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Fire Insurance.

WE refer our readers to the annual statement of the FAYETTEVILLE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, which will be found in another column. This successful institution was incorporated by the Legislature of Connecticut in 1819, with a capital charter. Its capital is \$500,000, and its accumulations exceed \$800,000 more, making its entire assets over \$1,300,000, invested as detailed in the statement referred to. These results indicate that during the period of nearly forty years since its organization, (without a single change of its chief officer,) its business has been conducted with judgment and prudence. It has been thus far successful in an eminent degree, discharging, as we are informed, all its obligations by the payment of about ten million dollars for losses, without making any of its principles capable of being enlarged to a system, the practical working and details of which are as certain as that of any other business. The FAYETTEVILLE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, by adhering rigidly to its system, and placing its business upon a healthy basis, has obtained the confidence of the community to an extent surpassed by no other company in the U. S., and has increased its business and its income from year to year with a steady growth. One great source of its security is the wide distribution of its risks—a policy which it pursues with great strictness—limiting the amount to be covered in each locality. By this course it has passed, with comparative impunity, through some of the most sweeping and destructive fires, which have swallowed up other companies less cautious in their business. It is a system like this, based upon experience, which gives stability and security to a company, and to the assured confidence and security.—*Baltimore Patriot.*

ETNA INSURANCE COMPANY,

HARTFORD, CONN.
INCORPORATED 1819. CHARTER PERPETUAL.
Capital \$1,000,000. Assets \$1,422,162 11.
T. K. BRACE, President. E. G. RIPLEY, Vice President. T. A. ALEXANDER, Secretary.
Directors—T. K. BRACE, S. T. JUDEN, R. BARTLETT, M. A. TUTTLE, E. FLETCHER, E. A. BULKLEY, R. MATHER, E. G. RIPLEY, S. T. WARD, H. Z. PRATT, G. F. DEAVIS, A. DUNHAM, D. HILLYER, T. A. ALEXANDER, W. KENNY.
The Assets are mainly invested in Stocks and Bonds, paying interest, with \$1,729,694 of cash on deposit in the Hartford Banks, to meet losses.
Losses due and unpaid—none.
Losses adjusted and not due, \$24,311 95.
Losses in suspense, waiting further proof, &c., \$75,559 15.
Losses rec'd, (suspicions of fraud, &c.) \$46,678 72.
Agent of the above Company in Fayetteville, N. C.—**E. J. HALE.**

BRITISH PERIODICALS.

L. SCOTT & CO., NEW YORK, continue to publish the following leading British Periodicals, viz:
1. THE LONDON QUARTERLY (Conservative).
2. THE EDINBURGH REVIEW (Whig).
3. THE NORTH BRITISH REVIEW (Free Church).
4. THE WESTMINSTER REVIEW (Liberal).
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These Periodicals already represent the three great political parties of Great Britain, and they have a wide circulation, but politics forms only one feature of their character. As organs of the most profound writers on Science, Literature, Morality, and Religion, they stand, as they ever have stood, unrivalled in the world of letters, being considered not only as the scholar and the professional man, while to the intelligent reader of every class they furnish a more correct and satisfactory record of the current literature of the day, throughout the world, than can be possibly obtained from any other source.

EARLY COPIES.

The receipt of ADVANCE SHEETS from the British publishers gives additional value to these Reprints, inasmuch as they can now be placed in the hands of subscribers as soon as the original editions.

TERMS.

Per ann.	\$8 00
For any two of the four Reviews	5 00
For any three of the four Reviews	7 00
For all four of the Reviews	8 00
For Blackwood's Magazine	3 00
For Blackwood and three Reviews	3 00
For Blackwood and the four Reviews	10 00

Payments to be made in all cases in advance. Money current in the State where issued will be received at par.

A discount of twenty-five per cent, from the above price will be allowed to Clergymen ordering four or more copies of any one or more of the above works. Thus: Four copies of Blackwood, or one Review, will set out to one address for \$20; and four copies of the four Reviews and Blackwood for \$20; and so on.

CLUBBING.

In all the principal Cities and Towns, those works will be delivered, FREE OF POSTAGE. When sent by mail, the Postage on any part of the United States will be but TWENTY-FOUR CENTS a year for "Blackwood," and FORTY-EIGHT CENTS a year for each of the Reviews.

N. B. The price in Great Britain of the five Periodicals above-named is \$21 per annum.

Remittances for any of the above publications should always be addressed, post paid, to the Publishers, LEONARD SCOTT & CO., No. 54 Gold Street, New York.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON.

