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YATES & JOHNSON.

MARBLE FACTORY,
BY GEO. LAUDER.

Nearly opposite to E. W. Willkings' Auction Store, Fayetteville, N. C.
Oct. 1. 1855. y

FOR SALE
AT REDUCED PRICES,
For CASH or on Short Time,
250 Carriages, Barouches,
ROCKAWAYS & BUGGIES *of every description.*

Many of which are finished, and the balance being finished daily; among which are many *new* and *beautiful* styles, and one *very fine Carriage.* Some of them very light, and all made in the best manner and of the best materials. My facilities for doing Carriage work are *greater* than any establishment south and I can afford and am determined to sell work of the *best quality* as low as it can be built for by any one.

☞ Those who are indebted to me will please pay up as my business requires my out-standing debts to be collected. A. A. McKETHAN.
August 25, 1855. tf

FREIGHTING ON CAPE FEAR RIVER.

At a meeting of the Boat owners interested in navigating the Cape Fear River between Fayetteville and Wilmington.

On motion, D. McLaurin was called to the Chair, and R. M. Orrell was appointed Secretary.

On motion of James F. Marsh,

Resolved, That from and after the 1st day of January, 1856, *Cash will be required upon the delivery of all freights* at Wilmington and Fayetteville respectively.

On motion of J. D. Williams,

Resolved, That each of the Steamboat Companies on the Cape Fear River, from and after the 1st of January, 1856, will carry Guano from Wilmington to the Fayetteville at 7½ cents per bag; Lime at 25 cents per cask, and ground Plaster at 20 cents per cask, and that a **REDUCTION OF 20 PER CENT.** from the printed and established rates on all other articles will be made from and after that date, all Cartage and Drayage being paid by the shippers.

On motion of James Banks,

Resolved, That the foregoing be published in the Town papers.

D. McLAURIN, Chair'n
R. M. ORRELL, Sec'y
Dec. 24, 1855. 78-tf

Cider Vinegar, a good article, for sale by W. H. CARVER.
Nov. 10. 71-tf

GROCERIES AND HARDWARE.

The subscriber has in Store a good assortment of Goods in the

GROCERY AND HARDWARE LINE;

all of which will be sold wholesale or retail, or bartered for country produce, on terms the most reasonable. A small lot of SADDLERY for sale cheap.

Give us a call. G. W. I. GOLDSTON.

N. B. Any of my friends in the country having business to transact in this place, such as renewals, &c., can have it done on the usual terms, by sending same to my care. G. W. I. G.
Fayetteville, Sept. 29, 1855 tf

RANAWAY

From the employment of the subscriber, on Wednesday the 2d day of Jan'y, 1856, a negro boy by the name of Aaron, purchased by the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Co. from J. H. Hundly, formerly the property of J. B. Willis, of S. Carolina, and may attempt to make his way to said Willis' house. Said negro is about 5 feet 7 inches high, had on when he left a broad brim white hat and a frock coat.
Jan 3d. tf ALEX. MURCHISON.

Council, Ray & Co.,
HAY STREET, FAYETTEVILLE,

Are now receiving their FALL STOCK of STAPLE and FANCY

DRY GOODS,

In which may be found FOR THE LADIES: Plain col'd, Plaid, White and Black DeLAINES; CASHMERES and MERINOS; Plain and Fig'd Fancy and Black SILKS; Cloth MANTLES and CLOAKS; Cloak CLOTH; SKIRTS and SKIRTING; Merino VESTS; BONNETS; EMBROIDERIES, &c.

FOR GENTLEMEN:

Hats; Boots and Shoes; Vestings; Cassimeres; White, Black and Fancy Stocks and Cravats; Ready-Made Clothing, &c.

—ALSO.—

Linseys, Kerseys and Plaids, Blankets, Brogans, Table Cloths and Covers, Allendale Sheetings, Children's Kid Gloves, Wool Sacks and Comforts, Youths' and Boys' Clothing, English and Italian Crapes, Dimity, Embroidery Silks and Braids.

