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NO. 258

A MAN WHO HAS NOT SLEPT FOR OVER FOURTEEN YEARS. At present there is a soldier at the Cheant Hill military Hospital, Philadelphia who has not slept for a single moment for fourteen years and six months.

In 1849 he was taken with cholera, and since that period with long fever for two occasions. In the summer of 1850 sleep forsook him, and since that time he has not felt the least drowsy. He has had a temperate life. His wife and children reside in Putnam county, West Virginia.

Upon one occasion, at his request a number of curiously inclined gentlemen watched him for 43 days and nights consecutively, in order, if possible, to arrive at the cause of the wonderful phenomenon. These gentlemen took turns with each other in the progress of watching, so that if he should chance to sleep it would be observed. Some of the watchers became drowsy, and it was as much as they could do to awake them.

This singular man was sent to Philadelphia by order of the field Surgeon. He was admitted into the Hospital at Cheant Hill on the 17th of November last, suffering from chronic diarrhoea and rheumatism. He has nearly recovered from his physical disability; his appetite is good, but he does not sleep. He retires to bed, the same as other soldiers, but he cannot sleep. He simply receives physical rest.

This brief narrative of a most wonderful phenomenon may seem fabulous, but the reader is assured that it is the truth. - N. Y. News.

ALL THE DETAILED maps belonging to the 4th Regt. Sr. Reserves, without regard to the nature or length of time of the details, will report forthwith to this command. Those failing to come in promptly will be arrested and punished for disobedience of orders.

JOHN F. HOKE, Col. 4th Regt. Sr. Reserves. R. P. WARE, Adj. [34d-258]

RANAWAY FROM me on the 6th inst. a negro boy named Addison. Said boy is 6 feet high, black, slim built. Said boy has a very bad cough. I will give a reasonable reward for the apprehension and confinement in any jail so that I can get him.

SYDNEY H. HEART. My address is Coleman's Turnout, Rowan county, N. C. Salisbury, March 21, 1865. 31d-258

WANTED! CHARCOAL for the use of the Artillery Shop located at Salisbury, N. C. Proposals from parties who are able to furnish 1,000 bushels or less per month, will be received by the undersigned.

JACK HALL, Disbursing Officer U. S. Art'y Shops, Salisbury, N. C. March 20th, 1865. 31d

NOTICE - On Wednesday, March 22, 1865, between the hour of 12 & 2, I will sell at Auction in front of the Court House in Salisbury, N. C., 12 or 15 very likely negroes, men and women, small boys and girls. There is a very fine cook among the lot.

JACK HALL, Salisbury, 21, 1865. 31d-258

In the battle of Guilford Court House, Peter Francisco, who belonged to Col. William Washington's cavalry, is said to have cut down eleven men with his terrible broad sword.

CONFEDERATE STATES DEPOSITORY. Raleigh, N. C., March 2, 1865. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT for the present, the interest due January 1st, 1865, on all certificates of indebtedness of the Confederate States of America, payable in North Carolina, will be paid at this office on presentation of said certificates.

Surgeon General's Office. Raleigh, N. C., March 8, 1865. THE HOME GUARD BOARDS WILL immediately proceed to visit the different companies of their respective Districts for the purpose of examining all persons retaining exemption of account of physical disability.

Head Quarters, Post Salisbury, N. C. March 20, 1865.

GENERAL ORDER No. 12. All Officers arriving at this Post remaining more than twenty-four hours, will be required to register their names and exhibit their orders at the Provost Marshal's Office.

Brig. Gen. BRADLEY T. JOHNSON, McPHERSON KENNEDY, A. G. [dfr-258]

WANTED A LARGE SUBSTANTIAL PACKING TRUNK, for which a liberal price will be paid. Apply at this Office. March 20, 1865-41d358.

Cook Stove for Sale. I have a good Cook Stove which I will sell for cash. Apply to W. F. GALES. March 20, 1865-1wdp358.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ROWAN COUNTY. Office Chief Commissary of Subsistence, SALISBURY, March 13, 1865.

