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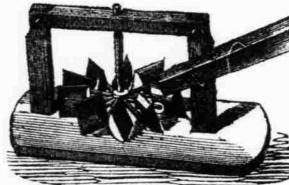
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JUSTICE'S COURT, September 25, '69 Calvin O. Gore)

Attachment. against Reuben Long.

REUBEN LONG WILL HEREBY TAKE notice that the said Calvin C. Gore has this Court for Bladen county, the 16th day of Septemlay sued out a Warrant of Attachment against | ber, 1869. aim for the sum of Ninety-One Dollars, due by ormer judgment as co-surety to Isaac Long, returnable before W. J. Stanly, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for Columbus County and State of North Carolina, on the 6th day of November, 1869, in the town of Whiteville, where and when he can appear and answer the said W. J. STANLY, J. P.

Superior Court .-- Duplin County.

All Indicates	
Order for Service by Publication	

IN THE ABOVE ACTION, IT APPEARING from the affidavit of the plaintiff I. That the defendant, Spaight Hill, cannot, after diligence, be found in the State. II. That a cause of action exists against said III. That said defendant is not a resident of

It is ordered, I. That service of the summons be made by publication in the Wilmington Journal, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Wilmington, N. C., once a week for six weeks successively. II. That a copy of the summons and complaint in this action be forthwith deposited in the Postoffice by the said plaintiff, directed to the said defendant, at his usual place of residence, if the same be known to said plaintiff, and said summons shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of the time of publication prescribed

by this order. Seal: at office in Kenansville, this 18th day of September, A. D. 1869. J. D. SOUTHERLAND, Clerk Superior Court, Duplin County, N. C.

Superior Court --- Duplin County. James H. P. Rhodes,

Benjamin F. Rhodes, Martha E. Rhodes, By their Guardian, Order for Alexander D. McGewen, Pit'fe Service by Against Spaight Hill, Calhorn Hill, Frances Hill, Buckner Hill, Adolphus G. Moseley, D'fts.

N THE ABOVE ACTION, IT APPEARING from the plaintiffs-. That the Defendant, Spaight Hill, cannot. fter due di ligence, be found in the State. II. That a cause of action exists against said

. That service of summons be made by publication in the Wilmington Journal, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Wilmington, to the Fifteenth mendment, in which he says : N. C., for six weeks successively.

n this action be forthwith deposited in the Post- election, by an overwelming majority, accepted office by the said plaintiffs, directed to the said and adopted the principle sought to be incordefendant, at his usual place of residence, if the same be known to said plaintiffs, and said summons shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of the time of publication prescribed of all men before the law.' The well known honor by this order. Given under my hand and seal of office.

Seal; at office in Kenansville, this 18th September, A. D. 1869. J. D. SOUTHERLAND. Clerk Superior Court, Duplin County, N. C.

Superior Court --- Duplin County.

Wm. H. Williams, Pluff. Spaight Hill. Calhoun Hill. Frances Hill Buckner L. Hill, Adolphus G. Moseley, Def'ts.

IN THE ABOVE ACTION, IT APPEARING from the affidavit of the plaintiff-I. That the defendant, Spaight Hill, cannot, after due diligence, be found in the State. III. That said defendant is not a resident of this State, but has an interest in property

It is ordered, I. That service of the summons be made by publication in the Wilmington Journal, a weekly N. C., once a week for six weeks successively. II. That a copy of the summons and complaint in this action be forthwith deposited in the Postoffice by the said plaintiff, directed to the said defendant, at his usual place of residence, if the same be known to said plaintiff, and said summons shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of the time of publication prescribed

Given under my hand and seal of office, Beal: at office in Kenansville, the 25th day of

September, A. D. 1869. J. D. SOUTHERLAND. Clerk Superior Court Duplin County.

