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at Old Point on Friday last. The report has probably grown out of the following from Saturday's Journal:-

THE SPEECH OF A STATESMAN -We have read with | P. S. The Norfolk Day Book of Saturday brings us George the lst; its likeness to the sedition law of the sedition l elder Adams, (though infinitely worse;) its tendency to

In New York, the Herald says, "It is evident that the them in. The story is made up out of the whole cloth."

The copy cathe that he took from parties acting boy ever 15, as guilty until he should swear to his own innocence; its being an insult to every man in the State; and the utter absence of any necessity for such a law; are some of the points maintained with signal ability by Gov. Graham.

so much room in these exciting times. The Standard, pect is fast precipitating matters towards a panic. in which we find it, states that a pamphlet edition of it has been issued at that office; and we take it for granted that reading and intelligent men throughout the inevitable. It is evident that, unless Congress acts State will supply themselves with it in that form for speedily and energetically, not only will we be over-

SENATOR BAKER .- We had the pleasure of seeing, on Saturday, the Hon. James M. Baker, late Judge of the tion alone can we find the means of providing for the Suwannee Circuit Court of Florida, and now Senator e- burdens that war imposes upon us. Every article of lect from that State to the Confederate Congress.

Judge Baker is a native of the adjoining county of Robeson, a graduate of Davidson College, who read Law being thus charged-should bear its proportion of them, Bar by the Supreme Court of North Carolina. He is still a young man, and his rapid rise in Florida, professionally and politically, is due to his high personal charac- to assist in providing for the wants of the government. ter for integrity, industry, vigor of mind, and irreproachable habits. It always affords us pleasure to notice the rise of native North Carolinians-whether "the dwellers at home or the dispersed abroad,"-and we have marked the career of Judge Baker with especial pleasure, as we have known him from his early manhood, and not the less because he has had the good furnishes the Confederate government with nearly its sense to look to North Carolina for other things than whole supply of lead. The mines are among the richhis Law. It is the theory of our Representative system that a Member of Congress is a member from the rare good quality: the production only limited by the Confederacy as well as from the particular State which force employed. In the same county is one of the lar-Confederacy as well as from the particular State which elects him; and if so, we know that the Judge will be gest iron foundries in the State, and the government is the Senator of North Carolina, next to that of the more apprehensive of inadequate supplies of iron than the Confederacy promise to be far more intimate and made for the manufacture of saltpetre in Southwestern stance, was kept down. Under the new, it is assuming civil and military value to the Government cannot gigantic proportions, and with its extension, the vast easily be estimated.

We further learn that the Captain is making arrangements to get the Timber on government account; and that he has met with one instance of a patriotic gentleman residing in South Carolina, who handsomely gave permission to take without compensation the val-State. We have not learned his name, or would pub-

are the following from North Carolina: Additional from means requisite to its protection and to her own salvanothing to do in administering said oath, please pub-St Matthew's church, Hillsboro', \$32; St Peter's church, tion. Washington, \$50; B F Little, Little's Mills, \$100; St rally offended at the condition in which their constitu-James's church, Hendersonville, \$11; Christ church, Newbern, \$43 23; citizens of Beaufort, \$338 35; officers and privates of Col. Radcliffe's 28th Reg't, \$415; citi- No time is to be lost, and no expense spared, to make zens of Raleigh, \$781 25, (in all, \$2224 75;) of Fayette | good the tenure of Virginia to at least this portion of ville, \$1172 75, (in all, \$2472 75;) E N H, Charlotte, \$10; Union Presbyterian congregation, Lincoln county, 274 50; Soldiers' Aid Society, Hillsboro', \$24.

AN AMAZING CHANGE .- In the Mobile Advertiser we find the usual comparative statement of the receipts of Cotton at all the ports for the first four months of the "cotton year," viz: from the 1st of Sept. to the 1st inst. The following is the result:

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It may be doubted if the world ever saw a similar showing. A crop worth three hundred millions of dollars, necessary to the well being and the peace of the world, totally excluded from the markets of the world. Of the crop of 1860, about eighty millions of dollars | Company, 6th Regiment of State Troops. worth had been sold up to the 1st of January. Of the last crop only half a million's worth in the same length of time. The resources of the South must be great indeed when it can stand such a deprivation, as it has Mr David C. Fuller, aged about 23 years. stood it with far less of inconvenience than could have

CLOSET GENERALS .- An intelligent gentleman who has sons in the Army, and who has visited the "seat of war," writes to us the following judicious observations upon the unceasing demand of the stay-at-home Generais of the newspapers, that our army should move forward and attack the enemy in his entrenchments:

