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SPECIAL NOTICE.

From and after this date, no name of a new subscriber will be entered without payment in advance, nor will the paper be sent to such subscribers for a longer time than is paid for.

Such of our old subscribers as desire to take the paper on this system will please notify us when making remittances.

Jan'y 1, 1858.

JAS. C. McRAE,
Attorney at Law,
Office West end of the Insurance Building.
Hay St., Fayetteville, N. C.
March 26, 1860. 3tf

FRENCH STRANGE,
Attorney at Law,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Office that recently occupied by C. G. Wright, Esq., over the one now occupied by him in Dr. Robinson's building, Green Street.
Dec'r 2, 1859. 72-

WM. McL. McKAY,
Attorney at Law,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
WILL attend the County and Superior Courts of Cumberland, Harnett, Moore and Robeson Counties. Prompt attention given to the collection of all claims entrusted to his hands.
Oct. 17, 1859. 58-tf

LAW NOTICE.
THE Subscriber having removed from Summerville to Fayetteville, will attend the County and Superior Courts of Cumberland, Harnett and Moore. His office will be at his residence, on Green Street, opposite the Episcopal Church.
His correspondents will please address him hereafter at Fayetteville, instead of Summerville.
NEILL McKAY.
Jan'y 21, 1860. 85-tf

Law Notice
THE subscriber having retired from the Bench, with purpose to devote himself to the practice of the Law, will attend hereafter the counties of Cumberland, Robeson and Bladen, at all the Courts, and the Superior Courts of Richmond, Harnett and Sampson.
J. G. SHEPHERD.
June 4, 1860. 23tf

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.
March 23, 1859. 79tf

P. J. SINCLAIR,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
WILL practice in the Courts of Robeson, Cumberland, Harnett and Richmond ☞ Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to him.
Feb'y 5, 1859 86-

B. B. BULLA,
Attorney at Law,
ASHEBORO', N. C.
WILL practice in the County and Superior Courts of Randolph, and adjoining Counties.
June, 1860. 33-4m

A. D. McLEAN,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
SUMMERVILLE, N. C.,
WILL attend the Courts of Cumberland, Moore, Johnston and Harnett Counties. PROMPT attention given to the collection of all claims entrusted to his care.
Dec'r 20, 1859. 78-1y

RORY McNAIR,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
LUMBERTON, N. C.
WILL attend and practice in the County and Superior Courts of Robeson, Richmond and Cumberland. All business intrusted to him will receive prompt attention and collections punctually remitted.
Oct. 6, 1859. 55tf

JOHN P. FULLER,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
WILL PRACTICE IN THE COURTS OF
Robeson, Cumberland, Columbus and Bladen.
Office at Lumberton, Robeson Co., N. C.
Jan. 5, 1859 29tf

MEDICAL NOTICE.
DR. GRAHAM, M. D., offers his professional services to the public. Office on Hay Street, four doors West of Post Office, where he may be found at all times when not professionally engaged.
Oct. 13, 1860. 35-1y

DENTAL NOTICE.
DR. R. R. SCOTT would request all those desiring his professional services this Summer to call soon, as he will be absent from Fayetteville from AUGUST 2 until SEPTEMBER.
June 26. 30-tf

DENTISTRY.
DR. J. DAVIS having decided on permanently locating in the Town of Fayetteville, respectfully offers his services to the citizens of this place and surrounding country. In all the various branches of his Profession, including the manufacture of Mineral Teeth, he is satisfied, after an extensive experience, to which is added a thorough Dental education, that he can give entire satisfaction as far as is in the power of Dentistry. All irregularities of the Teeth treated in a proper and careful manner, as well as diseases of the mouth. None but the proper metals are made use of in the various operations. Charges will be moderate, that the benefits of the Profession may be placed within the reach of all who may feel an interest in the preservation of the Teeth.
☞ Office over Houston's Jewelry Store, where he may be found at all times.
May 10, 1858. 9tf

