

NORTH CAROLINIAN.

Robert K. Bryan, Editor and Proprietor.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 1853.

FOR CONGRESS, HON. WILLIAM S. ASHE.

Destructive Fire.

At a quarter past 12 on Saturday morning last, the warehouse in the rear of the store occupied by Mr Beverly Rose, and adjoining the Hotel recently occupied by Mr Harman, foot of Haymont, was discovered to be on fire. The flames quickly communicated to the three story brick building and entirely consumed eight tenements before they could be checked.

The Hotel occupied by Mrs Brown was but a short time since fitted up by the proprietors, Messrs Steiman & Horne, in a very tasty and elegant manner. Its loss will be greatly felt by the community and the traveling public.

THE FOURTH OF JULY will be duly celebrated in Fayetteville as usual. Clement G. Wright, Esq. will deliver the Oration, and Jesse G. Shepherd, Esq. will read the Declaration of Independence.

The distressing drought still continues in this vicinity. On Wednesday we had some hopes of rain, but the clouds scattered and we were disappointed.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Robert P. Dick, Esq., of Greensboro, has been appointed United States District Attorney for North Carolina. This appointment we regard as eminently judicious and proper.

The Raleigh Register of the 13th contains a letter from Doctor Atkinson, accepting the Bishopric of the Protestant Episcopal Church of North Carolina.

A NEWSPAPER AT BEAUFORT.—The Raleigh Register of the 15th contains the prospectus of a weekly newspaper to be published at Beaufort by Mr J. Cameron, and called "The Halifax and North Carolina Intelligencer."

On Saturday last, Hon. James C. Dobbin, Secretary of the Navy, visited the U. S. Arsenal at this place. The salute usual on such occasions was fired. On Monday he left for Washington City.

TOWN ORDINANCE.—The Magistrate of Police and Commissioners of Fayetteville have passed a town ordinance requiring that all houses erected in the district lately burnt shall be fire-proof. This is a good regulation. A fire-proof house is the only kind which ought to be erected in a town.

THE WESTERN RAILROAD.—The corps of Engineers for the survey of this work has been organized. On the 15th they proceeded upon the reconnaissance preliminary to the survey of the route. The corps consists of J. P. Goodsell, Chief Engineer, and Messrs John Eccles, H. L. Brantly, T. Goodsell and T. A. E. Evans, Assistants.

RIOTS AT QUEBEC AND MONTREAL.—Father Gavazzi, the anti-Catholic lecturer, was mobbed in Quebec on the 7th inst. The assault was made on him whilst in the pulpit. He defended himself with determined bravery, knocking down several of his assailants with a chair.

On the following 9th, Gavazzi lectured at Montreal. A mob again made an attack, and overpowered a force of 20 or 30 policemen who were stationed outside the church where the lecture was going on.

After the congregation had commenced dispersing a company of soldiers, without any sufficient cause, fired two volleys into the crowd, killing or mortally wounding 15 persons, and injuring 10 others.

THE PUBLIC LANDS.—THE CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS.

A political discussion between Messrs Ashe and Leak came off in Wilmington, on the 11th. The Herald (the whig paper) gives quite a laudatory account of Mr Leak's speech, and mentions several of the good and forcible things spoken by him. The Herald thinks that Mr Leak "must take among the people."

Missouri, 3,000,000 acres; Alabama, 2,500,000 acres; Iowa, 3,000,000 acres; Michigan, 2,500,000 acres; Wisconsin, 2,500,000 acres; Louisiana, 2,500,000 acres; Mississippi, 2,000,000 acres; Florida, 2,000,000 acres; Arkansas, 3,000,000 acres; California, 3,000,000 acres; Illinois, 1,000,000 acres; Indiana, 1,000,000 acres, and all the public lands within her limits; Ohio, 2,000,000 acres, and all the public lands within her limits; Maine, 1,350,000 acres; New Hampshire, 900,000 acres; Vermont, 900,000 acres; Massachusetts, 1,800,000 acres; Rhode Island, 600,000 acres; Connecticut, 900,000 acres; New York, 3,400,000 acres; New Jersey, 1,050,000 acres; Pennsylvania, 3,900,000 acres; Delaware, 450,000 acres; North Carolina, 1,650,000 acres; South Carolina, 1,550,000 acres; Georgia, 1,500,000 acres; Maryland, 1,200,000 acres; Virginia, 2,550,000 acres; Kentucky, 1,500,000 acres; Tennessee, 1,950,000.

