

NEW TERMS.

From and after the 1st day of January, 1881, the subscription price of the Watchman will be as follows: One year, paid in advance, \$1.50...

THE TERMS.

We again call attention to the above terms of this paper. We very much regret that every patron may know the terms...

The skating rink is announced to be closed during Lent.

March came in like a lamb—a last year's one. Prepare your kites.

For the want of space several communications unavoidably left over.

See notice of Administrators sale—the personal effects of Jno. Barger are to be sold.

The automobile of Mr. R. M. Davis, was entered last Thursday night, and parked at all the bacon stored therein.

There is some talk of revising the regulations of this township. It would do no harm.

Mr. Jno. Heilig harnessed up eight horses last Tuesday. He keeps five hands employed in his harness shop.

We regret to learn that Dr. A. J. Shankle, formerly of Albemarle, Stauy county, dropped dead at his home, one day last week.

Westly Butler, colored, has been trying the "Hunter Farmer's Friend" plow, and desires us to say it is the best he ever tried.

The Store room to be occupied by Mr. M. S. Brown, (No. 4, Granite Row), has undergone repairs and painting. It is a desirable stand.

Mr. Hedrick contemplates building new brick stores where now stands the wooden row, opposite Meroney & Bro.

Capt. R. B. Crawford has begun work on his new building, which will adjoin his present place of business. It will be a substantial brick structure.

Mr. W. N. K. Juma's hand was accidentally caught in the machinery at the Cady Gold Mine, last Thursday. The hand was bruised, and the thumb split open.

Mr. L. B. Cady, Superintendent of the Cady Mine, has returned from New York, where he has been for some time examining machinery, &c., for Mining purposes.

The antipathy of some people is only equalled by their conceit. A correspondent has written us one verse of Spring poetry and asked how we liked the sample.

There is a man in this county who does not know his wife's name. He thought her name was Lou. But when she was questioned, she said it was Sarah. They are old people and have been living together for years.

Mr. Jno. Richwine of this city is the father of eighteen children, born in legitimate wedlock. The gentleman is fifty years old, and is in good health. His youngest child is four days old.

A country doctor being called in to see a patient suffering with fits, prescribed as follows: "Give the patient something soothing, and if alive in the morning send for me." They did not send—another doctor took the job.

See advertisement of R. J. Homes. He has something to say to every farmer in the county. His Spring goods are coming in, and his Granos and lime are pronounced good by all who have used either.

Mayor Ramsey is employed at the Sam Christian Mine, in Montgomery county, as surveyor. As business in the Mayor's line is dull, he probably makes the compass pay him. Mr. Andrew Murphy, J. P., acts as Mayor in the Mayors absence.

GOLD KNOW.—Mr. F. R. Williams, who owns the Holtshouser Mine, this county, recently christened—"Gold Knob," has ordered from Becket & McDowell, a five Stamp Mill, to test ores. Mr. Williams bought an adjoining tract to this property last week.

New localities are being opened at the Sam Christian Mine—all showing gold. A line of surveys is being run with the view of locating pumping machinery. This mine is worked by hydraulic sluice washing—water, and plenty of it, is what they want.

Salisbury Arcadians—This is a club organized to advance sociability among the young people. It is limited to twenty members, with ten honorary members. Drunkenness on the part of any, forfeits membership. When a member marries he is made an honorary member. W. S. Backman was President, and Theo. Backman, Secretary and Treasurer.

The brick work is done on the Murphy Building. The improvement in the two stories, one to be occupied by McCutcheon & Co., the other now occupied by D. A. Atwell, Hardware merchant, gives them much more room and light, and the benefit of a good second story above. The inside work and painting will be completed in a few days.

Mr. James Heilig and Mr. E. R. Overman, two of our young men who have been doing business in Concord, have returned to their first love. Mr. Heilig will be employed with Mr. M. S. Brown in his clothing house; and Mr. Overman is book keeper for Mr. Jno. Ross. Welcomed home, young men.