AMS, Slices and Shoulders, for sale by **BEVERLY ROSE.**
July 28. 80-

NOTICE.

THE CANDIDATES for the Legislature in Cumberland and Harnett Counties, and the Candidates for the office of Sheriff, by agreement will address the people at the following times and places, viz:
At Carver's Creek, Cumberland Co., July 12th.
Black River, " " " " 14th.
Flex Hill, " " " " 14th.
Lock's Creek, " " " " 16th.
Cedar Creek, " " " " 16th.
Gray's Creek, " " " " 17th.
Queen's, " " " " 22d.
71st District, " " " " 23d.
Rockfish, Harnett " " " " 24th.
Barbecue, " " " " 26th.
Upper Little River, " " " " 27th.
Stewart's Creek, " " " " 28th.
Crows, " " " " 29th.
Neill's Creek, " " " " 30th.
Buchhorn, " " " " 31st.

TO Turpentine Distillers and others.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public that he has this day engaged Mr. LEONARD BELLINGHAM, Sr., who is well known as a first rate Cooper-Smith, and is prepared to execute all orders in the line of Copper-smithing with despatch, such as Turpentine Stills, Copper, Steam and Water Pipes, Pumps, Iron Smoke Stacks, and all other Copper and Sheet Iron works. Repairing of all kinds of Copper-smith work, attended to. All orders promptly attended to.

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GREAT SALE OF LOTS ON A CREDIT!

ON the 28th and 29th of July, 1858, at the City of Morehead.

O. HOUSTON

WOULD inform his friends and former customers of Morehead, and 3 doors above his old stand south side Person Street, where he intends to keep on hand, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Whips, Collars, and every thing belonging to this trade. He respectfully invites his friends from the country to call and examine his stock before purchasing. He will attend to repairing of Harness and Saddles punctually, and his charges shall be moderate. He would request all indebted to the firm of HOUSTON & OVERY to settle with W. Overy or himself, as they are compelled to settle the firm's debts.

FARM FOR SALE

OFFER for sale my PLANTATION on the East side of the Central Railroad, known as the Toomer Lands, containing about 800 acres. The Plantation is in a good state of cultivation, and is susceptible of being made one of the most profitable Farms in the country. I will give a bargain in the lands, and make the time of payment easy if application is made in a few weeks.

LANDS FOR SALE.

OFFER for sale about 6000 Acres of Fine Lands near Fayetteville, containing an immense quantity of Mill Timber, and a number of Turpentine Boxes, and several new tasks may be cut. There is on the premises a fine Dwelling House, and all necessary out-houses,—Scuppernon and Isabella Grape Vines,—1000 young Peach and Apple Trees of Lindley's best variety, and also a GRIST and SAW MILL, and a fine large Meadow of about 140 acres. The Fayetteville and Coal Fields Rail Road passes through these lands about a mile from the Mills. I will sell in parcels to suit purchasers, but would prefer to sell the whole together. Apply to Thos. S. Lutterloh, Esq., Fayetteville, or the subscriber at Pittsburgh, N. C.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. EASTERING and HENAGAN having associated themselves together for the purpose of practicing Medicine in Rockingham and vicinity, they respectfully solicit a liberal share of patronage, and by their strict and prompt attention they hope to give perfect satisfaction to those who may favor them with their patronage. They will attend any call day or night. Dr. Eastering takes pleasure in stating to his former patrons that Dr. H. is a regular graduate, having read three years and attended two full courses of Lectures. One or both may be found at any time at their Office opposite the Post Office, unless professionally engaged.

\$50 REWARD

WILL be given for the apprehension and delivery to me, or confinement in any jail in the State so that I can get him, of my man JIM. He left on the 20th ult., and has not been seen, or heard of since. He is a bright mulatto, almost white, about 23 years old, about 5 feet 9 inches high, straight hair, and teeth defective, long beard on his chin when he left. Had on when he left a very good suit of clothes, and will very likely try to pass off for a white man, and make for a free State; should he not go north, he will likely go up in the vicinity of Fayetteville, as he was raised there, and formerly belonged to Wm. B. Wright, Esq., of that place. Any person who may take up said Boy, will be entitled to the above reward, and the thanks of **ISAAC B. KELLY.**

LAST NOTICE.

THE undersigned has placed all his notes and accounts in the hands of Dunsmuir McIntyre for collection. All persons indebted to him, who do not come forward by the 1st of August and pay up or confess judgment, will after that date find their papers in the hands of an officer.