W. H. CARVER,
Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, and Provisions,
WILL always keep a good Stock of Seasonable Goods on hand, to sell cheap for Cash, or exchange for Produce at Cash prices.
Hay Street, Fayetteville, N. C., April 16. 9-tf

G. W. BULLARD,
Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
PROMPT and PERSONAL attention will be given to the sale of Naval Stores, Cotton, Lumber, Timber, and all other country produce.
REFER TO
O. G. PARSLEY, Pres't Com. Bank at Wilmington.
JOHN DAWSON, " B. N. C., at do.
Messrs. H. & E. J. LILLY, } Fayetteville.
Messrs. PEMBERTON & SLOAN, }
A. PARKER, Esq., Harnett County, N. C.
May 7, 1860. 15tf

JOHN M. CLARK,
Commission and Forwarding Merchant,
—DEALER IN—
Lime, Cement, Plaster, Hair, &c.
LUTTERLOH'S WHARF, WILMINGTON, N. C.
AGENCY FOR STEAMERS KATE McLAURIN AND SUN.
April 20, 1860. 11tf

ROBERT H. COWAN,
General Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Office South Corner Market and Water streets, up-stairs
Oct. 13, 1859. 57-1Y

T. C. & B. G. WORTH,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jan'y 28, 1859 84tf

C. H. ROBINSON. H. H. ROBINSON.
C. H. ROBINSON & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
☞ Consignments and country orders will receive prompt personal attention.
March 17, 1860. 2tf

EDWIN H. RANNEY,
General Commission Merchant,
33 South Wharves, between Market & Chestnut Sts.
PHILADELPHIA.
Consignments of Cotton, Naval Stores, Flour, Rice, &c. will always receive his prompt personal attention.
Advances will be made only on actual Consignments.
REFERENCES:
T. S. & T. G. Rudd, Charleston. Walker, Evans & Co. Charleston
S. Wyatt & Co. " Ellis & Mitchell, Wilmington.
James Tupper, Esq. " Henry Nutt, Esq. "
B. C. Pressley, Esq. " Rev. James B. Taylor, Richm'd.
W. Y. Leitch, Esq. " Rev. J. Lewis Shuck, California.
William Pettigrew, M. D. " Jesse W. Benedict, Esq., N. Y.
Rev. W. B. Carson, Ed. So. Bap. John W. Sexton, Esq., Phila.
March 9. 99-1Y

JNO. S. DANCY, JNO. H. HYMAN, F. M. HYMAN.
Late of Tarboro', Of Scotland Neck, Late of Warrenton.
DANCY, HYMAN & CO.,
Commission Merchants,
124 Pearl Street,
NEW YORK.
Will open a Branch House in Norfolk, Va., on the 1st of September, 1860, under the name of
HYMAN, DANCY & CO.
July 3, 1860. 32tf

GEO. HARRISS. W. W. HARRISS. A. J. HOWELL.
HARRISS & HOWELL,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 17, 1859. 58-1Ypd

WILLIAM J. PRICE,
Inspector of Turpentine,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
☞ Will attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care.
March 29. 4-1ypd

Wm. H. TURLINGTON,
Commission Merchant,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
WILL give special attention to the sale or shipment of all Naval Stores, Cotton, Flour, Timber, and other country produce.
Refers to: H. R. Savage, Cashier Bank of Cape Fear, Wilmington; Jno. Dawson, Pres't Wilmington Branch Bank of North Carolina; W. H. Jones, Cashier Raleigh Branch Bank of Cape Fear.
Nov 9, 1859 65-tf

OWEN & YARBROUGH.
HAVE this day entered into Copartnership for the purpose of transacting the
Commission and Forwarding Business,
in all its branches, in Wilmington, and will give prompt personal attention to all business entrusted to their care. Liberal cash advances will be made on Consignments of Country Produce.
☞ Office on North Water St., over H. Vonglahan's Store.
JOHN W. OWEN.
O. S. YARBROUGH.
Wilmington, Oct 20, 1859 64-