A good assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's BOOTS, SHOES, and GAITERS; GLOVES, HOSIERY, &c.
Sept. 29. 64-tf

FISH.

25 Bbls Mullets, in Oak Bbls., just received and for sale by W. H. CARVER.
—ALSO—
Mackerel and Herring for sale by W. H. C.
Nov. 10. 71-tf

Buckwheat Flour in 12½ lb Bags for sale by W. H. CARVER.
Nov. 10. 71-tf

JAMES D. NOTT,
DAGUERREAN ARTIST.
[Successor to J. S. Wear.]

ROOMS on Hay street, over the Jewelry store of Messrs Beasley & Houston, where he will be happy to wait on all those who wish to procure a

GOOD LIKENESS

of themselves or friends.
Fayetteville, October 27th. tf

SEED RYE.

100 Bushels Seed Rye for sale by
Dec. 22d. W. H. CARVER.

FALL GOODS, 1855.

PEARCE & FERGUSON

Are now Receiving their Fall and Winter Stock of *Foreign and Domestic, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Bonnets, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes,*

With a general assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, to which they invite the attention of Merchants, the Ladies and all, and which they offer at LOW PRICES for CASH, or on Time to punctual customers at Wholesale or Retail.

B. F. PEARCE. J. B. FERGUSON.
Sep. 1, 1855. 61-tf

FALL OF 1855.

We are now Receiving our stock of Fall and WINTER GOODS,
DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
HATS, CAPS,
BOOTS AND SHOES.

Having determined to relinquish the Hardware Trade, we offer Our STOCK at greatly reduced prices for Cash.

Our friends who are behind hand in their payments, are earnestly requested to pay up.

HALL & SACKETT.
Sep 1, 1855. 61-tf

NEW GOODS.
STARR & WILLIAMS

Are now receiving the largest Stock of Dry Goods HATS, BOOTS, SHOES, AND READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Ever offered by them, which they will sell at a small advance on first cost, for Cash, or on the usual time to prompt paying customers.

J. B. STARR. J. M. WILLIAMS.
Sept. 1, 1855. 61-tf

FIFTY TONS GUANO.

The Subscribers are receiving their Fall Stock of GROCERIES, embracing a large and General assortment in their line, which they offer to wholesale buyers at the lowest market rates for cash. Country produce, or on the usual credit to prompt paying customers.

ALSO,

Fifty Tons Best PERUVIAN GUANO, for Cash, at 3 cents per pound.

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
Sep. 1, 1855. 61-tf

TO TRAVELERS.

The Subscribers convey the Mail between Fayetteville and Barclaysville in a Buggy, and can accommodate one or two passengers. The route is by way of Kingsbury, Bunn's Level, Summerville and Neill's Creek. The days for leaving Fayetteville are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 6 o'clock, a. m.—Returns Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Fare from Fayetteville to Summerville $2.

J. R. HARRIS,
Aug. 25, 1855. A. PARKER.

FOR SALE.

TWO THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND, nine miles from Fayetteville, lying directly on the Southern Plank Road, and on each side of Big Rockfish. One of the best Turpentine sections in the county, with convenient improvements for a family residence; with a small corn mill on a never failing stream, and a first rate situation for a Turpentine Distillery and Store.

A. A. McKETHAN
Feb'y 9, 1855. tf

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING AND EXPECT TO KEEP UP A LARGE STOCK OF GROCERIES.

WE OFFER

150 Bags Coffee—Rio, Laguira and Java,
15 Hhds. Sugars,
50 " Molasses,
1,000 Sacks Salt,
75 Bbls. Sugars.—coffee, crush'd & powder'd
125 Bags Shot,
45 Kegs Powder,
20 Hhds. Western Bacon,
3,500 Lbs. N. C. "
50,000 Segars, assorted qualities,
100 Boxes Cheese.

With every other article in our line. All of which we will dispose of low for CASH, or exchange for produce or naval stores.

D. & W. McLAURIN.
June 2d 48-tf

1855.

