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### RAILROADS.

lishes a communication from Attorney every good Democrat, as of yore. General KENAN upon this important earlier reply.

exhaustive research, calm and delib- era in our history. erate judgment and marked ability. We would gladly transfer the letter Bury Me Near The Old Home. tion in this State.

After referring in detail to the several Acts, Ordinances and decisions of the Supreme Court bearing upon the subjects discussed, the Attorney General says "It will be observed by reference to the Act of 1875 that the Board of Internal Iprovements are clothed with certain powers in investigating the affairs of any road in which the State owns an interest.

Whether these powers should be ez. tended so as to include all railroads in the State, or whether authority should be given to any other person or commission to send for persons and papers to make a preliminary examination into the management upon complaint made, are questions for legislative consideration.

While I think the beneficial character of railroads is universally recognized, and that investments in these these and other enterprises ought to be encouraged, yet at the same time it is important, that such regulations for their management should be matured as will prevent their being operated to the injury of the people of the State, and that the same should be reasonable in themselves, and subservient to the public good.

Additional legislation, if any should be thought necessary, framed upon this basis, might conduce to the welfare of the public, and work an injury to no class of business; whether conducted by individuals or corpoations, but its particular character, I cannot anticipate nor is it a proper subject for me to enter upon."

### POLITICAL DISCORD.

WE OFTEN see notices of discord in the Republican ranks, but somehow or other the leaders always manage to arrange their difficulties so as to elect their party candidates. Unlike the Democrats, Republicans fall out, abuse and traduce each other, but when it comes to voting, all dissensions are suddenly healed until the election is over. Everything is subordinated to the success of the party. Democrats might learn a useful lesson in this respect from their political opponents.

The Stalwarts and Half-breeds which constitute the two wings of the Republican party never allow their internecine warfare to secure the success of the Democratic party. In the recent elections in New York, Pennsylvania and Virginia it has been shown how futile all calculations of Democratic success, based upon Republican dissensions. Whatever personal antagonisms may exist or may be engendered by the "wild scramble" for office, the permanent control of Republican party is never lost sight of, or permitted to be endangered by the petty squables resulting from personal ambition.

If we turn to the Democratic party URSUFDASSED WORK at LOW Prices. we find that the personal ambition or corrupt defection of one man, John KELLY, in the last Presidential election caused the loss of New York, and consequently the defeat of the Demooratic candidate for the Presidency.

There was a time when Pennsyvania was regarded as the "Keystone State" of the Democratic sisterhood of States, and few are now more helplessly Republican. And Virginia, "the mother of States and Statesmen," rooms, in the town of Black Creek for upon an issue involving no political sale. The lot is a large one, containprinciple has at last, by discords and acre in strawberries which give a good dissensions among her degenerate yield. Will be sold cheap! My reasons upon a local issue, succumbed to a son for selling is that I am going to mongrel faction, made up of Repub- move. licans and Repudiators. A similar fate is threatened other States of the late solid South. And doubtless as in Nov. 25, tf.

THE WILSON ADVANCE. the Virginia election, the whole power of the Administration will be power of the Administration will be exerted to bring about the same re-

> no political significance, and questions excitiong considerable individual feeling, loom up and promise to be dis- business and settle at once. turbing factors in the future.

Railroad mattters and sumptuary laws it seems will not "down at our ray.

Dec. 9tf. bidding" and it would be the part of wisdom upon these subjects to practice the utmost conciliation. Differences of opinion exist among Democrats come before the public with their com- for being healthy. Wilson, N. C. plaints, and inconsiderate friends may reiterate them, but Democratic forbearance should be equal to all such Dec. 9-tf. lemands. And the time-honored mottoe, "principles, not men" so long inscribed upon the Democratic banner, THE RALEIGH News-Observer pub- should command the allegiance of

subject which has been agitating the Gov. Holden has been furnishing with shafting and pulleys, 1 cupola, public mind for some time past. It the Raleigh News-Observer with in- I brass furnace, I cleaning mill, lot of will be remembered that Governor teresting notes on Moore's history of flasks, patterns, ladles, sand seives, Jakvis addressed several letters to North Carolina. He corrects many the Attorney General upon the man- erroneous impressions of a period in business as founders and manufactu- stock) lay idle on my shelves until next Fall. agement of rail roads operating in which he acted a conspicuous part .- rers of plows and other agricultural this State, to which the "pressing du- He admits that he committed errors, implements. Here is an opportunity ties" of his department prevented an but claims always to have acted from Like everything that emanates tect every citizen of the State from munity. from the pen of our distinguished the spirit of lawlessness and revenge countyman, this communication shows which characterized the reconstruction Wilson, N. C., Dec. 7th., 1881.[3t.

