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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.

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

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.,
Wholesale Dealers in Groceries,
AND IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Hardware and Cutlery, Swedes Iron, &c.,
HAY STREET, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
July 2, 1861. 36tf

JOS. UTLEY,
Grocer and Commission Merchant,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Jan'y 10, 1863. 93-tf

T. C. & B. G. WORTH,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jan'y 28, 1861 84tf

CARD!
A FEW LADIES can be accommodated with board at
T. C. HOOPER.
56-

JAMS & CO.,
KERS.
w in operation nine miles
rtics wishing to supply
urnished by applying to
ayetteville, to E. Page,
J. M. WILLIAMS,
General Superintendent.
81tf

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m home a few months in
Lean is my authorized
until I return.
N. G. JONES
83tf

his date I will
er pound for rags de-
etteville, or at my mills
D. MURPHY.
65-

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rticles to sell will receive
ng on Mr. M Thomason,
ville, or on the subscri-
Square.
ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr.
75tf

llars Reward.
riber, his negro boy MO-
ge, about 5 feet 10 inches
ry much turned out at the
oken to. He was seen at
county on the 21st ult.,
t three weeks ago. The
his delivery to me or for
that I get him.
W. D. JOHNSON.
4, 1862. 52tf

ARNESS.
ture all kinds of Wagon
I can my leather and can
will do well to send their
ve prompt attention, and
JOHN CARTER.
o., N. C., }
, 1862. } 34tf

rabic for sale by
J. R. LEE.
69tf

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ngs to J. F. Redman of
bout 5 feet 4 or 5 inches
ld; the and of one of his
ome forward, pay charges,
away, or he will be dealt
P. F. ALDERMAN,
r of Cumberland county.
22tf

WARD.
BSCRIBER ON SUNDAY
my negro boy named AN-
yellow complexion, about
or 20 years old, and sup-
ounds. He has a heavy
when questioned, and has
rying to pass for a free boy.
l for him delivered to me at
y, or confined in any jail
F. L. WARREN.
63. 15-3mpd

CARD.
n operating Rooms over
d's store, I offer my Pro-
s to the citizens of Fayette-
urs from 9 A. M to 12 M,
J. H. FREEMAN.
25-9tpd

CE.
ds are at R. D. Davis's for
rized to receipt by me for
to pay your debts while
JAMES BREECE.
26tf

Florence and Fayetteville Rail Road.

UNDER the provisions of an Ordinance of the Convention of North Carolina, Books will be opened on the 16th June 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.

At the Rail Road Office in Fayetteville.—Under the direction of the General Commissioners, A. A. McKethan, D. A. Ray, A. W. Steel, Wm. McL. McKay and Jno. M. Rose.

At the Red Springs.—Under the direction of Hector McNeill, Wm. J. Stewart, Jas. A. Smith, Dan'l C. McNeill and Col. Alex. McMillan, or any one of them.

At Floral College.—Under the direction of Dr. Neill McNair, Dr. A. D. McLean, Archibald Smith, Edmund Lilly and Col. Alexander Watson, or any one of them.

At Queensdale.—Under the direction of Murdock McRae, D. McLeod, D. McCallum, Jas McRae, Jr., and J. H. McQueen, or any one of them.

At Alfordsville.—Under the direction of John Purcell, Jno. McNair, Sion Alford, Dugald McCallum and Jno. McCallum, or any one of them.

The Subscription Books will remain open for the space of 60 days. When a sufficient sum is subscribed the Company will be organized for the purpose of building the Road.

A. A. McKETHAN,
D. A. RAY,
A. W. STEEL,
WM. McL. McKAY,
JNO. M. ROSE,
General Commissioners.

Fayetteville, June 7, 1862. 32tf

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

FOR the purpose of increasing the capital stock of this Company, to enable it to extend the Road from the Coal Fields to the North Carolina Road, the following gentlemen have been appointed Commissioners to receive subscribers in their several neighborhoods, viz:

At Gulf—L J Haughton, Brooks Harris, Dr George C Newby and G Washington.

Above the Gulf—Jno J Goldston, James F Rives and Hugh W Dixon.

At Ore Hill—G W Goldston, Dr L W Gorrell and N M Alston.

Above Ore Hill—Dan'l Hackney, A B Marsh and Jas Pace.

At Foust's Mills—Dr H M Foust and Dr J D Graves.

