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by J. S. Thompson, in the Clerk's office of the District
Court of the Confederate States for the Northern Dis-
trict of Georgia.

Up to 11 o'clock, the hour
of going to press, we received no-
thing by telegraph.

From the Petersburg Express October 15.

FROM THE FRONT.

On Thursday night a monstrous cheering was heard at points of the enemy's lines in front of Petersburg, supposed to have been caused by the reception of the Northern election returns in camp, or by one or more of Stanton's lying war bulletins announcing another brilliant victory in Georgia or elsewhere. It is more than probable, however, that the Yankee troops were cheering over the results of the election in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana, which took place on Tuesday last. Whether it was the Lincolnites or the McClellanites who crowded so lustily is not known.

The same night the Yankees made a great noise as though troops were being moved from one point to another. Wagon trains were heard rumbling over the roads, as also artillery trains, and the cars were kept busy running backwards and forwards on the City Point and branch railroads. We suspect much of this commotion was merely for effect, unless, indeed, Grant was engaged in throwing troops back to the south side. The fact is, he has no more men to take from his lines here, unless he weakens them to a dangerous degree.

Twenty-one deserters—foreigners and natives—came into our lines night before last, and were sent over to Richmond yesterday. They will soon be rejoicing beyond the Confederate limits, and for their own sakes we hope, where the Yankee recruiting officer will never trouble them again.

Several heavy reports were heard in the direction of Bermuda Hundred about 11 o'clock, a.m. yesterday, following each other in such quick succession, as to create the impression that an explosion had occurred. They may have been, however, discharges of heavy ordnance from the Yankee gunboats, or the blowing up of the mouth of the famous Dutch Gap canal.

Mr. Wiley Wilkinson, an old and respected citizen of Sussex county, was shot and killed by a body of Yankee cavalry, a night or two since, at his residence near Littleton, adjacent to the Prince George line. Mr. Wilkinson was at the time engaged with a negro in boiling down some Sorghum, and desiring to finish the lot before he ceased work, had extended his labors until after night. The Yankee cavalry coming suddenly to the spot, and probably thinking it was one of our picket posts, fired upon Mr. W. and his servant, instantly killing the former, and wounding the latter. After finding out their mistake, and viewing the work they had done, these valiant warriors did not even condescend to render assistance to the dead and wounded, but pursued their route as if nothing had occurred.

Mr. Wilkinson was a well known resident of Sussex, advanced in years, industrious in his calling, and generally esteemed.

We have nothing of interest, and no change to note in the position of affairs on our immediate lines. The enemy seems to be extending his works slowly Southward from Fort McRae.

Reinforced.—We learn, on good authority, that the Yankee garrison at Newbern has been reinforced by three regiments of negroes.

We also learn that, at the same place, the Yellow fever is carrying off eighty persons per day.

State Journal.

THE Southern Literary Messenger FOR 1864.

SCHEDULE OF PRICES IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The Commissioners of Appraisement for the State of North Carolina, again present their schedule of prices to govern the purchasing officers of the Government for the next sixty days, unless in the interval bills and circumstances should arise to induce an alteration. Every item has been carefully revised and with the valuable aid of Mr. George W. Morehead, they trust the schedule now presented will prove satisfactory to both the Government and the people. They would respectfully urge the people to hasten on with their supplies to maintain and feed our gallant army now assembled just on our borders, and in whose gallantry and fortitude, under God, we alone owe our exemption from the horrors of a revolution of our homes and families by the barbarous, inhuman foe, who have constantly shown they only want the power, and not the will to destroy us and take all we have.

We desire the Messenger to be an enterprise worthy of support of all classes of our people. We shall aim chiefly to secure for our pages the productions of the highest order of genius and scholarship, and at the same time such articles as will contribute to the instruction and amusement of the public at large. To this end we shall give our attention to and solicit contributions from Southern writers in all the departments of literature. Poetry, Romance, Review, Criticism, in short, every subject whose prominence is sufficient to entitle it to notice will have its due share of attention.