Superior Court--- Duplin County.

saac B. Kelly, Endorsee, Plaintiff, against Speight Hill, Calhoun Hill, Francis Hill, Buckner L. Hill, and Adolphus G. Moseley, defend-

IN THE ABOVE ACTION, it appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff: I. That the defendant, Speight Hill, cannot after due diligence, be found in the State. II. That a cause of action exists against said

III. That said defendant is not a resident his State but has an interest in property there It is ordered,

I. That service of the summons be made by publication in the Wilmington Journal, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Wilmington N. O., once a week for six weeks successively. II. That copy a of the summons and complaint n this action be forthwith deposited in the postoffice by the said plaintiff, directed to the said

defendant, at his usual place of residence, if the same be known to said plaintiff, and said summons shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of the time of publication prescribed by this order. Given under my hand and seal of office at

fice in Kenansville, this 4th October, 1869.
J. D. SOUTHERLAND, Clerk Superior Court Duplin County, N. O. 35-6w

Superior Court .-- Duplin County. Order for Calhoun Hill, Pl'tff,

Against Speight Hill, Defendant. Publication. IN THE ABOVE ACTION, it appearing from the affidavit of the Plaintiff: I. That the defendant, Speight Hill, cannot, after due diligence, be found in the State.

II. That a cause of action exists against said III. That said defendant is not a resident of this State, but has an interest in property there-

I. That service of the summons be made

publication in the Wilmington Journal, a weekly newspaper published in the city of Wilmington, once a week for siz weeks successively. II. That a copy of the summons and complaint in this action be forthwith deposited in the postoffice by the said plaintiff, directed to the said gravest consideration. defendant, at his usual place of residence, if the same be known to said plaintiff, and said summone shall be deemed to have been served at the expiration of the term of publication prescribed by this order. Given under my hand and seal of office at of-

fice in Kenansville, this October 5th, 1869. J. D. SOUTHERLAND. Clerk Superior Court Duplin County.

Super or Court --- Bladen County.

PETITION TO MAKE REAL ESTATE ASSETS. T appearing to the Court that William A. Kelly, a defendant in this cause, is a resident of another State, It is ordered, that publication be made in the Wilmington Journal, a newspaper published in the city of Wilmington, for six successive weeks, once a week, notifying him to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for said county, on the first Monday in November, 1869, and show cause, if any he has, why the prayer of the petition should not be granted, and that in default thereof, the petition will be heard

ex parte and a decree pro confesso will be render-Witness, H. P. Crowell, Clerk of the Superior

> H. P. OROWELL, Clerk of the Superior Court.

ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK N EATTLY AND EXPEDITIOUSLY EXECUTED AT

JOURNAL OFFICE.

LATEST NEWS TELEGRAPH

Destruction.

BACKVILLE, N. B., Oct. 7-P. M. The storm on Monday night was tremendous with a tidal wave. The low grounds were flooded and thousands of cattle were destroyed. The dykes on the marshes are all gone, and the bridges throughout the country destroyed. The damage is incalculable. The loss of this small parish is estimated at one million dollars. this State, but has interest in property therein.

> Effects of the Storm in Maine, &c. BANGOR, MAINE, Oct. 7 P M.

A letter from the telegraph manager at Galaie, Maine, says: We are in a terrible state here, the lines both ways are flat on the ground and covered with trees and bushes. The damage to vessels and buildings is very great.

Eastport is reported to have been nearly demolished. The water in the Penobscot has risen Given under my hand and seal of office to its highest Spring mark. The booms are will be picked up.

> From Baltimore Democractic Convention BALTIMORE, Oct. 7-P. M. The Democratic Convention assembled here to-day, and spent the time in considering cre-

dentials. #From Richmond_Virginia Legislature,

BICHMOND, VA , Oct. 7-P. M. taken up and read at length. It announces that board themselves. It is needless to say the Republican members reserve to themselves that the Doctor has accommodated them. the right at any time to secede from the present | The exhibition of articles will be good .-III. That said defendant is not a resident of Legislature and organize, by themselves, a legal his State, but has an interest in property therein. and loyal Lagislature. The Senate voted to lay will compete with Mecklenburg with a bale

> "The people of this Commonwealth, at the late porated into the Federal Constitution by this and integrity of the people of Virginia forbid even the supposition that they would fail to faithand possible, any principle to which they had vielded their adherence. Virginia always fulfills But our people, by this action, have not only ter. He says: placed the political rights of all our citzens upon a firm and enduring basis, they have accomplished much more. They have increased pro- from Fayetteville to Shoe Heel-provided spectively the power and influence of our State in a suitable bid goes up. The Department Effects of the Rain in Baltimore and National Councils by breadening the basis of rep- pays only ten dollars per mile for such

