WAR NEWS.

From the Daily South Carolinian.

The Fight at Pensacola.

PENSACOLA, January 2.—An engagement commenced yesterday morning, at 2½ o'clock, by the enemy firing on a small steamer laying at the Navy Yard wharf. The firing soon became general, though slow and deliberate on both sides. The last gun was fired from our side daylight. The shells from our guns were thrown with great accuracy. The steamer escaped without damage. No casualties are reported. The only damage done was the burning of two or three wooden buildings in Warrington by the enemy's hot shot. There was one vessel outside, which was not engaged. All was quiet at 12 m., with no prospect of a renewal of hostilities.

Another Mason and Slidell Affair.

NEW ORLEANS, January 3.—A letter has just been received from Havanna, also the Bonaventure *Flag*, which state that a United States steamer, off Santiago de Cuba, boarded the English schooner Eugenie Smith, bound from Havana to Matamoras, and seized J. W. Zacharie, of New Orleans, and Thomas Rodgers, of Texas, taking them to Fort Taylor. The hatches were opened, but nothing contraband being found, the schooner was allowed to depart.

From Virginia.

RICHMOND, January 2.—In Congress today, Daniel P. White, of Kentucky, qualified and took his seat. Otherwise the business was unimportant.

It is reported that the Committee on the Military in Congress will report measures and suggestions for the Confederate army founded on the French system.

Gen. Bragg communicates to the Government that the firing was commenced yesterday by Fort Pickens firing on a Confederate steamer. She was replied to by the Confederate batteries, and continued during the day until night. No casualties on our side. Col. Anderson was in command, as Bragg was absent, but returned early this morning. Pickens did not renew the firing this morning, and no further operations were made by our side.

RICHMOND, January 4.—The Government has received official intelligence combating McIntosh's river at battle.

Judge Hemphill, member of Congress from Texas, died at the Exchange Hotel this morning.

From the West and South-West.

NASHVILLE, January 1.—Johnson, the Provisional Governor of Kentucky, has issued a proclamation ordering an election, on the 22d, for eleven Representatives in Congress on the general ticket.

The Kentucky House of Representatives in Frankfort has expelled Elliott, Matthewson, Silvertooth, Long, Boon, Merritt, Wing and Gilbert, for aiding in the rebellion.

The Louisville Journal, of the 30th, says that the Federal Administration have agreed unconditionally to release Mason and Slidell to the British Government, and place them under the British flag. The Cabinet were unanimous in coming to this determination. Some excitement was created North on this announcement, but it is subsiding. The Journal expresses no opinion.

Under the Confiscation Act of the Kentucky Legislature, the Frankfort authorities have attached the property of Gen. Buckner, Wm. Preston and Ed Crutchfield, amounting to twenty thousand dollars each.

MEMPHIS, January 1.—It is reported that Gen. Pillow resigned at Columbus yesterday, and has gone home.

NEW ORLEANS, January 2.—Gen. Lovell has received the following dispatch:

HANDSBORO, January 1.—The enemy came near Biloxi, yesterday morning. Two United States officers and sixty men landed in small boats and demanded from Capt. Ferrell, commanding, any property belonging to the United States or munitions of war of the Confederacy, giving Ferrell one hour to decide. Ferrell surrendered. The United States Commodore took two small cannon. It is said Butler and his command were at Ship Island. The enemy remained in Biloxi a few hours and then returned to Ship Island.

A special dispatch to the *Picayune*, dated Mississippi City, January 2, says the Federals have left and the coast is all quiet to day. Biloxi is considered in possession of the Federals, and they are momentarily expected to occupy it.

NASHVILLE, January 2.—Gen. Johnston has called on the Provisional Government of Kentucky for thirty thousand men, to serve one or three years. It is understood that when two or more brigades are mustered in, they will be under the command of Wm. Preston, late Minister to Spain, who is to receive the appointment as Major-General.

There are no Federals, with the exception of a few scouts, this side of Green River, yet military authorities expect an attack. Late accounts from beyond Green River represent the Federals still receiving large reinforcements.

The reported resignation of Gen. Pillow is confirmed.

HANDSBORO, January 3.—Twelve Federal vessels were near Ship Island yesterday. There has been considerable drumming and stirring around within the past ten days.