At Franklinsville and vicinity—Isaac H Foust and A S Horney.

At Asheboro'—Jonathan Worth and B F Hoover.

At New Market—Jesse Walker and Joseph Newlin.

At Thomasville—A G Foster and Jno W Thomas

At High Point—Dr R C Lindsay and Seaborn Perry.

At Salem—Francis Fries and R L Patterson.

At Greensboro'—C P Mendenhall, Peter Adams, Hon J A Gilmer and Jesse H Lindsay.

Instructions will be sent to the Commissioners at an early day by the President of the Company.

64tf J. M. ROSE, Sec'y W. R. R. Co.

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 Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 1859.

A GEM!
The New Style, Small,
COLORED PHOTOGRAPHS,
AT
Vanorsdell's Gallery.

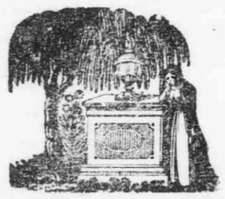
ART.
Woodward's Solar Camera.

PHOTOGRAPHS can be had at Vanorsdell's Skylight Gallery, Hay street, opposite Marble Yard, Fayetteville, N. C.: plain, retouched, colored, in water colors, oil and pastile; from small to life size. Ambrotypes, Melaneotypes, and all other styles of Pictures pertaining to the Art. Also, Gilt Frames, Gilt Moulding, Glasses for very large pictures—as large as 26 by 36 inches. Cord and Tassels for hanging pictures; Instruments, Stock and Chemicals for sale low for cash. Life size colored Photographs made from small pictures.

Having permanently located here I hope to merit your patronage. I would also return my sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on me heretofore by the good people of Fayetteville and vicinity.

C. M. VANORSDELL,
Photographist and Proprietor.
Dec'r 20, 1859 77-

Marble Factory,



By GEO. LAUDER.
TWO DOORS ABOVE C. T. HAIGH & SONS' STORE
Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 20, 1860 84-

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital in Premium Notes amounts to	$267,688 26
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, }

hn Collins and C. C. McCrummen, Traveling Agents.
☞ The Company invite applications.
May 28, 1861. 21-

Administrator's Notice.

THE subscriber having at December Term, 1862, of the County Court of Cumberland, qualified as Administrator upon the Estate of Neill G. McNeill, dec'd, notifies all persons having claims against the Estate to present them within the time limited by law, otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Debtors are requested to make prompt payment.

HECTOR McNEILL, Adm'r.
Dec. 10, 1862. 85- t

EXCHANGE HOTEL.

THE subscriber announces to the public that he will open on the 1st May the above House of Entertainment, (formerly the Shemwell House.) The house is situated a few doors from the Market, on Green street, near the centre of the business portion of the town, and has been newly fitted up, and thoroughly cleansed. The rooms are convenient and well ventilated. The table will be supplied with the best the market affords, the Bar with the best of Liquors, and the stable with attentive Ostlers.

Desirous of sharing the public patronage I can promise that those who give me a call shall not leave dissatisfied. REUBEN JONES.
April 27. 23-tf

LIST OF CHARGES FOR PASSENGERS.

DOWN.

From Fayetteville to Wilmington,	$10 00
" " " Elizabeth,	5 00
" " " White Hall,	6 50
" " " Kelly's Cove,	7 00
" " " All points below,	10 00
SECOND CLASS, OR DECK.	
From Fayetteville to Wilmington,	$5 00
" " " Elizabeth,	2 50
" " " Whitehall,	3 50
" " " Kelly's Cove,	4 00
" " " All points below,	5 00
UP.	
From Wilmington to Fayetteville,	$10 00
" " " Kelly's Cove,	4 50
" " " White Hall,	5 50
" " " Elizabeth,	6 50
" " " Prospect Hall,	8 00
" " " All points above,	10 00
SECOND CLASS, OR DECK.	
From Wilmington to Fayetteville,	$5 00
" " " Kelly's Cove,	3 00
" " " White Hall,	4 00
" " " All points above,	5 00

☞ Second Class or Deck Passengers must stay on lower deck or pay full price, or same as First Class.

☞ An extra charge will be made for Way Passengers getting into Berths during day time, and for occupying a Berth with their boots or shoes on, at the discretion of the Captain

J. A. WORTH, for C. F. St'm B't Co.
R. M. ORRELL, for St'rs Kate and Sun.
T. S. LUTTERLOH.
May 4, 1863. 26-tf

WESTERN RAIL ROAD.