Arkansas, with out a single Representative, gets 3,000,000 acres, whilst North Carolina with her nine Representatives gets only 1,650,000. Iowa and California, with two Representatives each, get 3,000,000 acres each, whilst South Carolina with seven Representatives gets only 1,550,000 acres, and Georgia with eight Representatives gets only 1,500,000 acres.

It is not certain that the public lands would be squandered on the new States, there might be some plausibility in the views presented by the advocates of distribution. But let it be remembered that the Baltimore Platform is against anything of the kind, that President Pierce was elected upon that platform, and is therefore bound to veto any measure which conflicts with it.

The Herald represents Mr Leak as saying in his speech at Wilmington, that "the Democratic party would change their front on this question, or that Democracy would be prostrate in the State." This is a very important declaration. It seems to us to involve the admission that Mr Leak is endeavoring to make the Democratic party change its front on this question.

We have said this much because we have thought that our allegiance to the principles of the Democratic party required it. With Mr Leak, our relations are of the most friendly character. When Mr McKee came out for Congress we felt it to be our duty to oppose his election. Mr Leak occupies, we believe, the same ground upon the public land question which Mr McKee did. The path of consistency is a plain one to us. We believe Mr Ashe the better Democrat of the two, and we therefore support him.

NEW YORK CITY REFORM.

The New Yorkers, becoming tired of the villainy and corruption of their City Authorities, have held an election upon the subject of reforming their charter, so as to strip the city government, to some extent, of the power of swindling so liberally used of late for their own special advantage. The National Intelligencer says:

"The vote for the new charter was 36,672, whilst the vote against it was only 3,351—giving a majority exceeding 33,000. The amendments give the Mayor the veto power, to be overruled only by a two-thirds vote of Common Council; prohibits the Aldermen sitting as judges of criminals courts; allows only the more popular branch of the Common Council to originate appropriation bills; prohibits the expenditure of the public money for celebrations except on established national and State holidays, unless authorized by a three-fourths vote of the Common Council; prohibits contracts to persons in arrears or default to the city; guards against corruption and bribery by public officers; regulates lease and sale of public property, and contains other provisions, which, if faithfully carried out, will put an end to the reckless expenditure of money, and the official corruption which it is alleged have for a long time characterized the municipal administration of that city."

RAPID TRAVELING.—The Legislature of N. York recently made an excursion from Albany to Niagara Falls. The train left Albany at 6 o'clock, A. M., and arrived at the Falls at 2 P. M. The distance is 305 miles. The average running time was upwards of 35 miles per hour.

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SPIRITUAL RAPPINGS.

The National Intelligencer of the 11th inst. publishes a long letter from N. P. TALLMADGE, in which the truth of spiritual manifestations is advocated with considerable plausibility. The letter contains many very remarkable and almost incredible statements. For instance the writer says, that when in Washington City he visited the Misses Fox, who are professed mediums of spiritual intercourse, and that he, having seated himself on a table, was raised by an invisible agency six inches from the floor, and for a few moments kept in that situation.

"My friend, the question is often put to you, 'what good can result from these manifestations?' I will answer it. It is to draw mankind together in harmony, and convince skeptics of the immortality of the soul. JOHN C. CALHOUN."

And again Calhoun, on being requested to give something in his own hand writing, returned the following sentence: "I'm with you still." The writer proceeds:

"I afterwards showed the 'sentence' to Gen. James Hamilton, former Governor of South Carolina, General Waddy Thompson, former minister to Mexico, Gen. Robert B. Campbell, late Consul at Havana, together with other intimate friends of Calhoun, and also to one of his sons, all of whom are as well acquainted with his hand writing as their own, and they all pronounce it to be a perfect fac simile of the handwriting of John C. Calhoun."

Gen. Hamilton stated a fact, in connection with this writing, of great significance. He says that Calhoun was in the habit of writing "I'm" for "I am," and that he has numerous letters from him where the abbreviation is thus used.

Mrs Gen. Macomb has stated the same fact to me. She says that her husband, the late Gen. Macomb, has shown her Calhoun's letters to him, where the abbreviation "I'm" was used for "I am," and spoke of it as a peculiarity of Calhoun.

How significant, then does the fact become? We have not only the most unequivocal testimony to the handwriting itself, but, lest any skeptic should suggest the possibility of an imitation or a counterfeit, this abbreviation, peculiar to himself, and known only to his most intimate friends, and which no imitator or counterfeiter could know, is introduced by way of putting such a suggestion to flight forever."