OATS AND PEAS.

BUSHELS SEED OATS, 200 100 dwt. Cow Peas. A few barrels Northern Irish Potatoes. For sale in quantities to suit, by **B. ROSE.**
Feb'y 16, 1858. 80-

The Largest Carriage Factory in the South!

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he has built up large substantial Brick Buildings at his Old Stand, expressly for manufacturing Carriages. Thankful for the very liberal patronage he has received for the last 21 years, he hopes by strict attention to business, with a desire to give satisfaction, to merit a continuance of the same. He warrants his work to be made of the best material and by experienced workmen in each branch of the business. His work will compare favorably with any made in the United States for neatness and durability. He is determined to sell and do any work in his line on as good terms as any work done elsewhere that is as well done. He now has on hand, Prepared, the LARGEST STOCK of

A. A. McKETHAN

Carriages, Barouches, Rockaways, and Buggies.

Every offered in this place, and a very large stock of work nearly finished, which will be finished daily unless which will be repaired first of class, or on short time to punctual customers. He has on hand more than ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY Vehicles finished and in course of construction.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Books of Subscription to the Capital Stock of the Central Rail Road, from Beaufort Harbor via Kenansville, Clinton, Fayetteville, and West, will be opened on Thursday, the 19th day of April 1858, and remain open according to the terms of the Charter until further notice, at the following places and under direction of the following named persons, Commissioners in the Charter, viz:

IN Duplin county, at the office of the County Clerk at Kenansville,—Major Owen R. Kenan, David Reid, Isaac B. Kelly, Wm. E. Hill, Wm. J. Houston, Stephen Graham.
IN Sampson county, at the office of the County Clerk at Clinton,—Thomas J. Faison, Dr. Thomas Blanton, Wm. McKay, Patrick Murphy, Wm. Faison, J. R. Beaman, Alfred Johnson.
IN Cumberland county, at Fayetteville, at the office of A. A. McKethan,—Thomas R. Underwood, Ramial McDaniel, Edward L. Winslow, John C. Blocker.
Form of subscription:

The undersigned agree to take the number of shares of \$100 each, set opposite to our names respectively, in the Central Rail Road Company, and in all respects to comply with the terms of the Charter.

SHEMWEILL HOUSE,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
East side of Green Street, a few Doors North of the Market House.

THE Subscriber desires through this notice to acknowledge the liberal patronage bestowed upon his House the past year—and as he has just erected New Stables and Carriage Shed convenient to the House and to water he takes pleasure in saying to his patrons and the public generally, that he is still prepared to accommodate them with transient and permanent board, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore received. Every exertion on his part shall be used to render their comfortable during their sojourn with him. His table is always supplied with the best the market affords.

JOSEPH BAKER, JR., ATTORNEY AT LAW,

HAS taken an office next door to Wm. B. Wright's Law office on Green Street. He will attend and practice in the County and Superior Courts of Cumberland, Bladen, Robeson and Sampson.

J. W. BAKER

Is now receiving from the North the largest, finest, and most carefully selected stock of

EDGEWORTH FEMALE SEMINARY,

GREENSBORO, N. C.
The scholastic year is divided into two Sessions, commencing 1st August and 1st January.

TERMS.
Board, including washing, lights, and fuel, per Session of five months, \$80 00
Tuition in the Regular Classes, 20 00
The next Session will commence on Monday, August 2d, 1858. Pupils are admitted any time during the Session, and charged from the time of entrance.

A PROCLAMATION,

By his Excellency, THOMAS BRAGG, Governor of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, it has been represented to me that one Archibald McDougald, late of the County of Cumberland, did on the 27th day of February last, in said County, kill and murder one Thomas Munroe, and that the said McDougald is a fugitive from justice, and has escaped beyond the limits of this State.

HIGH MOUNT TANNERY,

SITUATED 4 MILES WEST OF WADESBORO', ANSON COUNTY, N. C.
NOW the place is over and wholly killed in these proceedings, and the tannery will continue to conduct the general Tanning and Manufacturing of all kinds of Leather, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Boots and Shoes, of every size and description—the very best material. PLANTATION premium BROGANS, NOT to be surpassed. All which he offers and proposes to sell or exchange for Raw Hides, Beaver, Tallow, and all kinds of country produce, on terms to justify and accommodate his customers according to the times.

ALABAMA LAND FOR SALE.
THE Subscriber offers for sale THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED ACRES of Land in his healthy section as there is in Alabama.