Important Arrival.

NEW ORLEANS, January 4.—A British steamer has arrived in a Confederate port, bringing a large quantity of munitions of war and other valuable articles.

THE NASHVILLE UNDER REPAIR IN ENGLAND.—The Confederate war steamer Nashville sent into the graving dock at Southampton yesterday to be repaired. The Federal armed mail steamer Arago will, it is expected, come up Southampton Water on Wednesday next, instead of remaining at Cowes, so that the two ships will be "within shot" of each other.—*London News, Dec. 6.*

TRANSFER OF PRISONERS.—We understand that accommodations have been fitted up in the yard of our jail for the prisoners now confined in Charleston. They will arrive here this afternoon, as we are informed. Col. Corcoran, we presume, will be among the number.—*Columbia, Guardian, 31st ult.*

A MORAL HERO.—The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia "Inquirer" telegraphs that Journal the following gratifying bit of intelligence. All honor to the brave Vallandigham. We trust the South may find an early occasion of manifesting their respect for his grand moral courage:

VALLANDIGHAM ON HAND.—Vallandigham, of Ohio, is here, as bold as ever, but his aid de camp, Burdett, is *non est.*

WANTED.

CAPT. W. DAVIDSON, Wants 10 or 20, recruits they will be thoroughly armed and equipped.

Apply Immediately At Maj. Kerrs Hotel.

Notice to Creditors.

THE copartnership existing between the undersigned expires by limitation on the 1st day of January present, 1862, but is hereby extended indefinitely for the purpose of closing our business. We hope therefore, that all persons indebted to us will come forward and pay their accounts (the bills are all made out ready for settlement) as soon as possible, as we are in need of all money due us, to comply with the requirements of our Government, and to answer pressing purposes.

Grateful for our liberal patronage, for past favors, we shall be happy to see and serve them, for CASH ONLY, AT THE PRICES OF OUR BOOKS ARE POSITIVELY CLOSED.

BROWN, TATE & CO.

January 7, 1861. 3t

SUGAR & MOLASSES.

150 Hhd Sugar now coming in at prices from 8 to 13 by the Hhd.

400 Bbls Molasses, N. O. best quality 65 cents per Gallon by the Bbl.

WILLIAMS & OATES.

January 7, 1861. 3tf

The Bank of Charlotte.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 17, 1861.

THIS BANK has declared a semi-annual dividend of Two Dollars per share, (of $50 each,) being at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, payable to Stockholders, or order, on and after the first Wednesday in January next.

M. P. PEGRAM, *Cashier.*

December 24, 1861. 2w

EXECUTORS SALE.

I WILL sell at the plantation of Dr. D. R. DUNLAP, deceased about three miles South of Charlotte, on Monday the 6th of January next, the following property, viz: 3 horses; 3 mules; 12 or 14 head of cattle, among them several good milch cows; 25 head of pork hogs, now being fattened for bacon; 5 or 6 breeding sows, and 15 or 20 hogs in range; 50 or 60 bushels corn; 7 stacks fodder; 3 stacks hay, some shucks and other provender; 1 four horse wagon and gearing; several plows and other farming tools; 1 harvesting machine and gearing; 1 wheat fan; 1 straw cutter and corn sheller. Also, about 25 or 30 acres growing crops of wheat and oats, together with other articles.

Terms made known on day of sale.

SAM'L. J. LOWRIE, *Ex'r of*
D. R. DUNLAP, *dec'd.*

Dec. 17, 1861. 3w

I will rent at the Court House door, on the 1st January, the plantation lately belonging to said deceased lying about 10 miles North-West of Charlotte, on the Beatties Ford road, for the ensuing year. The plantation is in good repair, about 100 acres of good land for cultivation. There is a small but comfortable house on the premises.

SAM'L. J. LOWRIE.

December 17, 1861. 3w

$30 REWARD.

I WILL pay the above reward to any person who will apprehend and deliver to me my boy SAM, or confine him in some jail so that I get him.

Sam left my employ about the 4th December last, he may endeavor to get to his neighborhood in Pineville, Union Church or he has relations living, or he may go to Anson county, N. C., or I bought him of Stephen N. Wilson who lives there. SAM had on when he left, a brown Linsey coat and a black wool hat, and has a scar on his forehead—about 21 years of age.