"The Richmond papers very often complain of and censure the Confederate Government for the monotoious policy of defence which has been pursued on the uac, and are urging "a forward movement." The writer is of opinion that our Generals have pursued the There is no doubt but either of them would at once say, we can successfully storm such or such a work, with a loss of so many men. The writer Henry Foster has lost caste among his Northern breasks himself, and let every father put the same ques tion to himself: "Am I willing that my sons should fill up the ditch?" Observe, that every post of the enemy, as well as our own, is secured by the most skilfully arranged fortifications. Those which the writer has seen fraud, and letters written to Northern papers about the are generally about twelve feet wide and eight feet deep. One man, in the defence of such works, is equal to ten assailants; and when the material of our army is considered, few parents would be willing that their sons should encounter such odds. The enemy, on the contrary, have an army composed of just such material as they would prefer to fill the ditch, were it not for the fear of defeut alone. Let us hope that all fathers and relatives will believe, that our able officers are doing all in their power to save the lives of the gallant youth

in check is a victory.' STOCKS .- At Richmond, on the 11th, Confederate 8 Carolina 6 per cents, 85; Virginia do. 88.

ouder their care. Every day that we hold the enemy

MONEY MATTERS AT NEW YORK .- From the N. Y. | "An OUTRAGE."-In the Wilmington Journal of the Herald of the 7th inst. we see that there is a rapid 10th inst. we find the following: change going on in money matters, threatening serious MONDAY EVENING. JANUARY 13, 1862.

IMPORTANT RUMOR.—We learn that the driver of the Warsaw Stage this morning brought a report that forty

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The AVENING of the leading serious difficulties to Liucolndom. It is stated that the objective serious is still unsettled. In the State Convention, requiring a learn from a communication in the last Raleigh Standard, that the tax collector for Columbus county has practically overruled the objective serious will recollect that Judge Biggs's Ordinance in the State Convention, requiring citizens, even natives of the State, to take an oath of allegiance, was rejected by a large majority. Yet we learn from a communication in the last Raleigh Standard, that the tax collector for Columbus county has practically overruled the decision of the Cevention, requiring a learn from a communication in the last Raleigh Standard, that the tax collector for Columbus county has practically overruled the decision of the Cevention of the Cevention, requiring a learn from a communication in the last Raleigh Standard, that the tax collector for Columbus county has practically overruled the decision of the Cevention, requiring a learn from a communication in the last Raleigh Standard, that the tax collector for Columbus county has practically overruled the decision of the Cevention, requiring a learn from a communication in the last Raleigh Standard the hospital authorities have been unusually active for some days, indicating an important movement in some direction.

Our army in Western Virginia continues active. A contraction of the Cevention of the Cevention of the Convention of the Cevention Warsaw Stage this morning brought a report that forty vessels of the Burnside Expedition had appeared off the Convention by the Burnside Expedition had appeared off the Convention by the Capt. Sinclair's Capt. Huske's, Capt. Huske's, Capt. Huske's, Capt. Huske's, Capt. Huske's, Capt. Wooten's, Capt. Williams's, Capt. Wooten's, Capt. Williams's, Capt. Will Wilmington. From the fact that no letter was brought among others, refused to receive them on deposit. This lists with an oath of allegiance annexed. "He was of Gen. Kelly's forces attacked 2000 of the enemy, routby the mail from Wilmington this morning, we are in- business may lead hereafter to legislative interference." clined to think it is only rumor, especially as the Fleet That is, the banks are to be required by law to take was stated in Saturday's Norfolk paper to be collecting the Treasury notes. And why not? It would not be more despotic than many other acts of the despotism.

Gold was selling freely at 21 per cent, premium, and

great pleasure and instruction, the speech of Gov. Gra. New York dates of the 9th, by which we find that Linham, delivered in the State Convention, on the 7th ult. | colu's financial troubles are rapidly approaching to a against Judge Biggs's Ordinance concerning Test crisis. Gold was selling at 4 per cent. premium, and Oaths and Sedition. It is a masterly production, and brokers were holding it for much higher rates; exchange kinsmen in the srmy. -Fay. Observer. we cannot wonder that after its delivery the odious on England was held at 1142 to 115; stocks were less | Col. Alfred Smith, the Tax Collector for Columbus measure was rejected by the decisive majority of 77 to active; the indisposition of the banks to take Lincoln's county, above referred to, happened to be in our office he "wished the soldiers not to be deluded into the belief 22, though earnest efforts were made to get it upon treasury notes even on deposite was increasing. In the footing of an old party measure, to be adopted as a Philadelphia, (we quote,) "A very bad feeling is gettime he learned that he received tax lists. For the first move forward." Since that time it has transpired that matter of course because proposed by one of the lead- ting up towards the banks, and if they do not alter their time he or any body else learned that it was the duty of ing lights of Democracy. Its origin as a statute of course there will not be a dozen banks in the U. States the Tax Collector to receive such lists. He thought it Burnside Expedition will probably ascend the Rappa-

stir up neighborhood strife; its treating every man and Wall street banks have entered into a conspiracy against The only osths that he took, he took from parties acting Richmond railway at Acquia Creek and leave the Conof carrying on the war." The Herald adds that

"The financial affairs of the country are in a condition which excites the utmost anxiety and alarm: In another week the Treasury will be without a cent, and in fi-We would like to publish it now, but can scarcely spare | nancial and commercial business of every kind the pros-Those who have anything to dispose of, and who can realize it, are investing the proceeds in gold or in foras yet encountered, but the credit of the government will be destroyed, and our army, which is be luxury, every deed or paper relating to the transfer of real or personal property, promissory notes and bills of exchange—everything, in short, that is susceptible of this way a revenue of a couple of hundred millions could be raised to secure the interest on the heavy war debt that we are incurring, and to leave a large surplus

