

For the Western Democrat. Dedicated to the memory of Miss Lou Frasier. Thy days, Dear Lou, were few—yea, few—

LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CAROLINA. The following is a list of the members of the Legislature of North Carolina, elected in Aug. 1862: SENATE.

THE NEW CONSCRIPTION ACT. The following is a copy of the Conscription Act passed by both Houses of Congress: An Act to amend an act, entitled, "An Act to provide further for the public defence"—approved 16th April, 1862.

FIELD OFFICERS OF N. C. TROOPS. A friend has taken some pains to furnish, at our request, the following list of the field officers of North Carolina troops. This list is correct to the present date, (Sept. 15th) it having been compiled from official records:

CHARLOTTE DRUG STORE. E. NYE HUTCHISON & CO. RETAIL DEALERS IN Foreign and Domestic Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Window Glass, Putty, Dye Stuffs, Turpentine, Burning Fluid, Alcohol, Pure Liquors, Canteen Teas, Field and Garden Seeds, &c.

NEW GOODS. The largest stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS in the town, is now on hand at the popular and fashionable house of Koopmann & Phelps.

BURIAL OF SIR JOHN MOORE. Recent accounts of the death and hurried burial of some of the officers and soldiers in the Southern army have brought to mind those wonderfully stirring lines, composed by Rev. Charles Wolfe, in 1817, on the burial of Sir John Moore.

HOUSE OF COMMONS. Alamance—R. Y. McAden, Dr. E. F. Watson, Alexander—Dr. J. M. Carson, Anson—Purdie Richardson, R. H. Burns, Ashe—J. M. Grady, Bladen—J. W. Russ, Blount—Hon. R. S. Donnell, Capt. W. T. Marsh, Bertie—Dr. P. H. Young, James Bond, Brunswick—Daniel L. Russell, Cabarrus—John Burgin, Burke—John Parks, Cabarrus—W. S. Harris, Caldwell—M. N. Barahard, Camden—John Forbes, Carteret—No. election held on account of the presence of the enemy, Caswell—S. S. Harrison, William Long, Catawba—Geo. S. Hooper, Chatham—T. B. Harris, Lieut. W. J. Hendon, M. Q. Waddell, Cherokee—J. H. Bryson, Chowan—Lemuel C. Beahary, Cleveland—David Boon, J. R. Logan, Columbus—W. M. Baldwin, Craven—J. B. G. Barrow, Benj. M. Cook, Cumberland and Harriet—H. G. Shepherd, Currituck—Dr. M. C. McCormick, Hon. J. McKay, Currituck—B. M. Baxter, Davidson—Dr. R. L. Deall, Henry Walsor, Davie—Henry B. Howard, Duplin—J. C. Stanford, L. W. Hodges, Edgecombe—David Cobb, Robert Hyman, Forsyth—John P. Nissen, Dr. E. Kernor, Franklin—A. W. Penrose, Jr., Gaston—A. W. Davenport, Granville—Hon. R. B. Gilliam, Jas. S. Anis, Capt. Eugene Grissom, Greene—Capt. H. Best, Guilford—M. S. Sherwood, R. W. Glenn, W. R. Smith, Gates—W. H. Manning, Halifax—Dr. H. H. Joyner, A. H. Davis, Hertford—Dr. S. L. Love, Hertford—J. B. Vanu, Henderson—Alexander Henry, Hyde—E. L. Mann, Iredell—T. A. Allison, John Young, Jackson—J. Keener, Johnston—Seth G. Woodall, W. H. Avera, Jones—Anthony E. Rhodes, Lincoln—W. W. Mann, Lincoln—A. Costner, Macon—Dr. J. M. Lyle, Madison—Doctor Wallen, Martin—James Robinson, McDowell—Lieut. W. F. Craige, Mecklenburg—John L. Brown, E. C. Grier, Montgomery—E. G. L. Barringer, Moore—Alexander G. O'Brien, Nash—Henry G. Williams, New Hanover—Sam. J. Person, J. R. Hawes, Northampton—W. W. Peebles, Capt. H. Stanisl, Onslow—J. H. Foy, Orange—John Berry, W. N. Patterson, Pasquotank—Gen. W. E. Mann, Perquimans—Dr. Joseph H. Riddick, Person—Lieut. M. B. Bumpass, Pitt—C. Perkins, B. G. Albritton, Randolph—Jonathan Worth, M. S. Robbins, Richmond—Lieut. Saunders, M. Ingram, Robeson—Murdoch McRae, D. McNeill, Rockingham—W. I. Gilliam, James Reynolds, Rowan—F. E. Shober, N. N. Fleming, Rutherford—A. R. Bryan, J. B. Carpenter, Sampson—William Kirby, Thomas H. Holmes, Stanly—Lafayette Greene, Stokes—William Flynt, Surry—Dr. Joseph Hollingsworth, Tyrrell—[Same as in Carteret] Union—C. Q. Lemmonds, Wake—H. W. Miller, Wm. Laws, G. H. Alford, Warren—Elos J. Juddis, Leonard Henderson, Wayne—[Same as in Carteret] Watkinson—William Horton, Wayne—L. B. Rives, M. K. Crawford, Wilkes—E. M. Wellborn, A. H. Hampton, Yadkin—A. C. Cowles, Yancey—Lieut. M. D. Young.