Address me at Charlotte, N. C.

JOHN WOLFE.

December 17, 1861. 2w

N. B.—Sam Boy escaped from the Rail Road near Columbia, S. C., and may be lurking somewhere near there.

To Hire.

SEVERAL NEGROES for the ensuing year, at the public square in Charlotte, on the 1st of January next, if not hired privately before that time.

J. M. HUTCHISON.

December 24, 1861. 1t

Common School Notice.

PERSONS desiring certificates to teach are to Mecklenburg county can be examined at the Court House on Saturday the 28th day of December.

J. P. ROSS,
E. NYE HUTCHISON, } *Com.*
M. D. JOHNSTON.

December 17, 1861. 2w

Dissolution.

THE copartnership that heretofore existed under the name of J. G. WILKINSON & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All those indebted to the said firm will please to call at the Store of J. G. WILKINSON and settle; and all having claims against the firm will present them for settlement.

J. G. WILKINSON,
THOS. TROTTER.

December 17, 1861. 3w

WATCHES,

JEWELRY, &C.

THE subscriber respectfully announces to the public that he has purchased the entire stock of Watches, Jewelry, Clocks, Silver and Plated Wares, Canes, Fancy Goods, &c., belonging to J. G. WILKINSON & Co., which is now offered to the public low for cash only.

Particular attention given to repairing Watches and Jewelry.

J. G. WILKINSON.

December 17, 1816. 3w

Negroes for Hire.

18 OR 20 LIKELY NEGROES for hire precisely on 1st January or privately before that time.

SAM'L. J. LOWRIE.

December 17, 1861. 3w

Notice.

I WILL hire out to the highest bidder on the 27th of this month 14 or 15 Negroes belonging to the minor heirs of Jos. M. Alexander dec'd Servants of all kinds.

B. W. ALEXANDER, *Guard'n.*

December 17, 1861. 2w

Sale of Valuable Property,

STEAM ENGINES AND MILL FIXTURES.

No. 1.—I will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the Union Gold Mines, known as the "Howie Mine, on the 4th day of December, the following personal property, viz:

6 Steam Engines,

with Boilers, 24, 8 and 20 horse power; 1 Tubular Boiler; 20 Feet Assignments; 4 Buffalo's; 3 Double Cylinder Stamps, 1 large iron Latter; 1 large iron Fan; 30 by 41 feet of Boiler Iron; 1 large upright Boiler, of Boiler Iron; 1 small do. of cast iron; 1 large 10 horse Wagon; 3 or 4 gooseneck Stamps Stems; 4 Brass Pressure for lace stamps;

2 Burr Stone FLOUR MILLS, NEW;

2 Flour Bolts and Reels; 1 upright Saw Mill, new; 1 set Smelting Furnace and Hodgers; Jenkins' Mining Pumps; 1st Gas Pipe; 1st Iron Gear Wheels;

14 Mules, 3 Horses, 4 4-horse Wagons;

1 two horse Wagon, 1 Buggy; 1 Carryall, lot of Harnesses, Chains, 3 Carts, Farming Tools, Grain-cradles and Kitchen Furniture, and various other articles too numerous to mention.

No. 2.—Also, on the first Monday in January next, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Monroe,

Seven NEGROES;

Ben, aged 42 years; Mary, 40; Jane, 12; William, 10; Henry, 7; Susan, 5; Mary, 1. And the following Tracts of Land, lying in the county of Union on the waters of Twelve Mile Creek: One tract, 172 acres, adjoining the lands of F. L. Wolfe and others, and known as the Washington Mine.

No. 3.—Also, another tract, containing 160 acres, adjoining lands of A. J. Stack, Wm. H. Howie, and others. Also, another tract, containing 404 acres, adjoining lands of F. L. Wolfe, the Big survey, Stack, and others. Also, another tract, containing 221 acres, adjoining lands of Wm. H. Howie, R. G. Dunaway, and others—Also, another tract, containing 220 acres, adjoining lands of J. C. Austin, G. G. Howie and others. Also, another tract, containing 264 acres, adjoining lands of J. C. Austin, Wm. James and others. Also, another tract, containing 40 acres, adjoining lands of Martin Chisnhall and others; and formerly known as the Ingraham Mine tract.

