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AN ACT

charged accordingly.

IN RELATION TO THE MILITIA AND A GUARD FOR HOME DEFENCE.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the exemptions from service in the Militia of the State, shall be for the same causes, and to the same extent and no farther, that are prescribed in the acts of Congress of the Confederate States, providing for the enrollment of men for the public defence and granting exemptions from the same, commonly called the conscription and ex-

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted. That it shall be the duty of the Governor to cause to be enrolled as a guard for home defence all white male persons not already enrolled in the service of the Confederate States, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, resident in this State, including foreigners not naturalized, who have been residents in the State for thirty days before of Governor, Judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts of Law and Equity, the members of the General Assembly and the officers of the several Departments of the Government of the State, Ministers of the Gospel of the several denominations of the State charged with the duties of churches, and such other persons as the Governor, for special reasons, may deem proper

subjects of exemption. Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That all persons above he age of fifty, who may volunteer for service in said guard for home defence, and shall be accepted by a taptain of a company for the same, shall be deemed to belong thereto, and shall be held to service therein either generally or for any special duty or expedition as the commanding officers of reglments or companies negociling to the nature of the particular service in

Sec. 1. Be it further enacted, That the Governor shall cause all persons enrolled in pursuance of the two preceding sections of this act to be formed into companies, with liberty to elect the commissioned officers of such companies, and thence into battalions or regiments, brigades and divisions according to his discretion, and he shall appoint the field officers of such battalions, regiments, brigades and divisions, and only excepted. shall issue commissions in due form to all the officers

Sec. 5. Be it further enacted, That members of the Society of Friends, commonly called Quakers, may be exempted from the provision of this act by paying the sum of one hundred dollars according to an ordinance of the Convention of this State in that behalf, ratified the 12th day of May, 1862. Provided that when a !-Quaker shall have paid or had levied of his property the sum of five hundre! dollars under the act of Congress called the conscription law aforesaid, he shall not be required to pay any sum of money for his exemption under this act.

Sec. 6. That the said guards for home defence may be called out for service by the Governor in defence of the State against invasion and to suppress invasion. either by regiments, battalions, or companies, en masse or by drafts or volunteers from the same, as he, in hi discretion may direct; shall be under his command, through the officers appointed as herein provided: shall serve only within the limits of this State, and in terms of duty to be prescribed by the Governor, not may be organized into infantry, artillery or cavalry as he may direct, and the infantry and artillery may be mounted if he shall so determine, the men furnishing their own horses and accourrements and arms, when approved by the Governor, on such terms as he shall

Sec. 7. Be it further enacted. That the Governor may furnish to said troops the arms, accourrements and ammunition of the State when called as aforesaid into active service, and shall prescribe rules for their return and to prevent the waste, destruction or loss of the

Sec. 8. Be it further enacted, That all laws and clauses of laws coming within the meaning and purview of this act be, and the same are bereby repealed. Sec. 9. Be it further enacted. That the commissions of officers of the Militia, called into service by this act, are suspended only during the period of such service. Sec. 10. Be it further enacted. That this act shall be in force from the date of its ratification. [Ratified the 7th day of July, 1863.]

Amendments to the above Law. AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE MILITIA AND A GUARD FOR HOME

DEFENCE. SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same. That neither the Governor of this State, ner the officers acting under an act ratified on the 7th day of July, 1863, entitled "An act in relation to the Militia and a Guard for Home Defence." shall call out for drill or muster the persons curolled under said act, oftener than once a month in company drill, or oftener than twice a year in battalion drill, which buttalion drills shall take the place of the company drills for the month in which they are appointed, unless when called into actual service to repel invasion or apparess insurrection, or to execute the

glight have the power to use the Guards of Home Defence for the purpose of arresting conscripts and de-serters; Provided, they shall not be ordered upon this duty beyond the limits of the counties in which they reside or the counties adjacent thereto.

exemptions contained in the net to which this is an hollow-ware, sait pans, &c. Orders solicited-Terms amendment, there shall be exempt County commission- Cash. ers appointed under an act entitled "An act for the re- I will exchange Iron for Bacon, corn, cloth, or proher of wives and families of soldiers in the army," reg- | visions of any kind. ular millers, blacksmiths who have established sheps, necessary operatives in factories and foundries, the Attorney General, Solicitors of the several circuits and counties, physicians of five years' practice, contractors with the State or Confederate government, one editor to each newspaper and the necessary compositors, mail carriers, professors in colleges and teachers in academies; Provided, that this exemption shall only apply to the drills specified in this bill and not to service when Stitt, in Providence, on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturthe Guard for Home Defence is called into the field.