THE Trains of this Road leave Fayetteville daily, (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock, A. M., and returning leave McIver's at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Freight Train MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY.

By order of the President.

JNO. M. ROSE,
Treas'r and Act'g Trans. Ag't.
Jan. 22, 1863. 97tf

Notice to Shippers.

IN consequence of the high price of every thing used by this Company, the Directors have advanced the rates of freight generally about one hundred per cent. Rates will be furnished as soon as printed.

JNO. M. ROSE,
Treas'r and Transportation Ag't W. R. R. Co.
March 18, 1863 12tf

From and after this date the Steamer A. P. HURT will leave at 8 o'clock, A. M., on Monday and Thursday.

JOS. A. WORTH,
April 6—17tf Ag't C. F. Steam Boat Co.

To Cotton Planters.

I HAVE been appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury, Chief Agent for the purchase of Cotton for the Confederate Government within the State of North Carolina, and will pay for the same in 7 per cent. Bonds or Cash.

Sub-Agents visiting the different parts of the State, buying in my name, will have written certificates of appointment.

By order of the Secretary of the Treasury, all Cotton purchased by myself or my agents, on and after the 18th day of March 1863, will be paid for in 7 per cent. Bonds or Cash, and not 8 per cent. Bonds as stated in a former advertisement. Up to that time, however, the 8 per cent. bonds will be furnished as stated.

Patriotic citizens are now offered an opportunity to aid the Government by selling to it their Cotton rather than to private capitalists.

LEWIS S. WILLIAMS.
Charlotte, March 24, 1863. [c. D.] 14tf

Egypt Coal Mine.

THE undersigned were, at the November Term of the Confederate Court, District of North Carolina, appointed Managers of the Egypt Coal Mine property, and have entered into copartnership for the purpose of mining and selling Coal, and solicit orders for the same in any desired quantity. Orders for any amount can be supplied on short notice. The Coal from this property is undoubtedly the best in the Confederate States. Applications may be made to Chas B. Mallett, Fayetteville, N. C., or James Browne, Charleston, S. C.

CHARLES B. MALLETT.
JAMES BROWNE.
Fayetteville, Jan'y 20, 1863. 96tf

3700 Boxes of the Southern Hepatic Pills
Have been ordered in one day.

THIS combination of medicines was first prepared by the proprietor in 1825, when he was pronounced by three eminent physicians in a Southern city, as in an advanced stage of Consumption. *These Pills cured him.* He is now over seventy years of age and in discharge of active professional duties. Their good effects upon others created such a demand for them that he was compelled to desist from supplying them gratuitously.

They are not recommended by the proprietor as good for all diseases, but only for such as arise from DISORDERS OF THE LIVER. Many persons have testified to their good effects in *Chills and Fevers, Bilious Fever, Pneumonia, Dyspepsia, &c., &c.*

Read the following:

S. D. WALLACE, Esq., President of the Wilmington and Weldon Rail Road, Aug. 30, 1862, says: "It has been said that "DYSPEPSIA," is our *national* disease. However this may be, it caused *me* long and severe suffering. Providentially a friend furnished me with a few boxes of the "*Hepatic Pills*," and *the use of them has perfected a cure.* In my family they have been used *frequently* with *eminent success.* Among my acquaintances, *many cases* originating from diseased liver, have been relieved and cured by them. I regard them an *invaluable medicine*, and take pleasure in forwarding this voluntary tribute."

COL. JOHN WRIGHT, of Goldsboro' N. C., Aug. 14, 1862, says: "I have used the *Southern Hepatic Pills* in my family here and also on my plantation in Alabama, and *always with success.* I have a valuable servant girl who had been a long time under treatment for consumption, without receiving any benefit. Almost in her extremity, I was induced to try the *Hepatic Pills.* They were given *according to directions*, and she is now well, *entirely restored by them.* A similar case occurred among my servants in Alabama. For liver and lung diseases *I have perfect confidence in them.*"

Full directions and *other certificates* will be found on the wrapper of each box.

Price, $1 a box; $10 a dozen; $96 a gross. *Retailed at the Druggists.* For $11 twelve boxes will be sent free to any part of the Confederacy where there are no druggists. Not less than a dozen boxes will be sent by the proprietors. Cash must accompany orders. Checks on local banks taken.