Marsh's Machine Shops Opened.—Mr. B. H. Marsh has reopened the machine shops formerly run by the late Mr. E. H. Marsh. These shops are fitted with the best machinery, and under the management of Mr. Benj. Marsh, will turn out thoroughly satisfactory work.

New Gold Mine.—Mr. J. C. Pennington, one of a private mining company, bought, yesterday, of Sam'l Worthington, a tract of 140 acres of land lying on the Stokes Ferry road, ten miles from Salisbury. There is a rich quartz vein of gold ore running through the property. Machinery is to be put up immediately. They are also negotiating for some property adjoining the above tract.

DIED.—At his humble home in this town, Mr. JOHN JENKINS, aged about 70 years. The deceased, an Irishman, had resided here many years, and was highly esteemed as an upright and honest man. He was his own worst enemy, and no doubt hastened his end by the two free use of liquor at times. But there was much good in the man which secured for him friends all along the journey of his life.

DIED.—At his residence near Yadkin Mineral Springs Institute, in Stauy County, on Saturday, the 19th February, Mr. WILLIAM PALMER, aged about 75 years. The deceased was a useful and highly esteemed man, and will be greatly missed in the neighborhood where he lived. He has gone before his beloved wife, (a daughter of the late Daniel Harris), who has for years been an invalid. His funeral was largely attended on Sunday the 20th.

See J. Allen Brown's large advertisement. He received yesterday, his eighth car load of Acid Phosphate; making up some three hundred and sixty tons of fertilizer. This is outside of his regular ammoniated goods, of which his engagements will demand some eight or ten car loads. He leads in the fertilizing trade.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CHORUS.—The latest thing to be done in the church choir on the pulpit right behind the minister and we hear that this is the way it is to be arranged at the Presbyterian church in this place. A new pipe organ is to be purchased and placed in the arch behind the pulpit. The organ will be made after a special design, to fit in the arch, and the choir will be enclosed in a neat, low railing. There is some talk of introducing the organ in the choir here, as has been done in Charlotte and Salisbury, and which is said to add much to the attraction of church choir music.—Concord Sun.

That looks like taking steps in the right direction. If you get a cornet in the choir once, you'll never be happy without it.

ROWAN COUNTY.

A SKETCH OF EPISCOPACY IN ROWAN COUNTY.

BY JOHN S. HENDERSON, ESQ.

The Bishop reported, that he had visited Salisbury on the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of July, 1839, preached five times, catechized the children and confirmed four persons. He stated that it had been an object with him during the year to visit every congregation and to catechize every baptized person of suitable age in the Diocese—where there is no clergyman or established congregation; and this object he had nearly accomplished.

Mr. Davis was Chairman of the Committee on the state of the church and wrote a very eloquent and encouraging report—in which this sentence occurs, "Not captivated by the specious but seducing influences of the day, the church has remembered always, that to her the object of Divine faith is her adorable Redeemer and Head; her only law a simple and entire submission to His will, and acquiescence in His appointments. She has acquiesced to each and to preach Jesus Christ." Mr. Davis' report to the Convention shows the following as the condition of his charge: Communicants, St. Luke's, 25; Christ Church, 100; Iredell county, 17. The ladies of St. Luke's had lately realized \$240 from "a Fair."

The first confirmation at St. Andrew's Church was on August 30, 1840, when the Church was consecrated, 11 persons were confirmed. Communicants reported to the Convention of 1841: St. Andrews, 29; Christ Church, 92; St. Luke's 26; confirmations at the latter, nine. Lexington, Mocksville and Flintville, had been visited. Rev. C. B. Walker, Deacon, had become an assistant minister to Mr. Davis. Bishop Ives, in his address to the Convention of 1842, thus alludes to the field of labor under the charge of Mr. Davis: "The counties of Rowan, Davie, Iredell, Davidson and Surry come under the charge of another faithful Presbyter, with his associate Deacon. The ministers here deserve great attention, and claim, although they have hitherto received comparatively nothing, a share of your bounty. They have been able to sustain themselves only by limited private means." The delegates elected to the Convention of 1844, from St. Luke's were John W. Ellis, John B. Lord, Wm. Locke, and Archibald H. Caldwell.