Sec 4. Be it further enacted, That for failure to attend the battalion or regimental drill, each field officer shall forfeit and pay one hundred dollars; each Captain and other officers who shall fail to muster and drill their companies at the times appointed, shall forfeit and pay for each failure fifty dollars, and if a non-commis- (Jan. 1st, 1864) dissolved by matual consent. All he shall forfeit and pay not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars; Provided, that every absentee shall be allowed until the next muster to make his excuse. The fines shall be adjudged by regimental and company courts-martial, and judgments are to be entered up and the fines collected in the same mode and in accordsuce with the provisions of the Militia Law of North | for sale at this Office.

Carolina, passed at the second extra session of the General Assembly, 1861.

SEC 5. Be it further enacted, That the Surgeon General by and with the advice and consent of the Governor, may appoint surgical boards, not exceeding three, composed of two physicians each, who shall declare by their certificates those persons who shall be exempt from service under the act to which this is an amendment, on account of mental or physical disabili-

Sec 6. Be it further enacted, That the Guard for home defence, should they be called into service by the Governor, shall receive the same pay, rations and allowances as soldiers in the Confederate States' service, and shall be subject to the rules and articles of

war of the Confederate States. SEC 7. Be it further enacted, That when the pressure of public danger shall not prevent the observance of such a rule, the said Guard for home defence shall not be called into service en masse, but by drafts of a number of men from each convenient company, so as to make up the aggregate force required.

Sec 8. Be it further enacted, That this act shall be in force and take effect from and after its ratification. Read three times and ratified in General Assembly, this the 14th day of December, A. D., 1863.

ARRIVAL and DEPARTURE Of Messengers OF THE SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY At Charlotte Office, Daily.

ARRIVES.

From Char. & S C. Railroad 7 30 A. M. and 9 P.M 6 20 " and 9 25 " N. C. Railroad A., T. & O. Railroad 9 00 " Wil., C. & R. Railroad 3 15 P. M.

DEPARTS. For N C Railroad

Char. & S C. Railroad 10 00 " Wil., C. & R. Railroad 7 30 " " A., T. & O. Railroad 4 00 P. M.

It is desired that all Parcels, Packages or Freight to be forwarded by either of the above Trains, be sent to this Office ONE HOUR previous to its departure. T. D. GILLESPIE, Agent.

Charlotte, Sept. 7, 1863.

## EXPRESS NOTICE.

OFFICE SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY, ) Charlotte, Sept. 24, 1863. In order to avoid misunderstanding and to make our charges conform to the liability assumed, this Company hereby gives notice that from and after Octoper 1st, 1863, shippers will be required to place their the amount. The act of God and the public enemy sirable. But, trusting that I may have a due allow-T. D. GILLESPIE, Agent. Sept 28, 1863

## Tailoring.



JOHN VOGEL, Practical Taizens of Charlotte and surround ing country, that he is prepared to manufacture gentlemen's closhort notice. His best exertions door to Brown & Stitt's store.

COPPERAS.

TAYLOR & ASBURY are now prepared to furnish the ton or otherwise, a fine article of Copperas, superior to any English offered in market. Druggists and Apothecaries supplied with a chemically pure TAYLOR & ASBURY, Charlotte, N. C.

Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherford RAILROAD.

On and after Monday the 25th of May, 1863, the Pasenger Train will run on this Road (Western Division) daily, Sundays excepted, as follows:

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Charlotte. Fare, six cents per mile. Soldiers going to and returning from the army, half fare. Passengers are required to make the proper change, as the Ticket Agent

anot furnish change for every one. A Freight Train leaves Cherryville for Charlotte at o'clock, A M, on Mondays, and returns same day. For Passenger Trains transporting Freights, 50 per cent to the tariff rates of freight will be added.

Master of Transportation. Lincolnton, May 25, 1863.

OBARLOTTE BOTEL.

By J. R. KERRE. Proprietor. VERY ACCOMMODATION afforded the patrons of the Charlotte Hotel. 1000 At this trove, is kept the line of Daily Stages from Charlotte of Asheville. J. B. KERR.