A RICH COUNTRY .- The salines of Smyth County, in South Western Virginia, are capable of turning out 4,000,000 bushels of salt per annum for all time-500,000 bushels more than are needed for the whole Southern Confederacy. The adjoining county of Wythe est and most productive in the world; the lead of a most letter: "Flowery land." The relations of North Carolina to of any thing else. Extensive preparation has also been

Truly this is a magnificent country and well worth indict said "officious officer for a misdemeanor,

and monstrous a piece of imbecility would be absolute-

ly incredible. The delegates of all that region of country, natu-offended at the condition in which their constituents have been left, are devising a plan of State action, such as will meet the demands of the occasion. We trust that their measures will be speedy and effective. her Western domain.

State Troops, Quartermaster Sergeant James Haggerty, of Wilmington, aged about 26 years.

At Camp Mangum, near Baleigh, on the 28th Dec. John Wesley Jones, of typhoid fever, a private in Capt. Jones' Company Person Boys.

At Carolina City, on the 7th ult., private Orren H. 19th year of his age.

At Camp Edwards, near Manassas, on the 29th ult., Reg't N. C. Cavalry.

At Camp Wyatt, on the 5th inst., Michael S. Dudley. a private in the "Sampson Rangers." On the Potomac, on the 5th Dec. in the 22d year of

his age, Mr. Graham G. Bradshaw, of the Hawfields At the hospital in Washington, N. C., Augustus

On the 26th ult., of sickness contracted at Manassas,

PROMOTION .- A correspondent of the Biblical Recorder states that the vacancy in the command of the th Regiment, occasioned by the resignation of Col. Singeltary, has been filled by the election of Lieut. Col. Sloan, who entered the service as a volunteer eight or ten months ago, was elected Captain of the Guilford

Grays, and has regularly risen to the rank of Colonel. RE-ENLISTMENTS .- The communication from a volunteer at Camp Vance, (of the 26th Regiment we believe,) is sensible and to the point, and worthy of the

POOR FOSTER. - The contemptible humbug Charles thren. The following is from a late Northern paper: A Base Fraud. - The examination of the case of Fcster, the member from North Carolina, before the Committee on Elections shows the whole affair to be a base uprising of Union sentiment and enthusiastic meetings

YANKERS CAPTURED .- A letter from Cump Vance,

here were manufactured for the occasion.

near Beaufort, to the Standard, Jan. 7th, says,-"A small Yankee transport that had been South for the purpose of carrying provisions to the fleet, was returning, of war, your prisoners of state, whom the other day you and went aground near that place a day or two ago. would have consigued to felons' cells, became indeed the The prisoners, twenty in number, were, we understand, taken by the 7th regiment. We look for something of very great importance hereabouts before a great while We shall give a good account of ourselves whenever the We flatter ourselves that in the event per cent Bonds were quoted at 102, interest on; North of an engagement with the Yankees, we should after- pended during the war. The President favors the polwards be known as the gallant 26th."

asked if he had any law for such an oath, and his reply was it made no difference." Supposing the act to be as stated, we think it does make a great difference, and that the officious officer should not only be removed but indicated. "The control of the Union soldiers was a stated of the Union soldiers was a stated." Supposing the act to be cannon, their wagons, and 20 prisoners, including one commissioned officer. None of the Union soldiers was a stated. "The control of the Union soldiers was a stated of the Union soldiers was a state that the officious officer should not only be removed but indicted also for a misdemeanor. The writer of the communication states that he was born and raised in this State, has lived in Columbus county for many years, an humble farmer and a small slave owner, and "Some additional blockaders have been seen off our bars during the last few days, but not in sufficient numbers to indicate that they belonged to or formed the bers to indicate that they belonged to or formed the identity predicted by the brokers that we shall see bills and others. What makes the matter worse in this case is that we doubt if there the matter worse in this case is that we doubt if there the matter worse in this case is that we doubt if there the matter worse in this case is that we doubt if there are an outself and others. The Washington Correspondent of the Philadelphia Press says: the field in proportion to its white population, than Columbus, and none that in proportion to its wealth, has supplied more voluntary contributions of clothing, &c., to them. We suppose that there is scarcely a white

Such is the plain story, but such is not the story that is sensationized around the State, to subserve ends which we will not now attempt to characterize, but which, if judged by the means employed to promote them, can hardly commend themselves to a people found of fair dealing.—Wilmington Journal.

"The story is made up out of the whole cloth," is it? remarks upon the communication in the Standard (which | side expedition has been changed because of the knowadded comments such as ours to its correspondent's statement) is so apparent that we suppose it is altogetaken by a financial revulsion severer than any we have ther useless to ask the Journal to say that the same structed, and had considered the expediency of reportfrom John A. Maultsby, Esq., stating that he ("with collecting telegraph and stamp duties, and duties upon others" also) as one of the Assessors, did administer the cotton, tobacco and cigars. oath of allegiance to sundry citizens of Columbus. Is the Journal answered. The writer in the Standard is probably able to take care of himself, though we may remark that from his account of himself (see above) his

From Europe.—HALIFAX, Jan. 6.—The Canada, from Liverpool via Queenstown, on 29th Dec'r, arrived here this morning. The dates per the Canada are two days later than those already received.