Address GEO. W. DEEMS, Wilson, N. C.
☞ For sale in Fayetteville by S. J. HINSDALE.
April 25. 22-3mpd

NOTICE.

IN consequence of a necessary stoppage of the Rockfish Factory for several weeks to come, for the purpose of repairs, the company will have no Sheetings for sale till further notice. C. T. HAIGH, Pres't.
March 22

Blank Warrants for sale at this Office

JOHN H. COOK, Auctioneer.
Dental Materials, Instruments and Furniture, at Auction.

I WILL sell at Auction, on Wednesday the 24th of June, in Fayetteville, N. C. my entire stock of DENTAL MATERIALS, INSTRUMENTS and FURNITURE, consisting of 2700 Teeth, Rubber and Plate, 4 oz. Gold Foil, Vulcanite and Apparatus, Instruments, as Files, Excavators, Fillers and Forceps, Operating Chair and Spittoon, Chairs, Tables, Carpets, Bed and Bedding. Also a large lot of Books, Medical and Dental works, Blackstone's Commentaries, New American Cyclopædia, Standard Poetical Works, *Centre Table* Books, &c.

My accounts are in the hands of Mr. John H. Cook.

R. SCOTT.
May 23, 1863. 31ts

Printing Presses for Sale.

I WILL expose to public sale for cash on Thursday the 11th day of June next, at the office recently occupied on Green Street, Col. P. J. Sinclair's entire interest in the PRINTING PRESSES, TYPES and FIXTURES, &c., employed in publishing "The North Carolinian." Also his interest in the Library, Furniture, Gas Pipe and Fixtures of the Office, and his interest in the house, to satisfy sundry executions in my hands for collection. HECTOR McNEILL, Shff.

By J. A. JOHNSON, Dep't Shff.
May 14, 1863. 28-8tpd

800 acres of LAND for sale.

I OFFER my PLANTATION in Columbus county, containing eight hundred acres or over. There are about three hundred acres of cleared land on it, and about one hundred acres of the best swamp land in the State; easily drained. I will take five dollars per acre for it, and take it in negroes, mules or money. Any one having negroes on the Sound would do well to give me a call. It is in one mile of the Railroad and three miles of Fair Bluff. I will give possession when I sell

GILES P. FLOYD.
Leesville P. O., Robeson county, April 27. 24 9tp

NOTICE.

WE will sell at Auction, in Pittsboro', Chatham Co., on the 13th day of June next, Eighty-three Shares (83) of Stock in the Fayetteville & Coalfield R R, belonging to the Estate of Dr. S. McClenahan, dec'd.

J. W. TAYLOR, } Adm'rs.
J. S. McCLENAHAN, }
May 11, 1863. 29-4tpd

WANTED,

BANK NOTES of North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Georgia.

Also, North Carolina six per cent. Fundable Notes.
Also, North Carolina six per cent. Bonds, new issue.

W. R. RICHARDSON & CO.,
Brokers, Raleigh, N. C.
March 9 9tf

We the undersigned practicing Physicians of the counties of Richmond and Robeson, from necessity have agreed upon the following Fee Bill: Seventy-five cents per mile in the day and double in the night. Prescriptions one dollar. Medicine Extra. Surgical and obstetrical cases fifty per cent. on former charges.

A. D. McLEAN.
R. D. DICKSON.
A. BETHUNE.
A. PATTERSON.
A. McDOUGALD.
D. SHAW.
DAN'L SMITH.
May 8, 1863. 27-11tpd

Sole Leather wanted.

2000 LBS. of heavy well tanned SOLE LEATHER, suitable for Belting. Apply to

D. MURPHY.
Fayetteville, April 14. 20tf

RUN THE BLOCKADE.

60 PIECES Black and White CALICO;
100 prs Men's Eng. sewed BROGANS;
For sale by W. McINTYRE.
March 16. 11-tf

Fayetteville Arsenal and Armory,
APRIL 27, 1863.

WANTED,

4 GOOD PRACTICAL MACHINISTS,
3 " jobbing Blacksmiths.

Steady employment and good wages will be given. Apply to Major F. L. CHILDS,
24-10t] Comd'g Officer.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Cape Fear Navigation Company will be held in the Town Hall in Fayetteville, on Friday, May 29th, 1863, at 12 o'clock M.