We earnestly solicit the assistance of our friends throughout the Confederacy in the enlargement of our subscription list, which must be increased to enable us to meet the heavy pecuniary outlay to which we shall be subject.

Terms, \$12 for twelve months, \$5 for six months. This increase will not affect those who subscribed before the 1st of March. Orders must be accompanied with the money.

Mr. GEORGE W. WEDDERBURN, formerly of New Orleans, now of this city, will control the business interests of the Messenger, and Mr. FRANK H. ALFRIEND, of this city, will direct its editorial management. Communications connected with the literary conduct of the Messenger will be directed to the editor; other communications should be directed to the Proprietors.

WEDDERBURN & ALFRIEND,
June 10, '64. *Salisbury, N. C.*

Commissary Supplies for the Army.

OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY,
5th Purchasing District of N. C.
Salisbury, Sept 26th, 1864.

The serious attention of the farmers of Rowan and the surrounding Counties is invited to the fact that all Commissary supplies for the army are greatly needed, and, if possible, must be had to the utmost capacity of the country to supply them. The Government is willing to pay a fair price for every article, and laws have been enacted with reference to the performance of this disposition. It is the duty of the government, and those whom they have chosen to execute the laws and transact its public business, have an alternative but to discharge their plainly prescribed duty, often rendered impossible by the reluctance shown, or indifference interposed by some of those whom duty it is to recognize the necessities and embarrassed condition of the country.

I have much reason to be thankful to the people of Rowan and the adjacent Counties for the promptness with which they have responded to every call, and hope the same patriotic spirit will continue to influence them while the war shall last; and it shall be my duty to collect supplies for the army, which is rapidly covering us all from the ravages of the enemy.

Entertaining this confidence, I trust there will be no need for me to seize property of any kind under the impressment acts, but that to the extent of the ability of each man, having surplus products, he will bring them forward at the earliest possible day. Let the little buyers bring in their tithe to the proper officers now ready to receive them, and those who have surplus provisions of any kind send them in to me or my agents.

The army is at this present time in great need of supplies, and I therefore trust that this appeal will be cordially responded to as possible.

Unless farmers at once show a disposition to respond to this appeal by selling their surplus supplies, I shall be compelled to commence impressing.

Sales or engagements may be made with the following gentlemen, who are Agents acting under my control:

J. S. Miller, Statesville.
H. C. Eccles, Cool Springs, Iredell county, acting for Yadkin and Surry.

Jas. M. Johnson, Mocksville, Davie Co.
J. A. Martin, Lexington, Davidson Co.

A. B. Shepperson, Salisbury, Rowan Co.

R. M. Wall, Norwood, Stanly Co.

W. S. Ingram, Cedar Hill, Anson Co., acting for Anson, Montgomery and Richmond.

E. L. Hoge, Salem, Forsyth Co., for Stokes and Forsythe.

A. MYERS,
Major & C. S.
Salisbury.

Sept. 27.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having obtained letters of Administration on the estate of T. J. H. Kistler, I give notice to all indebted to him by note or account to come and make settlement and those having claims against him will please present them to me for payment.