DRUGS, MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS.

DR. J. F. FOULKES,

Hay Street, near the Fayetteville Hotel.

I respectfully ask the attention of my customers and friends to my large and complete stock of *DRUGS, MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS,* which I am now receiving, and which I am determined to sell at such low prices as cannot fail to give satisfaction. It will be my aim to sell Medicines that can be depended upon. Give me a call before making your purchases.
September 22. 1855.

☞ Just received, a few doz. genuine East India CASTOR OIL, (for my retail.) Also, Citrate of Magnesia and Congress Water.

J. F. FOULKES
Sept 22, 1855.

J. N. SMITH,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

DRUGS,

MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS,

Paints; Oils; Dye-Stuffs; Varnishes; Window-Glass and Putty; Glass-Ware; Perfumery; Fine Soaps; Fine Tooth and Hair Brushes; Paint Brushes; Field and Garden Seeds; Spices and Snuffs; Surgical Instruments; Patent Medicines; Pure Liquors for Medical Purposes; Fancy Articles, &c., &c.

Orders from Country Physicians and Merchants respectfully solicited and perfect satisfaction guaranteed, both in regard to quality and price.

J. N. SMITH, Druggist.
Nov 2, 1855. 70-tf

A. M. Campbell,
AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
East side of Gillespie street,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
October 1, 1855.

Negro Blankets, Kerseys and Shoes for sale by W. H. CARVER.
Nov. 10. 71-tf

SOAP FACTORY.

The undersigned having purchased the SOAP AND CANDLE FACTORY from Messrs. Smith & McRae, and formed a partnership for the purpose of carrying on the same, offer the most favorable inducement to the trade for the supply of SOAP AND CANDLES of their own manufacture, of a superior quality. They will guarantee their Soaps, both soft and hard, to be equal, and at prices as low as can be bought in any other market. Their Candles will be found equal to the hardest mould Tallow Candles from any Factory in the country. They respectfully solicit the patronage of the trade, and families of the town.

GREASE, GREASE.—The highest market price will be paid for GREASE, or taken in exchange for Soap or Candles. Families in town would do well to save their Grease and exchange it for Soap.

MILES COSTIN,
JOHN GAFFORD.
Wilmington, Dec. 1 1855. 3m

CORPORATION BONDS
Of the Town of Fayetteville for Sale.

Agreeable to an Act of the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, ratified Dec. 25, 1852, authorizing the Town of Fayetteville to issue her Bonds to the amount of $100,000, in the aggregate, for the purpose of paying her subscription to the Western Rail Road Company.

Therefore, it is ordered by the Commissioners of Fayetteville, that the Treasurer of the Town receive sealed proposals, until the 1st of November next, for the purchase of $50,000, in sums of $500 each of said Bonds, or any part thereof. Bonds to run twenty years, with Coupons attached.—interest payable semi-annually. The said Bonds shall be under the seal of the Corporation, and binding on the faith of the same.

WM. WARDEN, Town Treasurer.
Sept. 26, 1855. tf

FALL, 1855.

JAMES KYLE has just received a large and general assortment of

Dry Goods,

Among which are,
650 pieces Dress DeLains,
French and English Merino,
Plain Merino, real French,
Persian Cloths,
Black and Colored Silks,
Irish Linens, all Flax,
Table Cloths and Napkins,
Carpeting, very cheap,
Calicoes, well assorted,
Kerseys and Linseys,
Silk, Woolen and Cotton Hose,
Ladies' Twisted Silk Mitts,
Dress Trimmings, &c., &c.

All of which being purchased by the package for Cash, will be offered at the lowest market price for cash, or on time to paying customers.
Sept. 27, 1855. tf

D. W. C. BENBOW, D. D. S.,
Graduate of the Baltimore College of
DENTAL SURGERY.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
" " " 3 P. M. to 5 P. M.