R. M. ORRELL,
TURPENTINE INSPECTOR.
THOSE sending their Spirits Turpentine to me may rely upon it to have prompt and careful attention. My warehouses are fronting the wharves and near the river.
Sept'r 13, 1858. 45tf

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.
Feb. 12, 1855. 67tf

THE NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
NOW in the tenth year of successful operation with growing capital and firmer hold upon public confidence, continues to insure the lives of all healthy persons from 14 to 60 years of age, for one year, for seven years, and for life—all life members sharing in the profits.
All slaves from 10 to 60 years of age are insured for one year or for five years for two-thirds their value.
All losses are punctually paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.
For further information the public is referred to Agents of the Company in all parts of the State, and to
R. H. BATTLE, Secretary, Raleigh.
E. J. HALE, Agent at
Jan'y 1859. Fayetteville, N. C.

FAYETTEVILLE HOTEL,
T. WADDILL, PROPRIETOR.
THIS, the most commodious Hotel in North Carolina, fronting 300 feet on Hay and Donaldson Streets, located in the centre of the business portion of the town, and surrounded by all the Banking Houses, Wholesale Merchants and principal Produce Dealers.
☞ Business men will find the Hotel a convenient and comfortable house.
All the Stages arrive and depart from this Hotel.
Fayetteville, Oct. 1, 1858. 51-

SHEMWELL HOUSE,
A FEW DOORS NORTH OF THE MARKET HOUSE.
OWING to the extensive increase of patronage to this House, during the year, I have extended my facilities by the addition of a number of comfortable sleeping rooms, with other important improvements, which will add materially to the comfort and convenience of those favoring me with their patronage.
To those who have been my kind friends and customers for the past six years, I tender my most sincere thanks, at the same time respectfully soliciting a continuance of their patronage, and also the patronage of a large number of new patrons.
I have good Stables and a No. 1 Ostler.
P. SHEMWELL.
Jan'y 16, 1860] 84-

NORTH CAROLINA
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS.
WILL BE OPEN for visitors the 1st of June. They are situated near the present terminus of the Western N. C. Rail Road, not an hour's ride by superior Omnibuses and Stages.
The Proprietor has procured the services of
THOMPSON TYLER
as Manager, whose experience at the various fashionable watering places of Virginia, added to his commanding appearance and gentlemanly bearing, insures good order and good fare.
The *very best* BALL ROOM LEADER and BLACK BAND of MUSICIANS that the city of Richmond, Virginia, affords, have been procured.
Riding Vehicles and Horses, BILLIARD SALOONS and BOWLING ALLEYS, are at the command of visitors.
The country is elevated and healthy; the scenery beautiful and roads most excellent, and the pleasure grounds extensive.
There is no water better than that afforded by the North Carolina WHITE SULPHUR.
The patronage of the Carolinas is confidently relied on to repay the Proprietor for the expensive outlay he has made to fit up a watering place suited to their wants. And he promises that no pains shall be spared by himself or his gentlemanly assistant, to render all who may visit him, pleasant and comfortable.
H. L. ROBARDS, PROPRIETOR.
May 14, 1860. 18-tf

WESTERN RAIL ROAD.
UNTIL further notice the Train will leave Fayetteville on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 8 o'clock, A. M., and return the same days: leaving Spout Spring Depot about 4 o'clock, P. M.
C. B. MALLETT, Pres't.
July 17. 36tf

NEAREST AND QUICKEST
ROUTE TO THE RAILROAD!
BEAMAN & ROBINSON'S
FOUR HORSE STAGE LINE TO KENANSVILLE, VIA WARSAW.
IS the shortest and most expeditious for travelers going North or South. Leaving Fayetteville every day at 2 o'clock P. M. THROUGH IN TEN HOURS.
Our Coaches are large and comfortable, drivers sober and gentlemanly, our teams good and sure of five miles an hour.
The traveling public who would study their comfort and convenience will take the Warsaw Stage.
☞ THROUGH TICKETS TO WELDON may be had at the Stage Office, Fayetteville.
May 25, 1860. 25-tf

