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T. C. & B. G. WORTH,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Lost or Mislaid,
A few ladies can be accommodated with board at the residence of J. C. Hooper, Fayetteville, N. C.

Twenty-five Dollars Reward.
DANAWAY from the subscriber, his negro boy MOSES, who is 21 years of age, about 5 feet 11 inches tall, with a heavy black beard, black eyes and hair, and a white collar. He was seen at the residence of the subscriber on the 21st ult., and was in Fayetteville about three weeks ago. The reward will be paid for his delivery to me or for his confinement in any jail so that I get him.

1000 REWARD.
STOLEN from my stable near Lenoirville, Forsyth County, N. C., on the night of the 14th inst., a small bay horse, heavy built, black legs, black eyes and hair, white collar, and a white collar. He was seen at the residence of the subscriber on the 21st ult., and was in Fayetteville about three weeks ago. The reward will be paid for his delivery to me or for his confinement in any jail so that I get him.

CRATHAM RAILROAD.
Notice to Contractors.
Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at his office in the City of Raleigh until noon, Saturday November 1, 1862.

LOOK AT THIS!
THE FAYETTEVILLE HOTEL,
Fronting 300 feet and in the business portion of the Town,
contains more spacious and well ventilated rooms than any Hotel in the State,
and my Patrons say my Condiments are very good for the times.

Runaway,
A MULATTO WOMAN by the name of LUDY, about 25 years old, of medium size, but now quite ragged. She was probably in or near Town, but may have been led off in the direction of Newbern by Bill Williams, a free negro man who has been at work as a carpenter probably on the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad in a Depot North of Weldon. I will pay \$25 for the delivery of said girl to me or to my friend in town. I found in this County, or \$30 if said girl is found in any other County and confined in the Jail of the same, the party arresting giving me early information of the same.

SIO Reward.
I will pay the above reward for the apprehension and confinement of my man CALVIN, who ran away from me about three weeks ago. I will pay \$25 for the delivery of said man to me or to my friend in town. I found in this County, or \$30 if said man is found in any other County and confined in the Jail of the same, the party arresting giving me early information of the same.

CONFEDERATE BONDS
The denominations of \$1000, \$500, \$100. Apply at the Bank of Cape Fear.

Rice and Tobacco on Consignment.
I have for sale fresh rice and 100 boxes Manufactured Tobacco, various quantities. For sale by GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO., Fayetteville, Sept. 24, 1862.

WESTERN RAIL ROAD OFFICE,
Fayetteville, Aug. 29 1862.

On and after the 1st day of Sept. the following rates will be charged on Passengers, via From Fayetteville to Little River, 50 cts. To Spout Spring, 75 " To Rock Branch, 1.00 To Jonesboro, 1.25 To Myrtle's, 1.50

WESTERN RAIL ROAD.
From and after Monday the 22d inst., the Trains on this Road will leave Fayetteville at 10 o'clock, A. M., returning leave Myrtle's Depot at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Western Railroad Office,
Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 27, 1862.

Florence and Fayetteville Rail Road.
Under the provisions of an Ordinance of the Convention of North Carolina, Books will be opened on the 10th inst. at the following places, and under the direction of the following persons, to receive subscriptions to the Capital Stock of the Florence & Fayetteville Rail Road Co. Shares One Hundred Dollars each.

To Railroad Contractors.
Proposals are invited for the grading of that portion of the Western Railroad between the Gulf and One Hill in Chatham county, and also for the masonry Application and Communications to be made to the Engineer, Gulf Post Office, Chatham county, N. C.

WANTED TO HIRE.
ABLE-BODIED NEGRO MEN to work on the Western Railroad in Chatham county, for the remainder of the present and the ensuing year. Apply to J. M. WASHINGTON, at Kinston, JAS. E. HOY, at Greenville, or GEO. WASHINGTON, or W. MURDOCK, Gulf P. O., Chatham Co., N. C.

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100 LBS. BLUESTONE,
For sale by J. A. McDONALD, Oakland, Chatham Co., N. C.

ARMY HARNESS.
I am prepared to manufacture all kinds of Wagon Harness for Army use. I can my leather and can give good bargains. Agents will do well to send their orders to me as they will have prompt attention, and sent off in quick dispatch.

After this date I will
pay Five Cents per pound for rice delivered in Fayetteville, or any of my mills on Rockfish.

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital in Premium Notes amounts to \$207,088 25 Cash on hand and other assets, 5,077 25

THE NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
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A GEN:
The New Style, Small, COLORED PHOTOGRAPHS, at Vanorsdell's Gallery.

ART.
Woodward's Solar Camera.

Marble Factory.
By GEO. LAUDER.

Groceries! Groceries!!
A LARGE and well selected Stock of FAMILY GROCERIES always on hand, consisting of Bacon-Sides, Mess Pork, Mulletts, Macker Nos. 1 and 2, Molasses, Sugars of all grades, Tobacco, Cigars.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED, both having entered the military service of the Confederate States of America, hereby give notice to their old customers and friends, that they have appointed John D. Starr and John D. Williams, of this place, their attorneys to collect either separately or jointly all moneys due them either by account or note, and otherwise to attend to their business generally during their absence. They respectfully ask all persons indebted to them to do so as promptly as possible to their agents and make payment.