DR. BENBOW may be found at his Room near the Market, where all who are in need of the services of a Dentist are respectfully invited to call. All operations performed upon the latest and most approved plans. To those in need of **Artificial Teeth,** he would simply say that he is behind in no improvement. He inserts from one to an entire set upon fine Gold or Platina plate, which he guarantees to be equally as serviceable as the natural organs.

He spends nine months of each year in this place, (from first of October to the first of July.)
September 29, 1855. tf

ALWAYS ON HAND AND FOR SALE CHEAP,
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
DRY GOODS & GROCERIES,
Together with a general assortmeng of
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WINES AND LIQUORS,

Which I am anxious to sell or exchange for Produce of any kind usually sold in this Market.

W. H. CARVER.
Hay Street, near the Market.
Nov. 10. 71-tf

THE EXPECTORANT FAMILY MEDICINES,

Issued under the seal, sanction and authority of THE UNIVERSITY OF FREE MEDICINE AND POPULAR KNOWLEDGE, chartered by the State of Pennsylvania, April 20th, 1853, with a capital of $100,000, mainly for the purpose of arresting the evils of spurious and worthless nostrums; also, for supplying the community with RELIABLE REMEDIES wherever a competent physician cannot or will not be employed.

This Institution (located in Philadelphia, Home Dispensary, and Office No. 68 Arch street, where applications for new Agencies will be received.) has purchased from Dr. John R. Rowand his celebrated

ROWAND'S TONIC MIXTURE,

Known for upwards of twenty-five years as the only sure and safe cure for Fever and Ague, &c. and his inestimable remedy for Bowel Complaints, Rowand's compound SYRUP OF BLACKBERRY ROOT, which highly improved and popular Remedies, together with the University's remedy for complaints of the Lungs; the University's remedy for Dispepsia or Indigestion; the University's remedy for Costive Bowels; also, the University's Almanac may be had.

☞ For sale in Randolph county, N. C., by
Dec 22. 2m-pd DAVID MERRILL.

S. M. THOMAS,
DEALER IN
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Bonnets, Boots and Shoes, Sheetings, Cotton Yarns, Kerseys, Blankets, &c., &c.

Corner Market and Gillespie St., Fayetteville, N. C.
Dec. 22, 77-tf

IMPROVED HAVANA PLAN LOTTERY.
By authority of the State of Alabama.
SOUTHERN MILITARY ACADEMY LOTTERY.

CLASS B.—To be drawn February 8, 1856,
In the city of Montgomery,

When prizes amounting to $30,000 will be distributed according to the following unparalleled schedule:

Remember! One Thousand Prizes!
Capital Prize, $10,000!

CLASS Y.

1	Prize of	$10,000 is	$10,000
2	do	2,000 are	4,000
3	do	500 are	1,500
11	do	250 are	2,750
10	do	110 are	1,100
17	do	75 are	1,275
43	do	50 are	2,150
83	do	25 are	2,075
200	do	10 are	2,000
630	do	5 are	3,150
1,000 prizes, amounting to			$30,000

Only Ten Thousand Numbers!

Tickets $5—Halves $2 50—Quarters $1 25.

SAMUEL SWAN, Agent and Manager.

Address orders for Tickets to W. H. HUTCHINSON Montgomery, Ala. [Dec 26—2m-pd

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J. C. POE,
DEALER IN
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, AND
Ready-Made Clothing.

Particular attention paid to Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings.

HAY STREET, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
November 3d, 1855. tf

GEORGE McDUFFIE,
INSPECTOR OF TIMBER AND LUMBER,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

All business entrusted to him will meet with prompt attention.
Nov. 24, 1855. 6m

GLUE.

Irish Glue in Barrels, for Distiller's use, said to be the BEST for gluing spirit barrels; Truss Hoops; Coopers' Tools; Turpentine Hacks; and Files; together with a heavy stock of

DRY GOODS,
Groceries, Hardware and Cutlery,
Suited to the trade. THO. J. JOHNSON.
January 10th, 4t

Curing Bacon without Smoke.

"Oh the trouble folks have taken
To smoke and spoil their bacon."