THE pressing demands upon me for subsistence have exhausted my present supplies at this point, and I must call upon you to assist me in providing for the gallant troops now in our midst, who are on their way to the front.

I beg that every family will send me stone as much flour, meal, bacon, salt pork and molasses, as each is spared, for which I will pay them, on delivery, market rates, or return the provisions to them in a short time, as they may prefer.

Let none be deterred from sending because their contributions will be small. The smallest contributions will help and will be gratefully received. I trust the people of Rowan will respond with their accustomed liberality and patriotism to this call, and send supplies to me freely and promptly. From the citizens of Salisbury, I hope to receive much assistance to-day.

A. MYERS, Major & C. S. [dfr-252]

Negro Woman to Hire I am authorized to hire a negro woman for the remainder of this year. She is a good cook and a No. 1 washer and ironer. March 20th, 1865. T. E. BROWN.

Wanted. A competent man as overseer on a farm two miles from Mocksville. Must be exempt from any military duty and without incumbence. Apply on the premises to L. L. LANIER. 6tdpd248

The Children's Banner. THOSE who wish to subscribe for the Children's Banner, in this community, will hand their subscriptions to me without delay, as it is intended to issue the first number within this month.

Terms: per copy, 6 months, \$2; 90, or more to one address, \$1.50 per copy. A. W. MANGUM. Salisbury, Feb. 13, 1865. dfr228

Fayetteville Evacuated. The attention of the community is directed to the beautiful apartment of Calicoes, Masada, Valencia, goods for Dealers, dishevelled Domestic, Table Cloths, Tamblers, Cotton Rope, Sugar, Coffee, and a lot of upper leather just received and for sale at R. R. CRAWFORD. 4d1255

No More Charging. PERSONS putting letters in this office marked charge Box, need not be apprised if they never get an answer, as I am determined not to charge any more. The paper necessary to make out the accounts is worth more than the postage. M. A. SMITH, P. M. March 16, 1865-431256

HEADQUARTERS RESERVE N. C. INFANTRY GENERAL'S OFFICE. Salisbury, Feb. 14, 1865.

GENERAL ORDER No. 1. Major C. S. Stringfellow, Assistant Adjutant General C. S. P. A., will relieve Captain John W. Winsdale, Assistant Adjutant General of Reserves of N. C., and the latter officer will proceed to join the 3d Regiment Reserves, N. C., as its Colonel, he having been duly elected to that office on the 2d of January, 1865.

The Adjutant General's Office, in giving leave to Colonel Hinsdale, desires to warmly congratulate him on his promotion, and earnestly hopes that his intelligence, zeal, and gallantry which has characterized his services as a Staff officer may be maintained in his new position of greater responsibility in his present and more extended sphere.

Post Quartermaster's Office. Salisbury, March 7th, 1865. ALL parties having unsettled claims against this office will present them at once for settlement. JAS. M. GOODMAN, Capt. & A. Q. M. March 7th, 1865. 6td247, 21, 41

CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE. W. N. C. RAIL ROAD. Salisbury, N. C., Feb. 27, 1865. WANTED to hire for the remainder of the year 50 negroes to be employed on this road. For terms, etc., apply to the Agents at any of our Depots. JAS. W. WILSON, Eng. & Superintendent. dfr240

NOTICE. WE will receive boxes for soldiers in our army as follows: For Weldon and Wilmington, N. C., from the 15th to the 15th of each month.

For Petersburg and Richmond, Va., and for Phoenix of War, from the 15th to the 15th of each month. SPRAGUE BROS

NOTICE. WE have on hand, and for sale, the largest lot of desirable articles.

Gunpowder, Shot, Black Pepper, Alepice, Cambric Bell Metal, Rappee, Chewing Tobacco, Agate Shirt Buttons, Brass Military Pantaloons, Copper, Madzer, Sulphate Morphia, Quinine, Camphor, Opium, Paper and Envelopes, Steel Pens and Lead Pencils, Playing Cards, Castor and Olive Oils, Train Oil, Spirit Turpentine, Paints, Venetian Red.