W. L. KISTLER, Admirer.

Sept. 24, 1864. *Salisbury, N. C.*

BLACKSMITH.—For sale a good Plati-

tion Smith. Apply to

G. V. ANCKER, & Co.

Oct. 12th, 1864. *Salisbury, N. C.*

	Shorts, good, per bushel of 22 lbs,	75	GOVERNMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA.
Ship stuff, good, " " 37 "	140	His Excellency, Zebulon B. Vance, Buncombe, Governor.	
Tea, black, per lb.	500	Col David A. Barnes, Northampton, Aid.	
" green, per lb.	800	do George Little, Wake, " do	
Tent cloth, cotton, 10 oz to yard, per yard	150	Richard H Battle, Jr., Anson, Private Secy.	
Tobacco, No 1, extra	300	tary,	
" No 2	250	Edward Warren, Chowan, Surgeon Gen*	
Lungs	125	John P. H. Russ, Wake, Secretary of State.	
Tallow, clean, per pound	250	Curtis H Brodgen, Wayne, Comptroller	
Vinegar, cider, per gallon	350	Samuel F. Phillips, Orange, Auditor.	
Whiskey, good per gallon	1000	Oliver H. Perry, Wake, State Librarian.	
Wheat, per bushel of 60 lbs.	750	Major General R. C. Grubb, Lenoir, Adjutant General.	
Wheat bran, per bushel of 17 lbs	50	Major William B. Gulick, Beaufort, Paymaster.	
Wheat straw, baled, per 100 pounds	100	Major John Deveaux, Wake, Quartermaster.	
Wool, washed, per pound	800	Major Thomas D. Hogg, Wake, Commissary and Ordnance Officer.	
" unbaled, per pound	600	Major James Sloan, Guilford, Quartermaster.	
Wagons, wood axles, 4 horse new each	350	Major Henry A. Dowd, Edgecombe, do	
" wood axle 2 " new, each	250	Major James H. Foote, Ass't Adj't Gen, (Roll of Honor.)	
Yarn, cotton per bunch of 5 lbs	800	Major William A. Graham, Jr., Ass't Adj't General.	
		Lieut Josiah Collins, Washington County, Ordnance Department.	
		Lieut John B. Neathery, Wake, Ass't Adj't General.	
		Lieut Thomas White, Franklin, Ass't Quartermaster.	
		Lieut Isaac W. Garrett, Edgecombe, Ass't Quartermaster.	
		Lieut Thaddeus McGee, Wake, Ass't Commissary.	
		Lieut Charles H. Thompson, Wake, Ass't Commissary.	
		JUDICIAL.	
		Supreme Court—Richmond M Pearson, Yadkin, Chief Justice.—Wm H. Battle, Orange, and Mathias E. Manly, of Craven, Judges.	
		Sion H. Rogers, Wake, Attorney General; Hamilton C. Jones, Rowan, Reporter; Edmund B. Freeman, Clerk. [Meets in the city of Raleigh, second Monday in June each year. The Morganton term has been discontinued].	
		Superior Courts—Judges—Edwin G. Read, Person, Roinald M. Saunders, Wake; Robert R. Heath, Chowan; Robt S. French, Robeson; James W. Osborne, Mecklenburg; George Howard, Wilson; Robert B. Gilliam, Granville; Wm M. Shipp, Henderson.	
		Solicitors—1st Circuit, Jesse J. Yeates, Hartford; 2nd, Charles C. Clark, Craven; 3rd, Sion H. Rogers, Wake, Attorney General; 4th, Thomas Seville, Rockingham; 5th, Ralph Baxting, Cumberland; 6th, Robert F. Armfield, Yadkin; 7th, Wm P. Byam; 8th, Augustus S. Merrimon, Buncombe.	
		CONFEDERATE STATES GOVERNMENT.	
		LOCATED AT RICHMOND, VA.	
		The Executive:	
		Hon. JEFF. DAVIS, of Miss., President.	
		Hon. A. H. STEPHENS, of Ga., Vice-President.	
		The Cabinet:	
		J. P. BENJAMIN, of La., Secretary of State.	
		C. G. MEMMINGER, of S. C., Sec'y of Treasury.	
		JAS. A. SEDDON, of Va., Sec'y of War.	
		S. R. MALLORY, of Fla., Sec'y of the Navy.	
		HON. GEO. DAVIS, of N. C., Attorney General.	
		JOHN H. REAGAN, of Texas, Postmaster Gen'd.	
		Heads of Bureaus.	
		Rufus W. Rhodes, Commissioner of Patents.	
		G. E. W. Nelson, Super of Public Printing.	
		Gen Sam Cooper, Adj't and Inspector Gen.	
		John S. Preston, Chief of Bureau of Conscription.	
		Brig-Gen A. R. Lawton, Quartermaster Gen.	
		S. P. Moore, Surgeon-General.	
		E. W. John, Medical Purveyor.	
		North Carolina Representation in Congress.	
		Senate.	
		Wm T. Denton and Wm A. Graham.	
		House of Representatives.	
		First District—Marion, Hertford, Gates, Chowan, Perquimans, Pasquotank, Currituck, Camden, Northampton, Washington, Tyrrell and Bertie—W. H. Smith.	
		Second District—Halifax, Edgecombe, Beaufort, Wilson, Pitt, Green, Lenoir and Hyde—P. R. Bridgers.	
		Third District—Carteret, Jones, Craven, Onslow, Duplin, Wayne, Johnston and Sampson—J. T. Leach.	
		Fourth District—New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Robeson, Cumberland, Richmon and Harnett—J. C. Fulcher.	
		Fifth District—Warren, Franklin, Granville, Wake, Orange and Nash—Josiah Turner.	
		Sixth District—Alamance, Person, Caswell, Rockingham, Guilford, Stokes and Forsythe—J. A. Gilmer.	
		Seventh District—Randolph, Davidson, Chatham, Moore, Montgomery, Stanly and Anson—J. M. Leach.	
		Eighth District—Rowan, Cabarrus, Union, Mecklenburg, Gaston, Lincoln, Catawba and Cleveland—J. G. Ramsey.	
		Ninth District—Ashe, Alleghany, Wilkes, Caldwell, Alexander, Yadkin, Surry, Davie, Fredell and Burke—B. S. Gaither.	
		Tenth District—Clay, Cherokee, Macon, Jackson, Madison, Buncombe, Transylvania, Henderson, Polk, Yancey, McDowell, Rutherford, Mitchell, Haywood and Watauga—G. W. Logan.	
		CONFEDERATE STATES COURTS.	
		The District of North Carolina is divided into three Judicial Districts, and the times and places of holding the courts appointed by the Judge:	
		Hon. Asa Biggs, of Martin, Judge.	
		Geo. V. Strong, of Wayne, Dist. Attorney.	
		Wesley Jones, of Wake, Marshal.	
		The Court of the District of Albemarle is held at Halifax, on Wednesday next after third Monday in May and November. Joseph Ramsey, Clerk, Rocky Mount.	
		The Court for the District of Pamlico is held at Goldsboro on the fourth Monday in May and November. William M. Watson, clerk, Warrenton.	
		The Court for the District of Cape Fear is held at Salisbury, the Monday next after the fourth Monday in May and November. Daniel Coleman, clerk, Concord.	
		E. A. Thompson of Charlotte, C. B. Borden of Goldsboro, W. S. Marion, of Raleigh, Thomas W. Brown, Jr., of Wilmington, Confederate States Commissioners.	

