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Acts of the Last Legislature.

the consthird of the whole number in any | country remarks shall be authorized and empowered to transact all county business, which now, the earliest practicable time, it shall be the

as to prevent all the justices from acting, a majority of the magistrates being present whenever present [Ratified the 2d day | SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, That the of Fubruary, 1863.7

He it enacted by the General Assembly of 1860 of the State of North Carolina, and it is bere by exacted by the authority of the soon as the commissioners aforesaid shall bounty from the State, that may be satisf same. That in all civil cases where proof of | be elected and enter into bond with ap. the handwriting of an attesting witness, proved security by the court, it shall and resident of the jurisdiction of the court, is may be lawful for the treasurer of the State admissable to show to them the execution to pay to said commissioners the amount of the instrument attested, the proof of the | due their counties out of any money in the | ruary, 1863.] handwriting of a soldier in the army, ab- treasury not otherwise appropriated, and An act to amend an act passed the present session of the was made in good order, the men continuing sent from the State, or unable to attend if that the treasurer shall be allowed for the n the State, shall be admissable for the same in the settlement of his accounts. tike purpose; and in like cases, proof of the | Sec 5. Be it further enacted, That at handwriting of subscribing witnesses resi- the court and at the time of the appointdent within the lines of a public enemy, ment of the county commissioners, it shall shall be admissable. [Ratified the 27th day be the duty of the court to direct and estab. Assembly of the State of North-Carolina, directions at double quick in large force, the Times: of January, 1863

An art for the relat or Landlords.

A sembly of the State of North Carolina, the greatest relief and comfort to them, of the Convention entitled an ordinance endeavoring to keep the men back, fearing colored fabrics free of cost. So at an early and it is hereby enacted by the authority whether the same shall be paid them in the to make some provisions for the families of the bridge would fall every moment, I was hour yesterday morning, they assembled a of the same, That, whenever a tenant, in whole or in part, in cash or prevision, with soldiers dying in the service'" be so wounded in the leg by a minie ball, and the west end of the upper bridge, possession of real estate, holds over after power to purchase or receive produce or extended, as after the word "mother," in obliged to relinquish the command to Capt. and after choosing a Captain and Licutenhis term has expired, his landlord, or an provisions of any kind from the State in lieu the fitteenth tine, to insert the words "and McRae, whose self-possession and bravery ants filed over the bridge to Broad street agent for him, may make affidavit of the of money, or such amount as the court if his mother be dead, then to the next of should not be left unnutred. furt before a me justice of the peace of the county, who shall issue a precept to the county, who shall issue a precept to the shall issue a precept to the county and shall issue a precept to the shall be shall into the shall be shall be shall into the shall be shall be sh shereff, or other proper officer of the county, counties that are or may be in possession father shall have been absent from the nition exhausted, and the bridge impassaged what they wish d, they cried cloth, call freeholders, twelve of whom shall be select- notes, and that the said counties shall re- the mother."

the twelve freeholders shall, after having double the amount received by them to be the evidence, be satisfied that the tenant distributed. in ds over, that then the justice of the SEC. 7. Be it further enacted, That this peace shall issue his order to the sheriff, or act shall be in force from and after its pass dispussees the tenant, and to put the land. 1863.]

3. Be it turther enacted, That if An act to authorize and require the Quartermaster of Sunday, December 14th. ther party, plainteff or defendant, shall be assatished with the finding of the twelve for holders, he shall be permitted to apposit to the first term of the superior court, Assembly of the State of North Carolina, me to take position with my Battalion, conup in giving sufficient security; Provided, and it is hereby enacted by the authority sisting of 19 officers and 460 men, in the however, if the defendant appeals, he shall of the same, That whenever any soldier or rife pits in the East bank of the Neuse be required to enter into bond with suffi. soldiers of this State, or [of ?] any regiment river to support a S C. Battery commandthe county to cover the cost and all from this State, shall elect to furnish his ing the County bridge. At 81 o'clock we

Randed the 26th day of January, 1863 | regulations.

ficient to pay the widow her year's support, fore fixed. or what may be sufficient for any guardian SEC 3. Be it further enacted, That this in my front. to expend to: the board and tuition of his act shall tak, effect and be in force from or her wards for the space of one year .- and after its ratification. [Ratified the Ratified the 3d day of February, 1863.] 10th day of February, 1863.]