All of the foregoing property levied on and sold as the property of R. F. Stockton, to satisfy sundry tenders and fees in my hands, issuing from the County and Superior Courts of Union County, against R. F. Stockton, in favor of L. W. Doney and others.

C. AUSTIN, *Sheriff.*

December 10, 1861. 4w

PAY YOUR TAXES.

ALL persons owing me taxes are hereby notified to pay up before the 1st January. I must have the money to settle off the Poor and School Funds, but will not be able to do it without you pay me. I hope you will not force me to borrow money and pay your taxes for you; it is not a small amount to each one, and you can easily raise it.

W. W. GRIER, *Sheriff.*

December 10, 1861.

READ THIS.

THE SOLDIER'S RELIEF.

HAVING closed out business in the town of Charlotte I hereby give you due notice that your notes and accounts are ready for settlement. I shall expect all persons (except the soldiers in the army) to come forward immediately and pay up as I am competed to have money of sullen. Any non-attention to this notice will be followed by a suit. Yours truly,

WM. TRELOAR.

December 10, 1861. 1m

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.

60 Bbls N. O. Molasses, New Crop.
100 Hhds. " Sugar, " "
25 Kits Mackerel.

To hand and for sale Wholesale,

300 Bbls of New Orleans Molasses

Expected every day.

Orders from merchants will be promptly attended to, and prices lower than Lee alone affords can be bought in the Charlotte market.

OATES & WILLIAMS.

December 10, 1861. 8M

The Bazaar.

CORRECTED BY OATES & WILLIAMS.

CHARLOTTE, JANUARY 6, 1861.

BACON, Ham, new	lb.	23 @	00
" Sides	"	20 @	21
" Log round	"	22½ @	00
" Shoulders	"	21 @	00
Bagging, Kentucky	yd.	30 @	00
Ties	"	4 @	5
Butter	lb.	25 @	30
Beeswax	lb.	22 @	250
Candles	lb.	20 @	1
Brandy, Apple	gal.	00 @	6.5
" Peach	gal.	00 @	12
Cotton	lb.	8½ @	9½
Coffee, Rio	lb.	9 @	00
" Java	lb.	00 @	00
Candles, Adamantine	lb.	40 @	00
" Sperm	lb.	00 @	00
" Tallow	lb.	9 @	25
Corn	bushel	00 @	00
" rye	bushel	0 @	00
Chickens	each	20 @	25
Cloth, Copperas	yard	00 @	16
" Linsey	yard	40 @	50
Eggs	each	12 @	15
Flour	bbl.	7 @	00
"	sack	3.00 @	00
Feathers	lb.	00 @	20
Hides, Green	lb.	5 @	6½
" Dry	lb.	12 @	14
Lard	lb.	22½ @	00
Mutton	lb.	00 @	6
Molasses,	gal.	00 @	00
"	Kettle	00 @	00
Molasses, N. C.	gal.	70 @	75
" W. I.	gal.	00 @	00
Meal	bushel	60 @	65
Mullets (Wilmington)	bbl.	00 @	00
Nails, Northern	lb.	10 @	00
" Southern	lb.	8 @	00
Oats	bushel	55 @	60
Pork	lb.	7 @	7½
Peas	bushel	75 @	00
Potatoes, Irish	bushel	75 @	100
" Sweet	bushel	40 @	50
Rice	pound	04 @	00
Sugar, Loaf	lb.	15 @	00
" Brown	lb.	10 @	00
Stone-Ware	gal.	10 @	00
Salt	sack	220 @	00
Tea	lb.	100 @	125
Wheat, white	bushel	140 @	150
" red	bushel	135 @	140
Whiskey, Northern	gal.	00 @	115
" N. Carolina	gal.	75 @	00
Wool, (best Georgia)	washed	50 @	00
" " "	unwashed	45 @	00
Yarn	lb.	100 @	125

REMARKS.

COTTON.—In demand. In consequence of the advance in price it is coming in more freely. A good article is now in demand at 8c.

REMOVAL.