To smoke the best bacon, fat your hogs early and fat them well. By fattening early you make great saving in food, and well fattened pork. Then kill as early as the weather will allow, and salt as soon as the animal heat is gone, with a plenty of the purest salt, and about half an ounce of saltpetre to one hundred pounds of pork.

As soon as the meat is salted to your taste, which will generally be in about five weeks, take it out, and if any of it has been covered with brine, let it drean a little. Then take black pepper finely ground, and dust on the hock end and all other places where flies are liable to get at it. This should be done as the season for flies approaches, (it ought to be done now,) you will have no further trouble with it, for by fly time in spring your bacon is so well cured on the outside, that flies or bugs will not disturb it.

Curing bacon is like the Irishman's mode of making punch. He said:—"Put in the sugar, then fill it up with whiskey, and every drop of water you put in after that spoils the punch." Just so with curing bacon; after following the directions given above, every "drop" of smoke you put about it, spoils the bacon.—*Portage Democrat.*

WHAT IS THE PRICE OF DUCKS?—A gentleman asked: "What is the price of ducks?" when he confessed he could not tell. He had been out that very day with his wife, and he had purchased no fewer than three ducks. Firstly, there was a "duck of a dress;" secondly a "duck of a parasol;" and thirdly, a "duck of a bonnet." The first was made of Genoa velvet, the second was trimmed with Valenciennes lace, and the third had a magnificent bunch of ostrich feathers. The united cost of these precious "ducks" was $275, so that each "duck" had stood him no less than $91 and a few shillings apiece. He supposed there were "ducks" to be had in market cheaper, but for himself when he hears his wife mention the word "duck" he always trembles from head to foot, for he knows at once that it means something inordinately expensive.

HANDSOME CONTRIBUTION.—The bell for the new 13th st. Baptist Church in Washington city, D. C., was kindly presented to the church by two North Carolina citizens—Charles W. Skinner and Richard Felton, of Perquimons county. It is of mammoth size and weighs 2,163 pounds.

A PROCLAMATION.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THOMAS BRAGG, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

WHEREAS, an act was passed by the last General Assembly of this State, by a vote of three-fifths of all the members thereof, a duly certified copy of which is as follows:

AN ACT to amend the Constitution of the State of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, A large number of the people are disfranchised by the freehold qualification now required of voters for members of the Senate, Therefore,

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,* (three-fifths of the whole number of members of each House concurring,) That the 2d clause of the 1st section of the 1st article of the amended Constitution, ratified by the people of North Carolina on the second Monday in November, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty-five, shall be amended to read as follows: Every free white man of the age of twenty-one years, being a native or naturalized citizen of the United States, and who has been an inhabitant of the State for twelve months immediately preceding the day of any election, and shall have paid public taxes, shall be entitled to vote for a member of the Senate for the district in which he resides.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the Governor of the State be, and he is hereby directed to issue his proclamation to the people of North Carolina, at least six months before the next election for members of the General Assembly, setting forth the purport of this act, and the amendment to the Constitution herein proposed, which proclamation shall be accompanied by a true and perfect copy of the act, authenticated by the certificate of the Secretary of State, and both the proclamation and the copy of this act, the Governor of the State shall cause to be published in ten newspapers of this State, at least six months before the election of members to the General Assembly. Read three times and ratified in General Assembly this 3d day of February, 1855.

SAM'L P. HILL,
Speaker of the House of Commons.
WARREN WINSLOW,
Speaker of the Senate.

State of North Carolina,
Office of the Secretary of State.

I, William Hill, Secretary of State, in and for the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original as ratified and on file in this office.

Given under my hand this 24th day of January, 1856.

W. HILL, *Secretary of State.*

Now, therefore, in conformity to the Constitution of the State, and the acquirements of the aforesaid act, I do issue this my Proclamation, making known to the people of North Carolina the provisions of said act and the amendment thereby proposed to be made to the Constitution of the State, and do cause the same to be published in ten newspapers of this State six months before the election of members of the next General Assembly.