An a fit wound and section 64th chapter Recised Code. 12th day of February, 1863]

In any more must the Statute of Limitations.

February, 1863.]

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the Generna, and it is hereby enacted by the author- day of February, 1863.] An and authorizing another I of the whole number of just ity of the same, That the sum of one mil lion dollars be, and the same is hereby ap-Section 1. Be it marted by the General propriated to the use and benefit of the wives As windly of the State of North Carolina, and families of indigent soldiers who now - hereby enacted by the authority are or may hereafter be in the service of of the same, That it shall and may be law- the State or Confederate States, and all of int. hereafter, when a majority of the just the wives and families of all indigent sol. the peace of any county in the diers who have been or may hereafter be North Carolina cannot be obtained, killed or die in the army or service of the section of the act ratified December 22nd.

SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That at by law may require a majority of the duty of the chairman of each court to noti- person whose name may appear upon the Be it further enacted, That noth court house for the purpose of electing some and the same is hereby repealed; but such

sum of one million dollars as aferesaid be equally divided amongst the several coun-

SEC 4. Be it further enacted, That as

lish such rules and regulations in the divise and it is hereby enacted by the authority and the bridge, the only means of oscape, Califo on Burst.—Some women in our SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General families of the indigent soldiers as to afford entitled "an act to amend the ordinance were driven back by the flames. While devised a movement to obtain the pretty

ed as jurors, who, after being duly sworn, ceive the money direct from the treasurer precept shall cause to be notified the tenant ion of the justices, the said amount of monholding over, of the time and place of en- ey to be paid to the county trustees of said quiry, who shall be permitted to introduce counties, and to be by them distributed according to the provisions of this bill, the Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That if said trustees giving bond to the State in

North Carolina for boots and shoes. Be it further enacted. That if quartermaster of the State, on the present musketry firing commenced on the left of the shariff or other proper officer shall fail tation to him of an account in the name of the line of battle, which was formed on the to execute the precept, or to serve the no- the soldier, properly made out by the com- west side of the river, and at 9 o'clock the as on pared without good cause, he manding officer of the company to which first gun was fired by the artillery. At 91 shall pay a fine of twenty dollars, for each said soldiers belong, with a certificate of I received an order through one of General default and each freeholder shall pay a said commanding officer thereto appended, Evans' aids, to march at double quick fine of ten dollars for failing to attend ac- that said soldier or soldiers have not drawn across the bridge. Having crossed, I met contains to his summons, without good their boots or shoes for the time charged lien. Evans on the west side, directing Be it further enacted. That if the their own cost, to pay the said soldiers or placed upon the bridge. He ordered me tenant holding over, or any one holding commanding officer, on the order of the to take my command through the field on possession for him shall resist the sheriff soldier, fourteen dollars for each pair of the right of the White Hall road, and enor other proper officer, the justice shall boots charged, and eight dollars for each gage the enemy. hand over the party or parties to the supe. pair of shoes charged; Provided, that they We passed through the field under fire for ourt to answer any indictment that shall not be paid for more pairs of boots and of shell from the enemy, (losing one man,) may be preferred against him or them .- shoes than they are entitled to by the army to the distance of a quarter of a mile, to a

In the amond the 40th chapter of the Revued Code, order to facilitate the collection of the intorce. Here we were engaged for some

An act in relation to the bounty of soldiers. Be it enacted by the General Assembly Section 1. Be it enacted by the General the bridge." At this time, there being no age of 21 years, is two dollars. of the State of North Carolina, and it is Assembly of the State of North Carolina indication of the enemy in front, I drew off hereby enacted by the authority of the and it is hereby enacted by the authority same. That the second proviso, section sec. of the same, That the citizens of this State bridge, but to my surprise, Gen. Evans was or of this or any other State, or county. ond, chapter 61th, Revised Code, be, and between the ages of thirtyfive and forty absent, leaving no orders or instructions or corporation, whether the stock be exthe same is hereby repealed. [Ratified the five years, who are or may be called into for me. the military service of the Confederate Observing the S. C. Battery commanding cent. The tax on bank dividends, etc., is the secretary furnish a copy of these resolutions to the bereavel family of brother Jerrall. and also to States, under the provisions of an act of the bridge had been removed, and the the same. Congress, entitled "An act to amend an bridge apparently deserted, I concluded the Be it enacted by the General Assembly act to provide further for the public de- General was waiting for me on the east sation or fees received during the year endof the State of North Carolina, and it is fence, approved the 16th day of April, side, retreated towards Kinsten, and pro ing 1st February each year, is two and a

An act for the relief of the wives and families of soldiers persons." ratified 12th of May, 1862.

