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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. 26tf

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

JOHNSON, WILLIAMS & CO.,
SALT MAKERS.

WE have thirty (30) pans now in operation nine miles west of Wilmington. Parties wishing to supply themselves with salt, can be furnished by applying to A. Johnson, Jr., Agent at Fayetteville, to E. Page, manager at the works, or to
J. M. WILLIAMS,
General Superintendent.
Fayetteville, Nov. 29, 1862. 81tf

WANTED.

2,500 BUSHELS WHEAT,
1,500 " CORN.

Persons having the above articles to sell will receive the highest Cash price by calling on Mr. M. Thomason, at the Merchant Mills, Fayetteville, or on the subscriber at his old stand on Market Square.
ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr.
Nov. 5, 1862. 75tf

ARMY HARNESS.

I AM prepared to manufacture all kinds of Wagon Harness for Army use. I tan my leather and can give good bargains. Agents will do well to send their orders to me as they shall have prompt attention, and sent off in quick dispatch. JOHN CARTER.
Goldston P. O., Chatham Co., N. C.,
June 12, 1862. 64tf

200 lbs. Gum Arabic for sale by
J. R. LEE.
Oct. 15. 69tf

SALT! SALT!!

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

TOBACCO.

190 BOXES VIRGINIA TOBACCO, various grades, for sale on consignment, by
GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
May 23. 81tf

Sole Leather wanted.

2000 LBS. of heavy well tanned SOLE LEATHER, suitable for Belting. Apply to
D. MURPHY.
Fayetteville, April 14. 206tf

COW LOST.

MY COW is on East side of Cape Fear, somewhere opposite to Campbellton, being driven into the river by boys and can't find her way back. She is marked with crop in each ear, has a bell on, white in her face, white on back and belly, red on neck and sides. Whoever will take her up and let me know it, or bring her up to me in Campbellton, will be liberally rewarded.

The said cow was bought in the upper part of Bladen county and may probably find her way back to that county. JNO. A. WATSON.
June 12, 1863. 40-12pd tf

Wanted to Purchase,

WESTERN RAIL ROAD STOCK,
Bank Notes;
Gold and Silver;
North Carolina Treasury Notes (Fundable;)
" " " $1 and $2;
" " " Bonds, old and new;
County of Cumberland Bonds;
Town of Fayetteville Bonds;
Greensboro' $1 and $2 Certificates;
Confederate 7 and 8 per cent. Bonds;
Coupons of $15,000,000 loan;
" of Town and County Bonds;
" of old North Carolina Bonds;
T. S. LUTTERLOH.
Oct. 12, 1863. 71tf

The Subscriber wishes to purchase

a few YOUNG NEGROES for which he will pay the highest Cash price. Those wishing to sell would do well to call on me or address me at Raleigh, N. C.
P. J. STERNE.
Sept. 7. 51-3mpd

Spun Cotton Exchanged for Lard.

WE will give Spun Cotton in part payment for LARD delivered at our Factory on Person St.
A. McLAUCHLIN & CO.

LARD OIL.—A very fine article, for sale at our Factory. A. McLAUCHLIN & CO.

BAR AND TOILET SOAP.—For sale at our Factory. A. McLAUCHLIN & CO.
Fayetteville, Sept. 12, 1863. 63-3mpd

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, notices 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. 86-6

Mount Vernon Female Seminary,
At Mt. Vernon Mineral Springs, Chatham County.
1st Session to commence 28th Sept.
TERMS:

Higher Eng. Branches per session of 20 weeks,	$50 00
Academic Class,	40 00
Music and Painting, each,	40 00
Latin, French and Drawing, each,	20 00
School Room expenses	2 50

Board $50 per month, or $10 per month if paid in provisions at old prices.
Rev. WM. HOOPER, T. C. HOOPER, } Principals.
Address "St. Lawrence P. O."
Sept. 8 62tf

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.

WESTERN RAIL ROAD.

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

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. 81-ypd

NOTICE.

THE two firms of B. G. WORTH & CO., and WORTH & DANIEL have combined, and will continue the
General Commission and Forwarding Business,
At the old stand of T. D. & B. G. Worth, as successors to that concern, under the style of WORTH & CO. By prompt and faithful attention to business they hope to retain the liberal patronage bestowed on each when doing business separately.