In testimony whereof I, Thomas Bragg, Governor of the State of North Carolina, have hereto set my hand and [L. S.] caused the great seal of the State to be hereto affixed. Done at the City of Raleigh, this the 24th day of January, A. D., 1856, and in the 80th year of our Independence.

THOS. BRAGG.

By the Governor:
PULASKI COWPER,
Private Secretary.
Raleigh, January 24, 1856. 83-6m

Blanks
FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

Governors of the States and Territories.

We give below some interesting statistics in relation to the Governors of the States. Those marked with a (*) are Democrats:

States.	Governors.	Term expires.		Salaries.
Alabama,*	John A. Winston,	Dec.	1857	$2,500
Arkansas,*	Elias N. Conway,	Nov.	1856	1,800
California,	J. N. Johnson,	Dec.	1857	10,000
Connecticut,	Wm T Minor,	May,	1856	1,100
Delaware,	Peter F Causey,	Jan.	1857	1,333
Florida,*	Jas E Broome,	Oct.	1857	1,500
Georgia,*	H V Johnson,	Nov.	1857	3,000
Illinois,*	Joel A Matteson,	Jan.	1857	1,500
Indiana,*	Jos A Wright,	Jan.	1857	1,300
Iowa,	Jas W Grimes,	Dec.	1856	1,000
Kentucky,	C S Morehead,	Aug.	1857	2,000
Louisana,*	R C Wickliffe,	Jan.	1858	6,000
Maine,*	Samuel Wells,	Jan.	1857	1,500
Maryland,	[illegible]	Jan.	1857	3,500
Michigan,	K S Bingham,	Jan.	1857	1,500
Mississippi,*	John J M'Rea,	Jan.	1858	3,000
Missouri,*	Sterling Price,	Dec.	1856	2,000
New Hampshire,	Ralph Metcalf,	June.	1856	1,000
New Jersey,*	R M Price.	Jan.	1857	1,800
New York,	Myram H Clark,	Jan.	1857	4,000
North Carolina,*	Thomas Bragg,	Jan.	1857	3,000
Ohio,	S P Chase,	Jan.	1858	1,800
Pennsylvania,	James Pollock,	Jan.	1857	3,000
Rhode Island,	Wm H Hoppin,	May,	1856	1,000
South Carolina,*	J. H. Adams,	Dec.	1858	3,500
Tennessee,*	Andrew Johnson,	Oct.	1857	2,000
Texas,*	E M Pease,	Dec.	1856	2,000
Vermont,	Stephen Royce,	Oct.	1856	750
Virginia,*	Henry A Wise,	Jan.	1860	5,000
Wisconsin,*	Wm A Barstow,	Dec.	1857	1,250
TERRITORIES.				
Oregon,	William L Curry,	Term expires with a change of Administration.		3,000
Minnesota,	Willis A Gorman,			2,500
New Mexico,	D Merriwether,			2,500
Utah,	Brigham Young,			2,500
Washington,	Isaac J Stephens,			2,500
Nebraska,	Mark W Izard,			2,500
Kansas,	Wilson Shannon,			2,500

It will be seen that eighteen of the thirty-one States have Democratic governors.

CROMWELL'S SPEECH.—The following are the very words spoken by Oliver Cromwell to the Long Parliament. The document was found among some old documents which had belonged to the Cromwell family:

Spoken by Cromwell when he put an end to the Long Parliament, 1653.

"It is high time for me to put an end to your sitting in this place, which ye have dishonored by your contempt of all virtue, and defiled by the practice of every vice. Ye are a pack of mercenary wretches, and would, like Esau, sell your country for a mess of pottage; and like Judas, betray your God for a few pieces of money! Is there one vice which ye do not possess? Ye have no more religion than my horse—Gold is your god—which of you have not bartered away your conscience for bribes? Is there a man among you that hath the least care for the good of the commonwealth? Ye sordid prostitutes! have ye not defiled this sacred place, and turned the Lord's temple into a den of thieves? By your immoral principles and wicked practices, ye are grown intolerably [illegible] Ye, who were deputed here by the people to [illegible] ces redressed, are yourselves become their greatest grievance.