D. A. RAY, Pres't.
April 20, 1863. 24tm

SALT! SALT!!

25 SACKS for sale by ROBERT MITCHELL.
Dec. 22. 88-tf

LETTER PAPER.

A FRESH supply of Letter Paper, Bath size, of better quality and higher price than any we have lately had. Just received. E. J. HALE & SONS.
April 25

TO CLERKS OF COURTS.

IN Sending us Court Advertisements the Clerks will enclose $5, if the advertisements are of the usual length. A larger amount if the orders are longer.

E. J. HALE & SONS.
April 30, 1863.

Wanted Immediately,

10,000 GOOD JUNIPER SHINGLES, for which the highest cash price will be paid.

—ALSO—

A yoke of large, well broke OXEN. Apply to

D. ANDERSON & CO.,
Eagle Foundry, Fayetteville, N. C.
March 7, 1863. 9tf

Palma Christi Beans.

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

J. A. WORTH.
Fayetteville, Oct. 8. 67-tf

OIL AND LAMP BLACK.

TANNERS' and LUBRICATING OIL.
LAMP BLACK in barrels. For sale by

JOS. R. BLOSSOM & CO.,
Wilmington, N. C.
March 7. 6-tf

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 conjointly 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 call as promptly as possible on their agents and make payment.

STARR & WILLIAMS.
Sept 19, 1861 58-tf

Cow Strayed.

A RED brindled peg horn COW, with a CALF about 10 months old with a bell on, and having a star on its face, strayed on the 24 inst. from my lot, formerly Judge Potter's residence. The cow had no white marks, has lost the bush of her tail, is of common size but tall. A reasonable reward will be paid for her recovery, or for information which may enable me to get her.

Mrs. THOS. P. HALL.
Fayetteville, May 21. 30-

ASHEVILLE, N. C.

I WILL open the EAGLE HOTEL for the reception of Guests the first of June, and I hope to be able to entertain from seventy-five to a hundred persons during the Summer.

In connection with this large Hotel, I have a number of Hacks, Carriages, Buggies and Saddle Horses that my guests can get at a minute's notice.

J. M. BLAIR,
Proprietor Eagle Hotel, Asheville, N. C.
May 13, 1863 31tf

Camp of Instruction N. C.,
CAMP HOLMES, May 20, 1863.

SPECIAL ORDERS, }
No. —. }

IN accordance with General Orders No. 25, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, Richmond, Va., the name of the following slave is published in order that his owner may come forward and claim the property, viz: "SAM," aged about thirty years, black complexion, 5 feet 8 inches high, property of Miss Emily Harway, of Hertford county.

The said Sam was arrested on board of the steamer Emily, running from Norfolk, Va., to Newbern, N. C.

At the same time and place was arrested "BUSH CUFFEY" aged about 26 years, dark complexion, 5 feet 7 inches, who claims to be free.

By order of Col. PETER MALLETT,
Commandant of Conscripts for N. C.
J. N. PRIOR, Adjutant.
May 22, 1863. 31-1m

ENGINE WANTED.

A 4 or 6 horse power Engine, with fixtures complete.
May 21. E. J. HALE & SONS.

CARRIAGE AND HARNESS
FOR SALE.

A Large second-hand CARRIAGE, with seats for six persons. Also, a set of DOUBLE HARNESS, very little used. E. J. HALE.
May 25.

WANTED TO PURCHASE,

BANK BILLS;
Gold and Silver;
North Carolina Fundable Treasury Notes;
North Carolina Bonds, old or new;
Western Railroad Stock;
Bank of Fayetteville Stock;
Bank of Clarendon Stock.

T. S. LUTTERLOH.
May 23, 1863. 31-3t

A Cow wanted.

WANTED to purchase, a good MILCH COW. Address B. in note left at this office.
May 25, 1863. 31-3t

Lard Oil.

I AM manufacturing and have on hand, for sale at my Factory, a beautiful article of LARD OIL.

C. P. JONES.
Fayetteville, May 25 31-3tpd

Spun Cotton for Lard.

I WILL exchange some spun cotton for Lard, delivered at my Oil and Soap Factory, on Person street.

C. P. JONES.
Fayetteville, May 25, 1863. 31-3tpd

One Dollar per bushel for Ashes.