An act to enforce and make more effectual an act of th-General Assembly, ratified December 22nd, 1862 regulating the payment of bounty.

Section 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 so much of the second 1862, regulating the payment of bounty as requires captains or commanding officers to specify upon eath the citizenship of each fy the justices of his county to meet in the pay roll presented to the paymaster, be herein contained shall be so construed person to be s'yled a county commissioner, captains shall certify to the citizenship on

Auditor of Public Accounts, in settling the us. accounts of the paymaster for payments wind provide of the handwriting of attesting ties of the State according to the white made by him between the 22nd of Decempopulation to be ascertained by the census | ber, 1862, and the ratification of this act, is authorized to admit any-other evidence of civizenship of those persons receiving | sinco learned for want of ammunition,) imfactory to him.

SEC. 3. Be it further enacted, That this act shall be in force from and after its rat. bridge. ification. [Ratified the 10th day of Feb-

General Assembly, entitled "An act to amend the their fire with good effect. At the bridge ordinance of the Convention, entitled "an ordinance to make some provisions for the families of soldiers

ion and distribution of the money appropri of the same, That an act passed at the pres- in flames. The greater portion of my com- city and from Girard, Ala., concluded they ated to the use and benefit of the wives and ent session of the General Assembly, mand succeeded in crossing, while others could no longer wear homespun fromks, and

shall examine and enquire into the fact of of the State without being subjected to the act shall be in force from and after its ratithe snaney; that the justice issuing the provisions of this bill in regard to the act fication. [Ratified the 27th day of Janu-

Col. Mallett's Report of the Kinston

Fayetteville, N. C. February 20th, 1863.

GOVERNOR :- Confinement to my bed for the last two months will, I trust, be apele. er proper officer, commanding him to sage. [Ratified the 10th day of February, gy sufficient for the delay in reporting to bridge, and Lt Joseph A. Hill, command- have still to wear nomespun or fig leaves. your Excellency the part taken by my ing company C, while retreating on the Can't the humane public make up a purse command in the battle near Kinston, on Kinston side. Both led their companies to buy caliker frocks for them?

the State to pay commutation money to the soldiers of 1 arrived at Kinston by railroad, on Sunday morning at 7 o'clock, and reported Section I. Be it enacted by the General immediatery to Gen. Evans, who ordered boots or shoes, it shall be the duty of the were in position, and in a few moments from the State, but have furnished them at | men pouring spirits of turpentine on cotton

fence on the edge of a swamp on the other SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That in side of which the enemy appeared to be

> without any accurate information, I re- are not to be listed under the provisions of Resolved. The while we thur bow to the decree-About the time of Lieut. Little's return, ceived a written order from Gen. Evans by | the said section. a courier, viz: "Colonel, let me know if the enemy are in your front; if not, join me at | male free negroes, who have attained the in good order and returned to the from bonds, e.c., of the Confederate States,

hereby unacted by the authority of the 1862, and an act to amend the same, approveded across the bridge. In a few mo- haif per cent. on so much thereof as ex-