When the Canada left Liverpool a state of suspense with Col. John W. Cameron, and was licensed to the in the form either of direct taxes or stamp duties. In mistake in writing Collector instead of Assessor was not prevailed, and the greatest anxiety was felt relative to doing injustice to Col. Smith than we had, and we had not the slightest knowledge of who was the collector, who the assessor, who the complainant, or of the matdard, which we take for granted was from a responsible rendiness to embark immediately for Canada. man, or it would have been excluded as making a very grave charge against a public officer.

outrage complained of was actually committed. As Mr. Maultsby requests it, we give place to his

rage," and I found on reading it, that I was the person with others, who had committed the outrage of adminthe Confederacy promise to be far more intimate and important than they were to the defunct Union, and the Virginia, a region abounding everywhere in limestone presence in its Councils, besides her own members, of caves, containing most rich and extensive deposits of the congress of th presence in its Councils, besides her own members, of such natives as Judge Baker and others, may help to earth strongly impregnated with this mineral. Right Standard that the Tax Collector of this District had secure her her proper share of consideration. Under through the heart of this region runs the railway conthe old government the Arsenal in this place, for in-District did no such thing. I did it as one of the Assessors, and inasmuch as you are kind. (I might say officious) enough to advise and direct the grand jury mineral interest of the neighboring counties is coming the watchful protection of the Government, which has would like for you to prosecute the case. It might be would like for you to prosecute the case. It might be would like for you to prosecute the case. It might be would like for you to prosecute the case. lost all of Western Virginia except this mineral region formant who regarded the conduct of the officer as an THE TIMBER CONTRACTS.—We are requested to state, of the South-west. The Government, it would uppear that none of the bids for timber for the Arsenal and from the complaints of the Virginia press, either thinks armory at this place, advertised for by Capt. Booth, otherwise or is anable to spare force for the work. The were admissible, the prices being entirely too high.

We further learn that the remainder of the work are mouths ago? Why did he submit to it? Was he forced to take it? Can he or you tell what crime was they will proceed to their destination at once. There "All of Western Virginia being turned over to Pier- to refuse taking it but did not, and more especially pont, except the Southwest, with its invaluable trea- when the oath itself was one which all true Southern sures, would any one in his senses believe that that re- men delight to take whether prescribed by the Convengion had been denuded of its own soldiers, and left open tion of this State or not? I have not seen the Standard and defenceless, an inviting prey to the enemy? But lately. In that it may be explained why its informant uable Timber on a tract of land owned by him in this for the fact staring the public in the face, so glaring submitted to so great an outrage without a murmur. I was an officious act of mine but inasmuch as the oath was not tendered to either of you, I hope you will ex-"Such a road, such a country, such a treasury of in- cuse me for insinuating that it will be equally officious THE CHARLESTON FUND.—The whole amount received is \$172,984 44. Among the latest acknowledgments the Confederacy, what is to be done? Plainly this the to your doing so. In justification of Col. Alfred Smith State of Virginia must herself interpose and provide the the Assistant Tax Collector of this District, who had

> We don't know that we could punish more effectually the impertinent tone of our correspondent's letter than by publishing it; so we have only to add, that the acts of a public officer are fair subjects of criticism and we have seen no reason to modify what we said of Mr. DEATHS OF SOLDIERS .- At Acquia Creek, Va., on the | Maultsby's acts, when we were not aware of his agency 7th instant, at the camp of the Third Regiment N. C. in the matter. Mr. Maultsby may think the administration of test oaths cause of "delight" to "all true Southern men," but we agree in opinion with the highest authority in the State which refused, almost unanimously, the Convention voted for the Test oath ordinance:) to authorize the administration of such oaths. We think Smith, of Company E, 26th regiment N. C. troops in the it likely that some of the members of the Convention war by the result.—Savannah Republican. are as true to the South as Mr. Maultsby. As to his funny questions, we presume that the writer in the Joseph P. Cook, of Cabarrus county; and on the 30th, Standard will answer them if asked to do so. Doubt-W. L. Cowan, of Rowan county; privates in Co. F. 1st less Mr. Maultsby can have his name on application to

the Standard. P. S. In regard to Mr Maultsby's suggestion that we should prosecute him for his outrage upon a citizen of Columbus, we beg to be excused. That is none of our business-any more than it was his business to admin ister an oath which no law authorized him to adminis ter. But whilst relieving the evident anxiety on this Chamblee, a member of the Wake county Eastern Guards. | point, which discloses itself towards the end of his letter, it is only fair to let him know that a prosecutor or persecutor will be after him. A well known character, long known as "Jesse Holmes, the Fool Killer." announces through the Milton Chronicle this morning:-"From there I go to Columbus county, to look after Judge Asa Biggs's man Friday, who I hear has 'grown so great' by virtue of a smail appointment, that whenever he swears a man to his tax list, he imagines himself the whole Sittle of North Carolina, and ad-ministers a Test Oath of his own making, at the same time."