"Your country, therefore, calls upon me to cleanse the Augean stables by putting a final period to your iniquitous proceedings in this House, and which by God's help, and the strength he hath given me, I am come to do. I command ye, therefore, upon the peril of your lives, to depart out of this place! Go! get you out! Ye venial slaves, begone! Poh! Take away that shining bauble there, and lock up the doors!"

THE HEIRS OF COL. DAVY CROCKETT.—We note with pleasure that the Committee on Public Lands in the House of Representatives has reported a bill, donating one league of land to the heirs of Col. Davy Crockett, who fell so gloriously at the Alamo in defense of Texan independence. It is a gratification for us to know that we were the first to call attention to the fact that the widow and surviving children of one of the bravest and noblest of our revolutionary heroes, were residing in the State in indigent circumstances. Nearly twelve months ago, we made an appeal, in their behalf, to the generosity and gratitude of the State. We believed then that it was only necessary to let a Texas Legislature know that the family of Davy Crockett was among us, needy and poor, to secure them ample relief. We have not been mistaken in our estimate of their generous impulses. We soon hope to see the bill pass without a dissenting voice. Such a tribute will show that Texas treasures the memory of those patriot heroes who so nobly offered up their lives on the altar of her independence. On that honored list the name of Davy Crockett stands first and most glorious.

We shall never forget the last time we saw him. It was in the fall of 1835. Whilst en route for the Alamo, he sojourned for a few days with the father of the writer, his old personal friend, then residing in Red River county. The cracking dawn of the revolution had just commenced. Doubts and misgiving prevaded the public mind. The odds against us were truly fearful, and many thought the enterprise hopeless and rash. Not so with Davy Crockett. He knew no such word as fail, and harbored no doubt or misgiving as to the glorious result. We remember his words of hope and encouragement that animated the most desponding hearts the visions of glory in which he indulged; the pictures of a happy, prosperous and glorious future which he drew of the future Republic. He seemed to revel by anticipation in the glorious strife that awaited him, and to snuff the battle from afar off. He is painted before us now as he appeared to our youthful mind—his muscular form towering to its majestic height, his kindling eye flashed with excitement, and his manly bosom swelling with emotion, as he dwelt on the coming contest, and with his sanguine temperament admitting no doubts, pointed out a successful and glorious termination to the revolution, and a happy and prosperous career to the Republic. No premonitory foreboding warned him of his impending fate, but he laughed to scorn all ideas of harm or danger of himself. The last words we ever heard from Davy Crockett, as mounted on his horse, with his faithful rifle on his shoulder, were, memorable and characteristic: "I'm as good for Santa Anna's scalp as a ninepence is for a dram."—*Dallas Herald.*

☞ Eight shares of the capital stock of the Wilmington and Welnon Railroad Company were sold in Norfolk recently at $85 50 per share of one hundred dollars.

A SAD SIGHT.—*A mother and child frozen to death.*—The subjoined is copied from the Schoharie (New York) Patriot:

"We learn from John Brooks, Esq., deputy sheriff of this county, living in the town of Broome, that on the 8th of January, Mr Joseph Thompson of that town, having occasion to go to a mill about four miles distant, left home for that purpose. His wife informed him on leaving that she was going to a quilting at Mr Reed's about three quarters of a mile from their residence. Her husband told her to remain there until his return, and he would call for her. She went, taking with her three children—one a boy about seven years old, an infant about nine months old, and her sister's child, about twelve years old. After [illegible] jug of liquor with him. He [illegible] women present, and laid his hand on Mrs. Thompson, when she slapped him in the face, at which he threw her on the fire. A son of Reed, a young man, interfered to protect the woman, when a scuffle ensued between them, in which the young man had his leg broken.