Persons not now in service, who shall be enrolled, shall be assigned by the Secretary of War to the different companies of the State from which such persons are drawn; until each company is filled to its maximum number. Section 8. Every man, who is enrolled under the act, shall be transferred to the naval service. If, after filing up the companies, regiments, battalions and squadrons from any State, there shall remain any of the enrolled men, the excess shall be kept as a reserve, and at stated intervals, not exceeding three months, details, to be made by lot, shall be drawn from the reserve to keep the companies as nearly full as practicable. The persons so reserved remain at home until called into service, and receive no pay until actually mustered in. They are not, while at home in reserve, subject to the rules and articles of war, except that if they wilfully refuse to obey a call of the President they shall be held as deserters, and punished as such. Whenever the President shall think that the exigencies of the service require it, he may call into active service the entire reserve, or so much as may be necessary, and they shall be organized under such rules as the Secretary of War may adopt, and shall elect their field and company officers. The reserves from each State, when thus called out, shall be organized separately. Every man mustered into service, who shall bring with him a musket, shot gun, rifle or carbine accepted as an efficient weapon, shall receive the value of it as ascertained by the mustering officer under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe, or if the owner be unwilling to sell, he shall receive one dollar a month for the use of such arm. Persons not liable to duty may be received as substitutes, under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe. Vacancies shall be filled by the President from the company, battalion, squadron or regiment in which such vacancies occur, by promotion according to seniority, except in case of disability or other incompetency. The President may, however, fill a vacancy by promoting any officer of the company, battalion, squadron, or regiment, who may have been distinguished in the service by valor and skill, without reference to seniority. Vacancies in the lowest grade of commissioned officers of a Company shall be filled by election or the President may promote to such vacancy non-commissioned officers or privates, who have distinguished themselves by skill and valor in the service. Persons not now in service, may, before being enrolled, volunteer with existing companies now in service.