"Under the Fourteenth Article of the Constitution of the United States, when in any State the right of suffrage is abridged, except for II. That a cause of action exists against said crime, the basis of representation must be reduced in a corresponding proportion, although we have wisely settled this question so far as our State is concerned, and banished forever from the theatre of State politics this prolific source of irritation and discord there is reasonable ground for apprehension that if the Fifteenth Amendment should fail of adoption as a part of the Federal Constitution our State may be slooded with and the control thereof pass into the hands ing upon or near our borders, who will seek the employment of those civil and political rights accorded to them here, but denied to them there. Self-protection, therefore, demands that we do our part towards securing the ratification of that Amendment, our interests require it and our faith is pledged to it. He considers the election of Senators clearly a requisite to admission, and adds: Complete restoration is accomplished by admission to representation in Congress and there can be no question that admission to representation may, to some extent, depend upon the representatives elected, while the election of necessary for the prompt admission of the State to representation in both Houses of Congress. The election of suitable men for those exalted sincerity of our past action and afford a sure

guarantee of our intentions and purposes for the "In conclusion he says, permit me to congratulate you upon the progress already made towards the restoration of the State to civil government. investment in our rich agricultural and mineral lands, and above and more gratifying than all. joy and hope are taking the place of gloom and despondency. Peace and prosperity are once more dawning upon our desolated land. Conscious of the rectitude of our own acts, motives him every success. - Fayetteville Eagle. and intentions, and relying upon the continued favor of the Almighty disposer of human events.

for the commonwealth. " Respectfully,

" GILBERT C. WALKER." The Legislature adjourned after the reading of the Governor's message.

The Governor, in his message, expresses his committees, in view of the fact that our educational and judiciary systems must be remodelled and placed in harmony with the Constitution, and our internal improvements demand the

The caucus of the Conservative members the Legislature to-night, resolved to adopt the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendment at once. In the joint committee on the Governor's Message to-day, a proposition by Snowden, of Alexandria, to add to the bill passing the Fifteenth Amendment, a clause showing that it was done because it was requisite to the admission of the State, was rejected, only two of the committee voting in favor of it.

A Relly, John E. Kelly, N. A. Kelly, Alice Kelly, Lucy J. Kelly, and M. A. Kelly, Heirs at Law of Neill Kelly. Acaucus on the Senatorial question will be held to morrow night.

> From Richmond_Passage of the 14th and 15th Amendments by the Legislature,

RICHMOND, Va., Oct., 8 -- Noon. Both Houses of the Legislature to-day ratified

and two against the 15th. One of these votes given against the 15th was a colored Republican Senator, who declined voting because he considered the Legislature an illegal ferent precincts in the several townships

The Legislature by a joint vote then adjourned 'till 18th October. In the House an amendment to the bill passing

effect on and after the admission of the State into the Union, only received four votes.

In the same body a resolution was offered that n view of doubt expressed about the legality of From South America The Storm Terrible this Legislature, it will, after its admission into the Union, re-enact the 14th and 15th amen-1

The resolution was referred.

STATE NEWS

His Honor, the Mayer of Charlotte, has appointed the following gentlemen as dele gates to the coming Commercial Convention at Louisville, Ky .: Allen Macaulay, R. M. Oates, R. P. Waring, Samuel Wittkowsky, J. Y. Bryce, W

J. Yates and W. R. Myers. nection with the Roanoke news, Mr. Burton takes this step in order to enter more thoroughly upon the practice of the legal profession. We wish him a career of unbounded success.

STATE FAIR.—We are pleased to learn broken, and millions of feet of logs have gone by from various sources the great interest the city. A large gang of men having been sent taken by our people in the approaching down after them, it is hoped that most of them | State Fair. A great many leading citizens in all sections have accepted the appointment of Judges in the competition for premiums, and those who decline, on account of the simultaneous happening of the terms of the Superior Courts in their counties, express the livliest interest in the success of the Agricultural Society.