entire to our columns if we had space The latest Song and Chorus, by in this issue. We may republish it Will. L. Thompson. Since the death vid Williams, deceased, will sell to various Acts of the Legislature si: c become a great favorite. We advise on which Wiley Dunn now lives—
1836—37, upon the subject of rates for all lovers of popular music to send 35 known as the "Baily Land," adjoining rail roads which have been in operacopy by mail. Published by W. L. THOMPSON & CO.,

East Liverpool, Ohio.

### GOOD COFFEE.

Everybody wants it, but very few get it, because most people do not know how to or making. To obviate these difficulties has been our study. Thurber's package Coffees are selected by an expert who understands the art of blending various flavors. They are roasted in the most perfect manner (it is impossible to roast well in small quantities), then put in pound packages (in the bean, not ground,) b aring our signature as a guarantee of genuineness, and each package contains the Thurber recipe for making good Coffee. We strong and pungent, Thurb r's "No. 41," mild and rich. One or the other will sult every taste. They have the three hay. great points, good quality, honest quantily, reasonable price. Ask your Grocer for Thurber's roasted Coffee in pound packages, "No. 34" or "No. 41." Do not be put off with any other kind-your own palate will tell you what is best.

Where persons desire it we also furnish the "Ideal" Coffee-pot, the simplest, best and cheapest coff-e-pot in existence. Grocers who sell our Coffee keep them. Ask for descriptive circular. Respectfully, &c.,

H. K. & F. B. THURBER & CO., Importers, Wholesale Grocers and Coffee

Roasters, New York. P.S.-As the largest dealers in food products in the world, we consider it our interest to manufacture only pure and wholesome goods and pack them in a tidy and satisfactory manner. All goods bearing our name are guaranteed to be of superior quality, pure and wholesome, and dealers are authorized to refund the purchase price in any case where customers have cause for dissatisfaction. It is therefore to the interest of both dealers and consumers to use Thurber's brands.

### REMEMBER



RALEIGH, N. C.

Keep the only reliable Stock of LEGAL BLANKS IN THE STATE. Preserve your old Books by having them Rebound.

EDWARDS, BROUGHTON & CO., Steam Publishers, RALEIGH. N. C.

### House For Sale!

I offer my house, with seven good

W. S. ANDERSON. Black Creek, N.C.

In consequence of the death of Geo. In North Carolina issues involving H. Griffin it becomes necessary to set-

> WM. MURRAY. Surviving partner of Griffin & Mur-

### FOR SALE!

Valuable property for sale, Arrington's Mills, one mile east of Hilliard interest, but they should not be per- wheat mill, a No. 1 saw mill with mitted to disturb the harmony of the shafting attached for a gin, which I will build if purchasers desire it-al party. Distinguised leaders may will build it purchasely. Section noted

> S. L. ARRINGTON, Hilliardston, N. C.

### Important Sale.

On Wednesday 28th day of December, I shall sell at public auction, for cash at the foundry of Farmer & for the investment of capital in a good paying business already established, same with others and you will be satisfied that I am patriotic metives, and a desire to pro- and indispensible to the farming com-

J. A. TYNES, Receiver.

### LAND SALE!

On the first Monday in January 1882. at the Court House door in the town of Wilson, we as executors of Col. Da-Jesse Norris, Jeremiah Batts, and

JESSE MERCER, | Executors H. C. Moss, Dec. 9-4t.

### N. C. FORAGE!

RICE Straw carefully handled and select coffee, or it is spoiled in the reasting firmly compressed into bales, 3 feet long, 1 1-2 feet wide, and 1 1-6 feet thick, weighing from 120 to 130 pounds each

Ten tons can be shipped in a

### Excellent Forage pack two kinds, Thurber's "No. 34." For horses, mules, and cattle

Navassa Guano Co., Wilmington, N. C. Dec. 9-3m.

An Entirely New Process!

Egyptian Crystal Photographs. This is the only artistic Photograph which can portray the living presence of yourself or friends, and it is

something ENTIRELY NEW.

