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WILMINGTON, N. C., June 26, 1873 CRUDE TURPENTINE SPIRITS TURPENTINE

Extra Pale, 1.75@ 5.50 Window Glass, 6.00@ 6.50

LOCAL MATTERS.

Conundrum. Why is Decanter Duncan like Sheriff Cooper's billy goat?

A Black Snake Fully six feet long, was killed on Front street, in this town a few days ago.

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abouts at present, and the Doctors are abundantly able to watch over the in- W. F. McLean, administrator, · doing a good business. But we hear terests of Rockingham and of Rich- Dawkins, George of no one being seriously ill.

Wilmington, N. C., is the place to buy Ready Made Clothing. They are

reliable and sell low. Try them. To Tax-Payers. Pay your taxes and save costs. See

means business.

New Advertisements. George J. Freeman-\$1,000 Re-

W. J. Christian and others—Grand

We regret to learn, is quite ill from

Exemsion. Col. W. L. Steele,

an attack of fever. Hope he will soon be restored.

First Cotton Blossom.

The first cotton blossom that we have heard of in this section this season, was discovered on Thursday last in the patch of Maj. Long, in this town. Hurrah for the Major!

Are you Insured?

The North Carolina State Life Insurance company offers inducements to North Carolinians which we do not think are surpassed by any other company in the World. Let us encourage our home institutions instead of sending our money abroad to enrich strangers. See advertisement elsewhere.

Rockingham

At this time, we think, presents about as an inviting a field for a pestilence as any place of similar size in the State. The streets have not been cleaned within the recollection of the oldest inhabitant, while the cellar under Dr. Stansill's new store is about half filled with putrid water, which must send forth poisonous effluvia enough to kill half the people in town. Of course the Doctor, is not influenced by selfish motives in allowing this putrid water to remain in his cellar, but its effects on the people is all the same. . Will not our efficient Marshal or Mayor look a little into the sanitary condition of our city?

To Advertisers.

The Spirit of the South is now the only newspaper published in this town, and its circulation is greater than that of any other paper published in the Pee Dee country. This we are prepared to prove to advertisers who will take the trouble to call and examine our subscription books, which will be shown with pleasure. Advertisers will please make a note of these

\$1,000 Reward!!

The attention of our readers is called to the large reward offered in our advertising columns this week. And, reader if you want to buy anything in the dry goods or grocery line, don't fail to go and see Mr. George J. Freeman, near Sand Hill Depot. He will sell you goods cheap, and will buy your crude turpentine and pay you the biggest price. Go and see him. He will deal with you fairly and squarely.

Beef!

Our friends, Long & Moore seem determined to keep our people well supplied with good beef. That they furnished us on Thursday morning last was splendid. We long for more of the same sort.

The last we saw of Decanter Duncan, he was in Rockingham, "drunk fool," and was still the same old hog that he always was-weight, just Names, 28 pounds, according to the Fayetteville Eagle. But as to whither he went Hudson Mrs. Creasey, from here, we are as ignorant as he is Estate of James Russell.

"Richmond county needs a newspaper." Wudesboro' Argus.

That is, we suppose, a paper pub- Crouch, William lished outside of Rockingham, to rep- Crouch, Sarah resent the county, the Spirit of the Covington, Elizabeth South being a local paper, and only Cameron, Henry (col) Common, \$2.45@2.50 representing this town. But how Pale, 4.00@4.50 about the Scotchman, published at Laurinburg? Or, don't you look up- Garrett, M. B. on that bantling as being entitled to Gillis, William A. the name of newspaper? But, we do Jernigan, Catharine not coincide with you, Decanter. But, McKinnon, Margarett if the Argus was the only paper pub- McDonald, M. R. willing to assert that Wadesboro' Panky, J. W. needed a newspaper. And, if your Sadberry, Nancy (Widow) offspring was the only paper publish- Townson, Robert ed in this county, we should most certainly agree with you that Richmond county needed a newspaper. As it is, Blue D. T. however, we don't believe that any Tiner, Julia more papers are needed in this sec- Currie, Malcom There is considerable sickness here- tion, the Spirit of the South being Dawkins, W. R. mond county, as well as this entire McPherson, Duncan section of North Carolina, as the Ar- McLean, John gus might be able to do in its locality were its eyes not "lulled to sleep" by the too frequent use of "bust head."