We commend the foresight and economy of tifteen citizens of Salem, who have already written to Dr. Smith, the Corresponding Secretary, to procure for them In the Senate to-day the protest of the Repub- good shelter, it being their intention to lican caucus against the legality of the body was | bring their lodging and provisions, and We are gratified to hear that Edgecombe of cotton, and we hope some of our Wake Governor Walker sent in hi - message in regard | friends will not decline the challenge. The Fair will begin on the 19th of Oc-

tober. - Raleigh Sentinel. fice department, Washington, some time 70 years, 42 are priests, orators or public and amongst the sick and wounded on fur-Amendment, viz: The civil and political equality since, asking the re-establishment of mail speakers, 40 are agriculturists, 33 are lough, be added, the grand total of deaths service on the old route from Fayetteville workmen, 32 are soldiers or military em- in the Confederate army during the ento Cheraw, S. C. This petition was sent ployees, 29 advocates or engineers, 27 pro- tire war did not fall far short of 200,000. up through the hands of Hon. O. H. Dock- fessors, and 24 doctors. Those who deery, our Representative in Congress, and vote their lives to the prolongation of that from disease were about three times as fully advocate and to maintain, while necessary with his approval. A letter was received of others die the soonest. There are 336,- numerous as those resulting from the casa few days since from Col. Dockery, from 000,000 Christians: 5,000,000 Israelites: which we quote a sentence or two for in- 60,000,000 Asiatic religionists; 190,000,in the most ample and good faith all her pledges. formation to those interested in this mat- 000 Mohammedans; 300,000,000 Pagans.

> weekly service, one way at that only. I would suggest that you call attention to this proposal, and let bids be forwarded. The amount of damage caused by the calling for Postoffies and distances—and in flood of Sunday night along the line of promise to attend in person to this matter to have been so great as was anticipated, early in our next session, and secure, if many persons having taken the precaution Confederate forces actively engaged, possible, additional service and increased to get all their valuables out of harm's way. pay; the probabilities of which will de- Centre-street bridge was carried away, and pend on the amount of business done, Pratt-street bridge and the drawbridge are

It is hoped that this service will be se- chines which were wrecked against them. cured. "A half loaf is better than no The damages to the city will probably be bread." Col. Dockery will forward any over a hundred thousand dollars, while pribids that may be tendered. The region of vate individuals lose from sixty to seventyof a class of emigrants from the great States ly- country that this route would supply needs five thousand, as nearly as can be estimated. additional mail facilities very much.

Fayetteville Presbyterian. CAPT. JOHN IVEY .- The Roanoke News states that this gentleman who has been for a large number of years running as passenger conductor on the Wilmington of Elysville, and no trains passed over the and Weldon road, and who is deservedly road yesterday. The Northern Central was popular, has resigned his position as conductor to accept the place of depot agent promptly made, and the trains will run at Rocky Mount. Capt. Jos. M. Howell as usual to-day. The Country along the succeeds Capt. Ivey as conductor.

SERIOUS ILLNESS OF A PROMINENT CITI Senators would fully complete every preparation | ZEN. - It is with sorrow that we hear of the dangerous condition of Capt. Jas. R. Thigpen, so highly respected as one of our best positions would unmistakably demonstrate the citizens, and one of the editors of the Re

constructed Farmer. Many fears are expressed for the life of this worthy gentleman, which we can but hope will prove delusive.

Tarborough Southerner. We regret to learn that Dr. H. A Its good effects are already visible everywhere McSwain, one of our old citizens and within the State. Mining and manufacturing en- popular physician, has determined to leave terprises are being organized, capital is seeking us in a few months. He expects to discontinue his profession, and to remove to a farm in Columbus or the lower Cape of every sort on their shores being Fear region, where he will devote his time destroyed by the torrents. Railroad travel to farming and grape culture. While we in these localities has been entirely cut off, hate to lose so valuable a citizen, we wish bridges and track being alike carried