No oil, paraffine, or oil paints are used in its construction. Taken solely from the photograph. These pictures are executed with liquid chemical colors, which are twenty times as powerless as oil paints. They are then crystalized on single convex glass by a new process, which renders them exceedingly beautiful, and as light as porcelain. They are absolutely imperishable, and are warranted not to spot, not to blister, or turn yellow by age. This process will prevent old pictures from decay and arrest their fading and growing dingy and yellow

as no air can possibly get to them.

Pictures of departed friends copied and enlarged. Terms reasonable.

I will be pleased to fill all orders in this place, where I shall remain for

several weeks. Apply to Miss M. L. MORECOCK, Stopping at Mr. A. J. Simms'. Wilson, N. C.

### Christmas Goods! Use'ul and Beautiful Presents!

I have the most beautiful line of goods suitable for christmas presents ever offered in Wilson, consisting of Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Jewelry Cases. Cellulaid and Shopping Bags and Reticues, Puff Boxes, Stand Mirrors, Assorted Extracts, Sweet Soaps,

call and examine the elegant line of these goods I have in stock, W, W. HARGRAVE,

Before buying your christmas gifts

Wholesale and Retail Druggist, Wilson, N. C.

George H. Griffin, Sr., deceased, before the Probate Judge of Wilson Co., notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of said deagainst said deceased to present them pleaded in bar of their recovery.

E. P. GRIFFIN. FRANK A. DANIELS, | Executors. Wilson, N. C., Dec 9th 1881, tf

# roclamation Pianos and Organs.

The battle has been fought And the victory won. The enemy is routed

And the job was neatly done. The "BOSS" is here in person,

And he spoils the others' fun, For his system of LOW PRICES Makes them hang their heads and run!

The Head Boss' Determination to Asupon these and other matter of local ston, N. C. Two grist mills, one tonish the Public with Extraordinary Bargains,

Par Having by all appearances overstocked myself with at least

Ten Thousand Dollars worth of select and seasonable goods and being determined not to carry any of the same over until the next Fall season. I have concluded that the same Must and Shall be Sold!

lowest in the State) to place them within the reach of almost every one. I am now satisfied that our farmers have only made a little over half a crop, and with the prices now charged for goods, a great many families would have to deprive themselves to wit: 1 12-horse engine, 1 fan-blower with shafting and pulleys, 1 cupola,

I have therefore marked the prices (which have already been the very

goods to correspond with the failure of our crop—that is to say—at a little Over Half Price.

operating their large and increasing I do this in preference of having (that amount of money invested in over-

PRICES WILL I therefore invite the public to call and examine my prices, compare the

CONSISTENT AND IN EARNEST.

My stock is still complete in all details, having received continual additions to the same since the commencement of the Fall season. The large amount of goods that I have sold since my return from the North, has in no wise interferred with the magnificent assortment that can be found at my

Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Ladies and Gents Furnishhereafter, as we deem it highly im- of President Garfield the sentiment the highest bidder, one tract of land in ing Goods, Millinery, Cloaks, Shawls, Blankets, Carpets, Oil-Cloths, Trunks, portant at this time, on account of information which it gives of the information which it gives the information which it gives of the information which it gives the inform

This is no humbug nor deception, for I as ever will protect the interest of others. Terms of sale: One-third my customers, and if there is any inducement to be offered, the Head Boss is cash; the balance payable in one and the man who has, does, and will offer them in

two years. Title reserved until purbefore my stock is too much picked over. Farmers, when you come to town, don't be misled by tricksters who are

ever on the lookout for a chance to fool and dupe you, but come straight to the OLD RELIABLE AND ONLY ORIGINAL "HEAD BOSS" OF GREAT Bargains.

L. Edwards. IN "OLD HARDWARE STORE,"

WILSON, N. C.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

for less than half the cost of WILL EXCHANGE MEAL EOR CORN. OR FLOUR FOR WHEAT.

AT MY STORE.

# J. T. Wiggins,

Dealer in General Merchandise

### **EXCELSIOR COOK STOVES!**



THE BEST IN THE MARKET.

Fourteen different sizes and kinds. Five sizes with Enameled Reservoirs. Adapted to all requirements, and priced to suit all purses. LEADING FEATURES: Double Wood Doors, Patent Wood Grate,

Adjustable Damper, Interrhangeable Automatic Shelf, Broiling Door, Swinging Hearth-Plate, Swinging Flue-Stop, Reversible Gas-Burning Long Cross Piece, Double Fhort Centers, Heavy Ring Covers, Illuminated Pire Doors, Nickel Knobs, Nickel Panels, etc. Unequaled in Material, in Finish, and in

Manufactured by ISAAC A. SHEPPARD & CO., Baltimore, Md. and for said by GEO, D. GREEN & CO., Wilson, A. C.