With a general assortment of Drugs. Also a lot of Patent Medicines, including Ayer's, Holloway's and Reddy's celebrated remedies. HENDERSON & BENNIS. Salisbury, Feb. 18, 1865 - dfr323

WANTED 2000 POUNDS WOOL for which we will pay the highest prices in currency, specie, or exchange for HATS or COTTON YARN. WITTKOWSKY & SALTZBERY. Nov 25, 1864. 164-41

FURS, FURS! WM. H. SMITH. HATTER, SALISBURY, will pay the highest prices for FURS; either in cash or change for Hats. Jan 28, 286-11

Cotton Factory, Milledgeville, Montgomery Co. I WISH to exchange Cotton Yarn for all kinds of country produce, such as Corn, Wheat, Bacon, Cotton and Leather. I am in great need of Cotton, and would be glad to exchange Thread for several bales. W. W. GOKSEY, A. G. 10tdp257

Make your Town Tax Return. CALL at my office and give in your list between this and the last day of the present month. THOS. McNEELY, C. B. C. Salisbury, March 16, 1865.

ALL persons having claims against his or the Quartermaster's Department while I was in charge, still unsettled and not presented, will hand them to Capt. L. C. Hanes, Forage Quartermaster who will file them, until my return, when all will be settled. JAS. M. GOODMAN, Capt. & A. Q. M. 6td256, 7, 145

Schedule of Prices for NORTH CAROLINA. THE Commissioners of the Government for the State of North Carolina, in pursuance of the Schedule of Prices to govern the purchase of supplies for the next sixty days, with amendments, have advanced in consequence of the emergency, by order of the Government, in the following schedule above those of the late schedule, they have hastily hope this will be necessary to the supply of the army, that farmers and others will come forward with alacrity and cheer, that they can possibly from their own contribution to the aid of that army, which is now at least to be recognized as our only safety from the unrestrained and grasping depredations of our barbarous enemy.