OUR RAILROADS. - We have heard that let us all manfully grapple with the living pre. Mr. David G. McDuffie, a well known ensent, and confidently hope for a glorious future gineer here, is to begin a preliminary survey of the Fayetteville and Florence Rail road in few days. We are not aware of any further or definite progress in this en- public, writing from Yorktown, thus surveying party now engaged on the the system by the use of well water : Salisbury route, and that the surveys will Another point should be borne in mind conviction that the Legislature would ratify the be reported by the last of this month, after by every one intending to locate within Fifteenth Amendment voluntarily, and even if it which the managers of the road will decide one hundred miles of the seacoast; or in was not a requisite to admission. He commends | what to do, The Salisbury route is getting any place where malarial diseases prevail. the appointments at the session of the standing more into favor, and it is now thought the It is, under no consideration use spring or supply the deficiency in the State appro- rule is habitually violated, and, as a con-

bury. - Fayetteville Eagle. learn from gentlemen who were present at by the use of spring or well water; and the Asheboro', on the 5th, that the first annu- remedy is of the simplest; yet the persistenal meeting of the stockholders of the cy with which this water, everywhere bearper cent. paid in cash -- securing the char- simple and cheap as it is, and well estab-An amendment will be offered in the House to land promised, so soon as arrangement | ily in a hundred in the country uses one.

can be made for its legal conveyance. antee of success.

FLECTION IN MECKLENBURG.-Col. H. C. In the House there were only six votes against ard, Radical, by 182 majority on Thurs-There will be an election held at the dif-

11th, 1869, for the purpose of voting on tions by simple sentences with wonderful the proposition of the commissioners to distinctness. subscribe \$50,000 to the Western Railroad. the 15th amendment was offered, making it take provided said road is located at Salisbury. mond, Va., on Maximilian and Mexico.

important to Liquor-Dealers.

The Use of Standing Casks Prohibited.

The following decision has been made by the Internal Revenue Department: TREA URY DEPARTMENT,) OFFICE INTERNAL REVENUE,

Washington, Sept. 20, 1869. | Shr: -In reply to your letter of the 2sth instant, asking if the letter from this office, dated General S. Cooper, Alexandria, Va.: Septem' er 10, instant, B. N. Mea ls, assessor. published, as you say, in volume 10, page 98, of the Internal Revenue Record, is intended to entirely prohibit the use of standing casks by liquor dealers, you are informed that such is the intention. This prohibition is not intended, however, to include vessels containing less than five callons as bottles, decanters, and demilohus. used by retail dealers. Still, an unnecessary number of such vessels found upon the premises A. J. Burton, Eso., has severed his con- of a retail dealer will be a circumstance sufficiently suspicious to call for a close observation of the Very respectfully,

JOSIAN GIVEN, Deputy Commissioner. Gordon L. Fond, Collector of Third District, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Population of the Globe, There are on the globe 1,288,000,000 of souls. 360,000,000 are of the Caucasian race: 552,000,000 are of the Mongol race 190,000,000 are of the Ethiopian race; 176,-000,000 are of the Malay race; 1,000,000 are of the Indo-American race. There are 3,642 languages spoken, and 1,000 different religions. The yearly mortality of the globe is 33,333,333 persons. This is at the rate ef 91,554 per day, 3,730 per hour, 62 per minute. So each pulsation of the heart marks the decease of some human creature. The average of human life is 33 | Total deaths in the C. S. A., 1861-'2. years. One-fourth of the population dies at or before the age of 7 years. One-half ator before 17 years. Among 10,000 persons one arrives at the age of 100 years, Total wounded, prisoners and discharged one in 500 attains the age of 90, and one in 100 lives to the age of 60. Married men in June and December than in any other federate army, 1861 5, was at least 160,000, whole population is military. Professions prisons, which would swell the number to In the Christian churches 170,000,000 pro-"Gen. Smith, the 2d Assist. P. M. Gen- fess the Roman Catholic faith, 75,000,000

Elsewhere.

considerably injured by the dredging ma-The flood was general along all the watercourses in the vicinity of the city, and from Baltimore, Howard, and Anne Arundel counties, there are many reports of losses of property by the water. The Baltimore and Ohio railroad is washed away in the vicinity damaged at various points, but repairs were Washington Branch is inundated, but the road is unhurt. Philadelphia has experienced a terrible and destructive freshet in the Schuylkill, the river spreading over many blocks of houses on either bank and sweeping everything before it. Houses and railroad cars have been washed off and several lives lost. The railroad bridge at Gray's Ferry was washed out, cutting off railroad communication between Baltimore and Philadelphia. Passengers from the North, who were due here yesterday afternoon, were transferred from Philadel phia to Wilmington, Delaware, by steamer and thence to Baltimore by rail, arriving here late last night. From central and eastern Pennsylvania and New York telegrams tell one unbroken story of great proach to accuracy. floods in all the streams and of buildings away by the waters. In the distance that it covered, the storm appears to have been one of the most disastrous that ever hap-

Cistern Water.