Orders for Salt promptly executed at market price.
WORTH & CO.
Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 8, 1863. 73-3m

B. G. WORTH. D. G. WORTH. N. G. DANIEL.
WORTH & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 16, 1863 73-12m

WANTED, for the Hospital at Fort Fisher,

POULTRY, Chickens, Butter and other delicacies for the sick Soldiers at this Hospital. Persons having these articles can obtain the market price on application to the subscriber at his old stand or at Mr. J. W. Powers's on Hay Street.
R. E. HEIDE, Gen'l Ag't.
Aug. 25. 58-tf

As usual the Blockade

WILL compel us to do what we should have done before this, wait upon yourself and cut loose from the enemy. The proprietors having started the manufacturing of all kinds of BOBBINS for Factories in the Southern States, will be able to fill orders at short notice. Work delivered in Fayetteville, N. C.
Address D. L. RIVETT,
Manchester, Cumberland, N. C.
June 9, 1863. 36-6mpd

The Cedar Falls Bobbin Co. are now prepared to furnish, at short notice, all kinds of BOBBINS, SPOOLS and QUILLS, &c., suitable for Woolen and Cotton Mills. J. M. ODELL, Agent.
Cedar Falls, N. C., July 9, 1863 26-6mpd

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 15th 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. n.] 14tf

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.
Marc 6. 9tf

The Star Foundry

IS again in full operation. Having in my employment competent workmen, I am prepared to execute work at the shortest notice and for a reasonable charge.
M. A. BAKER.
Fayetteville, Aug. 18, 1863. 56tf

Palma Christi Beans.

THE subscriber will pay the highest cash prices for any quantity of Palma Christi Beans.
J. A. WORTH.
Fayetteville Oct 9 87-tf

FAYETTEVILLE ARSENAL AND ARMORY, SEPT. 24, 1863.

$30 REWARD.

ESCAPED from prison on the morning of the 12th inst., SAMUEL BUCHANNAN, who was arrested on the suspicion of being a *spy*. He represented himself as a Captain from Morgan's army in Kentucky. Said Buchannan is supposed to be about Raleigh or near his mother's in Chatham county. The attention of Militia Officers of Chatham, Moore, Cumberland and Wake, and all good citizens is *especially* called to this man. The above reward will be paid if the prisoner is delivered to me at this Post, or $10 if confined in any county jail.
MATTHEW P. TAYLOR,
Capt. C. S. A., Comd'g Batt'n.
63 tf

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT, RALEIGH, N. C., May 8, 1863.

LEAD WANTED.—I wish to purchase Lead for this Department. Persons having large or small quantities will please apply at once. Will give 1 pound of POWDER for 10 pounds of LEAD.
THOS. D. HOGG, Capt. C. S.
In charge of Ordnance.
89-tf

After this date I will pay 12½ Cents per pound for rags, or the highest market price, delivered in Fayetteville, or at my mills on Rockfish.
D. MURPHY.
July 27, 1863. 50tf

THE DIXIE PRIMER,

FOR the Little Folks. A further supply at wholesale or retail by E. J. HALE & SONS.

THE NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

NOW in the tenth year of successful operation, with growing capital and former 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.
S. J. HALE, Agent at Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 1859.

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital in Premium Notes amounts to $267,682 20
Cash on hand and other assets, 6,077 55
Total, $272,756 61
The Company have paid all losses promptly, and have never made an assessment on their premium notes.
Total losses paid, $29,682 63

OFFICERS:
GEO. McNEILL, President.
B. A. RAY, Vice President.
C. A. McMILLAN, Sec'y.

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J. D. Williams, R. F. Brown, } Wilmington.
S. W. Tillinghast, A. E. Hall, }
Ira Collins and C. C. McCrummen, Traveling Agents.
☞The Company invite applications.
May 28, 1861. 71-

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, Melanotypes, and all other styles of Pictures pertaining to the Art. Also, Gilt Frames, Gilt Moulding, Glass 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.
G. M. VANORSDELL,
Photographist and Proprietor.
Sept'r 29, 1859 37

Marble Factory,

By GEO. LAUDER,
TWO DOORS ABOVE C. T. HAIGH & SONS STORE
Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 20, 1860 8-

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 85-tf

Cotton Yarn for Wool.