Without the aid of advertisements I could have done nothing in specu- Ellerbe M. C. lation. I have the most complete faith Lamply, William Sheriff Cooper's advertisement. He imprinter's ink. Advertising is the Lassiter, J. W. royal road to business."—Barnum. He who invests one dollar in busi-

> ing that business.—A. T. Stew- Terry, H. G. success is owing to my liberaladvertising.—Robert Bonner.

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Sugar,		$12\frac{1}{2}@18$
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DISCRIPTION	AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF	Anna Carlotte

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. \$1,000 REWARD!! THE undersigned would call attention to his well selected stock of DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES, &C., which was purchased by him in New York, and which he can sell as

Cheap as any House in this section. Will barter for all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE. TURPENTINE

speciality, for which the highest prices will be paid, either in cash or trade, delived at his still, or in the wood. A trial is all I ask.

_GEORGE J. FREEMAN. Near Sand Hill Depot, June 28, 1873.

To-the City of Wilmington!! Bill, Gilliard

Over the C. C. Railroad. A NEXTRA TRAIN WILL LEAVE Chance, William Covington, H. P. ton on the 3d day of July at 8 o'clock, A. Covington, H. C. M., returning on the 5th, to enable per- Easterling, Clara & Mother 105 2 20 Court, at office in Rockingham, this the sons to attend the Grand Celebration of Graham, James H. the Fourth, to take place in that ci.y.

Ample accommodations for all—both white and colored.

The Train will stop at the various stations to take in passengers. Fare, for the round trip, only \$3. W. J. CHRISTIAN,

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TAX NOTICE.

I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday the 4th day of August, 1873, at Rockingham, the lands herein after described as the property of the persons herein named, in order "Where is our hog men?"- Wadesboro' to satisfy the Taxes against their names for the year 1872. The Taxes may be paid to me before that date and stop proceedings

STEELE'S TOWNSHIP.

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50 2 02 62 McKenzie Alex'r. Est. 118 238 McKay Nancy 230 6 20 McLauchlin, Rose Ann 205 8 09 45 1 02 McLean, J. F. McNair, Mrs. Jane 45 283 9 41 McBryde, Est. of Danl 164 Sellers, McKay Smith, W. F. 1871

The most of the above tax is Rail Road tax which some of the parties don't know that they are due. This is the last chance to pay your No Acres Tax. tax without cost. All persons who \$ cts. come forward and settle the amounts 4 33 opnosite their names before the day 30 appointed to sell will save money and trouble. If the land is sold the cost will be nearly as much as the tax.

· Respectfully, S. T. COOPER, Sh'ff.

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100 1 31 MARRIED women and minors can de-posit in this Bank subject to their own centrol. Six per cent allowed on all deposits over five dollars remaining three 100 1 26 months in the Bank.

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F. M. KING, Cashier. 175 1 70 May 21. BRICK! BRICK!! BRICK!!!

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For sale cheap by W. R. TERRY. June 21.

RICHMOND COUNTY.) COURT. John A. Long, Plaintiff,

against A. T. Cole, Edmund D. Covington, Samuel W. Vick, C. P. Mebane, W. D. Reynolds and Henry S. Reynolds, Defendants.

TT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that W. D. Reynolds and Henry S. Reynolds are proper parties to the a-366 2 62 bove entitled action, and that they are 408 12.30 non-residents of the State, it is orderee that publication be made for them in thd "Spirit of the South," a weekly rewspa-per published in the county of Rich-350 bal 88 mond, for six consecutive weeks, com-Wilkerson, Christian & Sister 500 21 05 manding them to be and appear before the McCall, George A. 320 9 16 Hontrable Judge of our Superior Court, McFarland, Wm. & Mother 575 8 92 at the Court to be held for said county at the Court House in Rockingham on the twelfth Monday after the second Monday in August, 1873, to answer the 2 19 complaint of the Plaintiff, which has been 76 deposited in the office of the Clerk of said 3 1 49 Court, or the Plaintiff will apply to the

> Witness, D. Stewart, Clerk of our said 277 6 90 5th day of June, A. D., 1873. D. STEWART, C. S. C.

June 7.

SPRUNT & HINSON, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

light, sweet biscuit. Once used, it will never be done without. For saleby W. R. TERRY.

JAMES C. DAVIS, Attorney at Law, LAUREL HILL, N.-C.

All business entrusted to my Braddy, Tristram Guardian 420 7-23 care will be promptly attended to. 15-tf. Feb. 25

Proclamation OY THE GOVERNOR

OF NORTH CAROLINA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. RALEIGH, June 9th, 1873.