same, That in computations of time for the ed the 8th of October, 1862, shall be entipurpose of applying any statute, limiting thed to recieve a bounty of fifty dollars, to cer of his staff with orders to go back. This exempted from this tax. any action or suit or any right or rights, be paid out of the treasury of the State, order I promptly obeyed, marching again On all profits from any licensed trade, or for the purpose of raising a presumption under the rules, regulations and restrictions at a double quick through the same field to business or occupation, or from any other of any release, payment or satisfaction, or that are prescribed by an ordinance of the my former position under heavy fire from trading or speculating by others than a any grant or conveyance, the time elapsed Convention entitled "An ordinance to resince the 20th day of May, which was in peal an ordinance passed at the present mediately hotly engaged with his infantry. of the nett income as exceeds \$3,000. the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, session of this Convention," entitled "An In about an hour I was reinforced with On each passenger transported on any or which may elapse until the end of the ordinance amendatory of an ordinance to 90 or 100 men from the 61st reg't N. C. T., railroad or canal, one and a balf mills for One dollar per square, for the first week, present war, shall be excluded from such raise North Carolina's quota of Confedecomputation. [Ratified the 10th day of rate troops, passed and ratified the 19th of took position on my right. The enemy one per cent, of the gross receipts. Ex-February, A. D. 1862, and to extend the made a vigorous charge at this time on my press companies are required to pay a tax the capacities of Ministers, from Hayti and provisions as to bounty to certain other and was as vigorously repulsed. Old ve- of two and a half par centum on total re- his Secretary. Their debut at the capital terans could not have met their foe with ceipts. SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That this mere coolness and determination than these act shall be in full force and effect from newly tried men. He appeared determined a bank is to be taxed from \$125 to \$625, al Assembly of the State of North Caroli- and after its ratification. [Ratified the 7th to force his way through may lines at the according to the capital. The same prin-Church. I ordered Lieut. Col. Devane to ciple of taxation is applied to manufactory, reinforce my left. He took his position railroad, insurance, express, telegraph com- ingly say they are not negroes but Hay. promptly and did good service, and I here panies, etc., \$125 being prescribed when take pleasure in testifying to his coolness the capital is \$100,000 or less, and \$250 and undoubted bravery. With his assist- when it exceeds that sum. ance and the company of my right flank, commanded by Lieut. McRae, also ordered to the left, we held the enemy in check for some time.

after sending repeatedly to the rear, could a specific tax is to be paid, \$150; where tiens at his dinner table, and there can be not be replenished. Apprehending an at. the tax is in proportion to the sales, from tempt to turn my right also, Capt. McRae \$50 to \$520, by a sliding scale, and then (acting as my Lieut. Col.) was directed to \$25 for every \$10,000 excess over sales ex. Secretary Seward has invited them to dine ebserve closely and give me immediate no- ceeding \$50,000. When the license to a tice of any advance in that direction. He merchant includes permission to sell wine, reported the enemy in force, who, hewever, ardent spirits, etc., by wholesale or retail, made no attempt to flank me, owing I sup- an additional tax of \$250 is to be levied, nations soon after their first arrival, and SEC. 2. Be it further enacted, That the pose, to the impenetrable swamp between and two and a half per cent. on sales.

> check about three hours, and looking in pay \$125. vain for further reinforcements, (the section of artillery near the Church retired, I mediately after Lieut. Col. Devane sent mo word the enemy was flanking us on the left and withdrew his men toward the

Finding myself alone, and the enemy pressing upon us, I ordered a retreat which I intended to make another stand, but on dying in service, ratified 22nd February, 1863, and approaching, tound it on fire and crowded with men endeavoring to cross. A panic

25,000 men, with 72 pieces of artillery. Gen. of them, who did not behave herself prop-Foster admitted to me we had repulsed erty, and put them in jail. three of his veteran regiments with a loss Our unfortunate friend Brooks, who of 100 men, since ascertained to be about stands so high in the world, and is always

best officers, who fell at the close of the expressing rather too much sympathy engagement. Lt. J. J. Reid, commanding with this gang of seizers. company H, fell by my side near the. Well we are sorry for the gals, as they

loss-we lament) never drew a sword. Our loss was 7 killed, 22 wounded, 8, to get a new trock without buying it. reluctantly forced to include them in the ed a job larger than they bargained for. list of killed.

Officers and men, who nearly all were coolness, determination and bravery of ve-

It would almost be invidious to call attention to any particular one, but I cannot commanding company I.

enemy under more favorable circumstances. shows the good sense of the people. I am, Governor, your ob't serv't. PETER MALLETT,

Colonel Commanding Battalion. His Excellency, Gov. Z. B. VANCE.

From the Richmond Whig. The State Tax Bill.