Apples, dried good, peeled, per bushel of 28 pounds, \$10.00; unpeeled, per bushel of 28 pounds, 7.50; Axes, with handles, each, 18.00; without handles, each, 18.00; Bacon, per pound, hog round, 4.10; Beans, white, common, per bushel of 56 pounds, 10.50; Brandy, apple, per gallon, 10.00; Beef, dried, salt, per pound, 2.00; Beef, fresh, gross, per pound, 1.00; Bird's nest, good, per bushel of 56 lbs, 5.00; Candles, tallow, per bushel, 10.00; adamantine, per bushel, 16.00; Chains, for soldiers' clothes, 1 yard wide, 10 oz to yard, and 10 oz to yard, 16.00; Coffee, raw, per lb, 2.50; unshelled, per bushel of 48 lbs, 12.00; shelled, sacks not included, per bushel of 56 lbs, 5.00; Cornmeal, sacks not included, per bushel of 56 lbs, 12.00; Drills, cotton, 1 yard wide, 1/2 yd, 40 pounds, per yard, 2.00; extra family, per barrel of 196 pounds, 100.00; superfine, per bbl, of 196 pounds, 80.00; fine, per bbl, of 196 pounds, 70.00; baled, per 100 pounds, 8.00; unbaled, per 100 pounds, 7.50; wool, each, 5.50; Hay, baled, per 100 pounds, 8.00; unbaled, per 100 pounds, 7.50; Hides, dry, extra, per pound, 5.00; dry, 4.50; green, per pound, 2.50; Horses, artillery, 1st class, per head, 1,500.00; artillery, 2d class, per head, 1,200.00; pig, No. 1, per ton 2000 lbs, 350.00; No. 2, " " 2000 lbs, 314.00; No. 3, " " 2000 lbs, 278.00; Blood, Smith's square or round, per ton of 2000 pounds, 1030.00; serviceable, without per ton of 2000 pounds, 400.00; castings, per pound, 30; wool, domestic, per yard, 15.00; Cast-iron, per pound, 60.00; good, per 1,000 feet, 60.00; Castor and Olive Oils, 4.50; Train Oil, 10.00; upper, per pound, 12.00; harness, per pound, 12.00; Soap, per gallon, 10.00; sorghum, do, 15.00; 1st class, per head, 1,500.00; 2d class, " " 1,300.00; 3d class, " " 800.00; extra, " " 210.00; sheep, unbaled, per 100 lbs, 18.00; sheet, baled 100 lbs, 2.25; shelled, per bushel, 8.00; cotton, 1 yard wide, 7 oz to yard, per yard, 2.50; cotton, 1 yard wide, 8 oz to yard, per yard, 2.75; cow, per bushel, 10.00; cow, per bushel of 60 lbs, 15.00; Irish, per bushel of 60 lbs, 8.00; sugar, per pound, 8.00; dried, peeled, per bushel of 38 lbs, 12.50; unpeeled, per bush 38 lbs, 10.00; Pork, fresh, net, per lb, 3.50; salt, " " 3.50; Poultry, 1st quality, near town, per head, per month, 8.00; common, near town, per head, per month, 5.00; 1st quality, in the country, per head, per month, 7.00; common, in the country, per head, per month, 4.00; Quinine, good, per ounce, 80.00; new, per pound, 1.50; old, per pound, 1.10; Rice, good, per bushel of 56 lbs, 12.00; two bushels, on a bush, each, 6.00; cotton, 1 wide, 3 1/2 yds to a pound, per yard, 1.75; cotton, 1 wide, 3 1/2 yds to a pound, per yard, 1.10; Cotton stripes, 2 yds to lb, per yard, 2.75; Salt, Coast, per bush of 50 lbs, 40.00; Liverpool, " " 50.00; Virginia, " " 45.00; Soap, per pound, 10.00; army, per pair, 25.00; Sheet-iron, per pound, 10.00; Soldiers' wool, per pair, 4.00; fat, per head, 50.00; brown, common, per lb, 5.00; hard, per pound, 2.00; soft, per pound, 1.25; Shacks, bad, per 100 lbs, 9.00; good, per bushel of 22 lbs, 1.75; Ship stuff, good, 37; Tea, black, per lb, 18.00; green, per lb, 18.00; Teat cloth, cotton, 10 oz to yard, per yard, 2.50; No 1, extra, 3.00; No 1, 2.50; Tobacco, No 1, 2.50

SCHEDULE OF PRICES FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

No 2 Logs, 1.50; clean, per pound, 4.50; cider, per gallon, 4.00; manufactured, per gallon, 2.00; Whiskey, good, per gallon, 10.00; per bushel of 64 lbs, 15.00; Wheat, per bushel of 60 lbs, 1.50; Wheat straw, baled, per 100 pounds, 2.75; unbaled, per 100 pounds, 2.00; Washed, per pound, 18.00; unwashed, per pound, 10.00; Wood axle, 4 horse, each, 700.00; wood axle, 2 horse, each, 500.00; cotton per bunch of 5 lbs, 15.00

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE GOVERNMENT FOR THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, IN PURSUANCE OF THE SCHEDULE OF PRICES TO GOVERN THE PURCHASE OF SUPPLIES FOR THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS, WITH AMENDMENTS, HAVE ADVANCED IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE EMERGENCY, BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENT, IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE ABOVE THOSE OF THE LATE SCHEDULE, THEY HAVE HASTILY HOPE THIS WILL BE NECESSARY TO THE SUPPLY OF THE ARMY, THAT FARMERS AND OTHERS WILL COME FORWARD WITH ALACRITY AND CHEER, THAT THEY CAN POSSIBLY FROM THEIR OWN CONTRIBUTION TO THE AID OF THAT ARMY, WHICH IS NOW AT LEAST TO BE RECOGNIZED AS OUR ONLY SAFETY FROM THE UNRESTRAINED AND GRASPING DEPREDATIONS OF OUR BARBAROUS ENEMY.