From his investigations of the subject, Mr Tallmadge draws the following conclusions:

- 1. The immortality of the soul. 2. The power of spirits to visit the earth. 3. Their ability to communicate with friends and relatives. 4. The identity of spirits to all eternity.

We place no confidence in the deductions which are made in Mr Tallmadge's letter. There is certainly something very extraordinary in the fact that gentlemen of the first order of talents and used to close and difficult investigation should be deceived by the so called spiritual rappings, but the careful reader of history will bear us out in the statement that great minds are liable to imposture, and are, not unfrequently, the dupes of a trickery which afterwards appears transparent. One of two suppositions we think most to be true, viz: that a new principle in physics has been discovered and has fallen into the hands of persons who use it to their own advantage, or else, that the whole affair is nothing more than a series of extraordinary feats of jugglery.

PLANK ROADS MADE POST-ROUTES.

For the information of our readers we publish the resolution of the last Congress making Plank Road Post-Routes. It will be observed that this is not done absolutely, but subject to the approval of the Postmaster General, who must be satisfied that the public interest and convenience require it. The following is the Resolution:

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the Postmaster General be and he is hereby authorized in his discretion, to contract for carrying the mail on all the Plank Roads which have been or shall be constructed in the United States, and in all cases when in his opinion the public interest and convenience require it, and that for the time during which mails may be carried on such Plank Roads, or any part thereof, the same shall be and they are hereby declared to be post-roads of the United States.

MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR.

The Raleigh Standard of the 15th inst., contains the following extract from a letter addressed to the Editor:

"In my neighborhood, which is in the south-west corner of Alamogordo, within one quarter of a mile of a public road, upon the side of a neighborhood road, there is blood found on some fifteen bushes and trees, one stirrup iron, part of a stirrup leather, part of a martingal, a club cut at the place with blood and hair upon it; and from the color of the hair it must have been a gray and sorrel or a bay horse. The stirrup appears to have gotten between two trees, and there remained last for some time. This happened on the night of the 21st May. Many persons have been to examine the place, and one day about one hundred persons breasted the woods about half a mile all round, but made no discovery. It is evident there was a serious struggle on the spot, and some one may have been murdered. Please publish this for information."

CROPS AND COPPER IN THE WEST.

The Editor of the Salisbury Banner writing from Rutherfordton under date of June 6th says: "Fine rains fell here during the past week, and crops are in flourishing condition. A good deal of forward wheat has already been reaped. A vast amount of grain could be raised here, and would be if there was a market for it."

Further on he says: "The mining interest of this section has not progressed much for some time past; but it will doubtless receive a new impulse when Prof. Emmons comes to make a survey here.—Mr Northrop, four miles from this place, is preparing to work his mine extensively, and has ordered a large engine for the purpose.—Success to him, for from all I can learn, he deserves it. Mr K. P. Willis, of McDowell, showed me some specimens of copper ore a few days ago, which he found in Ashe county. I am but a poor judge, but the ore appeared to be rich. Mr Willis is very sanguine in the belief that there are extensive copper mines in Ashe and Yancey. I doubt not that a careful survey of this whole Western section will develop mineral wealth which will astonish the natives."

James G. Cook, Esq., of this place, has been elected President of the Fayetteville and Centre Plank Road Company.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The steamer Pacific arrived at New York on the 12th, bringing Liverpool dates to the 1st inst. In England, in the House of Lords, an interesting discussion had occurred concerning the conduct of the Captains General of Cuba in regard to the slave trade. All the Captains are implicated except Concha and Walez. Spain had been reconquered with, and had promised amendment, but the British fleet of Cuba will be strengthened.

The news from Turkey indicates trouble between that country and Russia. The Russian army, 100,000 strong, was concentrating on the Turkish frontier. The ministers of France, England, Austria and Prussia made a joint attempt to reconcile the parties, but failed.

The news from China is highly important. The latest reliable dates from Shanghai to the 23rd of April, state that Nankin being invested by the rebels on the 10th, the imperial commissioner hired a fleet of Portuguese launches to relieve the city by water, but they were captured by the rebels. Aid was then obtained from the foreign Consuls, and the French, American and English fleets agreed to help. The result was not known.

MOUNT VERNON.—The Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce says that an agent is in Washington City, negotiating for the purchase of Mount Vernon, the former residence and the burial-place of George Washington, with the view of converting it into a watering place. A condition, however, is annexed to the sale that it is not to be considered absolute until Congress has an opportunity of making the purchase. The present proprietor has repeatedly been offered \$200,000 for the property, and he can probably get more for it than that.