. NOTICE.

Side 3. Be it further enacted, That is addition to the 1 am prepared to east machine irons of all kinds,

J. W. DERR. Spring Hill Forge.

GARREN BAVES.

This fine Horse can be found at my stable in this dace, during the present season, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, and at the stables of W. T.

days. Terms, stxty dollars insurance.

TOTTOE.

The firm of WILLIAMS, OATES & CO., is this day sioned officer or private shall fail to attend at any drill, persons interested will call and close their accounts with either of the undersigned.

L S. WILLIAMS. L. W. SANDERS.

January 12, 1864

BLANK DEEDS, Warrants. Ejectments, &c, ment.

Announcement.

The friends of Cor. WILLIAM M. GRIER announce

him as a candidate to represent Mecklenburg county in the Senate at the ensuing August election. March 28, 1864 te-pd

For the Legislature.

Believing that the county of Mecklenburg has been well represented in the person of JOHN L. BROWN, ty, and they shall receive the pay of their rank and well represented in the person of JOHN L. BROWN, traveling expenses, to be determined by the Adjutant- who has proven to be a prompt, active and faithful public servant, many of his constituents desire his re- A Owens.

April 11, 1864 Announcement.

date for the Senate, to represent the district composed of the counties of Union and Anson. SEVERAL CITIZENS

H. WALKUP, of the 48th N. C. Regiment, as a candi

We take the liberty of announcing Con. SAMUEL

MONROE, N. C., March 12th, 1864.

March 15 te-pd of Union County. Announcement.

We, as soldiers, respectfully announce Capt. J. E. MOORE as a candidate for Sheriff of Union county at our next regular election in August, and as such will be voted for by MANY SOLDIERS. Feb. 16, 1864

Amnouncement.

We, as soldiers, respectfully announce THOMAS R. MAGILL as a candidate for the House of Commons next, and as such will be voted for by MANY SOLDIERS IN THE ARMY.

For the Legislature.

House of Commons of the General Assembly of North | Private Daniel Smith. Carolina, and therefore announce him a candidate for MANY CITIZENS. May 30, 1864

To the Voters of Union County.

FELLOW CITIZENS: I am a candidate for your suffrages at the next ensuing election for Sheriff in the aluation upon each package before it will be received. County of Union. My connection with the army, how- Glidwell, D S Hall, F M Baker, A S Sizemore, Such valuation will be inserted in the Company's ever, has for some months removed me from that famireceipt, and establish the liability of the Company for liar intercourse with you that would generally be deance for this seeming inconvenience, with a view to vastly different circumstances from those which surrounded us four years ago. Many of you have realized the hardships of war and the dangers of battle; but lor, respectfully informs the citi- without recalling the past, let us look hopefully to the of the favors I received at your hands then, with many | Sergt C Trull, Privates J F Lingle, J N Collins, others previous to that time, to ask your cordial sup thing in the latest style and at port now. If elected, I will use what industry and ability I possess to fulfill the obligations of the office will be given to render satisfac- in such a manner as, I hope, may ever be satisfactory tion to those who patronize him. Shop opposite Kerr's Hotel, next consider that you have done me no wrong and that I P L West, J F Fletcher, J H Taylor. Missing: Halifax county, and Winston of Bertie county, the house crying to the next door and pulled the tion to those who patronize him. to you. On the contrary, if I am not elected, I shall H Brown, Privates J H Bumgarner, H H Eller, have no right to criticise because your suffrages are J F Norris, S B McNeil, J A Nichols, C M Pryor. against me. But I am fully sensible of the distinction conferred, by being elected to the position for which I am a candidate, and shall be as proud to receive your ing 37. Total 151. votes as I shall ever be earnest and faithful to prove same. And, in conclusion, allow me to hope you will remember your friend, and on the day of election a W. H. COLLINS. ticket for the same. Co. A, 4th N. C. Cavalry, March 28, 1864 . pd . Gordon's Brigade.

Announcement.

YADKINVILLE, April 18, 1864. I am anthorized to announce Col. W. H. A. SPEER. Senate of the next Legislature of North Carolina.
Respectfully, R. F. ARMFIELD. Respectfully,

The Peoples' Ticket.