The act passed by the General Assem commutation money due to the soldiers of time, but the principal point of attack ap- bly imposing taxes for the support of Be it enacted by the General Assembly any regiment of this State for boots and peared to be the Church known as Harriet's Government, provides that the tax on real of the State of North Carolina, and it is shoes, the quartermaster of the regiment | Chapel, on my left, where was stationed a estate shall be one per cent. on the assesshereby enacted by the authority of the may consolidate the accounts of the comsame, That the 46th chapter of the Revised manding officers of the companies of the Glst N. C. Troops under Col. Radcliffe. At ty, moneys and solvent credits, as defined Code, section 18th, be, and the same is regiment and append thereto the cer. length, the firing upon my part of the line in the first section, and all capital invested, hereby amended by adding after the words tificate required in the 1st section of this ceased almost entirely. Being anxious to used, or employed in any manufacturing, "six months," "or for each if the court for act, subscribed by himself, in which case it charge the enemy and drive them back, I trade or other business, one per cent. cause shall so order; Provided, however, shall be the duty of the quartermaster of Sent Lieut Little to the section of artiflery But property-otherwise taxed, and prop-That the court in ordering such sale, shall the State to pay to said quartermaster the on my left, to ascertain the real position erty from which any income is derived, this me all the having died near Fredericksburg, and a color the service of his country. The follownot order the sale of more than may be sufficient to nay the widow her year's amount so charged at the prices nereinber of the enemy and of our forces, as it was or on the capital invested in any trade or ingresolutions were unanimously adopted. impossible to charge through the swamp business, in respect to which a license is wire was it has breased an allwise Property of the stress of lesued, and the capital of any bank, sale remove from our mystic circle our bron er. A. I Bo aut the wants to get at the crater's ings institutions, and insurance companies Jerrall.

The capitation tax on white males, and one so emmently qualified to adorn the various sta-

empt from taxation or not, seventeen per usual badge of mourning for thirty days, and that

The tax on any income, salary, compen-

Every law incorporating or re-chartering branches of Washington society as to

for abridgement Distillers of ardent spirits will have to

pay from \$125 to \$250.

Agents for the renting of houses and dent more willingly than inclination. At this time, having held the enemy in agents for hiring of negroes, are each to On every license permitting the sale of

> ardent spirits, at a theatre, \$250. Brokers who deal in stocks, bank notes, etc., are to pay a tax of \$1,700.

The above are some of the prominent them first, and then the common negroes previsions of the Tax Bill, the printed were to follow and pay their respects copy of which embraces fifty three pages. The representatives of the free negro Re-We have no room for a more extended public of Hayti, getting wind of what was

A few women made a demonstration in were not receiving calls from negroes just Columbus, Ga., on the 10th, but it was not bread they wanted-calico was the object Section 1. Be it enacted by the General ensued; the enemy pressing upon us in two of their ambition. The following is from tion at this treatment. At a meeting in

rommanding him to cause to come before of the enemy shall receive the amount that State and not been heard from for one year, ble, I advised Capt. McRae to surrender. - ker or bust by hokey. After a paricy, or such justice at such time and place as shall they may be entitled to under the provis then any bounty or other sum of money The enemy now directed his fire upon our a few moments, in which Mayor Wilkins he therein mentioned, twenty indifferent ions of this act, in North Carolina treasury due to the estate of the son shall be paid to retreating troops on the Kinston side of the had something to say to these seizers, they river, who spiritedly returned the fire with departed from the store and dispersed to Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That this good effect, killing a Col. Gray, and others their homes quicker than they left them, especially, after hearing the order of the The enemy's force was between 20 and Mayor to the police, to arrest every woman

on the outside of where there is any dan-I regret to report the loss of two of my ger, was ordered to jail by the Mayor for

gallantly through the entire engagement. We wish it distinctly understood that Braver or more gallant young men (whose this was no bread demonstration, but a concected plan on the part of a few women

missing, and 175 taken prisoners After The whole affair did not occupy the pub diligent search and enquiry for Adjutant he mind an hour, as the parties soon lett they are realizing immense fortunes from E. W. Mann, and Lt. R. K. Williams, I am the streets satisfied that they had attempt

The Wheat crop in Mississippi says the under fire the first time, behaved with the Jackson Mississippian) looks very promis ing, in fact it could not look better. There own conveniences by the inconveniences is a large surface of our soil in wheat, of another, is more against nature than promising flour in abundance after the death, than poverty, than pain, and the May harvest. If there are no more frosts rest of the external accidents. Look out refrain from mentioning the conspicuous this State will farnish wheat enough to extortioners. and gallant bravery of Lt. J. R. McLean, supply half the Confederacy in flour for the next year. There has been comparatively Hoping I may be allowed to engage the but small crops of cetton planted, which

> OUTLET FOR ILLINOIS MERCHANDIZE .-Two committees have been appointed-one by Gov. Yates, of Illinois and one by the Mayor of Chicago-to visit Canada for the purpose of consultation in reference to an outlet for produce to tide water.

was sold in Newport, Ky., last week, at of the United States will be sent to Island the extraordinary price of one hundred and | No. 10 and set to work. twenty-five dotlars per one hundred pounds

For the l'atriot. Tribute of Respect.