WATER WHEELS! WATER WHEELS!
WE are now manufacturing Vandewater's Improved JUNVAL TURBINE WATER WHEEL, for Mills and Factories of every description; and all those wishing to improve their water power will find it their interest to address us by letter, stating the number of feet, head and fall, their usual amount of water; the kind of machinery to be driven. We can then give them price of wheel, or what we will furnish Wheel and principal parts, warranted to do a certain amount of work. Give ground to test the Wheel, and if it does not come up to our figure, the Wheel and Gear to be delivered to us at the mill of the purchaser. REFERENCED GIVEN AS ABOVE.

CHAMPION'S PILLS.

WE would call the attention of persons afflicted with Chills and Fevers to this celebrated Pill, which owes its popularity to its pulling, not to long, but to its own merits. It is a simple, but efficacious remedy, which never fails to cure when taken according to directions accompanying each box. This Pill, unlike many others, contains no mineral, nor any injurious ingredient, and may be administered with perfect safety at all times, to young or old.

CHAMPION'S ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS

Enjoy the reputation of being at least as good, if not better, than any of the various cathartic Pills of the age, and are entirely free from all poisonous, mineral, or other injurious properties, and are highly recommended in Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Sick Headache, Stomachic, Habitual Costiveness, Indigestion, &c., and diseases of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels and Blood generally, they being by their composition equally adapted to either of the above cases as a general cathartic, or solely to its own merits. No opium required. We recommend them to the attention of all persons. Prepared by

F. M. SWYER & CO., Belleville, N. C.

The Life of General Havelock, by Rev. Wm. Brock, Ursula, by Miss Sewell; The City of the Great King, by Dr. Barclay. Also, further supplies of Dr. Keane's Explorations; Waverly Novels, Hugh Miller's Works, School Books &c.

By **GEO. LAUDER,** TWO DOORS ABOVE C. T. HAIGH & SON'S STORE, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
July 1, 1858. 84-7yd

W. H. FURLINGTON,

Commission Merchant, No. 4 North Water St. WILMINGTON, N. C.
WILL give his prompt personal attention to the sale or shipment of all consignments of Naval Stores or other Country Produce.
Nov. 8, 1856.

DR. K. A. BLACK,

Office Front Rooms, over Dr. S. J. Hinedale's Chemist and Drug Store
Feb'y 7, 1856.

THO. C. FULLER,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law.
Office at Ewell's Bridge, recently occupied by Jones, Banks, Esq., Fayetteville, N. C. Jan'y 1, 1857.

LOVERD ELDRIDGE,

Attorney at Law,
Wilmington, N. C.
Nov. 11, 1857.

TANNER'S OIL & DRY HIDES,

20 BBLs. Tanner's Oil,—a superior article, also a fine lot of Dry Hides. For sale by **JAS. G. COOK.**

LOSS,

LAST Saturday, 31st ult. (during the hours of parade), about the Court House, or between the Court House and the Fair Ground, a small yellow leather Pocket Book, containing \$59, consisting of three \$10 bills, three \$4 do., one \$5 bill, one \$6 gold piece, three \$2 50 gold pieces. A Reward of \$10 will be given for the above described Pocket Book and money, delivered to the undersigned.

COTTON BAGGING.

DUNDEE and GUNNY BAGGING in quantities to suit purchasers. For sale by **JAS. G. COOK.**

Further Supplies of Books.

THE English Handbook, Penon's Life of Barr; Haapt on Bridge Construction; Breckinridge's Knowledge of God; Wilson on the Skin; Plates to ditto; Mitchell's Therapeutics; Williams on the Principles of Medicine; Wood's Practice; Pierce's Algebra and Geometry; &c.

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM,

COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT, Wilmington, N. C.
Prompt personal attention given to all consignments, and Cash advances made on Produce to be shipped to other ports or sold in this market.

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE undersigned has been appointed Agent of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company. Every member for life participates in the profits of the Company; and the annual premium for life membership, where it amounts to \$50 or more, may be paid one-half in cash, and the other half in a note at 12 months.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

OFFER for sale, my LANDS in the Town of Fayetteville, about 130 Acres, known as the MUMFORD SWAMP. Also, the Stable Lot adjoining, fronting on Mansford Street.

Marble Factory.

By **GEO. LAUDER,** TWO DOORS ABOVE C. T. HAIGH & SON'S STORE, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
July 20, 1858.

NOTICE.