Some of the patent medicine men are truly ubiquitous personages. They send their medicines over the four quarters of the globe, and advertise wherever they send. This is the secret of their success, and accounts for the immense fortunes realized by many of them. We are reminded of this by seeing a newspaper published at the city of Cape Town, at the Southern extremity of Africa. On the first page is the advertisement of "Holloway's Pills" and "Ointment," occupying a half column. Holloway advertises all over the United States, in Europe very extensively, and we suppose in all the British Colonies. His agent stated to us some months ago, that he spent \$120,000 per annum in advertising.

YOUNG MEN OF SOME EXPERIENCE.

Col. Brent recently made a speech at Independence, on the subject of the Pacific Railroad. The occasion which called him out was the starting out of a party to explore the route of this great work, under Superintendent Beale and Mr Harris Heap. In the opening of his speech Col. Brent thus alluded to Mr Beale:

"There sit the heads of the party, (pointing to Superintendent Beale and Mr Harris Heap,) young in years but old in experience, and well tried in all the hardships and dangers of distant and adventurous travel. The Superintendent has made above a dozen voyages by land or water to California—has been the comrade of Fremont, Carson and other mountain men—has seen all that mountains and plains, rivers and deserts, cold and heat, savages and wild beasts, con shot between the Mississippi and the Pacific; and triumphed over all. But that is only the beginning. He has navigated every sea and traversed every land of our America, as well as North America; Europe, Asia and Africa; and never encountered a difficulty or a danger which he had not a resource and a courage to meet and surmount. And yet he is only of an age (25) when the career of heroic life is still ahead. He is a grandson of Commodore Truxton, and worthy of his descent. Mr Heap, still younger, also has been in California, and seen Europe, Asia and Africa, and has done travelling in every form in which it could be, from riding his mother's palfrey, on a South American mule, (sign of recognition,) up by mules and donkeys to camels and dromedaries; and is very sorry that he has not a dromedary here now to skim it at the rate of 150 miles a day over the prairies, carrying his master's food and finding his own. He is the nephew of Commodore Porter, and worthy to be so."

TOWN MEETING.

At a meeting of the citizens of Fayetteville, held for the purpose of making arrangements for celebrating the approaching Anniversary of American Independence, on motion, the Magistrate of Police was called to the chair, and Duncan McLaurin appointed Secretary.

On motion, a committee of 13 was appointed to carry out the object of the meeting, viz: J. H. Cook, D. G. McKee, Jas G Cook, C. Lotterloh, W. Draughton, W. T. Frizell, E. Fuller, B. W. Robinson, W. H. Haigh, R. K. Bryan, A. M. Campbell, J. A. McRae, D. McLaurin.

W. WINSLOW, Ch'n.

SUPREME COURT.

This Tribunal met in Raleigh on Monday last,—the Chief Justice and both Judges being in attendance. The following gentlemen have been admitted to practice in the several County Courts of the State, viz:

Handen S Smith, Raleigh, N. C.; James A Patton, Asheville, N. C.; William Hicks, Graniteville, N. C.; Lovell Eldridge, Smithfield, N. C.; Leon F Siler, Franklin, Macon Co. N. C.; T. H. Gilliam, Edenton, N. C.; W. Geo Granbery, Perquimans Co., N. C.; Arch R McDonald, Moore Co., N. C. And the following to Superior Court practice: B. A Kirell, Oxford, N. C.; W. Lowndes, Treadwell, Miss.; John B Williams, Greene Co. N. C.; John S Long, Washington, N. C.; Sitgreaves Attmore, New Bern, N. C.; Richard N Forbes, Greene Co. N. C.; William F Green, Louisburg, N. C.; Neill McKay, Cumberland County, N. C.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

ARRIVED AT FAYETTEVILLE.

June 6.—Sir Brothers, with boat Cassidy in tow, and goods for Fuller, Merens & Burkhead, J. H. & J. M. King, J. Oberburg, W. McIntyre, L. F. Whitaker, W. Bunn, H. L. Myrover & Co. J. M. Worth, Maxwell & Hersh, Deep River Mining and Smelting Co. A. McKethan, S. H. Hixson, J. J. Johnson, Mr Parker, W. Ottomason, W. J. Parker, J. H. Allen, Dr Baie, J. J. Green, H. L. Lucas, J. A. Farber.