WHEREAS, It has preased an all wise Proprience

of a merciful God, we cannot but deplore the loss of

Resolved. That we tender our sincere condolence to the family and friends of our decease | brother, The tax on all interest or profit arising and would admonish them to mourt no as those

Resolved. That in testimony of the respect and kind feeling which we sutertain for our excessed brother, the members of this Lodge will wear the the Greenshorough Patriot and Raleigh Standard

W. A. WOOLLEN, W. C. BRANSON, A. H. BALLENTINE,

A Washington letter in the St. Louis Republican gives a laughable account of the reception of the negro ministers from his statement of his brother darkies. It

Two mahogany colored individuals, each with hair showing a decided disposition to kinkiness, have lately arrived here in has raised an exciting discussion in two whether they are negroes or not. The Abolitionists have made up their minds to admit them to secrety equality, and accordtiens; while the colored folks hereabouts insist that they are veritable darkies .-It remains to be seen how the question will The taxes on licenses are top various be decided; but the observation of the writer is that if these new comers are not negroes, the mulattees are white people.

Representative Hooper, of Massachusetts My ammunition now began to fail, and On every license to a merchant, where led off last week by having the two Hayno doubt of the intentions of the Abolitionists to introduce them into white seciety. with him next Tuesday ; but it is oustomary for the Secretary of State to extend this courtesy to all representatives of foreign the Premier, is no doubt following prece-

The following incident shows which way the Haytiens themselves are inclined :-A few days after their arrival, the colored people held a meeting and decided to establish intimate relations with them by sending their ministers to wait upon going on, sent a message to the negre preachers, the purport being that they yet. This cool proceeding took the darkies all aback, and some of them have since then made no reserve in venting their indignaone of their churches, a few nights since. the subject had considerable discussion, the burthen of the controversy being that Haytiens were negroes, and had no right to act like white men. One venerable old contraband, whom report says was a preacher before he came out of the land of slavery, but who alas! lost his religion when he gained his freedom, wound up a ong strain of incentives as follows: "Dese d-n furrin miggers tink damselbs better . dan de President. Massa Old Abe let de ----- falle unme into de White House, and talks to dem like a fader, and here a dese cusses won't look at 'em. I ain't gwine to hab nuffin more to do wid 'em, I aint."

TURPENTINE IN FRANCE.—Before the war, France and other countries drew their supplies of turpentine, rosin, and tar mostly from North and South Carolina and Georgia. The war having stopped the exportation of these articles, it appears that the French have gone into the turpentine business "on their own hook." The sandy region south of Bordeaux, known as the Landes, inhabited by a rather destitute class of people (as all poor sections of country usually are) abounds with the pine tree which is now being worked by the French, and large quantities of turpentine produced. The owners of the land have suddenly risen from poverty to affluence, in consequence of the high price which turpentine now commands in Europe. Heretotore they could not compete with the exportaions from the Southern States, but now "tar, pitch and turpentine." It is an ill wind that blows no one good.

SELFISHNESS .- To detract any thing from another, and for one man to multiply his

PEACH CROP DESTROYED .- A fruit grower informs the Rochester (N. Y.) "Express" that the fruit buds of peaches were destroyed by the severe frost which followed a very mild season in January. The bude had begun to swell when the theimometer suddenly fell below gero.

By an order from General Hurlbut, all Legro camps in Cairo and Columbus are to HIGH PRICE -A hogshead of tobacco be broken up. All not in actual service

The Mobile "Tribune" says corn is selling freely in the Mississippi region, near Macon, at \$1 50 per bushel; and there is 209, held April 4th, 1863, it being appeared that plenty of it to be had. We have this on

> Why is a man climbing a volcane like In Iri-hman trying to kiss a pretty girl?

> Farmers of the South, the independence of your country rests with you. What a responsibility! Then cuitivate the cereals; a so hay, make provisions, live economispace all you can to the cause, and ur efforts will be crowned with success

"Seventy-five cents per gal?" exclaims dis. Partington, on looking over the nce-current. "Why, bless me! my doar, good old man gave two dollars and a bushof the very best potatoes for me. However the gals of this day ain't nigh so dear as I was then."