COL. WILLIAM M. GRIER. " FOR THE COMMONS. R. D. WHITLEY, J. SOLOMON REID. May 16, 1864 tepd

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce R. M. WHITE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Mecklenburg county.

> NOTICE. OFFICE OF WESTERN PLANK ROAD COMPANY, )

Lincolnton, N. C., April 11, 1864. To the Stockholders of the Western Plank Road Company: The Confederate Tax on the individual shares in this company will be paid by the President. C. C. HENDERSON, Prest. West. P. R. Company April 18, 1864 4t

> REDEOESOTE PURNACE. LINCOLN COUNTY, N. C,

THREE MILES EAST OF IRON P. O. The proprietors announce to the public that this

SHIPP & REINHARDT.

Surgeon General's Office, RALEIGH, N. C., April 27, 1864. I propose to establish in the city of Raleigh a manu-

factory for ARTIFICIAL LIMBS. The object of this enterprise is to supply these use. Enquirer: ful articles to all soldiers from this State, who have

Privates and non-commissioned officers will be furnished gratuitously. Commissioned officers will be charged the actual cost. Disabled soldiers are requested to correspond with the undersigned, giving name, regiment, rank, locality

of amputation, and the precise measurement of the remaining member. I wish to employ a number of competent mechanics for the above named purpose. All such are invited to communicate immediately with this office.

Surgeon General of North Carolina. May 2, 1864

EDWARD WARREN,

JOHN L BROWN.

BONDS FOR SALE. A few 8 per cent. Confederate Bonds are offered for

sale. Old fives or new issue will be received in pay-May 2, 1864.

Hoover, W C Clark, J P Robinson, J H Wilson, W R Cochran, A L Williamson, W B Harry, J F Reid, Sylvester Caton, S E Todd, David L Love, the Class for only one year. He could not com-J W Taylor. Missing : Sergt H B Sample, Privates Jones Engel, Lewis Leon, H Osborne, W T Darnell, Samuel S Marks!

Western Bemocrat.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

For the Western Democrat.

FIFTY-THIRD N. C. REGIMENT.

Casualties from the 4th of May to the 1st of June.

Co. C-Killed: Color Sergt John Strain. Co. D-Killed: Private Q Paul. Wounded: Privates M Ebert, Wm Hutson, J M Smith, J H Boyles, W H Martin, James Morgan, Alex Combs. Missing: A J Longworth, John Pickerd, J M Tesh, J D Jackson, W H Watson, L M Roninger, T S Fuller.

Co. E-Killed: Capt R D Hill, Private James Galvan. Wounded : Lieut Jas A Hill, Privates J Z Coble, Jefferson Hodges. Missing: Privates for Union county, at our next regular election in Aug. H M Gravelly, John Simpson, Tyre Simpson, H Brown, D C Riddle, J A Owens.

vate Job Evans. Wounded: Sergt H W Steele, without sensitiveness, exertion without exhaustion, and resignation but not to fate. The words thread, but retain their tone and brilliancy to the Julian Isley, G N Church, Henry Workman, D of the preacher were as apples of gold in pictures to be a candidate to represent Union county in the M Isley, S Done. Missing: Sergt E Mitchell,

Co. G-Killed: Privates W Collins, C T Hall. Wounded: Corpl D F Hall, Privates W R Hunlev. John Ellis, S N Mabe, II Bullen. Missing: Private F M Ambrun.

Co. H. Killed: Private J W Neil. Wounded: Corpl E W Culler, Privates C A Bennett, J P Calvin Wall, John W Booze, Lee A Booze, J H Howell. Missing: Private E R Jones, C James. Co. I-Killed: Privates J A Elliot, R H Moore. repeated expressions of a desire that I should become John S Marsh. Wounded : Sergt Daniel McCola candidate, I have consented to do so-though under lum. Privates D M Little (since died,) E Phifer, S J Haney, A Hinson, Wm Medlin, J S Griffin, W S Eason, J W Bivens, F D Moore, T Helms, J M Henry, James H Trull, J A Bivens, R H future, and permit me, in grateful acknowledgements Leonard, J C Williams, W A Griffin Missing :

> G Collins, E M Curlee, W Strawn. Co. K-Killed: F McNeil, J W Bowman, H H Baker. Wounded: Capt J F Eller, Sergt W Recapitulation-Killed 18, wounded 96, miss-

nyself worthy of the responsible trust imposed by the TO THE SHERIFFS AND TAX-COLLEC-TORS OF NORTH CAROLINA