records kept by him are incomplete. Mrs. Jane C. Mitchell (now Boyden) is the first name among the list of confirmations, Sept. 9, 1837—the last name is Chas. F. Fisher, Sept. 1846. Among the baptisms, is this entry: "July 24, 1844, James Alexander Craig and George Kerr Craig, infants of Burton and Elizabeth Craig, Catawba county." Among the burials are the following: "Nov. 15, 1841, Mr. George Baker, Aug. 23, 1843, Mrs. Mary N. Steele, Jan. 24, 1844, W. D. Crawford." Among the marriages are the following: 1843, Dr. Geo. B. Douglass and Miss Mary Ellis; July, Mr. Charles F. Fisher and Elizabeth Caldwell; Nov. Mr. W. Boyden to Mrs. Jane Mitchell; Dr. R. Hill to Miss M. Fisher. The record of marriages before the year 1843, has not been preserved.

Thomas Fredrick Davis was born near Wilmington, Feb. 8, 1840; was a brother of the Hon. George Davis—once a member of the Confederate Cabinet, an Attorney General—and was educated at the University of N. C. Among his teachers were Bishop Green (of Miss.) and Otey (of Tenn.); while among his classmates were also, Bi-hop Polk, of Tenn., the Rev. Dr. Francis L. Hawks, and Judge William H. Battle. He studied law and was admitted to the bar, and practiced in Wilmington and the neighboring counties for several years. His first wife, Miss Elizabeth Fleming, of Wilmington, who died in the year 1833. He was shortly thereafter confirmed, and admitted to the Holy Communion. He immediately became a candidate for Holy Orders, and was ordained Deacon by Bishop Ives, Nov. 27, 1831. In 1832, he was ordained Priest. The first years of his ministry were spent in hard missionary work. The town of Wadesboro and Patsboro were 100 miles apart, and in each of these he gave services on the alternate Sunday, driving in a conveyance from one to the other during the week. He had now married again, his second wife being Ann Ives Moore, also of Wilmington. She was in the habit of accompanying him in his missionary drives; and when the question was once asked, where they lived—the answer was truly given in these words: "On the road." He afterwards became rector of St. James Church, Wilmington, and remained so for about three years. But he was not long in working himself down. The city missionary work was constantly engaging his attention, and among the poor, the sailors and the strangers, he was ever ready to do his Lord's service. He then removed to Salisbury and occupied during his residence there, the house previously owned by Judge Martin—the same at known as the "Presbyterian Manse," where the Rev. J. Rumples resides. While Mr. Davis remained rector of St. Luke's, a number of young theological students were guided by him in their studies, among others, the Rev. Edwin Geer, who married Margaret Beckwith, a daughter of Dr. John Beckwith and wife, of New Street, at one time residents of Salisbury, but then of Raleigh. Mrs. Geer was the sister of the present Bishop, John W. Beckwith, of Georgia—and both she and her brother were children of Margaret Beckwith, one of the original thirteen members of the first organized Presbyterian congregation, of Salisbury. From Salisbury, Mr. Davis moved to Camden, South Carolina, and became rector of Grace Church. He labored there faithfully for nearly six years. In May, 1853, he was elected Bishop of S. C. He was consecrated in St. John's Chapel, New York, Oct. 17, 1853. Bishop Atkinson, of N. C. was consecrated at the same time and place. More than 30 Bishops were present. The Bishop elect of S. C. was presented by Bishop Wm. M. Green, of Mississippi, and Geo. W. Freeman, of Arkansas. Bishop Davis gradually became totally blind. In 1858, he visited England and the continent of Europe, and consulted the highest medical and surgical authorities. He could not be relieved. He never returned, but bore his trial meekly and patiently, and cheerfully. He died in Camden, December, 2, 1871. He was a wise Bishop, a true Christian, a great Divine, and a sincere, pure, good man.