June 11.—S. T. Southern, with boat Gov Morehead in tow, with goods for T. S. Siddell, C. P. Mallett, Rockfish Co. J. M. Smith, W. R. Valentine, Lash & Bro, F. Fries, J. W. South, W. S. Gilmer, Cook & Johnson, H. J. Harris, W. T. King, J. Oberburg, W. McIntyre, L. F. Whitaker, W. Bunn, H. L. Myrover & Co. J. M. Worth, Maxwell & Hersh, Deep River Mining and Smelting Co. A. McKethan, S. H. Hixson, J. J. Johnson, Mr Parker, W. Ottomason, W. J. Parker, J. H. Allen, Dr Baie, J. J. Green, H. L. Lucas, J. A. Farber.

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June 21.—S. T. Southern, with boat Gov Morehead in tow, with goods for T. S. Siddell, C. P. Mallett, Rockfish Co. J. M. Smith, W. R. Valentine, Lash & Bro, F. Fries, J. W. South, W. S. Gilmer, Cook & Johnson, H. J. Harris, W. T. King, J. Oberburg, W. McIntyre, L. F. Whitaker, W. Bunn, H. L. Myrover & Co. J. M. Worth, Maxwell & Hersh, Deep River Mining and Smelting Co. A. McKethan, S. H. Hixson, J. J. Johnson, Mr Parker, W. Ottomason, W. J. Parker, J. H. Allen, Dr Baie, J. J. Green, H. L. Lucas, J. A. Farber.

By the Governor: SAMUEL F. ADAMS, Jr., Private Secretary. June 18, 1853. 47-11

IMPORTANT RUMOR.

From the N. Y. Journal of Commerce, June 14. We learn that information has been forwarded to our government, supported by plausible evidence, to the effect that Santa Anna's bold and daring policy towards the United States, is backed by an understanding with Spain. Spanish officers are filling places near the person and in the army of Santa Anna. "Spain," says a gentleman who has better means of information on the subject than we have, "is preparing to strike in her protectorate capacity,—in which she is to be protected, and is to pay the fee by the utterance of English policy in Cuba, and then to adopt the apprentice system for almost unlimited periods, say 8, 12 and 16 years, by the free introduction of negroes from Africa without molestation. We will not undertake to endorse this exact outline of the program, but it is clear that our government should keep a sharp look out in the direction of the Gulf of Mexico. If our informant is not mistaken, we may expect to hear something further on the subject before many days. We are given to understand that a deep game is playing, and will soon open."

MARRIED. In this vicinity, on Wednesday evening last, by the Rev James McDaniel, Mr Calvin Carver to Miss Adaline Powell.

In Wilmington, on the 11th inst., Mr Washington Burkheimer to Miss Susanna V Washlev. In Ashborough, on the 7th inst., by the Rev. Geo. McNeill, Mr David G Worth to Miss Julia A Sickeny.

DIED.

In this vicinity, on Wednesday the 15th inst., John Needham, son of Josiah E. and Sarah P. Bryan, aged 2 years 11 months and 13 days. In the neighborhood of this place, on the 14th inst., Mrs. Susanna McQueen, consort of Mr Donald McQueen, in the 64th year of her age. The deceased was an amiable and affectionate wife; and was much beloved by all who knew her. Her loss will be much felt by her acquaintance, and especially by her surviving husband.—Com.

In Richmond county, on the 5th inst., Isaac Dockery, Attorney at Law, and formerly Member of the Legislature, on the 20th ult., Joseph Leonard, an esteemed member of the Society of Friends, in the 85th year of his age.

In Wilmington, on 7th inst, Miss Frances Ann Potts, aged 11 years.

In Columbus county, on the 21st May, Elizabeth Vause, wife of Ephraim Vause, aged about 40 years. Also, on the 27th, John Vause, aged 8 years and 20 days. On the 27th, Ephraim Vause, aged 15 years and 25 days. On the 28th, Elizabeth Jane Vause, aged 5 years and 7 months. On the 30th, Wm B Vause, aged 19 years. On the 1st June, Jas C Vause, aged 17 years; all sons and daughters of Ephraim and Elizabeth Vause; all of typhoid fever.

In Raleigh, on the 12th inst, Willie Grimes, aged 16 years.

Dr. John F. Tompkins,

(Editor of the Farmers' Journal.) Will address the people of Cumberland at the Town Hall at Fayetteville, on Friday the 1st of July, at 12 o'clock, upon the subject of Agricultural improvement.