"Mrs. Thompson now left the house, it being about 6 o'clock, fearing to remain longer, and directed her way across lots for her home. The night was intensely cold, and when about half way from her house the little boy became so cold as to be unable to go further, and laid down in the snow. The mother with her baby crouched down beside him, and told the little girl to lie down with her. The girl did so, and they all lay there till morning.

"Mr Thompson, on arriving at home, took a lantern and went in search of his wife and children.

"The girl, who survived, said she saw a light in a house at some distance from them, but she dare not make a noise for fear Reed would come and kill them. At daylight this girl was still able to walk, and wandered off till she got within sight of Justus Hagadorn's house, when she was discovered, and brought into the house. When able to speak, she informed the family where and how she had passed the night. Mrs. Thompson and the little boy were found frozen to death; the infant when found, was not frozen but dead. The little girl will survive, with the loss of two of her toes on each of her feet."

A SLAVE TRADER IN CHINA.—The Friend of China, received by the last steamer, says:

Very few coasting vessels ever leave Shanghai or Ningpo without an assorted lot of boys thrown in to make up the cargo. The traffic in girls is still more general, in consequence of the prevalence of infanticide, which countenances the murder of female infants as soon as they are born. We hear of one hundred girls ready for shipment at one place, for the segar factory at Manilla, and an order for two thousand girls for Cuba has lately been received. Boys can be sold at a profit of $3 to $3 75, and girls [illegible] cents a head.

THE MARYLAND LOTTERIES.—That species of gambling legalized in Maryland under the permission to vend Lottery policies, is a severe infliction upon the country, beyond the limits of that State; but in such places as Baltimore, nearer the source of the evil, its pernicious effects are most apparent. The Baltimore Patriot represents them as deplorable. Speaking of the manner in which the venders of policies operate in that city, the Patriot says:

"They take up bets to any amount, from three cents upwards, that a certain number in a specified lottery will not be drawn from the wheel. If the number is drawn, they agree to pay four times the amount their victim has betted. If the better not only lays his wager that a particular number will be drawn, but also indicates its peculiar position in the drawing, they promise to pay him sixty times the amount of his bet—all of which, if he happens, for a wonder, to be successful, he may get—if he can. For several consecutive weeks during the past year, the mania ran on the number 19. *Fifty-one drawings took place before it made its appearance.* In one day, five thousand dollars in small sums, were received for bets on this particular number; and the whole amount realized during the run is said to have amounted to upwards of twenty-five thousand dollars. During the Christmas week, a single policy shop took bets on No. 19 alone to the amount of nine thousand dollars.

"It is high time that these infamous practices encouraged by white men and carried out chiefly by negroes, should be subjected to summary punishment. The evils which enure from them to society are manifold, and are daily increasing. The distress produced among the lower classes of society by this abominable traffic is beyond conception, while its ultimate consequences are crime, madness, and a dishonorable death."

The State of Marylaud derives an annual income of $21,000 from Lottery licenses, but the Legislature has wisely provided for the extinction of the whole system in that State, after the expiration of the term for which the present Lottery grants were issued.

DISCONCERTING AN ORATOR.—It is an astonishing thing how little a matter will sometimes disconcert a man who is accustomed to speak in public, and to have his thoughts about him, and ready at command on almost all occasions. "I was once opening a speech from the stump," said a distinguished western political orator to us recently, "and was just beginning to warm with my subject, when a remarkably clear and deliberate voice spoke out behind me, saying:

"Guess he wouldn't talk quite so hifalutin g if he knew that his trowsers was bu'st clean out behind!"

"From that moment I couldn't 'get on.' The people in front began to laugh, and there was a loud roar in my rear, and I dared not reverse my position, for fear of having a new audience of my condition. I made, or rather invented, an excuse for delay, and sat down. The malicious scoundrel!" continued the orator; "it was only a mean trick after all. There was nothing under heaven the matter with my unmentionables!"

WHAT IS STRONGER THAN LOVE.—Put two persons in the same bed-room, one of whom has the tooth-ache, and the other is in love, and you will find that the person who has the tooth-ache will go to sleep first.