NOTICE is hereby given that after the date (except in cases where we have bargained for Wool according to the terms of our advertisement of the 26th of May, which terms are now revoked,) we will give 1 bundle of Cotton Yarn for 4 lbs. of Wool unwashed, or 3 lbs. washed and picked. This change is made at the instance of the Quartermaster at Raleigh, in order to make the terms of exchange uniform throughout the State. GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
Fayetteville, June 29, 1863. 41tf

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

GRIND STONES FOR SALE.

THE undersigned have taken the Agency for the sale of Messrs. W. B. Farrar & Co.'s Grind Stones, and have now on hand sizes rubbing from 18X2½ inches to 5 feet by 11 inches; and can have one at short notice ANY SIZES wanted. Persons in want of Grind Stones will please correspond with the undersigned, who will fill orders promptly and guarantee the quality of the grit he represents.
GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
Fayetteville, May 27, 1863. 82-tf

Soldiers' Claims.

AT the request and for the convenience of those interested, the undersigned has agreed to collect all the claims of *deceased* and *discharged* soldiers, and of *soldiers on furlough*, that may be placed in his hands.

Having had an experience of near 20 years in prosecuting claims against the *United States* Government, as well as against the Confederate States, he is perfectly familiar with every variety of claims, and can make as early collection as the large number now on file will admit.

A moderate fee will be charged to cover cost, postage stationery, &c.

Apply in person or address by letter.
JNO. M. ROSE.
Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 19, 1863. 72-3mpd

WOOD WANTED.

THE Subscribers wish to contract for the delivery at their residences on Hay Mount of FIFTY CORDS of WOOD, chiefly Pine. E. J. HALE & SON.
Sept. 14.

33,000 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE.

WILL be sold in Lake City, on Thursday the 21st of January, A. D. 1864, the following property, sequestered by a decree of the Confederate States Court for the District of Florida:

20,000 acres of Land, known as the Fleming Grant, situated in Brevard county, Florida, on Indian River, in T 30 S, R 37 E; T 30 S, R 38 E; T 31 S, R 38 E; T 31 S, R 37 E: Property of Bernard, of Boston.

12,130 acres of Land in Brevard county, known as the Gomez Grant, in T 29 S, R 41 E; T 33 S, R 42 E; T 37 S, R 42 E, T 40 S, R 42 E; T 40 S, R 43 E; T 41 S, R 41 43: Property of Gomez, Genin & Gomez.

560 acres of Land in Hernando county, Florida, comprising the E ½ of N E ¼ of Sec 34, the W ½ of N W ¼ of Sec 36; E ½ of N E ¼ of Sec 27; E ½ of N W ¼, and E ½ of S W ¼ and S E ¼ of Sec 25, T 22 S, R 19 E. Property of Tyler & Parsons.

168 acres of Land in Brevard, near county site, Lots No 2 and 3 of Sec 24, T 30 S, R 41 E: Property of Philip Hexner.

200 acres in Hillsborough county, Florida, N E ¼ of S E ¼ of Sec 2, T 31 S, R 22 E, and N W ¼ of S E ¼ of S E ¼ of S E ¼ and S E ¼ of S W ¼ of Sec 2, T 31 S, R 22 E: Property of heirs of Lemuel Wilson.

160 acres of Land in Hillsborough county, Florida, N W ¼ of Sec 13, T 27 S, R 20 E: Property of Absalom, Mulford & Co.

Block No 38: N ½ of Water Lot No 11; and Lot No —, Block 55: Lots 1, 2, and 4, in Block 12: Lot No 5, in block 17:

1 Steam Saw and Grist Mill,

on block No 38, in the city of Tampa.

80 acres of Land, in Hillsboro' county, Florida, N ½ of N W ¼ of Sec 6, T 28 S, R 20 E: Property of Arthur Bell.

Terms—CASH.

The above Lands comprise some of the best in Florida, and offer a first opportunity for profitable investment.

Information can be had by addressing Ferdinand McLeod, Confederate States District Attorney, at Lake City, Florida, and R W Thompson, at Tampa, Florida.
E. S. THOMPSON, Receiver.
F. McLEOD, Con. States Att'y.
Oct. 31, 1863. 78-4t

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber having to go into Confederate service, will sell, if applied to soon, a VALUABLE PLANTATION, lying in Marion District, S. C., 25 miles North of the W. & M. R. R., and 12 miles South of the W. C. & R. R., containing 850 acres, 400 cleared and in a good state of cultivation. On the premises are a good Dwelling and Gin House, with all other out buildings necessary to a well ordered farm. The lands are well adapted to the culture of cotton and provisions and pleasantly situated for health, and society, also contains a sufficiency of different denominations. I will also sell with the premises if desired, my stock and provisions of all kinds, also farming implements, &c.
Address R. B. BRADDY.
Little Rock, S. C., Nov. 14, 1863. 81-4tpd

Administration Sale.