> The following is a copy of so much of an act passed at the last session of the General Assembly as relates to the currency in which taxes may be

SEC. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same. That all taxes of the 28th N. C. Troops, a candidate at the election in due to the State or counties and for school pur-August next, to represent the people of the counties of poses, or taxes for the poor, all payments for en-Yadkin, Surry, Alleghany, Ashe and Watauga in the tries of public lands, and all fines and forfeitures for the use of the State or counties, may be paid in Treasury notes of the Confederate States under five dollars, or in the new issue authorized by the act of the Confederate Congress, ratified the 17th of February, 1864-and all such dues may be paid during the present year in the old issues of Confederate Treasury notes of the denomination of five dollars up to fifty dollars, both inclusive, less thirty-three and one-third per cent., the tax imposed by the act of Congress.

Sec. 3. Be it further enacted, That the act ratified July 3d, 1863, entitled "an act in relation to the payment of taxes" and for other purposes, and so much of section second of the Ordinance No 35 of the State Convention, ratified 26th February, 1862, as directs the receiving of Confederate Treasury notes in payment of taxes and all other dues,

are hereby repealed. Owing to considerations explained in my late report to the General Assembly, our Treasury notes of less denomination than a dollar are not exchanged for Confederate notes, but these change notes will be exchanged for North Carolina Treasurv notes of larger denomination, or for coupons from our State bonds. On presentation by you or any other person at this department of any amount of our notes above a dollar, or our due coupons, our change notes for the same amount will be exchanged for them. This exchange may be effect-Furrace is in full blast, and will make castings of all kinds to order. Also, Pig Iron is made and offered for ed through the agency of the Southern Express Department in which Norfolk and Portsmouth is JONATHAN WERTH, Company.

Public Treasurer. on around Richmond week before last, the followincident occurred as related by the Richmend

Now he has seized the funds belonging to the fellow, had on a broad-brim hat of oat-straw. The
Howard Association of Norfolk, the silver plate of fellow, had on a broad-brim hat of oat-straw.

"During the engagement, four companies of been, or may be, so maimed in the service as to require Wisconsin regiment were sent against a battery to carry it by assault, and, it being a desperate case, their services were only accepted, so the survivors say, because they volunteered to perform the job. When they had arrived within about two hundred vards of the Battery, it opened upon them; although their ranks were thinned considerably by the first round, they kept on, and when about fifty yards from our breastworks, in front of the battery, our infantry opened a galling fire upon them, which, mingling with that of the battery, annihilated the whole battalion. Not one was seen to escape, and the ground was covered with their dead and wounded. Two car loads of the latter arrived in the city, several of whom (with whom our reporters conversed), stated that they did not believe a single man of the four companies got

THE COMMENCEMENT AT CHAPEL HILL.

beginning, and so has determined its revolution to put them into a kettle or pot and boil them until have a period of sixty-six years. At its first Com- a strong decoction or lye is made. Take out the manding 2d N. C. Battalion.) Wounded: Col W How many will it number during its second circuit? Who and what will they be? Where will wring it out hard and let the drainings run into public servant, many of his constituents desire his recelection, and hereby announce him a candidate for the House of Commons at the election in August next. Mr Brown is a good business man, and the services of such men are needed now in our legislative halls.

Note to a cold solution of copperas, made by dissolving about 15, 1864. pd VOTERS.

For the Legislature.

For the Legislature.

The friends of E. C. GRIER announce him a candistic for re-election to the House of Commons from date for re-election to the House of Commons from Mecklenburg county.

Mecklenburg county.

A Owens.

Company A—Killed: John Huffines. Wounded: Capt J M Sutton, corpl A Ingle, HC Wooten, Messers and and the services of such Messers and and the services of such Messers. A Owens.