### GRAND

### EXHIBITION OF FURNITURE! The Fall and Winter of 1881.

We desire to inform our friends and patron: in Wilson and the adjoining counties that we have purchased with the greatest care and judgment the largest and best ASSORTMENT OF FURNITURE ever kept by any firm hard Rubber Sets, wall Rockets, in this section, which we are offering as low as it can be sold anywhere.

Ladies' Combination Cases OUR WARE-ROOMS are filled with a great variety of the very latest

Parlor Furniture, In Haircloth, Raw Silk and Terry.
OUR STOCK OF

Rat-Tan Rockers, Cane and Wood Seat Dining and Childrens' Chairs and Rockers all styles and makes.

### Bed-Room Sets.

Bureaus, Sofas, Tables, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Looking Glass-Having qualified as executors of thing usually kept in a first-class Furniture Establishment. Cheap bedthe last will and testament of steads an immense stock from \$2.00 upwards. Window shades.

cases, caskets, and burial robes. We are agents for one of the best marble and others. Those desiring to educate ceased to make immediate payment, yards in the country, and can furnish at short notice any style of TOMB their children or engage in business the late firm of Farmer & Wainwright, and to all persons holding claims STONES, or Monuments at prices to suit the times. We return thanks for the liberal patronage which has been extended to us or lease. Further particulars unnec- by notified to come forward and make for payment on or before the 10th day during the past, and solicit a continuance of the same, promising essary as no one will invest without payment, and those holding claims of Dec., 1882, or this notice will be to spare no efforts to uit all who trade with us.

Wootten & Stevens,

Wilson, N. C. NOTICE .- All persons indebted to us are requested to come forward Oct. 21st, '81. [4t.] and settle their accounts.

A Large Stock for Christmas Holidays Send For Circulars.

Hanff & Son.

GOLDSBORO, N.C.

# HRISTMA

Cast Your Optics on This.

When in Baltimore I purchased the largest stock of Christmas Goeds

### Confectioneries, Toys, &c

I bought a large stock which MUST AND SHALL BE SOLD! Call and

J. T. McCRAW

Dec. 9-2t.

from date.

[Dec. 2-tf.]

House For Rent.

I will rent my residence on Tarboro

street, opposite the P. O., for the eusuing year on reasonable terms. House

contains 8 comfortable rooms, with 6

fire places. There is also good pantry,

kitchen, barn, stables, smoke house,

large garden and a good well of water

on the yard. Everything convenient.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superi-

or Court of Wilson county, rendered

Nov. 30th, 1881, I will sell on the

premises on Monday, the 2nd day of

January 1882, the following land: One

tract of land in Wilson county, Cross

Roads township, adjoining the lands of Samuel Ferrell, Simon Newsome,

Jacob Rentfrow and Noel Ferrell, con-

taining one hundred and forty acres

more or less. Terms: One hundred

dollars cash, balance on a credit of ten

months with eight per cent. interest

A. G. BROOKS, Administrator, Connor & Woodard, Att'ys.

J. G. RAWLES & BRO'S.

Having just returned from the nor h

with a very desirable and beautiful

CHRISTMAN HOLIDAYS.

We invite all those who admire the

beautiful to call and examine our stock.

We have taken special care in select-

ing our goods-making it a point to

We have but few trashy toys, Our

stock consists of Silver Cups, Castors,

Goblets, Butter-dishes, Cake-baskets, Berry-dishes,—Vases, in large variety, Toilet Sets, Flower Stands, Candle-

Sticks, Cologne Bottles, Smoke Sets, Paper Weights, &c.

and Gold Watches-Jewelry, a large

assortment, which we will sell cheap-

We also have a large stock of Silver

J. G. RAWLES & BRO.,

For Sale.

That valuable farm known as the

Westbrook place, immediately on the

Wilmington & Weldon Railroad, and

the county road leading from Wilson

to Barefoot's Mill, one mile by rail-

road and two miles by county road

from Wilson. The farm has cleared

4 one-horse farms with suitable tenant

houses for each and has also the fruit

two hundred and forty-five acres. The

School in Wilson is in successful ope-

ration offering free tuition to all with-

Examination solicited, and for fur-

G. W. BLOUNT,

Wilson, N.C.