THE STATE SALT WORKS .- A letter to the Standard. from a Chatham volunteer at Camp Vance, Jan'y 7th. states that "the Salt Works at Morehead City are pro-

SALT .- We learn from the Franklin (Macon county) Carolinian, that wagons from the Virginia Salt Works had returned there, having been out 27 days, with only a Christian gentleman-au Elder of the Presbyterian 20 hushels to the team. Its cost at Franklin was near

Mr. Vallandigham on the Settlement of the Trent Affair landigham made a stirring speech on the above subject. We give one of the remarkable passages:

"Sir, give me leave to say, that the moment they (Mason and Slidell) stepped upon the deck of a British manenvoys and ambassadors of a recognised independent

The Confederate Tariff .- RICHMOND, Jan. 10 .- The belief is gaining strength that the Tariff will be susicy of Free Trade.

NORTHERN AND FOREIGN NEWS. NORFOLK, Jan. 11 .- From the New York Herald of

An Outrage. -Our readers will recollect that Judge the 9th, we extract the following:

Burnsides' expedition, which will probably sail within the present week, will be followed by the most important results. It is believed here in well informed circles that its successful landing will be the signal for a general advance. But a short time ago Gen. McClellan inquired of Gen. Porter in what time he could move. Being answered in twenty-four hours, he rejoined that a day or two since and we called his attention to this that they were about going into winter quarters, but to orders have been given to move via Occoquan. As the compel the evacuation of the Rebel batteries on the Pofederates at Manassas the choice of two evils—to fall back on Richmond or be completely outflanked and cap-

The N. Y. World says that it is now well understood, from the movements of the rebels, that they were aware of the destination of Gen. Burnside's fleet. The story goes that it was talked of in the family of Gen. Thomas, and by the daughter communicated to her lover, who is the object of the Journal in copying our synopsis of and affiliated with the rebels. The destination of the Burnledge the rebels acquired of the point at which it was

mail which brought us its statement brought us a letter ing a bill for the raising of \$100,000,000 by direct tax-

From Europe.-HALIFAX, Jan. 8 .- The Canada, from

annatural We suppose that he had no more idea of the advices per the Africa, then due, in response to those from England by the Europa.

The Canada brought troops and war munitions, and

other steamers would follow immediately. Every regiment in the camp at Aldershott had been ter itself, except from the communication in the Stan- medically inspected, so that they might be in perfect A body of trained nurses on Miss Florence Nightin gale's plan were to proceed at once to Halifax.

The English papers continue to teem with articles or It turns out from Mr. Maultsby's confession that the the American question, but as they are mostly confined to speculations, on the eve of solution, it is not essential to give them. The London Times stands aghast in contemplatin

he tremendous and magnificent vegetation of the Yan The Army and Navy Gazette says that there is a pros pect of trouble in India. The batteries of artillery at

Bombay, on the point of embarkation to England, were stopped by presssing dispatches from Bengal. The Board of Trade returns for November show months is seven and a half per cent. The funeral of Prince Albert engaged the principal

portion of the space of the London journals.

LATEST WAR NEWS. From Norfolk .- NORFOLK, Jay. 11 .- Three light draught gunboats, and the same number of large lake or sound boats arrived in the Roads, vesterday. were all filled with troops, and the three former were recognised by our informant as a portion of the Burnside Expedition. The troops numbering, as was estimated, between four and six thousand, were landed at

We are further informed that the remainder of the seems to be but little doubt that it is intended for the Rappahannock or James Rivers, or Norfolk. Our it tormant states that this is the prevailing opinion at the North, and that the people of that section are quite con fident that the Burnside Expedition will be the most

important in its results of any yet sent out. The negroes at the Point are represented as being worked very hard, and their treatment in general very They are sick of their Northern sympathizers and very anxious to be again with their masters. The Selden, under a flag of truce, visited Old Poin yesterday. She brought up to the city, on her return, J. W. Zacharie, Esq., who was taken off an English vessel between Havana and Matamoras by a U. 2 and made prisoner. He was released on the same day

that Messrs. Mason and Slidell were released. Day Book. From the S. C. Coast.-CHARLESTON, Jan. 10 -The Yankee gunboats continue their visits up Broad River and the Coosaw, keeping up an occasional shelling of some unprotected landing or plantation. On Wednes-day some of their cruisers came up as far as Hogg's Neck and Boyd's Landing on Broad River and complet ly demolished the fine residence of Mr. J. W. Gregorie at Hogg's Neck, and the residence of Mr. Fripp.

nunity that the Federals withdrew from Port Royal (only twenty-two of one hundred and twenty members of Ferry with the view of attacking the defences of Savannah, in force. The soil of Georgia is as good a place as they can find to measure arms with the Confederates, and for one we are perfectly willing to decide the

> French Man-of- War Fired into by the Federal Fleet. Mobile, Jan'y 10.—On Monday last a French man-of-war approached Ship Island under a neutral flag, for the purpose of business with the French Consul at New Orleans. She was fired into by the Federal fleet and somewhat crippled, but did not return the fire. The Yankees apologized, but the Captain refused to accent the apology. He came to Bay St. Louis, and telegraphed

On Monday there were nearly thirty Federal vessels at Ship Island. After this affair all but five left, and

Movement of Troops.-Several regiments have been rdered at different points on the coast within a few lays. Col. Avery's regiment is quartered at Newbern or the present, we believe. Col. Leaventhorpe's will bivouack in the neighborhood of Wilmington. These are fine regiments, and will do good service. Ruleigh Standard, 11th.