EXEMPTIONS. Under the Conscription Law of Congress. A bill entitled "An act to exempt certain persons from enrollment for service in the armies of the Confederate States." That all persons who shall be held to be unfit for military service under the law to be prescribed by the Secretary of War, all in the service or employ of the Confederate States; all judicial and executive officers of Confederate or State Governments; the members of both houses of Congress, and of the legislatures of the several States; and of the legislative officers; all clerks of the officers of the State and Confederate Governments; all engaged in carrying on the mails; all ferrymen on post routes; all pilots and persons engaged in the marine service, and in actual service on river and railroad routes of transportation; all telegraphic operatives; all ministers of religion, in the regular discharge of ministerial duties; all engaged in working from mines, furnaces and foundries; all journeyman printers actually employed in printing newspapers; all presidents and professors of colleges and academies; and all teachers having as many as twenty scholars; superintendents of the public hospitals, lunatic asylums, and the regular nurses and attendants therein; and the teachers employed in the institutions for the deaf and dumb and blind; in each apothecary store now established one apothecary in good standing, who is a practical druggist; superintendents and operatives in wool and other factories, who may be exempted by the Secretary of War, shall be, and are hereby, exempted from military service in the armies of the Confederate States.

WANTED. 4000 BALES OF COTTON, for which the highest market price will be paid in cash. Those having Cotton to sell will please give us a call before disposing of it. ELIAS & COHEN. Charlotte, Jan. 14, 1862. JOHN A. LANCASTER & SON, Stock Brokers, Richmond, Va. R. A. LANCASTER, P. J. WRIGHT. March 18, 1862. Cm. 1000 Cords Tan-Bark Wanted, For which the highest cash price will be paid. KARK KAHSWILER, Dallas, N. C. April 1, 1862. 4m-pd. Blank Deeds, Attachments, and Court Blanks, for sale at this Office. In consequence of the great advance in paper, we are compelled to advance the price of Blanks to \$2 a quire. N. C. GULLETT, COTTON FACTOR AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 2 Union street, NEW ORLEANS. Strict attention given to purchasing. Jan. 7, 1862. 1yr pd. PEA MEAL. We keep at our Steam Flouring Mill in this place Pea Meal for feeding cows and stock. Also, we have on hand at all times, Family, Extra, Superior and coarse Flour. We warrant our family flour. Corn Meal and Grits can always be had at the mill. J. WILKES & CO. Jan. 1, 1862. CHARLOTTE HOTEL, BY J. B. KERR, Proprietor. EVERY ACCOMMODATION afforded the patrons of the Charlotte Hotel. At this Hotel is kept the line of Daily Stage from Charlotte to Asheville. Oct. 1, 1861. J. B. KERR. The Celebrated Female Pills. These Pills do not cure all diseases, but they are warranted to cure Leucorrhoea, or Whites—that dreadful scourge to female health, happiness and usefulness. They are not "stented" and are no humbug, but are prepared by a North Carolina physician of high standing and of long experience in the treatment of female diseases. All that is necessary to convince you of their efficacy is a fair trial. For particulars, see wrappers. Price \$1 per box. For sale at the DRUG STORES. Jan. 15, 1862. New Supply of WATCHES, JEWELRY, Solid Silver and Plated Ware. The subscriber has lately purchased a very extensive supply of the above articles. His purchases being made directly from the manufacturer, he is therefore enabled to sell at a very small advance on cost, and persons may rest assured that all his articles are warranted to be what he represents them to be. Watches and Clocks carefully repaired and will receive my personal attention. Nov. 27, 1861. R. W. BECKWITH. Tailoring. JOHN VOGEL, Practical Tailor, respectfully informs the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country, that he is prepared to manufacture gentlemen's clothing in the latest style and at short notice. His best exertions will be given to render satisfaction to those who patronize him. Shop opposite Kerr's Hotel, next door to Brown & Stitt's store. Jan. 1, 1862. THE SOUTH CAROLINIAN, Published Daily and Tri-weekly. COLUMBIA BANNER, A Weekly Family Paper. COLUMBIA S. C. This is the Largest Family Paper in the South, and is offered to the domestic citizen for News and Political Intelligence. The Tales and Stories which are offered to the readers of the Banner are the efforts of Southern Geniuses, which it is a pleasure to foster. Original Sketches, Literary and Scientific Essays, and Miscellaneous Selections, regularly make their appearance in its columns. Subscription—Daily, \$6; Tri-Weekly, \$4; Weekly, \$2 per annum in advance. Papers stopped when subscription expires. Feb. 1, 1862. R. W. GIBBES, Proprietor. Selling off. The largest stock of WALL PAPER, WINDOW SHADES, CORDS, TASSELS, &c., in the State, must be sold in 90 days, to make room for other business. All those waiting bargains had better call soon. Those in the trade will do well by calling on W. H. SCHUTT, Opposite Post Office. Dec. 31, 1861. Tanner's Oil. On hand and for sale by S. M. HOWELL. Feb. 15, 1862. Wm. & R. Tiddy, Charlotte and Lincolnton, N. C., MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, &c., &c. Orders at either Yard respectfully solicited, and will meet with prompt attention. Feb. 1, 1862. BONDS FOR SALE. The first Mortgage Bonds of the Atlantic, Tenn., & Ohio Railroad Co. are offered for sale. They are secured by the endorsement of the Charlotte & S. C. Railroad Co. There is no better investment for capitalists, and scarcely any bonds offered in market so secure. Apply to M. L. WRISTON, Treas. March 18, 1862. TAILORING BUSINESS. NEW SHOP. The undersigned has opened a Tailoring Shop in Springs' Building, Room No. 1, where he is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line. He respectfully asks a trial and a share of public patronage. Military suits furnished to order. Mr. R. M. Robinson, an experienced cutter, will superintend the establishment. J. A. CALDWELL. February 18, 1862. Repairing, Bell-hanging, &c. The subscriber begs leave to inform the public, that he is prepared to Repair Locks of every description. Clocks and Jewelry; he will also clean Jewelry for a very low price; will make Keys of all kinds; in fact, all kinds of High Repairing done at short notice. Special attention paid to Bell-hanging. He may be found opposite the post-office. W. W. WOODLE. Jan. 28, 1862. Wanted, ten thousand old Keys, of different sizes; old Gun-Locks, &c. W. W. WOODLE, opposite the post-office. Jan. 28, 1862.

