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Watches, Jewelry, Plated Ware, &c. The subscriber has lately purchased a very extensive supply of the above articles.

Charlotte & S. C. Railroad. On and after the first day of October, THROUGH EXPRESS FREIGHT TRAINS will run daily between Charlotte and Charleston.

SITUATION WANTED As Conductor on some Railroad Train, or as Agent at some Depot, or as Mail Agent.

DR. E. M. ANDREWS, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Would inform the public generally, and the citizens of Mecklenburg particularly, that he has resumed the practice of DENTISTRY.

North Carolina MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. This Company, the oldest and most reliable in the State, insures white persons for a term of years or during continuance of life, on moderate terms.

Dissolution. The firm of FULTINGS, SPRINGS & CO. was dissolved by limitation on the 1st January, 1861.

Hardware!! Hardware!! A. A. N. M. TAYLOR. RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has added to his extensive stock of Stoves and Tin Ware, a large and complete stock of Hardware.

Blacksmith's Tools. Such as Belloves, Anvils, Vices, hand and slide Hammers, Buttresses, Farriers' Knives, Screw-plates, Stocks and dies, Blacksmith's Pincers and Tongs, Basers and Files of every kind.

Ludlow's Celebrated Self-Sealing Cans, of all the different sizes, at TAYLOR'S Hardware Store, opposite Mansion House.

Agricultural Implements of all kinds. Straw Cutters, Corn Shellers, Plows, Hoes, Shovels, Spades, Forks, Axes, Picks, Mattocks, Grabbing Hoops, Trave Chains, Wagon Chains, Log Chains, Pruning and Hedge Shears, Fruit and Building Knives, garden Hoes and Rakes, with handles, Grain Cradles, grain, grass and bristly scythes, Bush Hooks, Wagon boxes, Hollow ware, such as pots, ovens and lids, skillets, spiders, stew-pans and kettles, Cauldrons from 20 to 120 gallons each, Iron and brass Preserving Kettles, Sheep Shears, &c., at TAYLOR'S Hardware Depot, opposite the Mansion House.

Tin and Spanned Ware. A large assortment of Black Tin, Black Zinc, Tin Plate, Galvanized Sheet, &c.

DRY GOODS. LADIES' CLOAKS and BONNETS, DRESS GOODS and EMBROIDERIES. Carpets & Rugs. A VERY LARGE ASSORTMENT OF PLANTATION GOODS.

FISHER & BURROUGHS Nov 13, 1860. DAVIS & HARDEE, PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Petersburg, Va.

BIRDS, BIRDS. All kinds of EUROPEAN BIRDS, in STYLE CAGES. Those wishing a fine Songster, will find it at J. D. PALMER'S Variety Store.

NEW RESTAURANT. Having connected with my Establishment an Eating and Refreshment Saloon, I am prepared to serve my friends and the public in the culinary line in the best style.

Western Democrat. CHARLOTTE, N. C. Tuesday, July 30, 1861.

VICE-PRESIDENT STEPHEN'S SPEECH The Hon. A. H. Stephens made a speech at Augusta, Ga., recently, on the subject of the Cotton Loan and the war.

our independence, if we are not overruled, if we are not subjugated, I feel no hesitancy in telling you it is the best Government stock in the world that I know of.

Let us, then, come up and contribute what we can. I say to the planter that I do not wish to urge anybody, but let everybody discharge his duty to the country as he feels it.

Now then, if four millions of bales of cotton are made, upon an average price they will bring two hundred millions of dollars.

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At Centerville, a commanding eminence on the turnpike road, between Fairfax Court House and Bull Run, Col. Cooke was stationed with his regiment and Latham's Light Battery.

On Thursday, the 18th, the enemy felt his way cautiously up from Alexandria and Washington, in three separate columns, of probably 15,000 each—one down the railroad, another the Braddock road, the third from the direction of Fall's Church.

At the crossing of the Cheat, a severe fight took place between the enemy and the 23d Virginia Regiment, who were sent to protect the passage of our baggage, and to check the pursuit.

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BATTLE OF BULL RUN. Near Manassas Junction on Thursday, the 18th, two days previous to the Great Battle.

For more than a week the commanding General of the Confederate forces at Manassas had been anticipating an advance of the enemy, and had so arranged his troops as to be prepared at all points.

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their dead and wounded, in possession of the Confederates. The battle had extended along the creek a distance of over a mile, and within this space the enemy had left 986 of their men dead or mortally wounded.

Our loss, as counted that night, was 137 killed, wounded and missing, but by the next morning, this number was reduced to less than sixty by the return of stragglers, who had been scattered and lost in the woods during the night.

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