MARRIED. In this town, on the evening of the 9th, by G. W. I. Goldston, Esq., Mr. EMANUEL C. THOMPSON and Miss FRANCES A. YOUNG.

At his residence in this county, on the 6th inst., in the 79th year of his age, Mr. ARCHIBALD HOLMES, successful planter, a kind parent, indulgent master.

Church. On the 8th inst. of typhoid pneumonia, aged 30 years. \$6 a bushel. The government is stated to have seized DUGALD CARMICHAEL, a truly excellent young the works, and will manufacture for the people as well as for itself. The proprietors gave a \$10,000 bond not ken his nearest neighbors by surprise. By this stroke to sell above 50 cents; but paid the forfeit some time ago of Divine Providence our community has been deprived of one of its best citizens, a noble patriot and a warm-hearted philanthropist. He was an affectionate son and brother and has left a widowed mother, a sister, three -lu the flouse of Representatives on the 7th, Mr Val- brothers, and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss, which is hoped to be his gain At his residence in Harnett county, on the 5th inst.,

Mr. JOHN DARROCH, aged 56 years 10 months and To Arrive, to arrive--- Daily Expected. MINE GRAY CLOTHS, suitable for officers' Uniforms;

Buttons, &c., &c., at BALDWIN'S Civic and Military Establishment, 38 Market Street, Wilmington, N. C. shipment, solicited.

1t Wilmington, Jan'y 19, 1862.

FOR THE OBSERVER.

The Cumberland Hospital Association acknowledge the receipt of \$100 from Mr. E. J. Lilly and \$100 from Mr. Henry Lilly. The amount of receipts into the Treasury from all sources since the formation of the Association, has been \$1109-the disbursements have

The following Companies have been the recipients of

are much indebted to many of the gentlemen for kind-ness in forwarding their plans.

Ladies who wish to engage in the distribution of soldiers' work during the present week are referred to Mrs. The usual semi-monthly meeting of the Executive

Committee will be held at Society Hall on Friday next,

FOR THE OBSERVER.

MT. OLIVET LODGE, NO. 195, Dec. 30, 1861.

Departed this fife, on the 26th Inst., at his residence on Deep, River. Randolph County, N. C., P. M. John Seinss, in the 40th year of his age. Brother Spinks was a consistent member of the Methodist E. Church, and a member of Mt. Olivet Lodge of Free and A. Y. Masons. He was footfined to the bed of affliction for more than two months; he bore his afflictions with great christian fortitude. He often spoke of a willingness to depart and be with Christ. He was perfectly exim, and enjoyed his mind to his last moments; just before he died, he called his friends beside his bed and bid them forewell, and died rejoicing in the bright prospect for heaven and immortal glory. Was buried the evening of the 28th, in the family grave-yard with masonic honors.

Resolved, 1st. That we bow with humble submission to the death of our beloved brother, one of the brightest stars has fallen; one whom we loved; one who had the great principles of Masonry at heart, and has done much for the cause. FOR THE OBSERVER.

mesoived. 37, that we accept stringtings with his bereaved omnowing, his title son, his aged parents, and his dear sisters. Resolved, 4th, That a copy of these resolutions he sent to the sereaved family, and a copy filed in the scrivers of this Lodge. Resolved, 5th, Thatsa copy of these resolutions he sent to the N C Standard, Christian Sun, and Fayettevilie Observer, for publication, with a request that all papers friendly to the cause pleasure.

J. S. LARRENCE. E. L. PHILLIPS, S. J. MOFFITT,

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET .- Jan. 13.

REVIEW OF THE MARKET. Beef-On the hoof, 6; by retail, 5 to 8. Beeswax 20 cts. Candles-Fayetteville mould 35. Corn—95 to \$1. Peas \$1. Rye 1 75 to \$2. Oats 60. Cotton—good commands 9 25 to 9 50.

Cotton Bagging-29 to 30 cts. Flour-Family, \$9 to 9 25, super 8 75 to \$9. Hides-Dry 20 to 22; green 8 to 10. Iron-Swedes 10 to 12; American 8 to 9. Molasses-Stock light, retailing at 75 to \$1.

Nails—\$14 to \$15 per Keg. Shot—None. Pork—Finds quick sales in any quantity at 12½. Salt-Several lots received from the Sound; sells from ore at \$6 to \$8 per bushel, according to quality. Spirits-Peach Brandy, 2 50; N. C. Apple, \$2; N Whiskey, \$1 35 to \$1 50.

Sugars-The Market well supplied; common brown by the quantity 10½ to 12½; best quality 16 to 17½.