Not a drum was heard, not a funeral note, As his corse to the rampart we hurried, And a soldier discharged his farewell shot O'er the grave where our hero we buried.

THE CHARLOTTE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. CONTINUES to take risks against loss by fire, on Houses, Goods, Produce, &c., at usual rates. President—A. C. STEELE. Vice-President—G. C. WILKINSON. Attorney—JOS. H. WILSON. Secy & Treas.—E. NYE HUTCHISON. DIRECTORS: A. C. STEELE, S. T. WRISTON, J. O. L. BROWN, W. M. JOHNSTON, M. B. TAYLOR, F. SCARR, CHAS. OVERMAN. Executive Committee—F. SCARR, Jno. L. Brown, Wm J. Yates. April 10, 1861. LOST OR MISLAID. A Certificate for two shares of Stock in the C. & S. C. Railroad, No. 399, dated July 7, 1853. Application will be made for a duplicate of the same. N. WILKINSON, Agent. August 12, 1862. BARLEY WANTED. I want to purchase, immediately, all the BARLEY I can get, for which the highest market price will be paid. MARTIN MUNZLER. Charlotte, Oct. 29, 1861.

AN ARMY ANECDOTE.—The Monticello (Fla) Friend publishes the following: Dr. Palmer, Surgeon of the 2d Florida Regiment, relates a good joke on himself, which happened during one of the hotly contested battles below Richmond. It appears the Doctor always endeavored to select a building for a hospital as near the point where the battle raged as possible. On this occasion no suitable building could be found, and the shade of a large tree was resorted to. Upon approaching the place, an old gentleman, in citizens dress was observed reclining at its trunk. Dr. P., supposing him to be a straggler from one of the regiments, demanded to know what he was doing there. The only reply made by the old gentleman was: "I reckon there is room enough for both of us." The Doctor manifested some displeasure at this very unsatisfactory reply, but proceeded immediately to clear the ground for the reception of wounded soldiers. Presently a courier rode up, exclaiming, "Dispatches for General Lee." The supposed straggler immediately arose and received them. Dr. Palmer was astonished and chagrined and commenced a retreat, when Gen. Lee observing him, cried out: "Don't leave, Major, there is room enough for both of us."