BY virtue of an order of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of Cumberland County, obtained at June Term, 1863, the subscriber as Commissioner of said Court, appointed in the case of James Jenkins, Adm'r of Angus Shaw, vs. the heirs at law of said Shaw, Petition to sell Real Estate, and at September Term 1863, in the case of the same vs the same, petition to sell slaves, will on the 6th day of January, 1864, expose to public sale at the Market House in Fayetteville, at 12 o'clock M., about 272 acres of Land, situated on both sides of the Wilmington road, about 3 miles from Fayetteville. Being that part of said tract left after laying off and allotting the dower to the widow. Also the following negroes, viz: Jim, aged about 20 years, Nancy, aged 17, and child about 18 months old. Terms at sale. JAMES JENKINS,
Commissioner.
Fayetteville, Nov. 14, 1863. 81

BOOKS REOPENED.

OFFICE OF THE CHATHAM R. R. CO.,
Raleigh, N. C., Nov 8, 1863.

THE BOARD of DIRECTORS of this Company, having determined to push forward the grading of the road with vigor, the books of subscription to the capital stock are directed to be reopened. This road will run into the heart of the Coal and Iron deposits of the Deep River Valley. It will be immediately connected with our great railways. It will be on the line of the shortest route from Richmond to Charleston. Its stock has therefore every prospect of being profitable. The attention of those desiring investments of funds, as well as of those who wish to aid in developing the coal and iron resources of the Confederacy, is invited to this enterprise.

Price of shares $100 each. Cash payments may be made. Subscriptions will be received by George W. Mordecai, Esq., at the Bank of N. C., by W. H. Jones, Esq., at the Branch Bank of Cape Fear, by the Treasurer of the Company and by the undersigned.
KEMP P. BATTLE, Pres't.
Nov. 10. 80-6t

DEPOSITORY C. S. A.,
FAYETTEVILLE, Oct. 25, 1863.

COTTON INTEREST BONDS may be had on application at this Office. The premium fixed for these Bonds is 50 per cent.—requiring $1500 to buy a Bond of $1000. These Bonds are payable in coin at the end of 20 years, and are interest is payable yearly, 1st June, in coin,—say 500 lbs currently. This at 18 cts. per lb. will pay 6 per cent. on the investment, and at present price of cotton, would yield over 25 per cent.

All Treasury Notes issued within the year 1863, may be funded in 6 per cent. Bonds, bearing interest from day of deposite.

Holders of Certificates, issued before 1st Sept. last, are requested to return them, with their names written on the back, and receive such bonds.
W. G. BROADFOOT, Dep'y.
76-1m

Fayetteville Arsenal and Armory,
Nov. 12, 1863.

$100 BOUNTY.
Wanted, 100 Mounted Riflemen.

AUTHORITY having been granted by the War Department to raise a Company of Mounted Riflemen for service in this vicinity, notice is hereby given that recruits to the number of 100 *non conscripts* will be received for this service. Each recruit will be required to furnish a serviceable horse, for which he will be allowed 40 cents per diem, and his pay $12 per month. *Written permission* will be required from parents or guardians, where the applicant is under the conscript age.

Each recruit must bring with him a blanket or bed spread, and some proposed to remain.

Apply to Capt. MATTHEW P. TAYLOR, at the Arsenal. F. L. CHILDS,
80tf] Major C. S. A. Comd'g Post.

Run the Blockade!
W. MACINTYRE

Is opening to day and offers for sale:
2 CASES CALICOES, 3,360 yds;
2 Cases English Sheetings, 3,840 yds;
1 Case Pillow Case Cotton, 2000 yds;
4 Cases Printed Cotton Handkerchiefs, 225 dozen;
1 Case French Drab Hose, 20 dozen.
Nov. 16, 1863. 81-5w*5t

WANTED,

A LARGE lot of old COPPER, BRASS or ZINC. A liberal price will be paid by
M. A. BAKER.
Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 29, 1863. 78-1m

ISAAC HOLLINGSWORTH,
Grocer and Commission Merchant,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

WILL give prompt attention to all business entrusted to his care.
Oct. 20, 1863. 74tf

NOTICE.