OIL AND LAMP BLACK.
TANNERS and LUBRICATING OIL. LAMP BLACK in barrels. For sale by JOS. R. BLOSSOM & CO., Wilmington, N. C.

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 One River, EIGHT HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND, adjoining the land belonging to the estate of George Wilson, dec'd, and lying three miles South from Garbonton, on Little Pocket Creek, Moore county.

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A CARD.
Camp Hale, near Fort Fisher, N. C., Aug. 1862.

ADVERTISEMENTS.
Engineer Office (District of Cape Fear), SMITHVILLE, Oct. 10, 1862.

WANTED.
AT THE C. S. ARMOY, Fayetteville, N. C., two first class ARMORY SMITHS, and three or four competent workmen.

A Lady wishes to obtain
a situation as Music Teacher in a Seminary. References given if necessary.

Palma Christi Beans.
THE subscriber will pay the highest cash price for any quantity of Palma Christi Beans.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.
40 BELLS SUGAR, 15 SCUPPERNON WINE. On consignment and for sale by JOS. UILEY.

Land for Sale.
THE subscriber wishes to sell his plantation on the West side of Cape Fear, near Gray's Creek P. O., 12 miles below Fayetteville.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
THE subscriber will sell his house and lot in Wadesboro, together with about 600 acres of land reaching within three miles of the Village if desirable.

Administration Notice.
THE subscriber having qualified as Administrator on the Estate of JAS. SMITH, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said Estate to present them to Wm. McL. McKay within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.
THE Subscriber, as Trustee of Thomas J. Curtis, will offer for sale on THURSDAY, the 30th day of October, next, at the residence of said Curtis, on Hay Mount, two lots of real and personal property, viz: The House and Lot on Hay Mount where the said Curtis now resides.

COTTON YARN.
No. 19 Hay Street. C. P. MALLET.

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To the Members of the Legislature.

WE are requested by a friend of W. H. HOUSTON, Esq., of Duplin county, (who is now absent in the Army of the Potomac), to announce him as a candidate for re-election to the office of Solicitor of the 2d Judicial Circuit of the State, which he has held for the past four years.

To the People of Moore County.
All persons in Moore county, having friends in Co. A. D. 48th Reg't N. C. Troops, (Capt. Davis), are earnestly requested to deposit a Blanket or Blankets at Maj. H. C. McLean's Hotel in Orange, by the 31st day of Oct. inst. This company of Patriots are now without a blanket, having lost all on the hard fought field of Sharpsburg, and they appeal to you to supply their wants. Their friends need not hesitate to give, as I will attend personally to their transportation and see that they get them.

Called Meeting.
Fayetteville & Western Plank Road Co.
MEETING of the stockholders of the F. & W. P. R. Co. is hereby called to meet in the Town Hall, in Fayetteville, on the 1st Thursday in November next, (the 6th day) at 11 o'clock, A. M.

VALUABLE MILLS for Sale.
OFFER for sale my PLANTATION, 2 miles west of Carthage, Moore county, containing 260 acres, on which is a Grist and Saw Mill, Cotton Gin and Screw I will receive in payment State Bonds, Confederate money or likely Negroes.

VALUABLE LANDS for Sale.
OFFER for sale my PLANTATION on McLeod's Creek, 6 miles west of Carthage, lying on the basin of the Coal Fields, containing 2100 acres, which is well productive as any lands in the county of Moore. The improvements good and the situation healthy. Terms liberal.

NOTICE.
I HAVE about 5000 acres more, in different tracts, in the county of Moore—Farming, Mineral and Turpentine land,—which I will sell on liberal terms.

200 lbs. Gum Arabic for sale by
J. R. LEE.

STOLEN.
ON Thursday night last, one ROOKAWAY and HARRIS, Esq., of Rockaway was seen, the inside covered with green morocco. Any information that will enable me to get it will be thankfully received and rewarded.

Medical Purveyor's Office.
CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 15, 1862.

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I have received from the U. S. Military Institute, Charlotte, N. C., the following articles, for which the advanced prices will be paid, on delivery at the U. S. Military Institute, Charlotte, N. C.

Sale of a Large Lot of Patent Medicines.
ON Tuesday 18th day of November next, at the Store of Wm. McL. McKay, in the town of Asheboro, County of Randolph, I will offer for sale for cash, the highest bidder, a large and valuable lot of Patent Medicines.

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New Orleans.—A Yankee letter writer gives the following illustrations of the presence of a Union sentiment in New Orleans city, in which the Northern papers have been indulging so largely:—

"The Union feeling existing there—that they talk so much about—does not exist; for Butler says that even the women and children are the 'old—'st rebels' he ever saw, and there has been but little Union feeling displayed where there was nothing to be gained. Self-interest has been the parent of all Union feeling exhibited there; of this I feel certain. To demonstrate this fact, let me relate an incident which I know to be authentic.