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
Capital in Premium Notes amounts to $267,688 25
Cash on hand and other assets, 5,077 35
Total, $272,765 61
The Company have paid all losses promptly, and have never made an assessment on their premium notes.
Total losses paid, $29,682 69
OFFICERS:
GEO. McNEILL, President.
D. A. RAY, Vice President.
C. A. McMILLAN, Sec'y.
DIRECTORS:
Henry Lilly, W. N. Tillinghast,
H. L. Myrover, S. J. Hinsdale,
S. T. Hawley, Wm. McLaurin,
Nathan A. Stedman, T. S. Lutterloh,
C. B. Mallett, A. W. Steel,
James Kyle, J. G. Cook,
A. A. McKethan, Hon. J. G. Shepherd,
J. D. Williams, R. F. Brown, } Wilm'gton.
S. W. Tillinghast. A. E. Hall, }
John Collins and C. C. McCrummen, Traveling Agents.
☞ The Company invite applications.
May 28, 1860. 21-1y

AGENTS WANTED.
50 Dollars a Month, and all Expenses paid.
AN ACTIVE AGENT is wanted in every County in the United States and Canadas, to solicit orders and introduce our New National Double Thread $20 SEWING MACHINE. Warranted equal to any high priced machine. Practical for every family, which makes it the cheapest and most popular machine in existence. A limited number of responsible Agents are wanted, to travel and solicit orders by Sample, at a salary of $50 per month and expenses. Business permanent. Address, with stamp, for conditions and instructions,
J. W. HARRIS & CO.
SHOE AND LEATHER EXCHANGE, BOSTON, MASS.
July 20. 37-8w

BOOTS & SHOES,
AT WHOLESALE.
JNO. M. WALKER, of North Carolina,
WITH
SHAW, DE GRAW & KING,
MANUFACTURERS OF AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
BOOTS and SHOES,
No. 31 & 33 DEY ST., NEW YORK.
WILL be happy to see his Southern friends at the above establishment, where, either personally or by order, they may be supplied from an extensive and well assorted Stock of Goods.
July 17, 1860. 36tf

WANTED.
A LARGE quantity of COTTON and LINEN RAGS, for which fair prices will be paid.
DAVID MURPHY.
Aug. 17 41-

Floral College.
THE Fall Session in this Institution will commence on the 18th of JULY next.
The management and instruction of the Institution will be under the Rev. Daniel Johnson and Mr. John C. Sutherland, with an able Corps of Assistants in all the departments. The Principal and his lady will continue to take entire charge of the Boarding establishment, thus giving to the School more of the FAMILY element. This arrangement, it is believed, will greatly advance the usefulness of the Institution.
M. C. McNAIR,
Sec'y Board of Trustees.
June 18, 1860. 28tf

MEDICAL COLLEGE
OF THE
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.
THE ANNUAL COURSE OF LECTURES in this Institution will commence on the first day of November, on the following branches:
JOHN E. HOLBROOK, M. D., Emeritus Professor of Anatomy.
Anatomy, by Professor FRANCIS T. MILES, M. D.
Physiology " JAMES MOULTRIE, M. D.
Surgery " J. J. CHISOLM, M. D.
Institutes and Practice of Medicine " E. GEDDINGS, M. D.
Materia Medica " HENRY R. FROST, M. D.
Obstetrics " T. G. PRIOLEAU, M. D.
Chemistry " C. U. SHEPARD, M. D.
Demonstrator of Anatomy " SAMUEL LOGAN, M. D.
CLINICAL LECTURES at the Roper and Marine Hospitals twice a week by the Physicians of the Institutions.
The Anatomical Rooms will be opened in October, and dissection conducted daily by the Demonstrator.
HENRY R. FROST, M. D., Dean.
Aug. 11 44-1aw4w