A correspondent of the New York Reterprise. We learn that A. J. Jones, Presi- speaks of our standard drinking water, and dent of the Western Railroad, is with the also remarks on the deleterious effects on

upper counties on this route are willing to well water for drinking purposes. This priation, and complete the road to Salis- sequence, nine out of every ten persons are more or less affected by the diseases of the climate. It is a well established fact GREENSBORO AND CHERAW RAILROAD. -- We that these diseases are almost wholly caused "Central North Carolina Railroad Compa- ing the seeds of disease, is used, and the pany" was duly held, and a permanent or- tience with which ague and the various form ganization affected, on such a basis as to of marsh fever are borne, has no parallel out inspire the entire confidence of the public. of the dominions of the Sultan. The Over \$21,000 was subscribed and the five remedy is a good and ample cistern. But ter beyond question-and any amount of lished as is its effectiveness, not one fam-Consequently diseases of a malarial type The Directory embraces many of the are prevalent in the latter summer and best business men in the counties along early fall months; and though not often the line, and two in the city of Charleston. fatal they have a very depressing effect, Dr. J. M. Worth was unanimously elected both mentally and physically, upon all who President, a name which, alone, is a guar- fall under their baleful influence. In years gone by, the listless and forlorn appearance of many inhabitants of the pine regions, especially the poorer ones, was at-Jones, of Charlotte, Conservative was elect- tributed, by zealous philanthropists, to the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendments to the ed to the Senate to fill the unexpired term the blighting influence of slavery, but the of Judge Osborne, deceased, over Pritch. modern observer sees in the palid countenances and slovenly movements of these them, and in the Senate only four against the 14th day. This is a gain over Seymour's ma- dwellers by the marsh and fen, only the unmistakable traces of fever and ague.

Professor Faber's speaking machine, now in Hamburg, is said to articulate of Davie county, on Thursday, November various words, and even to answer ques-

General Magruder is lecturing in Rich-

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Confederate Losses During the Civil War. 1861 5 Correspondence Between the Secrefury, Dr. Joseph Jones, and Gen. S. Cooper, Formerly Adjutant General of the Confederate States.

NEW ORLEANS, August 2, 1869.

DEAR SIR :- You will please excuse the liberty which I take in trespassing upon

your valuable time. I have recently been preparing, for the Southern Historical Society, a paper upon the losses of the Confederate army, from battle, wounds and disease, during the civil war, 1861-5. The following general results of my investigation are most respectfully submitted to you for examina-

tion and criticism : Killed, Wounded and Prisoners of the Confederate Army During the Wor, 1861-'65 Killed. Wounded. 1,315 1852. 51,313

Total......53,773 194,026 If the deaths from disease be added, the sum total will represent the entire loss. The returns of the field and general hos-

pitals are known for 1861 and 1862. Confederates killed in battle, 1861-'2......19,897 Deaths caused by wounds in field hospitals . 1,623 Deaths caused by wounds in general do ... Deaths caused by disease in field hosp'is Deaths caused by disease in general do. 16,741

Total wounded in C. S. A , 1861 '2 72,713

in 1861-'2..... If it be fair to assume that the total live longer than single ones. In 100 per mortality of '63 4 was fully equal to that sons 95 marry, and more marriages occur of 1862, then the total deaths in the Conmonths of the year. One-eighth of the exclusive of the deaths in Northern MAIL FROM FAYETTEVILLE TO SHOE HEEL. exercise a great influence on longevity. In to near 185,000; and if the deaths amongst -A petition was forwarded to the postof- 1,000 individuals who arrive at the age of the discharged for wounds and diseases, According to this calculation the deaths

The available Confederate force capable of active service in the field did not. during the entire war, exceed six hundred thousand men. Of this number not more eral, agrees to give you a weekly service the Greek, and 80,000,000 the Protestant. than four hundred thousand were enrolled at any one time; and the Confederate States never had in the field more than two hundred thousand men capable of bearing arms, at any one time, exclusive

of sick, wounded and disabled. If the preceding calculation be correct we have the following figures, illustrating no event over the above sum-and I will Jones's Falls was discovered yesterday not the losses of the Confederate armies dur-