Sheetings—3.4, 15 cts.; 4.4, 16 to 18 cts.

Yarns—Nos. 5 to 10, 27 cts; 7 to 10, 28; 8 to 10, 30. Spirits Turpentine-20 cents. Tallow-22 to 25. Wool-Unwashed, 30 to 40. Corrected by PEMBERTON & SLOAN.

For the State Convention. E are authorized to announce WM. McL. McKAY as a Candidate to represent the Counties of Cumof the Hon. Warren Winslow, resigned.

A T the request of many citizens, Col. M. J. McDuffie

Cumberland and Barnett Counties are restricted to the voters of

Limited and Barnett Counties are restricted to the voters of the color of the co Cumberland and Harnett Counties, as a candidate for a sent in the State Convention, made vacant by the resignation of Hon. Warren Winslow. VOTERS. lution of Hon. Warren Winslow.

Last Tax Notice. LL persons in arrears for Taxes in the Fayetteville

A District are hereby notified to come orward during his week and pay up, or they may expect to find their property advertised for sale. R. W. HARDIE, Dep. Shiff.

Large Sale of Furniture. D Mary Ann Potter to the subscribers, they will sell

A large lot of Household and Kitchen Furaiture. nprising almost every article usually employed in Hotels or tamilies. Sale at the Market House in Fay-

Judge Potter.

etteville. Terms made known at sale. Also the resience in the country, known as the residence of the late W. H. LUTTERLOH, Trustees.

R. M. ORRELL. C. E. LEETE, Auct'r.

Wanted to Hire, 20 NEGRO MEN by the day. Pay 50 cts. Pay \$100 to \$125. T. S. LUTTERLOH.

FOR RENT.

A FRONT ROOM recently occupied by the Post Office. It has gas fixtures. Apply to THOMAS H. TILLINGHAST.

Wanted Immediately, I WO boys to fold Enveropes. None but smart boys need apply to THOS. H. TILLINGHAST.

DRY HIDES. LBS. CHOICE DRY HIDES, for sale by STEDMAN & HORNE.

Blockade or no Blockade. 250 PLOWS and CASTINGS to suit. For sale by

Spoilt Pork or Bacon. SACKS LIVERPOOL SALT, just run the blockade and warranted to cure meat. For sale by

FOR SALE. DOWDER, LEAD, COPPERAS, INDIGO. MADDER, &c. Also 100 kegs NAILS, all sizes. For sale by

C. E. LEETE.

Pure or Impure. SCUPPERNONG Wine, French and Apple Brandy, Corn and Rye Whiskey. Warranted pure and for Medi-

W. N. TILLINGHAST a good assorment of CROCKERY, CHINA, GLASS-WARE.

ALSO.

400 Doz. Knives and Forks. 75 " Pocket Knives. Spoons of various kinds. Silver Plated Ware. Self-Sealing Tin Cans. Hass Fruit Bottles and Jurs; Looking Glasses; Paper

inal purposes. For sale by

Hangings; Stone-ware; Wood-ware; Tin-ware; Brushes; Baskets: Castings; Bell Metal; Brass and Porcelaine Lined Kettles: Tin Lined Tea Kettles and Saucepans; Floor Oil Cloths; Canton and Cocoa Mattings; Platform and Counter Scales; Wheat Riddles; Water-proof and Common Safety Fuse; 5 Coils Hemp Packing, Yarn for steam Engines; and a variety of House furnishing Hard-AT THE CROCKERY STORE.

AVON E. HAUL, Forwarding & Commission Merchant WILL give quick despatch to goods con signed to min Particular attention given to all produce sent him Gold Lace, Stars, Shoulder Straps, Confederate for sale. Consignments of Naval Stores, for sa'e or

OFFICERS,--all ranks. CAN BE SUPPLIED WITH UNIFORMS.

-Recent Arrivals of-Fine Gray Cloths, Fine Gray Cassimeres, Confederate Blue Cloth,

Dark Blue Cloth, Gold Lace, Gold Cord, Stars, Shoulder Straps; Scarlet, Sky-blue, Black and Green Trimmings, enable us to offer to all Officers complete outfits at fair prices

The Confederate Overcoat is finished, cut and trimmed in the most approved style. BLANKS FOR MEASURES

furnished upon application. sent. Cash on delivery.

O. S. BALDWIN, All orders will receive prompt attention, and Goods Manufacturer of Military Clothing, 38 Market st., Wilmington, N. C. Jan'y 11, 1862. 90-i3w

Military Clothing Manufactory,

36 MARKET ST., OVER CARTER'S SHOE STORE, and next door to Baldwin's Civic and Military

Clothing House.
MASON & BALDWIN, Proprietors. Shall give employment to ONE HUNDRED HANDS, and be prepared to contract for making UNIFORMS for Regiments, &c.