The next Pastor of the congregations in Rowan county, was

THE REV. JOHN HAYWOOD PARKER. The statistics of his first report to the Convention of 1847 are: communicants, St. Luke's Church, 39; St. Andrews, 49; Christ Church, 89; Mocksville, nine; Lexington, six; Mills settlement, 17; Huntsville, four. Mr. Parker endeavored to supply all the stations lately served by Mr. Davis, and his assistant, Mr. Charles Bruce Walker. The removal of the Rev. Mr. Davis to South Carolina, was a great shock to Bishop Ives. He thus alluded to the subject in his report to the Convention: "That such Priests as the Rev. Thomas F. Davis, should be allowed, with the most hearty reluctance, to leave the Diocese, and for no other reason than the want of necessities of life, is to my mind a problem on all Christian grounds beyond the possibility of solution. No circumstance during the 15 years of my Episcopate, has tended so much as this to fill me with sadness and apprehension." The Diocesan Convention met in St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, May 24, 1849, and again on May 27, 1857. The delegates elected to the last named, were William Murphy, Charles F. Fisher, Benjamin Sumner and Luke Blackmer, from St. Luke's Church; Thomas Barber, Thos. Barber, Jr., Jacob F. Barber, Wm. Barber, Jonathan Barber, Matthew Barber, R. J. M. Barber and Wm. F. Barber, from Christ Church; George Mills, John A. Mills, Henry M. Mills, Frank Mills, Andrew Mills, Israel R. Mills, George Mills, Jr. and Chas. Mills, from St. James Church, Iredell county. In 1858, Mr. Parker reported the communicants at St. Luke's to be 74. He departed this life, Sept. 15, 1858, in his 40th year, having been born July 27, 1818. He was baptized, Nov. 7, 1841, by Rev. Thomas R. Davis, rector of St. Luke's Church, was ordained deacon, May 31, 1846, and priest May 10, 1847, by Bishop Ives.

He was married on the day of—18 to Miss—, who lived only a few months. On Jan. 25, 1854, he was married to Mrs. Ann Lord, widow of the late John B. Lord, and daughter of the late Dr. Stephen L. Ferrand. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Joseph Bionnt Cheshire, of Tarboro, who was a brother-in-law of Mr. Parker. Mr. Theophilus Parker is the only surviving child of this union. The Rev. John W. Beckwith was a faithful servant of Christ, and was greatly beloved by his flock. The Parish paid him the honor to erect a handsome marble shaft over his remains, which were buried near the church, where he officiated so constantly and acceptably for more than eleven years. His walk and conversation in this world was that of a humble, obedient, patient, and God-fearing follower of Christ; and "the divi death of the righteous."

During the years 1847 and 1848, or portions thereof, the Rev. Oliver S. Prescott, then a Deacon, was the minister in charge of the congregations of Christ Church and St. Andrews, Rowan county. St. Philip's Church, Mocksville. He reported to the convention of 1848, that there were 87 communicants at Christ Church; 47 at St. Andrews; 17 at the Mills settlement; and nine at St. Philip's Church, Mocksville. In the last named Church, he said, "that the Holy days had been observed, and during Lent daily prayers were said." He was ordained Priest by Bishop Ives, and removed to Massachusetts. He is now and has been for many years rector of St. Clement's Church, Philadelphia; where he has built up a numerous charitable and most self-denying congregation. He is thoroughly devoted to his calling; and his parishioners are wonderfully attached to him. He is identified with the so-called "Ritualistic Party." During the next few years the name of the congregations were ministered to by the Rev. James G. Jacobs, who was succeeded in the year 1854, by the

REV. OSOROUS MADDER WETMORE. The latter is still ministering with great acceptability to the congregations of Christ Church and St. Andrews in Rowan county, and of St. James church, in Iredell county. He now resides in Thomasville, N. C., and is building up an Episcopal congregation in that growing and important town. The writer is indebted to the Rev. Dr. Wetmore for many useful facts mentioned in this sketch relating to the Episcopal churches and families of this county.