HUNT'S HOTEL,
High Point, N. C.
THIS new and commodious house is now open for the reception of Travelers and Boarders, where every attention will be given for the comfort of guests.
N. HUNT, Jr.
Aug. 14, 1860. 45-4w

STATE CAR AND MACHINE WORKS.
ROWAN STREET.
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
THE undersigned, having erected buildings suitable for CAR and MACHINE WORK—also General HOUSE CARPENTRY—would give notice that they are prepared to execute all orders in their line with neatness and dispatch.
We are prepared to do all kinds of SCROLL SAWING and PLANEING at short notice. Having a first class Woodworth Planeing Machine, we are prepared to Plane, Tongue and Groove all kinds of Flooring and Ceiling on reasonable terms.
Contracts taken for the erection of Buildings, and Jobbing of all kinds executed with neatness and dispatch. Sashes, Doors and Blinds of all descriptions, manufactured equal to anything to be found in the Northern markets.
Plans and specifications furnished and the erection of buildings superintended when desired.
WALTON & BARRY,
Car Builders, Carpenters & Draughtmen.
Fayetteville, Oct 3, 1859 54-tf

WM. CARTER & SONS
HAVE put up and permanently located the best BOOT and SHOE MANUFACTORY in N. C., to which the attention of the whole South is earnestly invited, particularly the citizens and Planters of our State. We are determined not to be put down by men who are daily bringing in Welted and Split Leather Shoes; it is distinctly understood that our Shoes are made of Upper Leather tanned by us, and that we do not put any welts in any Peg Shoes we make. Now is the time to test the true feelings of N. C. men.
All orders from a distance shall have prompt attention. Address us at Goldston.
WM. CARTER. D. A. CARTER.
S. S. CARTER JOHN Q. CARTER.
Goldston P. O., Chatham Co., N. C., } 4tf
March 23, 1860.

FOR SALE.
THE HOUSE and LOT adjoining Elizabethtown, lately occupied by Alexander Carter. The Lot contains Six Acres of good garden soil, and some fruit, good water, &c.
The improvements are a Two Story Dwelling House and necessary out-buildings. Also, a vacant Lot near the Court House.
Terms accommodating.
H. H. ROBINSON.
June 8. 27-tf

LAND FOR SALE.
THE subscriber having removed West, offers for sale his LANDS in Harnett County, lying immediately on each side of Cape Fear River, containing 1200 acres in each tract. These Lands are situated in a healthy country, pleasant neighborhood, and within a half a mile of the village of Summerville, with good Dwellings on each place and all necessary Out-Houses, and cleared Land enough to work 25 or 30 hands to advantage. There are on these lands some six hundred acres of fine Bottom, most of which is uncleared, and well set with white oak and other fine Timber. A large portion of the balance is oak and hickory Ridge Lands; the balance is pine Land of a good quality, having been worked in Turpentine three years. These Lands will be sold low for Cash or Young Negroes, or on time to suit purchasers, with approved bonds.
Jan'y 13. N. G. JONES.

NOTICE.
EXPECTING to be absent from the State until the middle of next Summer, say till July, 1860, I have authorized Archibald McLean, of Harnett county, to transact business for me during my absence, to sell my Lands in Harnett county, and generally to attend to all my business.
N. G. JONES.
Harnett County, N. C., Jan'y 13, 1860. 83-

To Land Buyers.
THE undersigned offers for sale, in the Coal region, and within eight miles of the terminus of the Fayetteville & Western Rail Road on Deep River,
EIGHT HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND,
adjoining the land belonging to the estate of George Wilcox, dec'd, and lying three miles South from Carbonton, on Little Pocket Creek, Moore county.
These Lands are well adapted to the growth of corn, cotton, wheat, oats, rye, &c. There are on the premises a comfortable Dwelling, and all necessary Outhouses, with about one hundred and fifty acres under fence, including forty or fifty acres of never-failing bottom land. This is a rare chance for persons wishing to make investments, as lands are undoubtedly advancing in price in this section.
For further information apply to Mr. M. M. McRae, Crane's Creek, P. O., Moore county, or address me at Fayetteville, N. C.
DANIEL McRAE,
For the Heirs of Gilbert McRae, dec'd.
Carbonton, Moore co., N. C., Aug. 24 43tf