	250 POUNDS BORAX,	
	250 lbs. Allum.	
	150 lbs. Balsam Copalina.	
	800 lbs. Smoking Tobacco.	
	30 gallons Japan Varnish.	
	5 lbs. White Damar Varnish.	
	30 ounces Quinine.	
	40 reams English Note and Letter Paper.	
	500 packs Envelopes.	
	30 dozen English Toilet Soap.	
	2 lbs. Old Sherry Wine.	
	For sale by BURBANKS & GALLAGHER.	
	Sept. 10, 2d.	
	To Candidates	
	AND OTHERS DESIRING A PUFF.	
	Briner is in the shade beside our fine Orono Smoking Tobacco.	
	15 Boxes and 10 Barrels for sale.	
	10 Boxes 14ars.	
	10 boxes Fine Chewing Tobacco Wholesale or retail.	
	W. M. E. EDWARDS & CO.	
	Salisbury, July 13.	
	1694	
	MIGHTY GOOD WITH MILK AND cream. One barrel nice Brown Sugar. Some of the best Chewing Tobacco we have. Almanac. Plaide.	
	Powder, Soda and Lead, on sale by EDWARDS & CO.	
	Aust and Cons. March 18.	
	Salisbury, Sept. 3, 1864.	
	FOR SALE.	
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