The Rev. Thomas G. Houghton succeeded Mr. Parker as rector of St. Luke's in Nov. 1858. He resigned the 16th day of July, 1866; and shortly thereafter abandoned the ministry. He died in the month of Oct., 1880, in the town of Salisbury. He was married on the 20th day of Feb., 1860, to Mrs. Ann Parker, widow of the late Rev. John H. Parker, by the Rev. George B. Wetmore. D. Thomas Ferrand Houghton, now in his 16th year, is the only child of this union.

The next rector of St. Luke's was the REV. JOHN HUSKE TILLINGHAST, who assumed charge in the spring of 1867. He ministered with much zeal and self-denial until June 14, 1872, when he removed to Richland county, S. C., where he is now officiating very acceptably to several congregations. He is remembered with great regard and affection by his parishioners. He was succeeded July 1, 1873, by the REV. FRANCIS J. MURDOCK, who was born in Buncombe county, N. C., March 17, 1846. Ordained Deacon in St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, Sept. 28, 1868, and priest in St. Paul's Church, Edenton, May, 1870. He is the incumbent of the Parish at the present time, (Jan. 1881).

The following statistics of St. Luke's Parish are of interest to the curious. Under Mr. Davis, Confirmations, 83, Baptisms, 90; under Mr. Parker, Confirmations, 35, Baptisms, 105; under Mr. Houghton, Confirmations, 29, Baptisms, 110; under Mr. Tillinghast, Confirmations, 36, Baptisms, 53; under Mr. Murdock, Confirmations, 132, Baptisms, 123. During Mr. Murdock's rectorship of eight years, the communicants have increased more than 100 per cent. The number of communicants in the county is 224; of which there are at St. Luke's 118; at Christ Church, 72, and at St. Andrews, 34. The whole number of Episcopal Church-people about 700. The largest confirmation class under Mr. Davis, May 15, 1849, numbered nine, including John B. Lord, Mrs. Ann Lord, Misses Julia Beard, Christian Howard and others. Some of the names in the other classes are William Chambers, Chas. Wheeler, William Locke, William Murphy, Marcus Beard, Samuel R. Harrison, Eliza Miller, Charles R. Fisher, Ellen B. Bruce, Sophie Pearson, Mary McBorie, Laura Henderson, Jane A. Howard, Luke Blackmer, Nathaniel Boyden, James Murphy. Mr. Houghton's largest class numbered 12, March 28, 1858, including John Willis Ellis, Louisa M. Sholer, Judith Ann Blackmer, Alice Jones, Sarah H. Mitchell, Ann Macy and Ellen Sumner. Some of the names in the other classes are: Mary Murray, Julia Long, Helen B. Bruce, Sophie Pearson, Mary McBorie, Laura Henderson, Jane A. Howard, Luke Blackmer, Nathaniel Boyden, James Murphy. Mr. Houghton's largest class numbered 11, Jan. 29, 1860, including Archibald Henderson, John M. Coffin, Fanny Miller, H. C. Jones, Jr., Frances C. Fisher. Some of the names in the other classes are: Mary Locke, J. M. Jones, Elizabeth Vanderford, Henrietta Hall, Annie M. B. Fisher, Alice L. Pearson, Mr. Tillinghast's largest class, Nov. 21, 1869, numbered eight, including Laura C. Murphy, John R. Iles, Julia Iles. Some of the names in the other classes are: Robt. Murphy, Jr., Charles C. Fisher, Amy May Shober, Lewis Hanes, Mary E. Murphy, Leonard Beard, Mary F. Henderson. Mr. Murdock's largest class, Oct. 6, 1873, numbered 34, including Francis E. Shober, Jr., William C. Blackmer, William Howard, A. J. Muck and Fanny Kelly. Some of the names in the other classes are: Walter H. Holt, Charles F. Baker, Anne A. Ferber, Belle Boyden, Joseph O. White, Annie Rowzie, Caroline McNeely, Penelope Bailey, Clarence W. Murphy, Annie Cutright, George A. Klutz and Lillian Warner.