Negroes! Negroes!! Wanted.
GENTLEMEN, your old customers are yet in market. All who have negroes for sale, would do well to give us a call or address us.
J. A McARTHUR. } POWELL & McARTHUR.
L. A. POWELL. }
Clinton, N. C., July 9, 1860. 33-6mpd

North Carolina Form Book,
FURTHER supply just received.
May 28 E. J. HALE & SON.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
We are receiving our Stock of BOOTS and SHOES for
Fall & Winter Trade,
Embracing our usual variety of style and quality for Gents', Ladies', Boys', Misses', Youths', and Children's wear.
Servants' Shoes
Made to our order; single and double sole; *extra good.*
Negro Brogans,
A superior article, regular and extra size; single and double soles.
Shoe Manufacturers
Will find Leather and Findings of all kinds in our stock.
Merchants and others are invited to examine our assortment before purchasing, for we will sell on the most favorable terms.
S. T. HAWLEY & SON.
Sept. 3, 1860. 49-6w

MEDICAL INSTITUTION
OF YALE COLLEGE.
THE Course of Lectures for 1860–61, will commence on Thursday, September 13th, and continue four months.
JONATHAN KNIGHT, M. D., Professor of Surgery.
CHARLES HOOKER, M. D.,—Anatomy and Physiology.
WORTHINGTON HOOKER, M. D.,—Theory and Practice of Physic.
BENJAMIN SILLIMAN, JR., M. D.,—Chemistry and Pharmacy.
PLINY A. JEWETT, M. D.,—Obstetrics.
CHARLES A. LINDSLEY, M. D.,—Materia Medica and Therapeutics.
Lecture Fees, $68 50. Matriculation, $5. Graduation, $15.
CHARLES HOOKER, Dean of the Faculty.
New Haven, July 27, 1860. 49-6tpd

NEW BOOKS.
NEMESIS, by MARION HARLAND, Author of "Alone" &c.
THE QUEENS of SOCIETY, illustrated;
JACK HOPETON, or the Adventures of a Georgian;
CASTLE RICHMOND, by Anthony Trollope;
Further supplies of Rutledge, Adam Bede;
Beulah, the Mill on the Floss;
Vestiges of Creation, &c.
Aug. 31. E. J. HALE & SON.

Miss M. P. Newby wishes to open
a School in Fayetteville. She will be prepared to receive pupils at the McRae building, Hay St., Oct. 8th, 1860. Terms moderate.
Sept. 3. 49*t80

☞ Miss Alice Campbell will re-
sume her School on the first Monday of October next.
Sept. 3. 49-1m

School Books.
NATURAL PHILOSOPHY from Ganot's Popular Physics by Wm. G. Peck, M. A.; Sanders' New Speller and Definer Analyser; Bullions' and Smith's Grammars; Monteith's, Smith's and Mitchell's Geographies; Goodrich's and Andrews' Latin and Greek Lessons, &c. E. J. HALE & SON.
Aug. 31.

WANTED,
AN OSTLER for the Fayetteville Hotel Stables: to a white man, free man of color or slave, who is sober and of good character, and is willing to give his whole attention to the business of the stable, liberal wages will be paid. Apply soon. T. WADDILL.
Sept 3. 49-3t
Courier 3t: every other day.