> losses of C, S. A., in prisoners, '61-5, which may be considered as total losses, on account of the policy of nonexchange by the United States Losses of C. S. A. by discharges, disability and desertion..... outright upon the field or died of disease number were captured and held for an in-

the remaining 400,000, at least one-half were lost to the service by discharges and At the close of the war the available

force of the Confederate States numbered scarcely 100,000 effective men. The resolution, unsurpassed bravery and skill with which the Confederate leaders conducted this contest is shown by the fact that out of 600,000 men in the field about 500,000 were lost to the service. At the close of the war 100,000 Confed-

erates were opposed to one million Feder-Your approval or disapproval of this calculation is most respectfully solicited. The distinguished ability with which you discharged the responsible and arduous duties of Adj't General of the Confed erate army, qualifies you above every other officer of the late Confederate States to

decide how far such calculations may ap-With great respect and the highest esteem, I have the honor to be, your obe-

JOSEPH JONES, M. D., Secretary and Treasurer Southern Historical Society, Professor Chemistry Medical Department, University of Louisi-

NEAR ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

August 29, 1869. Dr. Joseph Jones, Secretary and Treasurer of the Southern Historical Society, New Orleans, La.:

DEAR SIR:-I have the honor to receive your kind and interesting letter of the 2d instant, and beg you will accept my best

thanks for the same. I have closely examined your several statements in respect to the Confederate military forces during the late war, as well as the casualties incident thereto, and I have come to the conclusion from my general recollection which those statements have served to enlighten, that they must be regarded as nearly critically correct. -Most of the returns from which you most probably have derived your information must have passed through the files of my office in the Confederacy, and if reference could be made to all the records of that office, they would, I have no doubt, enable you to give nearly a complete history of the strength and operations of our armies in detail. The files of that office which could best afford this information, were carefully boxed up and taken on our retreat from Richmond to Charlotte, N. C. where they were finally unfortunately captured, and as I learn, are now in Washington, where they are properly arranged in a separate building, with other records appertaining to the Confederacy. I presume that by proper management, reference might be had to them. Indeed, I had at ties in Washington, but I finally abandon-

ed the idea. duty, furloughs, desertions, and other trust that he is better off where he is."

casualties incident to a campaign life. These returns were kept with great secreey, in order to prevent the enemy from

Another disadvantage was also felt in the limited number of our suitable weapons of war, and I believe it will be found, on examination, that the most approved and tried arms in the hands of our troops were captured from the enemy in battle. These, and many other incidents of a like nature, if brought to light, would exhibit the greatest disparity between the two opposing forces, if not alike in the number of troops, as you have exhibited in your

becoming acquainted with our weakness.

were constantly laboring, throughout the contest, under every possible disadvantage. I perceive by the printed prospectus of the "Southern Historical Society." which you were so kind as to send me, that time must be given in collecting the necessary facts which are to be the basis of this important work, before it shall be prepared and given to the public. To this end it will be my endeavor to contribute from time to time, such facts as I may be enabled to collect, and as may be deemed of

tables, at least of sufficient importance to

satisfy levery unprejudiced mind that we

consequence by the society. With great respect, I have the honor to be your obedient servant, S. COOPER.

Discovery of the Wife of Captain Aza A. Lee, of Alba.

After Fifteen Years' Desertion her Hus. band's Property is Restored to Her_Val.

ue of a Newspaper Paragraph, Our readers will remember that we published on the 14th of July last the notice of Josiah Dow, public administrator upon the estate of Aza A. Lee, deceased, and accompanied it with an editorial paragraph stating the facts of Captain Lee's death in battle during the siege of Knoxville, his long residence and respectable position in this county, the mysterious reserve that he had always maintained here with reference to his former life and connections, and the dilemma respecting the disposition of his real property under the laws of Illinois consequent upon the ab-