Company A—Killed: John Huffines. Wounded: Capt J M Sutton, corpl A Ingle, HC Wooten, Messers and and the services of such Messers and and the services of such Messers and the pet. Then dip the thread, hank by hank, incomplete the pet. Then dip the thread, hank by hank, incomplete the pet. Then dip the thread hank Boozer of S. C., W. M. Clark of Halifux county, W. A Guthrie of Chapel Hill, J C Gilmer of Surry county, J T Tate of Gaston county, A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren county. A Van Wyck of S. C., and J B Williams of Warren Mr Guthrie got the Latin Salutary by lot. The river, branch or spring, or have an abundance of Co. B-Killed: Capt J Harvey White, (A. A. third distinction was awarded to Messrs. Boozer water, and thoroughly rinse it until the lye is en-A. Genl. of the Brigade). Wounded: Sergt B J and Van Wyck. Mr Gilmer was absent only Patterson, Carpl Wm R Berryhill, Privates F M once in three and a half years. Mr Boozer has return to the dye pot. Take hank by hank and plete for a distinction with his classmates, but he dip it into the copperas water, as at first; wring it was recorded as second to no one in scholarship out hard and dip into the lye, as at first, then and in punctuality while a senior. All of the se- wring it out hard and rinse or wash, as at first. Two of them were absent at their posts on Com- black color is obtained, always remembering to Constitutional law and order is to be maintained, When a black is desired and the color is nearly not by cool argument, but by cold steel and bloody deep enough, omit dipping in the lye the last dip bayonets.

> sion, that lave to God was man's first, last, and all the colors obtained suit the fancy of the dyer becomprehending duty, his sweetest employment, fore black is reached, stop the dyeing at that point and his highest glory. With this love in the and wash the thread, and the color will remain as Co. F-Killed : Lieut Samuel A Albright, Pri- heart there can be fear without terror, sensibility it is. All these colors are fast, do not fade or run, of silver.

In the Junior Class Mr P H Adams, of Greensporo', was the only thoroughly "first mite man." Mr E G Prout, of Williamsboro', was his equal in Latin, Logic and French, but second to him in the Bible, in Greek and in Mathematics. Mr Henderson, of Salisbury, was first in French, Latin and Greek-second in Logie and third in the Bible. His standing in Mathematics was not mentioned. The second distinction throughout was awarded to Messrs. London, of Pittsboro', and W Prout of Williamsborough. Mr Huff, of Brunswick county, Va., and Mr Roan of Yanceyville. were declared to be equal in the third rank, Mr R Hodge, of Wake county, got the first honor in punctuality There are only two Sophomores. Of these Mr Adams, of Petersburg, Va., took Freshmen were read out as not passing approved examinations last week.

The only competitors in Declamation were from the Freshman Class. Of these Mr Busbee was generally regarded as acquitting himself with the greatest propriety of manner, although many re- vant for a doctor, we began to rub him with camgarded Mr Winston's effort as equally successful.

accomplished leader, Mr Wyess, has added to the of the wick in the socket before the light is extininterest of speaking occasions at the University, guished for ever. and the wish was universally expressed that he might often, and in more peaceful times, receive little fellow rubbing him. She releaved herself at Chapel Hill.

courteous assistants, Messrs. Henderson, London the comfort of Commencement week.

Gov Vance, Gov Manly, Judge Manly and Mr But the degree of A M was given to the Hon S J. Person, Prof W B Lynch and Mr H Strong, of Cheraw, S C, as graduates of our University, and to the Rev. F W Hilliard, of the Episcopal Church, and the Rev N W Wilson, of the Bap- was contused, and I think his chest much injured tist Church, "gratia honoris."-Raleigh Conser-

BEAST BUTLER'S ROBERIES. - The Christian Sun, of Petersburg, has the following paragraph or seven years old, an intelligent, independent litin reference to the Beast:

"We have read with some interest and amuse-

ment the communication of Bogus Governor Pierpont to Abraham Lincoln and the Federal Congress, setting forth the usurpation and corruptions of Gen Beni F Butler, commandant of the Military embraced. It gives Butler and his officers a worse character, if possible, than the Confederates are accustumed to assign him. Shows how the Union AN INCIDENT.—While the fighting was going accustumed to assign that. private individuals, the Gas Company, the Ferry, President himself was dressed in a plain suit of tax on business, and appropriated all to his own gray. use. The expose is sufficient to blacken the character of any man for all time. But that which amused us was the complaints of many of the most Paris recommend the following way of administerblatant Union men of the wrongs and robberies ing castor oil to children: "The quantity of oil which they had suffered-such men as Peter prescribed is poured into a small earthen pan over Whitehurst, Charles Whitehurst, F Zantzinger, a moderate fire, an egg broken in it and stirred up Geo W Singleton, and others. They have thrust so as to form something like what cooks call fritthemselves into the mouth of the Beast, and now tered eggs, when it is done, a little salt or sugar. let them roll in agony, and little do we care for or a few drops of orange water, or some current their sufferings. Butler must, according to the jelly should be added. The sick child will eat it testimony of friends and foes, be one of the mean- eagerly and never discover the fraud. est living men."