I WOULD give notice that I have removed to my New Factory next door to the Wing Office where Military Saddles, Harness and Accoutrements can be had at short notice.

S. M. HOWELL.

Cash paid for hides.

November 5, 1861. 1m

BROGANS! Brogans!

A Large Stock of NEGRO BROGANS.

—ALSO—

BOOTS AND SHOES,

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF GENTLEMENS BOOTS & SHOES,

—ALSO—

Ladies and Childrens Shoes. For sale by

JAMES HARTY.

Charlotte, Oct. 1, 1861. 6w

COTTON BUYRS.

ELIAS & COHEN

WILL PURCHASE

COTTON, GRAIN, FLOUR

AND

COUNTRY PRODUCE

of all kinds for which the highest market price will be paid in CASH.

Just received a large lot of BAGGING AND ROPING and a full supply of

CROCKERY & GLASSWARE,

CROCKERY,

ELIAS & COHEN.

September 5, 1861. 2w

TAKE NOTICE.

THE accounts and notes due Mr. Isaac Low, are now in my hands for collection and settlement. All persons indebted will please come forward and settle the same without delay.

J. EIGENBRUN.

Oct. 21, 1861—4t

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, July Term, 1861.

J. A. Erwin, J. M. Strain, James Caine, Jr. Joseph Lovell, vs. Original Attachment, Levied in the hands of E. A. Malone, one him summoned as Garnishee.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that J. M. Strain, James Caine, Jr. and Joseph Lovell, Tenants under the firm of Lovell, Caine & Co., are not inhabitants of this State, but reside beyond the limits of the same. It is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made for six successive weeks in the North-Carolina Wing a newspaper printed in the Town of Charlotte, notifying the said defendants to come to the next Superior Court of Law to be held for said county of Mecklenburg, at the Court House in Charlotte on the 4th Monday in October next, then and there to perform what may be required of them, or judgment pro confesso will be taken against them.

Witness, W. K. Reid, Clerk of our said Court, at office in Charlotte, the 4th Monday of July, and 85th year of American Independence.

W. K. REID, C. C. C.

August 20, 1861. Printers Fee $6. 12w

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MEMPHIS, TENN.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

OUR TERMS

POSITIVELY CASH

ON AND AFTER THE 25th INSTANT.

COCHRANE & SAMPLE.

August 20, 1861.

W. C. & R. RAIL ROAD CO.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of Stockholders of the Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherfordton Rail Road Company will be held in the Town of Charlotte on the fourth Wednesday in October next, the same being the 23d day of the month. County Agents should be attend and not fail to have the County Stock represented by proxy to insure a quorum. This is the more necessary as very many of our Stockholders have entered the army and will be necessarily absent.

H. W. GUION, *Pres't.*

Sept. 20, 1861. 1m

Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Atlantic, Tenn. & Ohio R. R.
CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 17, 1861.

THE FIFTH Instalment of Capital Stock in the A. T. & O. R. R. Co., subscribed on the Town of Statesville, is due on the 5th of October next.

The Seventh Instalment of the Stock subscribed at Mount Mourne, Iredell County, and the Eighth Instalment of all Stock subscribed in Mecklenburg County, is due and payable on the 21st October, next.

If the Stockholders desire the work to continue they MUST be more prompt in their payments. This is no idle talk. The Treasurer must have MONEY.

M. L. WRISTON, Treasurer.

September 17, 1861. 25.tf

A. W. ALEXANDER,

SURGEON DENTIST,

OFFERS his services to the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country. Office in the Dortmund building, adjoining Jones' Hotel. Hours of attendance from 9 to 12 A. M. and 2 to 5 P. M. Terms moderate.

Having received the agency for the American Hard Rubber Company, he will supply Dentists with all the styles of mounted Teeth, the Gum of which is Hard Rubber, vulcanized base. This style of work is much more durable than the Gum Gum. It will be superior to the mineral teeth in all respects, and will last a lifetime. Also, the Gum Gum Work is a very complete work of Art.

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He will also give satisfaction in the use of Chloroform, Ether and Gas, when desired.

Also, Dentists and others can be furnished with Gum Gum Teeth, Gum Gum Plates, Gum Gum Blocks, Gum Gum Pins, Gum Gum Ferrules