Some of the most influential and distinguished names which have adorned the annals of Rowan county, have been communicants of the members of the Episcopal Church, or have already spoken of the antecedent revolutionary period. Between that period and the year 1823, when Bishop Ravenscroft made his first visitation to Salisbury, the following may be confidently claimed as friendly to Episcopacy, to wit: Maxwell Chambers, Matthew Troy, Anthony and John Newman, Thomas Erskine, Lewis Beard, Spruce Mackay, Alfred Mackay, Matthew and Francis Locke, Joseph and Jesse A. Pearson, John L. and Archibald Henderson, John Steele, William C. Love and many others.

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Ed. WATCHMAN.—Allow me to correct a statement made in last week's paper, to the effect that I had on hand two thousand dollars for Mr. Sanford. I have recently burned out in Mocksville, I have two thousand dollars for Messrs. Brown Bro., of Winston, the owners of the building, who had insured same through my agency. Respectfully, J. ALLEN BROWN. Salisbury, Feb. 26th, 1881.

"Facts are stubborn things," and so are coughs and colds, but the latter will invariably yield to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, which costs but 25 cents.

BUSINESS LOCALS

"LIFE INSURANCE" MADE CHEAP.

Table Showing Actual Cost to Members of \$4,000 Insurance for One Year (March 1, 1879, to March 1, 1880): First Class, aged 18 to 30 years... \$17 00 Second " 30 " 40 " " 21 25 Third " 40 " 45 " " 25 50 Fourth " 45 " 50 " " 34 00 Fifth " 50 " 55 " " 51 00 Sixth " 55 " 60 " " 68 00 J. D. McNeely, Agt.

WANTED—100 Cords of Tan Bark, for which the highest cash price will be paid. JOHN G. HEILIG.

SNUFF COME AT LAST. A FRESH SUPPLY OF NORTHERN Apples and Potatoes Just received at J. D. McNEELY'S.

They have come! What? A large variety of Northern Potatoes and Apples at A. Parker's. Spiced Boneless Pigs feet in 9 pound crocks, just received at A. Parker's. Smoked Halibut and Boneless Codfish, just received at A. Parker's. 3000s pound Country Bacon just received at A. Parker's.

Jersey Bull for sale, also some fine Milch Cows. Apply to Mack Harrison, 12 miles west of this place. p3t

COMPOSTING & GUANOS!

Don't forget that J. Allen Brown's is Head Quarters for the purest and best READY PREPARED Chemicals, and highest grade ACID PHOSPHATES for Composting. Printed formulas, with full and simple instructions how to utilize your farm products (barn-yard and stable manures, cotton seed and green litter), given you. Don't be actuated by remitting for Recipes when I furnish them free. And, also, forever bear it in mind that I expect to continue the sale of the old reliable NAVASSA and PACIFIC GUANOS, at bottom prices. 164t J. ALLEN BROWN.

MARRIED.

On the 22nd inst., at the residence of Mr. James W. Haden, the bride's father, in Boone Township, Davidson County, by Elder Wm. Turner, Mr. Charlie H. Holmes, of Salisbury, and Miss Minnie Haden.

HUNDREDS OF MEN, Women and Children rescued from beds of pain, sickness and almost death and made strong and hearty by Parker's Ginger Tonic are the best evidences in the world of its sterling worth. You can find these in every community.—Post. See advertisement.

CONDENSED TIME NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD. TRAINS GOING EAST.