I WILL pay the above price for good blackjack, oak or hickory ASHES, delivered at my Factory on Person street. C. P. JONES.
Fayetteville, May 25, 1863. 31-3tpd

TOBACCO.

190 BOXES VIRGINIA TOBACCO, various grades, for sale on consignment, by

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
May 23. 31tf

WANTED,

A SITUATION to superintend SALT WORKS. I am experienced at erecting, and patching either wrought or cast pans, boiling and keeping the works in order, &c. Address DAVID McDUFFIE,
Fayetteville, N. C.
May 23, 1863. 31-4tpd

LOST,

CERTIFICATE No. 14, issued 25th Jan'y 1853, for Two Shares of the Capital Stock of the Clarendon Bridge Company. This is therefore to notify those concerned, that I shall apply for a duplicate Certificate.

J. M. JESSUP,
Adm'r of M. W. Jessup.
May 19. 30-3t

HORSE STOLEN!
$50 Reward!

ON last night some rascal entered my stable, 5½ miles North west of Hillsborough, and stole my HORSE. The horse is a dark bay, has a white spot in the forehead, with a scar on the rump. He is a large fine horse, and at this time is very valuable. When last heard from he was beyond Pittsboro', going in the direction of Fayetteville.

I will give fifty dollars reward for the delivery of the horse and evidence to convict the thief, or twenty-five dollars for any information that will lead to the recovery of the horse. WILLIAM WILKINSON.
Orange county, May 13, 1863. 30-4tpd

Executive Department North Carolina,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, (MILITIA,)
RALEIGH, May 14, 1863.

GENERAL ORDER, }
No. 7. }

MILITIA OFFICERS, who have been compelled by the advance of the enemy, to leave their respective districts, are ordered to report for duty to the Commanding Officer of the Regimental District in which they may be residing temporarily.

By order of Governor VANCE:

DAN'L G. FOWLE, Adj't Gen.
May 19. 31*2w

Executive Department North Carolina,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, (MILITIA,)
RALEIGH, May 15, 1863.

GENERAL ORDER, }
No. 8. }

EXEMPTIONS from Militia duty on account of disability, will not be recognized, except upon the Surgeon's certificate endorsed by the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, and approved at this office.

By order of Governor VANCE:

DAN'L G. FOWLE, Adj't Gen.
May 19. 31*2w

Turpentine Lands wanted.

THE subscriber wishes to purchase from 2000 to 5000 acres good TURPENTINE LAND. Would prefer land that the Timber had not been worked. Address the subscriber, stating terms, location, &c.

CHARLES PARMELEE,
Goldsborough, N. C.
May 15, 1863. 29-5tpd

North Carolina Factory Goods Wanted.

WANTED to purchase North Carolina FACTORY GOODS, Sheetings, Shirtings, Osnaburgs, Stripes, Plaids and Cotton Yarns, (for retail trade of Johnston County.) Payment made in cotton delivered on the N. C. R R., if preferred to money. Manufacturers who wish to procure cotton would do well to address me at Smithfield, Johnston Co., N. C.

W. H. AVERA, Smithfield, N. C.
March 4, 1863.

N. B. I have contracted to deliver a lot of Bacon in Fayetteville for Cotton Yarns. Those who wish can get a limited supply for 25 per cent. on cost, by delivering Bacon at my store. Iron, Sugar and Tobacco in store for sale for cash or produce. 9*3mpd

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A NEW TRICK WITH CARDS.