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

a few extra two horse turning Plows Apply to BRYAN TWSON. Moonshanne, Moore Co., Jan's 10, 1862. 90-tf

ROBESON COUNTY. IN EQUITY .- Fall Term, 1861. John W. McNair, against Elias Grantham, Giles Wil-liams, Administrator cum testamento annexo of Stephen Grantham, dec'd, Owen Grantham, Joseph Standland and wife Martha, Daniel Elvington and wife Nancy, Evan Grantham, John Grantham, John M. Daniels and wife Caroline, Comfort Grantham,

Grantham. Attachment in Equity.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the

for Robeson County, at Office in Lumberton, 4th Monday in Sept. A. D. 1861. N. A. McLEAN, C. & M. E.

HOUSE FOR RENT. COMMODIOUS and convenient Dwelling House on A COMMODIOUS and convenient Dwelling House on North Street, having a good Garden, a Spring on

the lot, and all necessary out-houses. E. W. BARGE.

Notice to Magistrates. THE Magistrates of Cumberland County are requested

the transaction of public business.

DAVID McNEILL, Chm'n.

Jan'y 7, 1862.

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Cap and Letter Paper. HAVING sold out our stock of writing papers at old prices, we have lately obtained a small supply, at

very high prices, which we desire to sell for cash only E. J. HALE & SONS. FOR HIRE.

G. W. I. GOLDSTON.

BALES GUNNY BAGGING. 10 15 Hhds. New Orleans Sugars (assorted.) 5 Moxes Cuba, Havana Ditto. 10 Bbls, Crushed, Powdered and Cut Loaf Ditte

AUG. W. STEEL. Twenty-five Men Wanted NOR a Company of LIGHT ARTILLERY in the

into actual service late in the Spring. Pay \$12 per month, and a bounty of \$50 when sworn into service.

AN ORDINANCE

or Regiment of Troops for twelve months. DE it ordained by this Convention, and it is hereby D ordained by the authority of the same, That the Governor is authorized to receive into the service a Battalion of infantry, to consist of six companies, for 12 months, or a Regiment of ten companies, to be composed of volunteers who belonged to the First Regiment of North Carolina Volunteers, (the Lafayette Light Infantry and the Independent Light Infantry of the town of Fay etteville included.) and such others as may enrol them-

Be it further ordained, That the said companies shall have the right to elect their Commissioned Officers, and the Battalion shall have the right to elect a Lieutenant Colonel and a Major, and a Colonel if a Regiment be formed; said officers of Companies and of the Battalion or Regiment to be chosen in accordance with the law now in force providing for the election of Officers by the twelve months' volunteers. Provided further, That the said Battalion or Regiment shall be transferred within convenient time to, and accepted by, the Government of the Confederate States.

THE FIRST BATTALION N. C. VOLUNTEERS.

The above Ordinance having been passed by the State Convention on the 12th inst., a rare chance is now offered to those who wish to enter their country's service. As it is probable that the State will finally want the services of the whole Militia of the State, it will be better for those who can, to join this Battalion, so that proper preparation can be made for comfort before entering the field for active duty. Those wishing to enrol

E. MURRAY & CO.

WHOLESALE GROCERS NORTH WATER STREET, Wilmington, N. C. Particular attention given to sale or shipment of

Orders solicited as above.

Wilmington, Jan'y 11. PLOWS: PLOWS:

NOW have on hand the largest and best assortment of SUBSOIL PLOWS that I ever yet had. These Plows will compare favorably with Northern work either as to price or general utility. They are, I think, the best Plow in use among the people for plowing up hard ground, plowing up gardens, running around corn, cotton, &c., the first time, and are an excellent new ground Plow; and as a subsoil Plow I don't think they can be beat. I will warrant them not to break (with fair usage,) and to give satisfaction or the money will be refunded and Plow taken back. I also have on hand

North Carolina,

Daniel Grantham, Elizabeth Grantham and Celia

Defendants, Elias Grantham, Evan Grantham, John M. Daniels and wife Caroline, Comfort Grantham, Daniel Grantham, Elizabeth Grantham and Celia Grantham, are non-residents of the State of North Carolina: It is ordered that publication be made in the Fayetteville Observer for six consecutive weeks, notifying the said non-resident Defendants to be and appear before the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Equity, to be held for Robeson County, at the Court House in Lumberton, on the 4th Mouday in September, A. D. 1862, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the petition against them filed, or the same will be heard ex parte, and a decree pro confesso made as to them. Witness, Neill A. McLean, Clerk and Master in Equity

BRICKS FOR SALE.

to attend at the Court House in Fayetteville, on Friday the 17th of this month, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for

GOOD COOK AND WASHERWOMAN. Apply to

FOR SALE.

10 Bbls. New Orleans Molasses.

Provisional Army of the Confederate States. The term of service, during the war. The Company will go into camp at Richmond in eight or ten weeks and

GEO. B. BAKER.

their names can call at the Store of A. M. Johnson, Military Storekeeper, one door East of G. Brandt's, those from a distance can address me, for further information, per mail. F. N. ROBERTS.

Cotton and Naval Stores.

Any one desirous of entering the service can find me at the Court House, or in my absence Mr. John W. Baker, Jr., will act for me.

To authorize the raising of a Battalion of six Companies

selves with them.

E. MURRAY. D. R. MURCHISON. J. T. MURRAY. Commission Merchants.