13 Barrels New Mullet, just re-
ceived and for sale by J. R. McDUFFIE,
No. 5, Green St.
Sept. 3, 1860. 49-4t

REMOVAL.
THE undersigned have removed to their new Brick Store and Warehouses West of the Fayetteville Hotel on Hay Street, between the new store-house of Starr & Williams and the Bank of Clarendon, and midway opposite Charles T. Haigh & Sons' and the Bank of Fayetteville, where they respectfully invite their old customers and the trade generally to call and see them. They are now opening a large stock of
English Hardware and Cutlery,
of their own importation, together with a great variety of American Goods in the same line, composing one of the largest stocks of HARDWARE and CUTLERY ever offered in this market.
In addition to the above, the undersigned are prepared to offer to the Jobbing Trade on their usual terms:
120 Bags of Coffee.
20 Hhds. Sugar.
80 Bbls. do.
90 Tons of Iron.
700 Kegs of Nails.
100 Boxes Window Glass.
50 Boxes Family Soap.
30 ½ Bbls. Snuff.
100 Boxes Rose Hill do.
100 " Adamantine Candles.
25 Bags Pepper, Spice and Ginger.
100 Boxes Candy.
50 " Cotton Cards.
50 " Coffee Mills.
1000 Sides Sole Leather, Hemlock & Oak.
100 Doz. Painted Buckets.
100 " Axes.
60 Gross Matches.
20 Boxes Concentrated Lye.
800 Sacks Liverpool Salt.
30 Hhds. of Molasses.
200 Bags Shot.
1000 Lbs. Lead.
Harness and Skirting Leather, Hog Skins.
Saddles; Shoe Thread and Shoe Findings.
Rifle and Blasting Powder.
Tape and Common Safety Fuse.
Square and Octagon Cast Steel.
Blistered and German Steel.
Essences and Patent Medicines in variety.
Cotton Yarns and Sheetings at Manufacturer's prices.
GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 16, 1860. 44tf

BOOK-BINDING
IN all its kinds, executed with neatness and despatch. Small jobs when done must be paid before delivered.
THOS. H. TILLINGHAST.
Opposite the Female High School, Hay Street
May 14, 1859. 14

New Books.
THE MILL ON THE FLOSS, by Geo. Elliot;
The Mother's Mission; Ministering Children;
Edith's Ministry; Mackey's Masonic Jurisprudence;
Flora's Lexicon; Downing's Fruits and Fruit Trees of America;
Father Tom and the Pope;
Colton's Pocket Map of Texas;
Mitchell's Traveller's Guide through the U. States;
Wood's Practice of Medicine;
LEATHERMAN'S ELEMENTS OF MORAL SCIENCE;
Ebony Rulers, Blotting Paper, &c. &c.
June 2. E. J. HALE & SON.

Starkie on Evidence, Vol. 1 New
Edition, with Notes and References, by Sharswood.
July 10. E. J. HALE & SON.

The Census as a Power.—Little rolls of manuscript are now being silently made up in one of our Federal bureaus that are charged with more force for the cause of human advancement than all the cartridges that ever thundered. These little rolls will in due time come forth. But they will make no stir. The falling of the snow-flake will not be more noiseless. They will be as silent as the light. Nay, the light itself they are, for they are *revealing*. They will show to the world what this Republic actually is. Rhetoric will do nothing to adorn them; logic will spend upon them none of its skill; no art or device of man will be invoked to make them more effective. They will be made up of a simple aggregation of facts and figures, just such homely statements as find their place in the farmer's memorandum-book and the merchant's ledger. And yet, in the cause of human progress, every column of these figures will have the power of a thousand columns of infantry, and every line of these statements will be worth a line of battle. These are forces which are overwhelming—irresistible. They drive all men, willing or not, into an acknowledgment of our power, and into the recognition that national freedom is the greatest of national blessings. They are an army before which every weapon is powerless—an army of stubborn facts which mendacity dares not assail, and sophistry cannot turn to the right or left.