Some six or eight weeks ago, handbills and circulars were sent all over the State, notifying country dealers and merchants that the subscriber thereto was prepared to furnish some 50,000 pairs of cotton cards, calicoes, and other things on terms that would enable them to supply families at low rates. A lively correspondence was soon opened with parties from every section of the State, and a large number of dealers, speculators, and some few who were desirous of benefiting their neighborhoods, visited the city to purchase cards and other things. They were referred to George W. Curtis, a shrewd fellow, who was book-keeper in a well known commercial house in the West for many years, and known to a great many persons in the city. The dealers were taken to a building on the river bank, and led to a cellar where boxes marked in the usual manner, with the numbers of pairs and the number of the size of the cotton cards were snugly stowed. Curtis, it appears, made no secret that these cards were smuggled, and liable to confiscation, but that was the reason why he was enabled to sell them so cheaply, some heavy sales being effected at twelve hundred and fifty dollars for each one hundred pairs. An open box or two of the cards were shown as samples. Secrecy was enjoined, as it was desirable not to let the law officers get on the scent, and as the building was near the river, it was very easy for purchasers to quietly move their boxes on a boat and carry them off. As the demand was so great, purchasers were advised to pay for their cards and secure their boxes, which were to be delivered early in April. Others engaged to take large quantities, one contract being to the tune of $30,000. About the first of April, Curtis told a number of his patrons that he expected every hour a large lot of dry goods and needed money, and the parties might take the cards, or take part in cotton cards and part in dry-goods when the latter came. Curtis, it appears, had a partner, whose name we did not learn, and two or three others were in some way connected with the concern. The whole party boarded at the Hayns' Hotel, and it appears that the money received for the cards, or a good part of it, was deposited with Haynes for safe keeping. A few nights since the partner of Curtis, accompanied by another of the parties, presented an order to Mr. Haynes, from Curtis, for the money. The paper money was in a box and some $1,000 in specie, in a bag. Haynes took the money from the safe and delivered it to them, but the lateness of the hour excited his suspicions and he told them they had better leave the money and call for it in the morning. They drew their pistols and prevented him from locking up the money again, took it up stairs to a room, but returned in a few minutes, handed him the box, said they were joking and went off. As they had not returned the specie, Haynes followed them, overtook the one who had the gold, took his arm and walked with him down the street expostulating, until they came in sight of two or three soldiers on guard, when the fellow got scared, dropped the bag of gold and ran off. Upon his return to the hotel, Mr. Haynes examined the box and found the money had been abstracted and old newspapers put in its place. The next morning, the buyers of cotton cards became uneasy and proceeded to examine their purchases, when, to their dismay, they found that each box had in it nothing but a few sticks of wood so arranged that they sounded like the handles of the cards rattling, and weighing about the same as a box of cards would weigh. Curtis & Co., have vamosed the ranche and the buyers of the cotton cards may be seen looking very blue, each with a small stick of wood under his arm.

Our lawyers are all busy discussing the question as to whom the $1,000 in gold belongs.

Little Rock paper.

Stonewall Jackson.—The Central Presbyterian says:—

"The immediate cause of his death was pneumonia, which his system, prostrated by the wounds and amputation, was unable to cast off. And it is a characteristic fact that the cold which issued in this pneumonia was contracted by his unselfish anxiety for the health of some young members of his staff. The night before the battle was spent on the field, and, having no extra covering at all, after great urgency, he accepted the cape of one of his aids, but in a short time arose and gently laid it over the young man, and spent the night just as he was. This exposure produced a cold which ended in pneumonia.

"A few nights before this battle an equally characteristic incident occurred, that is worthy of record. He was discussing with one of his aids the probability and issue of a battle, when he became unusually excited. After talking it over fully, he paused and with deep humility and reverence said, "My trust is in God;" then, as if the sound of battle was in his ear, he raised himself to his tallest stature, and with flashing eyes and a face all blazoned with the fire of the conflict, he exclaimed, "I wish they would come." This humble trust in God, combined with the spirit of the war-horse whose neck is "clothed with thunder," and who "smelleth the battle afar off, the thunder of the captains and the shouting," made that rare and lofty type of martial prowess that has shrined Jackson among the great heroes of the world. Trust in God and eagerness for the fray were two of the great elements of that marvelous success that seemed to follow him like a star, so that he was never defeated, or failed in anything he undertook."

Heavy Loss.—Brig. Gen. Steinwehr, commanding the second Division of Hooker's army, in his official report of the action of his division on the evening of the 2d of May, states that his 1st brigade, numbering "about fifteen hundred muskets," lost in killed and wounded 494 men and 2 officers.

ADDRESS TO SPRING, FOUND IN A LAWYER'S OFFICE

Whereas on certain boughs and sprays
Now divers birds are heard to sing,
And sundry flowers their heads upraise,
Heal to the coming on of Spring,

The songs of these said birds arouse
The memory of our youthful hours,
As green and young as the said boughs,
As fresh and fair as the said flowers.

The birds aforesaid, happy pairs!
Love in the aforesaid branches enshrines,
In house old nests, in love, their nests,
A lease, nor [illegible] assigns.

Oh, tuneless term of Cupid's Court,
When tender plaintiffs actions bring!
Season of frolic and of sport!
Hail! as aforesaid, coming Spring.

London Punch.