Sale of Lands for Taxes.

Agreeably to an order by the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of Robeson county, May Term, 1853, I will expose to public sale, for cash, at the Court House in Lumberton, on the 14th Monday in August next, the following tracts of Land, or such part thereof as will pay the taxes due thereon for the year 1851, and all accruing expenses, viz:

Table with columns: No. of acres, By whom listed, Tax due. Includes entries for Lewis Green, Archibald McMillan, Dugald McDugald for Catharine, Daniel McFadden, John McDuffie, James Mackay, Neill Campbell, List for the estate of Colen, List for the estate of Neill McLain, John B. Gattner, Alexander S. Britt, Harmon Cox, Dennis Ivey, Richard Wilcox, Neill McLain, David Lewis.

REUBEN KING, Sheriff.

Lumberton, June 10, 1853. 47-10

NOTICE.

In pursuance of an order of the County Court of Cumberland, made at June Term, 1853, the subscriber will sell at the Court House in Fayetteville, on Saturday the 16th of July, one hundred and thirty-five acres of land belonging to the estate of John C. Davis, lying on the North side of Big Rockfish, adjoining the lands of Malcolm B. Gillis and others.

Terms of sale, negotiable note at 90 days. NEILL R. BLUE, Commissioner. June 18, 1853. 47-11

The State of North Carolina.

TO ALL WHO SHALL SEE THESE PRESENTS, GREETING: WHEREAS, John McDonald, Daniel McKeithan, Norman Ferguson, Norman McDonald, W. H. Hogshed, Daniel McDaniel and A. R. Kelly have associated themselves together under ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT, and their successors, the Officers of the Secretary of State, acknowledged before the Clerk of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of Moore County, on the 14th day of May, 1853, and have applied to be incorporated for the purpose of promoting Science and Literature, under the corporate style of "Cranes Creek Academy," to pursue the business of Science and Literature, at Cranes Creek, in the County of Moore, for the term of thirty years.

Now therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, ratified on the eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, entitled "An Act to incorporate Literary Institutions and Benevolent and Charitable Societies," we do by these presents declare the before mentioned persons and their successors, as corporations, according to the terms prescribed in said ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT, under the name and corporate style of "Cranes Creek Academy," to carry on the business of Science and Literature, at Cranes Creek, in the County of Moore, for the term of thirty years from the date hereof, to have all the rights, privileges, powers and immunities conferred by the before recited Act of the General Assembly, and to be subject to all the limitations, liabilities and restrictions imposed by said Act.

In witness whereof, His Excellency, DAVID S. REID, our Governor, Contain-General, and Commander-in-Chief, hath signed with his hand these presents, and caused our Great Seal of the State of North Carolina to be affixed thereto.

Done at our City of Raleigh, on the 13th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, and in the seventy-seventh year of our Independence. DAVID S. REID.

By the Governor: SAMUEL F. ADAMS, Jr., Private Secretary. June 18, 1853. 47-11

WALTER F. LEAK, ESQ.,

A Democratic Candidate for Congress, Will address the citizens of Columbus County, at Whiteville, on Monday, June 20; Brunswick, at Smithville, on Thursday, June 23; New Hanover, at Long Creek, on Saturday, June 25; at South Washington on Monday, June 27; Duplin, at Kenansville, on Wednesday, June 29.

WILL BE SOLD

On the 20th inst., at the Market House, at 12 o'clock, M., to the highest bidder, a House and Lot on Haymont, adjoining the U. S. Arsenal, on the south side. It is a healthy and pleasant situation, with good water. Terms made known on day of sale. A. M. CAMPBELL, Act'g. June 18, 1853. 47

LOST! LOST!

Between Fayetteville and Mrs Nott's, on the Fayetteville and Western Plank Road, a black Stick with a dog head. The owner would not advertise it but for the fact that it was left him by a particular friend. The finder, therefore, will confer a great favor by leaving it at the Telegraph Office, for which he will receive compensation. R. E. TALLIAFERRO. June 18, 1853. 11

FOR RENT.

A desirable residence on Haymont. For particulars apply at this Office. June 18, 1853. 47-21

Metallic Roofing & Guttering Done in the best manner, at reduced prices, by C. W. ANDREWS, Market Square. June 18, 1853.

Andrews' Tin Ware & Store Depot. Always on hand, Cooking, Box, and Parlour Stoves. Also, a varied assortment of Tin Ware, at wholesale and retail, by C. W. ANDREWS, Market Square. June 18, 1853.

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