"they do appear to be tired."

DIRECTIONS FOR DYEING.

Take black, white or red oak bark, sweet gum Our University seems to have got around to the and maple bark, about equal quantities of each;

or so, but wash after the copperas water. Dr. Deems preached the graduating sermon on Wednesday forenoon. In it he showed, with great power of reasoning and much warmth of persualast. This process is not suited to the dyeing

wool, but is applicable to the dyeing of flax and cotton. Charlotte, N. C.

THE LATE ACCIDENT IN THE PRESI-

DENT'S FAMILY. The late sad accident and terrible bereavement suffered by the President and family, called forth the deepest sympathies of the public. From a private letter of a Confederate officer-though not intended for publication—the Selma Dispatch copies the following description of the scene of the accident, and the President's household, upon

the occurrence of the sudden affliction : Of these Mr Adams, of Petersburg, Va., took | FLORENCE, S. C. May 3.—I left Richmond on away the prizes in scholarship and punctuality Sunday morning, 1st of May. On the evening from his competitor, Mr Slover of Newbern. In before I found myself at the President's house up the Freshman Class, Mr F H Busbee, of Raleigh, stairs, by a sad and singular accident. Having was declared to be the best scholar. Mr R W finished all my business with the Department, I Means, of Cabarrus county, is the next best, and strolled with Judge H, of Mississippi, to look at obtained the third distinction. Mr A K Tenny, bell violently; in a minute she was followed by of Chapel Hill, was declared second in the Bible another, and then by a little boy, the picture of and Mathematics. Messrs. Guthric, Means and the most utter desolation and despair, and then by Tenny have not been absent during the session a negro woman, from whom we learned that the just closed. Two of the Juniors and one of the President's little son was badly burt, and no white person except these three little children were at

We at once ran in and found the little fellow (about five years old) in the arms of a negro man, insensible and almost dead. Dispatching a serphor and brandy, and put mustard on his feet and The speeches during the week were alternated wrists, and in a short time he began to breathe by agreeable music from the hand of the 43d N. better, and opened his eyes, and we all thought he C. Regiment. This is the second time that its | was reviving, but it was the last bright gleaming

Mr and Mrs Davis came in while we held the the applause and share the good things dispensed in a flood of tears and wild lamentations; he knelt by his side and clasped the dying boy's hands in The marshalling of Mr P II Adams, and his his own thin attenuated fingers. As he thus held his hands and watched the boy die, such a look of and Roan, was very proper, and added much to petrified unutterable anguish I never saw. His rale, thin, intellectual face, already oppressed with a thousand national troubles, that now so immi-P C Cameron, were the only Trustees from a dis- nently threaten our existence, seemed suddenly tance. They conferred no Doctorate this year. ready to burst with unspeakable grief, and thus

transfixed into a stony rigidity.

The little boy had fallen from a gallery about fifteen feet, on a brick pavement, and lay there some time before he was discovered. His head internally. The little boy who died was named Joe. He had beautiful black eyes and hair, and was a very handsome boy. The other little fellow, so stricken with grief, named Jeff, was some six tle fellow, with the tenderest heart under a rough

exterior. When I recall the picture of our poor President, grief-stricken, speechless, tearless, crushed, I cau scarcely refrain from tears myself, even now. No man could have witnessed that scene and ever find it in his heart again to abuse that great and pure man, who, in the exercise of great powers confided to him by a generous people, has shown more continence and moderation than Washington.

The President's little boys were dressed in gray

How to Take OIL -The medical men of

GEN. WADE HAMPTON .- It is said that Maj. "I should think these omnibus wheels would be Gen. Wade Hampton has killed twenty-two men fatigued after running all day," observed Sam. in hand to hand fights. He always goes into bat-"Well, yes," replied Seth, taking a squint at them, fle in advance of his troops, generally has the first blow, and does yeoman's share of the conflict.