sence of any known heirs to the estate. Among the papers that we send to the East is one to the father of Mr. Patton of this village, who lives at Candia, N. H. He saw the paragraph, and happening to know a man whose sister's husband, named Lee, had mysteriously disappeared many years previously, he called the gentleman's attention to it. The man corresponded exactly. Investigation followed. Mr. Dow. the administrator, was written to, and from what they thus learned the parties at the East were satisfied that the deceased Cap-

tain Lee was the long-lost husband. Mrs. Lee's brother, whose name is Nathaniel B. Hall, then came to this county and put in a claim in behalf of his sister as heir to the estate. He exhibited a daguerreotype of Captain Lee, which Judge Hindman readily recognized, though evidently taken when he was several years younger than he appeared here. Among the other proofs was evidence of the facts of the marriage of Aza A. Lee and Miss Hall, in the State of Maine, then subsequent removal to the State of New York. and his desertion of his wife and disappearance from there because of business If this calculation, which is given only embarrassments—since which not the as an approximation, be correct, one slightest clue to his whereabouts had ever third of all the men actively engaged on been gained by his family, who mourned the Confederate side were either killed him as dead, the general supposition having been that he had drowned himself .and wounds; another third of the entire His disappearance there was in 1855, and he must have made his way directly to Ilfinite period in Northern prisons; and of linois, as he appeared here about that time. He lived in Anawan and Alba townships, in this county, both of which he represented in the Board of Supervisors, receiving several reelections. He acquired some property, and was esteemed, we are told, for intelligence and probity-always somewhat qualified, however, by the mystery hanging over his former life. When the One hundred and Twelfth regiment of Illinois volunteers was organized he went with it as first lieutenant in Captain Dow's company, and on the promotion of Captain

Dow to major, Lieutenant Lee rose to the rank of captain, and was killed, as related during the siege of Knoxville. The deserted wife, left without means, had made her way back to New England. where she had latterly maintained herself by working in the Manchester cotton mills. Now, however, by our fortunate publication of the facts in relation to his life here, she finds herself suddenly restored to property that she ought of right to have shared through all these years-the county court here having accepted the proofs of identity as satisfactory. The estate, after administration, consists of forty acres of land in Alba and \$300 to \$400 of personal property. Besides, there is due her from the Government, in back pay and pen-

captain's widow during her widowhood. A Youthful Clerk, Among the proceedings which took place in the Senate chamber of the Virginia Legislature on Tuesday the Rich-

mond Whiq records the following

sions, over \$1,500, and the pension due a

"While the roll was being called. Colonel Walter H. Taylor, of Norfolk, (the Adjutant of General R. E. Lee during the war.) stated that his name was not on it. and proceeded to explain why it was not there. On finding, yesterday, that he was one of the seven Senators whose certificates had been retained by General Canby, he went to head quarters this morning, and on asking General Canby why this was the case, that officer replied that he had been informed that he was a clerk of the Circuit Court in the year 1844. He told General Canby that he was then only six years old, and convinced him that he labored under no disability that would prevent him from taking his seat as a Senator from Norfolk. General Canby thereupon said he would have his certificate forwarded to the Secretary of the Commonwealth. This had not yet been done, and he was consequently unable to qualify as re-

Mark Twain at the Tomb of Adam. "The tomb of Adam! How touching it was here in a land of strangers, far away from home and friends, and all who cared for me, thus to discover the grave of a blood relation. True, a distant one, but one time contemplated to make an effort still a relation. The unerring instinct of to renew my acquaintance with the records | nature thrilled its recognition. The founby a personal application to the authori- tain of my filial affection was stirred to its profoundest depths, and I gave way to tumultuous emotion. I leaned upon a pillar It would afford me much pleasure to and burst into tears. I deem it no shame furnish you with the information in the to have wept over the grave of my poor tabular form you have suggested, but it dead relative. Let him who would sneer would be quite impossible for me to do at my emotion, close this volume here, for this without reference to those records. I he will find little to his taste in my jourcan only state from general recollection neyings through Hely Land. Noble old that during the two last years of the war man-he did not live to see his child .the monthly returns of our armies received | And I - I - alas! I did not live to see him. at my office exhibited the present active Weighed down by sorrow and disappointforce in the field nearly one-half less than ment, he died before I was born-6,000 the returns themselves actually called for, brief summers before I was born. But let on account of absentees by sickness, extra us try to bear it with fortitude. Let us