Oct. 12th, 1881.

G. W. B-

in the Wilson School district.

ther information enquire of

Wilson, N. C

stock of goods for the

Call and see us.

[Dec. 2-tf.]

mons make due return. Given under to be enjoyed ought to be inducement

der my hand and seal of said Court to purchasers. The Graded Public

MRS. E. P. GRIFFIN.

### COAL COAL! COAL!

[Dec. 2-tf.]

. Jun 86m.

We have appointed Mr A. W. Rowland Agent for the sale of our Coal at that point. All orders en trusted to him will have promp attention, at same prices we sell it in Portsmouth and Norfolk with the fraith added. with the freight added.

McBLAIR & CC.

### FOR SALE.

The house and lot on Spring Street adjoining the lots of W. J. Harriss, Calvin Barnes and John Barnes. House has 4 rooms and necessary outbuildings. Apply to G. W. BLOUNT, Att'y. Wilson, N. C., Oct. 18th, 1881. tf.

For Sale!

A Buggy Shop with a trade of from four to six thousand dollars per year in the town of Black Creek. A good opening in a good locality. One dozen new buggies on hand which will be sold cheap. Apply at once to W. S. ANDERSON, Black Creek; N. C.

Nov 25, tf.

State of North Carolina, Nash Com ty, In the Superior Court, before the

Neverson H. Bone, Plaintiff,

J. J. Q. Vick and Ann Eliza Vick, his wife, Richard Bone, Wm. J. Poland, Elizabeth Poland, Jno. W. Brant ley, and Mary B Brant

Defendant Richard ley, his wife; John T. Bone. Bone, Defendants. This is a special proceeding institu-ted on the 5th day of September 1881, for the sale of certain real estate for partition among the cotenants. The defendant, Richard Bone, is hereby notified to appear and answer or de-

1882, otherwise the relief prayed for

Notice

mur to the complaint (which has been | buy those things which are substantial

duly filed) on or before January 20th, and useful, as well as ornamental.

in said complaint will be granted. BENJ. H. SORSBY, Clerk Sup. Court.

Nov. 18th. 1881. 6t. F. A. Woodard, Admin-Superior istrator of Nelson Eatman Court Wilson Jarman Eatman, John Eatman, Ginsey Eatman Wilman Eatman, Rhody County. Howard, wife of Deal Petition to Howard, Smithy Eat- sell real es-man, Richard Eatman, tate for as-

Eliza Eatman. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, To the Sheriff of Wilson County, Greek-

Haywood Eatman and sets.

You are hereby commanded to sum-mon Haywood Eatman and Smithy Eatman if they be found within your orchard of C. W. Westbrook, with county to appear at the office of the peach trees of earliest and best varie-Clerk of the Superior Court for the ties in full bearing and first-rate concounty of Wilson within twenty days dition. There are also a large numafter the service of this summons on ber of other fruit trees such as apples, them, and answer the petition filed in plum, ever-bearing mulberry, &c. the office of the Clerk of the Superior | The farm is so situated as to admit Court of Wilson county, and let them of easy division into 4 parts if desired take notice if they fail to answer the by purchasers. The fruit farm with a said petition within that time, the one-horse crop will be sold separately plaintiff will apply to the Court for if desired. The whole tract contains the relief demanded in the petition. Hereof fail not, and of this sum- educational and religious advantages

this 8th day of November 1881.

Nov 25th, 6t.

H. C. MCSS, Clerk, Wilson, Co.

I offer for rent my entire premises in the town of Wilson, containing seven acres of land, situated on east corner Rev. C. W. Westbrook will take of Vance and Pender street, lot in a pleasure in giving any information high state of cultivation, well set in relative to the fruit farm. choice fruit trees. House has six com- [Oct. 14ti.] modious rooms with pantry and bath room, with all necessary out houses and a good well of water; contiguous We keep constantly on hand a large lot of Rosewood and Metalic burial to excellent schools, Normal, Graded will find this a rare opportunity to rent all persons indebted to them are hereseeing for themselves. All nearly against the same will present them new as premises were in original for-est seven years ago.

R. W. EDMUNDSON,

properly authenticated for adjust-

J. A. TYNIS. Nov. 11th, 1881.-- tf.