Be it known to all whom it may coneern: That in conformity with section 8, chapter 153 fof the acts of the General Assembly passed at the session of 1872-'73, in relation to amendments of the constitution of the State:

I, Tod R. Caldwell, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do order so much of the preamble of said act as sets forth the alterations proposed and agreed to, and the second section of said act to be published for thirty days' preceding the W. H. Hicks, Secretary. and the "Daily News," published in Raleigh, and also for the same length of time in the following weekly papers, published in the various Congressional Districts of the State, to-wit:

First District.- "North Carolinian," Elizabeth City; "Express," Washington Second District-"News," Goldsboro; 'Mail," Rocky Mount. .

Third District-"Star," Wilmington; Statesman," Fayetteville. Fifth District-"New North State, Greensboro, "Chronicle," Milton.

Sixth District-"Democrat," Charlotte 'Spirit of the South," Rockingham. Seventh District .- "American," States ville; "Watchman," Salisbury. Eighth District-"Pioneer" and "Ex-

positor," Asheville. That portion of the preamble ordered

to be published is in the following words, to-wit: "WHEREAS, The last General Assembly, (three-fifths of the whole, number of members of each House concurring,) the

bill containing the same having been read 17-3m three times in each House, proposed the following alterations of the Constitution of the State to-wit: Alteration in relation ONE Hundred Thousand good brick to the public debt; alteration in ralation to the office of Superintendent of Public to the public debt; alteration in ralation Yorks; alteration in relation to the State census; alteration in relation to exemptions from taxation; alteration in relation to the University; alteration in relation to the sessions of the General Assembly; alteration in relation to the Code Commission- years ers; alteration in relation to Federal and other officers holding office."

words, to-wit:

'It shall be the duty of the Sheriffs in each and every county in the State to open polls at the several election precincts in his county on the said first Thursday in August next, and the same shall be kept open for one day, from the hour of eight o'clock in the morning to the hour of seven in the afternoon, when all persons qualified to vote according to the Constitution, may vote for or against the ratification of each of the said amendments, those desiring such amendments to vote with the written or printed ticket "For Amendments," those of a contrary opinion to vote with a written or printed ticket, "Against Amendments."

The attention of County Commissioners and Inspectors of the Election is also called to the 4th section of said act of Assembly which provides that separate ballot-boxes shall be furnished for each amendment to be voted on.

Done at our City of Raleigh, L.'s. | ninth day of June, A. D., 1873, and NORTH CAROLINA) SUPERIOR in the ninety-seventh year of American Independence. TOD R. CALDWELL.

> By the Governor: J. B. NEATHERY, Private Secretary. June 11-30d.

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first Thursday of August, 1873, in the Dr. E. B. Haywood, Medical Director Raleigh "Daily Sentinel," the 'Daily Era, Dr. W. I. Royster, Ass't Medical Di-

J. B. Batchelor, Attorney. O. H. Perry, Supervising Agent.

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THOS. H. HAUGHTON, District Agent. T. W. GUTHRIE,

Agent for Richmond County.

June 14. Wilmington, Charlotte and Ruther-

ford Rail Road Line. A PROPERTY OF THE PERSON OF TH Eastern Division: New Schedule,

GOING WEST STATIONS. PASSENGER FREIGHT. Leave Wilmington 00 A M 6 00 A M Abbottsburg 21 16 A M 11 45 A M Lumberton | 12 30 P M | 2 05 P M Shoe Heel | 1 55 P M 5 00 P M Laurinburg 239 PM 6 00 A M hockingham 403 PM

Arrive at Lilesvillet 4 45 P M | 10 00 A M GOING EAST.

STATIONS. [PASSENGER] FREIGHT. Leave Lilesville '7 40 A M 12 00 M; Rockingham 8 36 A M Laurinburg* 1030 A M 5 00 A M Shoe Heel 10 55 A M 5 55 A M Lumberton 1220 PM9 50 A M Abbottsburg 126 P M 12 05 P M Arrive at Wilming. 4 35 PM 5 00 P M

*Dinner going West; Breakfast, going East. Freight Trains stop here over

†Stage for Charlotte-Railroad and Stage fare, Wilmington to Charlotte,

EE No Trains on Sunday. Express Freight Cars accompany each Passenger Train, Special Trains for Ton Timber run frequently. .

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Superentendent.

W. S. FOWLKES,

Assistant Supt.

Jeweler,

Dealer in CLOCKS, WATCHES, 4c. ROCKINGHAM, N. C.

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