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HIRE OF LABOR TEAMS, WAGONS AND HORSES. Bailing long furage, per hundred lbs, 1.00; Shelling and bagging corn, sacks furnished by government, per bushel, 1.00; Hires of two horse teams, wagon and driver, rations furnished by owner, per day, 18.00; Hire of two horse teams, wagon and driver, rations furnished by government, per day, 25.00; Hire of four horse teams, wagon and driver, rations furnished by government, per day, 30.00; Hire of four horse teams, wagon and driver, rations furnished by owner, per day, 20.50; Hire of six horse teams, wagon and driver, rations furnished by owner, per day, 36.00; Hire of six horse teams, wagon and driver, rations furnished by government, per day, 24.50; Hire of laborer, rations furnished by owner, per day, 6.00; Hire of laborer, rations furnished by government, per day, 4.00; Hire of laborer, rations furnished by owner, per month, 170.00; Hire of laborer, rations furnished by government, per month, 120.00; Hire of horses, per day, 4.00

The Commissioners respectfully suggest that if it be found practical, the producer should be allowed to retain a fourth part of their surplus, to be sold at market rates, to pay for their necessary plantation supplies, which they have to purchase at high market prices. They earnestly call upon the farmers to bring forward their corn now so necessary to the support of the army in their immediate front, and which should prevent the loss to the enemy of all their crops, stock, negroes, &c. The Commissioners would also recommend that the impression should be universal and uniform, leaving out no one.

For the information of all persons concerned, we publish the following instructions, with the hope that they will be strictly observed: "No officer, agent, or shall impress the necessary supplies which any person may have for the consumption of himself, his family, employees, slaves, or to carry on his ordinary mechanical, manufacturing agricultural implements."

The next meeting of the Board will be held in the Senate Chamber, in the City of Raleigh, on Friday, the 30th day of September next, unless sooner changed. Impressing agents must furnish good and satisfactory reasons for disapproval on appeals, or the award of incompetent appraisers will be approved. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary of the Board, Raleigh, N. C. (Signed) H. K. BURGWIN, Governor, N. C. R. V. BLACKSTOCK, Stocksville, N. C.

Com's Appraisal for the State of N. C. Geo. W. Monroca, Umpire. Salisbury, N. C., Aug 9, 1864. dfr35

Weekly Southern Cultivator. IN pursuance of a plan long entertained, and to meet the expressed wants of the Agriculturists of the Country Residents of the South, the subscriber announces his intention to commence the publication of a Weekly edition of the Southern Cultivator. The paper will retain its present form, furnishing eight pages of reading matter weekly. It will be devoted, as heretofore, to Agriculture. Also, to Current News, a synopsis of Army Intelligence, Proceedings of Congress, Reports of the Markets, &c., embracing everything necessary to render it a valuable and acceptable

FAMILY NEWSPAPER for the Farmers, Planters, Gardeners, Stock Raisers, Housewives and Business Men of the Confederacy. The first number of the Weekly edition will be issued on or before the first Saturday in November. TERMS - \$6 for 6 months, or \$3 for three months. Single copies 25 cents. All present subscribers to the Cultivator to be supplied for the remainder of this year 1864 with Weekly, without any advance in price. Address D. REDMOND, Augusta. dfr153

Real Estate. A SMALL farm in Davis county, three miles from Mocksville, containing about 150 acres; 60 acres cleared and in cultivation, the balance well timbered, with some excellent land to clear. Also, two Houses and Lots in the town of Mocksville; the lots adjoining and adjoining about 13 acres. For particulars address Dr. W. H. HOWERTON, Salisbury, N. C. or J. D. HUMPHREY, Goldsboro, N. C. March 20, 1865. 101d243

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Candles, Candles! 40 BOXES BELMONT SPERM CANDLE for sale by E. N. HUTCHISON. Salisbury, March 12, 1865. dfr150

SELLING BOOKS for SALE AT THIS OFFICE.