PRINCIPAL CITIES OF THE NORTH, AT MAIL SPEED:

AND AT THE USUAL RATES.

For further information, inquire of the undersigned, at No. 59, Fayetteville street.

WM. WHITE, Jr., Agent.

Raleigh, February 24, 1857.

Valuable Land for Sale in Carteret County, North-Carolina, near Beaufort. North-Carolina, near Beaufort.

VILL BE SOLD AT AUGUST COURT NEXT, IN
the town of Beaufort, a valuable tract of land lying in Carteret county, ten miles from Beaufort, on the Newbern road, on Core creek, and about eight miles from Carolina City by water. The land has on it a good house with
six rooms, and all necessary outhouses—all nearly new.—
There are three acres of old land under fence, and about
twenty-four of new, and thirty ditched. The track contains
three hundred and twenty acres. Prof. Emmon's Report
shows that land like this of mine is the most valuable of any
kind for corn.

Persons wishing to purchase, can address me at Charleston, S. C., and those who wish to see the land can do so by calling on Mr. David Dickerson, who lives near it, and will

There is a fine place on it for a brick yard, the clay being excellent for the purpose. The purchaser, if it is wished, can purchase stock and all with the land. There is a good range for cattle. Possession will be given at any time.

Charleston, S. C., 9th Feb., 1857. LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT RALEIGH, on the first of April, 1857. Allen, Vine A Lewis, Dr G C Browning, U R-2 Baker, B Murray, Dr M M Morgan, E Morgan, S W Marshall, H

Bridges, S Benton, Miss J A Mills, L Brown, L Busbee, F M-3 Baker, J. Newby, W H Overton, A B Outlaw, Hon D Baxter, J Battle, C C Brogden, A J Booker, P P Page, W C Parks, H B Page, F Prigden, B W Poole, H Burker, B Rogers, W Rogers, P Campbell, Miss S Counttock, Hon G F Cotton, Mr Spraglin, A V-2 Skuhn, Mr Steele, Mrs J Street, H A Snow, J Simpson, J Stevens, M A Sampson, S J Shirford, E Francis, P Franklin, S F Steel, R anders, A

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Walker, H A
Wood, W
Wood, Rev A
Wilson, J
Williams, H H
Weatherspoon, S
Williams, W B Jones, T H Johnson, E

Kernodle, R W Kimball, E A Young, H P Yates, T Young, J R Little, J T Louie, El Doro Mme WM. WHITE, P. M. April 1, 1857.

Notice to the Justices of the Peace for Wake County. A T FEBRUARY TERM OF OUR COUNTY COURT
a tax was laid of 25 cents on each taxable slave for the
purpose of paying a patrol for the County. As this subject
was acted upon without time for reflection, it is desired
that the Justices appear on Monday of May Court for the
purpose of peopaidering the matter.

"Small Stores," "Candles," &c.-1857-'58.

Bureau of Provisions and Clothing.
April 18, 1807.

IPROPOSALS, SEALED, AND ENDORSED "OFEER for Small Stores," or "Offer for Candina," or
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set this bureau until 9 o'clock, a. m., on the 18th day of May
nest, for furnishing and delivering, (on receiving county
day's notice,) at the United States may yards at Charlestown, Massachusetts; Brooklyn, New York; and Gospert,
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Buttons, navy coat
Buttons, dead-eye
Seeswax, in 1/2 fb. cakes, pure
Blacking, boxes of

Cotton, species of nos. 12 and 16, 900 yards each, 3 cords, equal parts
Handkerchiefs, cotton, fast colors, 82 by 80 inches, weight not less than 2 oz. each, texture 8 by 9 to 16 inches, Needles, sewing, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, drill-eyed, between 8 libbon, hat, best French black, 12 yards to the piece; width, 114 inches years, each eater not less than 2 oz.

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Soap, shaving, a cakes; each cake not less than 2 or
Silk, sewing, blue-black; wrapper not to exceed 2 or to
the pound
Thread, black and white, Marshall's best quality
Tape, white linen, 4 yards in length, 1% inch wide
Tape, black, twilled cotton, 6 yards in length, 1% inch
wide

wide Thimbies, 8-10 and 9-10 diameter.

White salt-water soap.—Separate bid for 150,000 the.
The soap must be manufactured from occus-nut oil, and be of the best quality denominated "white salt-water soap," and be delivered on sixty days' notice, in good strong boxes of about 75 pounds each, and, after inspection, the boxes must be hooped at each end, at the expense of the contractor. The price to be uniform at all the yards.

Candles—separate bid for 70,000 pounds.

The candles must be American manufactured, of prime loaf lard stearine, six candles to the pound, 8 1-10 inches in length, exclusive of tip, six candles No. 1, to weigh not loss than 14 ounces 87-100; melting point not to be less than 140 degrees Fahrenheit. The wick must be braided, and composed of 78 cotton threads of the best quality of No. 27 yarn. The candles to be delivered on sixty day's notice, in good boxes, containing about 30 pounds each, and the bux to be marked with the contractor's name and the weight of the candles.

MUSTARD SEED, BLACK PEPPER, &c.
Separate bids for all that may be required for the use of the navy to be delivered at New York only. Mustard seed, American, brown
Pepper, black, Malabai
Bottles, octagon, for mustard and pepper
Corks, for bottles.