THE Trustees of the "DONALDSON ACADEMY" desire to lease the buildings on Haymont, near Fayetteville, which have been used during the last year by Messrs. Cairns and Robinson, in conducting their School. The Academy is situated conveniently, and the patronage of the school is ample and liberal. Any gentleman who desires to take the situation may address at Fayetteville, until the 1st of September, **W. B. WRIGHT,** President of the Board of Directors.

"Following the Drum," by Mrs.

Vieie: Osceola, by Capt. Mayne Reid; The Yellow Frigate, by Capt. Jas. Grant; Wild Flowers. Further supplies of Life and Ministry of Spurgeon; Mustang Gray; Bernard Lile; School Books, &c.

LAST CALL.

ALL persons indebted to Daniel Clark must certainly pay up by the 10th August next, as after that date all Notes and Accounts not settled will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection, without respect to persons.

TAKEN UP

AND committed to the Jail of Cumberland County, a Negro man by the name of HENRY, who says he belongs to John E. Archibald of Beaufort County, and was hired to John Perkins, of South Carolina. The said negro is of dark complexion, 5 feet 10 inches high, about 22 years of age, had on when taken up dark colored pants, black coat and black hat. The owner of said negro is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take him away, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

TAKEN UP!

AND committed to the Jail of Chatham county, two Negro Boys by the name of HENDERSON and EDU, who say they belong to the agency, &c. We will prove property, pay charges, and take them away; otherwise, they will be dealt with according to law.

THE LAW LIBRARY

OF THE LATE HON. JOHN D. TOOMER, FOR SALE. THE valuable Law Library of the late Judge Toomer, consisting of upwards of 1000 bound Volumes, and several hundred Nos. unbound, has been deposited with the undersigned for sale. The books will be sold in sets. FOR CASH ONLY. They are generally in good order, though of course bearing marks of use. The prices have been fixed with reference to their condition.

MITCHELL'S FALLS.

AGENTS WANTED IN EVERY COUNTY OF THE STATE TO canvass the same, and procure subscribers' names for the sale and delivery of an excellent LITHOGRAPHIC PICTURE, taken upon the spot and gotten up in the finest style of the art, representing the place where the Rev. ELISHA MITCHELL lost his life in his explorations of the Black Mountains, in the Summer of 1857. Upon the receipt of Three Dollars, we will furnish to any person desirous of taking an Agency, Two Pictures, one tinted and one colored, as sampler, with full particulars as to the undersigned. We will offer inducements sufficient to make it pay an energetic agent. For further particulars address us at Asheville, N. C.

NORTH CAROLINA SUPREME COURT REPORTS.

THE subscribers have just printed at the Observer Office a SECOND EDITION OF DEVEREUX AND BATTLE'S LAW REPORTS, VOL. I. REVISED AND CORRECTED, WITH NOTES AND REFERENCES, BY HON. WILLIAM H. BATTLE, JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA. The price of the new edition is not greater than that of the old, though, as it is scarcely necessary to say to the Profession in North Carolina, its value has been greatly increased by Judge Battle's Notes, References and Corrections. The volume has been long out of print, and we shall be glad to supply the many who are in possession of it, and who are incomplete without it, as well as those who have the old edition but would like to have the new one for the sake of its notes.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, recently occupied by Mrs. H. P. Linn, and as present occupied by the Rev. James McDaniel, near Haymont, will be sold privately by the subscriber. It is located in a good neighborhood; convenient to the school, and has all necessary out-houses attached. A great bargain may be had, as I am determined to sell. Terms LIBERAL. **J. R. McDONALD,** Agt.

THE NEW EDITION OF DEVEREUX & BATTLE'S LAW REPORTS, VOL. I.

RECEIVES the approval of those who have examined it. Chief Justice Nash says: "I have looked through it with care and it is a most valuable and interesting work, and it will save the labor of deciding the same point again and again; for there will be no excuse for Counsel not being apprised of points already adjudicated."

ANNUAL SETTLEMENTS.

PERSONS indebted to us will be furnished with their accounts during the present month, (except those already done) and we earnestly request a settlement. Every man who means to pay at all, should pay at least once a year. Persons having accounts against us will oblige us by handing them in for payment.

LIFE AND CORRESPONDENCE

OF JAMES IREDELL, OF NORTH CAROLINA, ONE OF THE ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES. BY GRIFFITH J. MCBEE, ESQ., OF WILMINGTON. For sale by **E. J. HALE & SON.**
Fayetteville, June 1, 1858.