Table with columns: Date, May 15, 1880, Daily, No. 47, No. 45, No. 6, Daily, ex. Sunday. Rows include Charlotte, Salisbury, High Point, Greensboro, Hillsboro, Raleigh, Durham, Goldsboro, and connections to Western North Carolina and Virginia.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

Table with columns: Date, May 15, 1880, Daily, No. 48, No. 46, No. 5, Daily, ex. Sunday. Rows include Salisbury, Greensboro, Hillsboro, Raleigh, Durham, Goldsboro, and connections to Western North Carolina and Virginia.

WINSTON TOBACCO MARKET. WINSTON, N. C., Mar. 3, 1881.

Table listing tobacco prices: Lugs, common dark, \$5.50 @ \$6.00; Lugs, common bright, 5.00 @ 6.00; Lugs, good bright, 7.00 @ 8.50; Lugs, fancy bright, 12.00 @ 18.00; Leaf, common dark, 6.00 @ 6.00; Leaf, fancy bright, 7.00 @ 8.00; Leaf, good bright, 10.00 @ 12.50; Wrappers, common bright, 12.50 @ 15.00; Wrappers, good bright, 25.00 @ 30.00; Wrappers, fine bright, 35.00 @ 50.00; Wrappers, fancy bright, 50.00 @ 75.00.

TIME TABLE WESTERN N. C. Railroad.

Table with columns: TRAINS GOING EAST, TRAINS GOING WEST. Rows include Salisbury, High Point, Greensboro, Hillsboro, Raleigh, Durham, Goldsboro, and connections to Western North Carolina and Virginia.

Cheap Chattel Mortgage various other blanks for sale here

FARMERS! FARMERS! FARMERS! FARMERS!

SEA FOWL GUANO

Is up to full Standard. There is none better for COTTON Be sure to use it this year. It will be sold for either Cotton or Cash, payable in the Fall.

WATT PLOWS ARE WITHOUT DOUBT THE BEST TO BE HAD!

You can try them before purchasing, and can be returned if they do not suit. J. D. GASKILL.

1881. SOLUBLE PACIFIC GUANO, MANUFACTURED BY PACIFIC GUANO COMPANY.

THE LEADING COTTON FERTILIZER.

By reference to the reports for the past several years made by the North Carolina Experiment Station, it will be seen that Soluble Pacific Guano (tested by the commercial value) has held the highest rank among the forty or fifty different brands of commercial fertilizers offered for sale in the State. This is a splendid, but not undeserved, tribute to the Pacific Guano Company, which for sixteen years has manufactured an article universally admitted to be unsurpassed in its remarkable effects upon the growth of the great Southern staple. Indeed, so well known is Soluble Pacific Guano, that we have almost ceased to issue circulars except for distribution in the more remote districts and in those recently opened to Railroad transportation. Although we have thousands of testimonials as to the value of Soluble Pacific Guano, we will only publish below a few from some of the leading farmers of this and adjoining counties, which will serve to stimulate inquiry among those who have not used it, and will result in securing favorable personal testimony from its old patrons to those who are desirous of learning its results in the past, which results, combined with the solid reputation of the Pacific Guano Company, are a sufficient guarantee that the standard will be strictly maintained in the future.

TESTIMONIALS:

J. ALLEN BROWN, AGT: "The Pacific Guano bought of you last season paid us well, and we can safely recommend it to all wanting a reliable Standard Manure, especially for all kinds of crops and lands. Expect to use it more extensively this season." S. F. Lord, Rowan County. D. S. Talbert, Stauy County. A M Glover, " T. C. Harris, " J L Crease, " D W Crowell, " John Ingle, " A F Graeber, " J. Allen Brown, Agt. (Office over Crawford & Co's Hardware Store.)

PRICE CURRENT.

Table with columns: Cotton—good Middlings, Middling low do, Bacon, county, hog round, Butter, Eggs, Chickens—per dozen, CORN New, MEAL—moderate demand at, WHEAT—good demand at, FLOUR—best fam., POTATOES, IRISH, ONIONS, LARD, HAY, OATS, BEESWAX, TALLOW, BLACKBERRIES, APPLES, dried, SUGAR. Includes St. Louis Market Quotations and prices for various goods.