All the foregoing articles must be of the best quality, and conformable in all respects to the samples deposited at said navy-yards and in this bureau, and subject to such inspection at the navy-yard where delivered as the chief of the bureau may direct, the inspecting officer to be appointed by the Navy Denartment.

the Navy Department.

All the articles to be delivered free of any incidental expense to the government, in proper vessels or packages, and the price of each article must be the same at the respective places of delivery. Packages in which the above articles are delivered must be marked with their contents and name of the contractor, and be sufficient to insure their temporary

of the contractor, and be sufficient to insure their temporary safe-keeping

The contractor must establish agencies at such stations other than his residence, that no delay may arise in furnishing what may be required; and when the contractor or agent fulls promptly to comply with a requisition, the Chief of the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing shall be authorized to direct porchases to be made to supply the deficiency, under the penalty to be expressed in the contract; the record of a requisition, or a duplicate copy thereof, at the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, or at either of the navy-yards aforesaid, shall be evidence that such requisition has been made and received. said, shall be evidence that such requisition has been made and received.

Two or more approved sureties, in a sum equal to the estimated amount of the contract, will be required, and twenty per centum in addition will be withheld from the amount of all payments on account thereof as collateral security, to secure its performance, and not in any event to be paid until it is in all respects complied with; eighty per centum of the amount of all deliver es made will be paid by the navy agent within thirty days after bills, duly authenticated, shall have been presented to him.

Brank forms of proposals may be obtained on application to the navy agents at Portsmouth, New Hampshire; Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk, Peusacola, and at this bureau.

A record, or duplicate of the letter informing a bidder of the acceptance of his proposal, will be deemed a notification thereof, within the meaning of the act of 1846, and his bid will be made and accepted in conformity with this understanding.

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Every offer made must be accompanied (as directed in the act of Congress making appropriations for the naval service for 1846-'47, approved 10th August, 1846) by a written guarantee, signed by one or more responsible persons, to the effect that he or they undertake that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their bid be accepted, enter into an obligation within ten days, with good and sufficient sureties, to furnish the supplies proposed. The bureau will not be obligated to consider any proposal unless accompanied by the guarantee required by law: the competency of the guarantee to be certified by the navy agent, district attorney, or the collector of the port.

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The attention of bidders is called to the samples and descrip-tion of articles required, as in the inspection before reception, a just but rigid comparison will be made between the articles offered and the samples and contract, receiving none that fall below them; and their attention is also particularly directed to the joint resolution of 27th March, 1854, and to the act of the 10th August, 1846.

April 17, 1857.

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POLITICAL TEXT-BOOK, ENCYCLOPEDIA.

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THE UNDERSIGNED PROPOSES TO ISSUE, ON the 1st day of June next, a Political Text Rook, or Encyclopedia, containing everything necessary for the discussion, either on the hustings or in the press, c. any political question which may be brought forware. Amongst other things, it will contain the Articles of Confederation, the Constitution, the Virginia and Kentucky Resolutions of '98 and '99, the Ordinance of 1787, the various Party Platforms for the last twenty years, the l'artford Convention Platform, the Know Nothing Ritual, the Missouri Compromise of 1820, the various Laws organizing Territorial Goretnments since the foundation of the Government, including the Kausas and Nebraska Act, the decision of the Supreme Court in the Dred Scott case, copies of every emetment of Congress since the foundation of the Government, which is the subject of discussion, the Congressional record of votes on the same, classified; extracts from important Political Speeches or Letters, pertinent to present issues, the Inaugural Address of Mr. Buchanan; an abstract of the laws of each State regulating suffrage, and providing against the immigration of foreign paupers and convicts; emigration statistics. In fact, it will be an omnium gatherum of everything of political importance necessary to the discussion of the issues at present dividing, or likely to divide parties in the United States.

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AVING PERMANENTLY LOCATED IN RALEIGH,
I would respectfully inform my friends, and the public generally, that I continue to manufacture all kinds of
Copper, Brass, and Sheet Iron Work, Turpentine Stills,
Pumps, &c., &c., &c.
All kinds of repairing done promptly, faithfully, and on
the most reasonable terms.

Old Copper bought at the very highest price.
H. J. HESELBACH.

Read and be ome inced that Dr. Clopton's medicines are appreciated by those scho try thom.

MAYBERTON, Newberry Dist., S. C. |
March 12th, 1857.

JAMES A. CLOPTON, M. D.:—Dear Sir:—You will find enclosed in this letter one hundred dollars, to pay for Wm.

B. Smith's box of Medicine, for which you will please send me a receipt.

Yours respectfully.

DAVID GROSS, P. M.

April 21, 1867.

POCKET-BOOK FOUND.—WAS PICKED UP a few days ago, on the cars between Mitchenge's and Guldsboro', a small black pocket-book or port-monic, con-taining some valuables. The owner can have it by apply-

BROWN & WIGGINS. 86-swif.

September 16, 1853.

British, French and Imerican

LEWIS & KING, Commission Merchants,

J. M. STEVENSON, sale of all kinds of produce. All orders promptly

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Raleigh, January 8, 1854.

KEIT constantly on hand, the best Family Flour, Ba-con Lard, Butter, Eggs, Sugar and Coffee, Molasses, and all kinds of Greceries. All orders promptly attended to. April 17, 1857. JAMES H. STRUM,

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Has Located in Franklinton, N. C.
March 3, 1857. 29—swly. ROBERT M. DUNLOP

LOT OF SUPERIOR FAMILY FLOUR Raleigh, October 1, 1856.