A Mrs. ———, whose husband has come out strong on the Union subject, knowing that in the public schools there would be many opportunities for those who would hurrah for the Stars and Stripes, and desiring to obtain the principalship of one of the girls' high schools, called upon Gen. Butler, accompanied by a "sneech" lady, who was anxious to see the brute without having any business herself to take there. Mrs. ———, after complimenting Butler highly upon the condition of the streets, and the city generally, and expressing her devoted allegiance to the old flag, stated that she called, actuated solely by the promptings of her heart, to take the oath of allegiance. Butler allowed her to get that far and no farther: "Get out, madam, get out! don't say another word. I have never seen the women in the South yet who would take the oath of allegiance, or even hear of it, unless they had an object to gain in it. They are the damndest rebels in the whole Confederacy of rebels. Get out, madam; you want some favor under my go. And out she did go. The sneech lady couldn't keep it, you may be sure; and it was no time before the story was out. Another incident: While our vessel was lying at the piers, the Yankee sentinels picked up a little boy of about six years who was playing near them, and tried to induce him to hurrah for Lincoln. 'Hurrar, hurrar, and I'll give you something.' 'I won't! Catching him up, and suspending the little fellow over the crowd, they said: 'Hurrar for Lincoln, or we'll drop you in.' 'Drop and be damned,' said the little rebel; and, with a shout, they set him down, saying he was rebel pluck to the backbone. These two instances that I know of are pretty fair specimens of the Union feeling there."

Dianna Smith, the Heroine of the Northwest.
A friend has kindly furnished us with some interesting particulars in the history of this young heroine:

She was born and raised in the county of Jackson. Her father is a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was leading a quiet, peaceful, and useful life, until his country was invaded, when he called his countrymen to arms and raised the first company of guerrillas, which he commanded until last fall, when by fraud and treachery he was captured, and ever since has been confined in a loathsome dungeon at Camp Chase, Ohio, without hope of delivery, unless our Government should interpose and procure his release.

Dianna is his only daughter, a beautiful girl, who has been tenderly raised and well educated. She is also a member of the M. E. Church, and has always been regarded as very pious and exemplary. She is descended from a race of unflinching nerve, and satisfied with nothing less than freedom as unrestrained as the pure air of their mountain home.

Her devotion to the cause of Southern rights, in which her father had nobly engaged, has caused her, too, to feel the oppressor's yoke. Although a tender and delicate flower, upon whose cheek the bloom of sixteen summers yet lingers, she has been five times captured by the Yankees and marched sometimes on foot in manacles a prisoner. Once a considerable distance into Ohio, at which time she made her escape; she was never released, but in each instance managed to escape from her guard. She, too, has seen service—she was in several battles in which her father engaged the enemy. She has seen blood flow like water. Her trifle rifle has made more noise than one of the vile Yankees bite the dust. She left her home in company with the Moscon Rangers (Capt. Keiser), and came through the enemy's lines in safety and in the Blue Sulphur Springs.

She was accompanied by Miss Duski, who has also earned the proud distinction of a heroine. On one occasion this fearless girl was surrounded by fifty Yankees and Union men; rushing through their ranks with a daring that struck terror to their craven hearts, with her rifle leveled across her shoulder, she swam the west fork of the Kanawha river and made her way to the Mountain Rangers, preferring to trust her safety to these brave spirits, well knowing that her sex would entitle her to protection from these brave mountaineers. These young ladies have had in the mountains for months, with no bed but the earth, and no covering but the canopy of Heaven. They have suffered the soldier's rough fare, his dangers, his hopes and his joys.

The great crime with which these daring young ladies are charged by the enemy is cooking, washing, mending and making clothes, and buying powder for the soldiers. We are informed that they are both ladies of the first rank at home, and are every way worthy of the highest place in any society whose virtue, integrity and sterling principle give position.—*Waynesville (Va.) Dispatch.*

Official Corruption.—In the Senate on Wednesday, in a debate on official abuses, "Mr. Hill of Georgia stated as another instance of outrage coming to his notice, the refusal of local authorities in Tennessee to allow the shipment of provisions to the laborers of companies engaged in the manufacture of salt in Western Virginia. It had been urged by some that these restrictions on transportation were designed to fill speculators. Alas! it worked, if anything, the very reverse. A gentleman of most unimpeachable veracity had told him of an instance illustrating the truth of what he said, and to speculation. The person alluded to had a large quantity of syrup and fuses to transport, and he was compelled to sell the whole stock at a great sacrifice. A few days after he saw the same stock in Mobile, and he bought it again, giving \$25 per barrel for syrup that he had sold in Vicksburg for \$7. Inquiring of the man how he managed to get it transported, he was informed that the Quartermaster was made a partner in the concern, and there was no further trouble about shipment." This was doubtless one case out of thousands. Instead of preventing speculation, it was playing right into the hands of the extortioners and dishonest officials."

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