It has been said by the historian Hallam that there have been *battles* of which a contrary event would have essentially varied the drama of the world in all subsequent scenes. This may be true, but there are noiseless events of *peace* of which it may be, with far greater certainty, affirmed. Even the greatest of battles may be transient in their effects. No nation in the world ever sustained such a defeat in a single fight as Rome at Cannæ, close by her very gates; and yet within fifty-three years afterwards the Roman standard was planted in every country of the known world. Stereotype rhodomontade about Waterloo to the contrary notwithstanding, it is to be seriously doubted whether the political state of Europe would not have been *essentially* the same as now had that battle terminated differently. Napoleon might have crushed every Briton on that wide plain, and yet England would have remained England still. Moral causes are as much stronger than physical, as truth is more potent than brute force. Our census report, though ostensibly but a mere business document, is an agency of this character. It is a new vindication and enforcement of the principle of our political institutions—a practical summing up of the advantages of popular freedom in a way that may be known and read of all men.

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A drove of Porpoises.—A fortnight since, there was a very remarkable scene in a creek close by the sea at Duxbury, between Plymouth and Marshfield. A small sail boat in coming up the creek from the ocean came upon a drove of porpoises, sometimes called sea-hogs. Other boats joined the first, and they drove the sea-monsters up the creek into water so shallow, that they could not easily make their escape. Some of the party in the boats here took their guns, and began to shoot the porpoises. Others with guns from the shore immediately joined them, and soon there was a general slaughter with guns and knives. The battle raged for some time, when the entire drove of 75 porpoises, old and young, were killed, and though there was much excitement not a man was injured. The largest porpoise weighed 800 pounds. Their value is considerable, for their fat and oil. The whole region was much excited by the scene described, as the oldest inhabitant, venerable though he is, has never known anything to occur there before after this fashion.

The porpoises are said to have been drawn to the waters of Duxbury by the abundance of blue fish that have lately been found there. The porpoises eat the blue fish; and the blue fish consume the cod. And now that both the former kinds of fish have disappeared, the codfish, that were before scarce, begin to be abundant.

I recently went out a fishing upon the ground East of Mr. Webster's, at Marshfield, where the great statesman loved to go early in the morning. You know, that while fishing there in 1825, he was preparing his great oration delivered at the laying the corner stone of Bunker Hill Monument, in which there was a passage for the Revolutionary heroes, beginning—"Venerable men! you have come down to us from a former generation." Just as Mr. Webster, and his companions, were hauling in the great codfish, he would say, "Venerable men; venerable men," &c. To those in the boat who were not aware of the coming oration, Mr, Webster's language seemed a strange personification!—*Journal of Commerce.*

Life in New Orleans.—They have a queer way of doing things in New Orleans. A grocer, through the aid of a neighboring variety dealer, detected a clerk pilfering articles from the grocery store. The grocer told the clerk to leave quietly, as he did not wish to expose him. The clerk sued for back wages, and the grocer offered half the sum claimed, which was refused, and the grocer proved the thefts, and the clerk had to pay the the costs. Clerk challenged grocer to a duel with broadswords, but grocer declined to fight with a thief. The nephew of Clerk, who bore the challenge, then challenged grocer, who accepted his offer. Meanwhile said nephew met and savagely caned the variety man, who had testified to his uncle's dishonesty. The duel was to have come off on the 19th, and about one hundred persons had assembled at the place appointed to see the fight—but it seems the duelists did not "come to time," having either been stopped by the police or gone to another field.

Stump Candidates for the Presidency.—Mr. Breckinridge is to mount the stump. We are to have a new order of things in our Presidential elections. Candidates are expected to urge their own claims and qualifications on public attention. We do not know as any harm can come of it. They may use themselves up pretty thoroughly, but that is of no consequence. We don't believe that Mr. B. will improve his position in the least by stump speeches. There is one consolation, however,—he cannot make it any worse than it is.

The St. Paul Pioneer and Democrat of Aug. 22d, gives to its readers the first telegraph dispatch ever received in Minnesota "on wires over its own soil."

The completed census of Cincinnati shows that city to have a population of only 168,851 souls. The papers of the city had previously claimed a population of 200,000.