AN EXEMPT.—The following (says the Zanesville, Ohio, Courier) was picked up near the desk of the Drafting Commissioner's office in this city: "I certify that I am lame, have a broken back, hip out of joint, a crooked arm, and an railroad engineer, am clerking in the Postoffice; also have charge of a Telegraph office and a wife and baby, am opposed to fighting—have joined the Quakers. FREE TRADE.—Southern manufacturers, who have taken advantage of the blockade to demand extravagant prices for their products, have at the same time afforded a practical argument against "protective tariff" which no amount of political apoplexy can rebut.

Wanted for the Confederate Army, 10,000 pair Wool Socks. YOUNG, WRISTON & CO. July 30, 1861. Cantwell's Practice. During my absence in the Military service of the State of Virginia, subscribers and others desiring copies of the above work, can obtain them from Mrs. Cantwell, Raleigh. All persons indebted to me, by note or otherwise, will please pay to her. I will hold her receipt good. Price of single copies of the above \$5.00. EDWARD CANTWELL. Camp near Norfolk, July 30, 1861. WANTED. Wanted for the Confederate Army, 10,000 pair Wool Socks. YOUNG, WRISTON & CO. July 30, 1861.

DR. E. H. ANDREWS, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Would inform the public generally, and the citizens of Mecklenburg particularly, that he has resumed the practice of DENTISTRY, and may be found at his old stand, in the city of Charlotte, on the corner of Gold, Silver, Valerianite, or on the Choptank, as patients may desire, and fill Teeth with Gold, Tin, Amalgam or Os Artificial. He is also prepared to perform any operation belonging to Dentistry, and need not say that he will be pleased to wait upon any of his old friends or new friends, who may wish that gratified. J. B. KERR. A NEW LAW BOOK. CANTWELL'S PRACTICE AT LAW. Just published, a treatise upon the PRACTICE AT LAW in North Carolina, by EDWARD CANTWELL, LL.B., author of the N. C. Justice, &c. CONTENTS: Of legislative power in general; legislative power in North Carolina; legislative powers of justices of the peace; county boundaries—deeds, etc.; county taxes and charges; court-houses, prisons, etc.; county jails; jury trials; fairs and public sales; general assembly; public landings and inspectors; poor houses and hospitals; registers and clerks; rivers and creeks; ferries and bridges; weights and measures; idiots and lunatics; retailers; Neuse river; public roads and canals; regular and irregular clerks and inspectors; mills and millers; ordinaries and constables; patrols; wardens of the poor; prison bounds; roads, ferries and bridges; poll tax exemptions; executive power in general; executive power in North Carolina; executive power of the courts of Justice and clerk; attorneys at law; attorneys at law; regular and irregular clerks and inspectors; commissioners of rivers and creeks; sheriffs; constables; rangers; standard keepers; retailers; administrators; chairman of special courts; commissioners of deeds and conveyance; commissioners of low lands; entry takers and superintendents of elections; grantors; receivers; inspectors; commissioners of internal improvements; partition; patrol committees; process-takers; tax lists and boards of valuation; overseers of roads and rivers; commissioners of wrecks; tobacco pickers and acceptors. The APPENDIX contains forms of Deeds and Conveyances, as follows: Agreements, assignments, awards, bills of sale, bills of exchange and indorsement, bills of lading, bills of sale, contracts, deeds, marriage settlements, mortgages, partnership articles, notes, releases, &c., &c. This book contains 550 pages, is gotten up in superior style and bound in law calf. Price, single copy \$5.00. EDWARD CANTWELL. Raleigh, N. C.