CONSCRIPT OFFICE,
RALEIGH, Nov 18, 1863.

THE following General Order, No. 141, Adj't and Insp't Gen'l's Office, is hereby published for the information of all concerned. Attention is also invited to special Order, No. 8, Medical Director's Office, Raleigh, N. C.
By order of
Col. P. MALLETT, Com'd't Conscripts, N. C.
J. W. MALLETT, Adj't.

Adj't and Insp't General's Office,
RICHMOND, Oct. 20, 1863.

GENERAL ORDERS, No. 141

I. THE practice of relieving officers from commands to which they have been appointed and assigned, and ordering them to report in person to this office for further assignments, will cease unless specially required by orders from this office.

II. Soldiers returning home on furlough, or on reaching places at which they will stay during furlough, will immediately report to the nearest enrolling officer, who will keep a register of their names, descriptive list, place where stationed, by whom the furlough was granted and the time at which it expires.

III. When at the expiration of his furlough, and being at a distance from an Hospital Examining Board, a soldier is unable to travel, the enrolling officer will order him before the Board of Examiners for conscripts, and the medical officer and one of the physicians "employed" concerning, they will forward to his commanding General, with a statement of his case, a recommendation for an extension of furlough not to exceed thirty days, duplicates being also sent to the Surgeon General. But when the soldier is accessible to a general hospital, he will be sent before the Hospital Examining Board, who will conform to the preceding instructions.

IV. In cases of sickness or wounds, which, from any cause, are neglected, or do not receive proper treatment, the disability in consequence being prolonged, the soldier will be sent, by the enrolling officer, to the nearest camp of instruction for treatment in hospital.

V. Recommendation for extension of leave to officers and furloughs to soldiers, and medical certificates to officers, and certificates of disability to soldiers, will only be given by authorized Boards of Examiners; or in cases embraced in the first section of Paragraph III, of this Order, by the Board of Examiners for Conscripts. Recommendations or certificates from private physicians or from a medical officer singly, will not be received. Paragraphs 171 and 173, General Regulations, and Paragraph 1, General Order No. 51, Current Series from this Office, are amended to accord with this paragraph.

VI. Furloughed soldiers will not be permitted to go within the lines of the enemy.

VII. In the medical examination of substitutes, the instructions and requirements of Paragraph 1,192, General Regulations, (Paragraph 48, Medical Regulations,) will be fully adhered to; and if a substitute fails to meet the conditions of that paragraph he will be rejected.

By order,
(Signed,) S. COOPER,
Adjutant and Inspector General.

EXTRACT.

Office Medical Director,
GENERAL HOSPITAL, N. C.,
Raleigh, Nov. 12, 1863.

SPECIAL ORDER, No. 8.

IV. Hereafter the Hospital Examining Boards will meet at the hour and places herein designated, viz:

At General Hospital No. 2, Wilson, on Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 3, Goldsboro', on Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 4, Wilmington, on Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 5, Wilmington, on Wednesday and Friday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 6, Fayetteville, on Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 7, Raleigh, on Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 8, Raleigh on Wednesday and Friday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

At General Hospital No. 9, Salisbury, on Tuesday and Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. of every week.

(Signed,) P. E. HINES, Surgeon,
Medical Director.
Nov. 23. 83-1w

CAROLINA FEMALE COLLEGE,
ASSONVILLE, N. C.,

WILL be re-opened on the first Monday in January 1864, and close the 28th of October 1864.

TERMS:

Board, including fuel and washing for term of five months,	$250 00
English, including Mathematics,	40 00
Ancient and Modern Languages each,	10 00
Music and use of Instruments,	30 00

Terms—*Cash in advance.*

Pupils are advised to bring with them their old text books.

For further particulars address
JOSEPH R. GRIFFITH,
Brulington, Va.
N. B. After the 15th of December 1863, address me at Assonville, N. C. J. R. G.
Nov. 17, 1863. 82 10tpd

Valuable Land in Harnett county FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, as Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Hector M. McLean, dec'd, offers for sale the valuable plantation on which her Testator lived, containing 600 acres, situate near Fox's Island on the north side of Cape Fear River, and fronting on the river for the distance of one mile and running back about three-fourths of a mile. The lands are but a short distance below, on the opposite side of the river, from Lillington, the County site of Harnett, and are considered as valuable as any on the river for the production of corn, wheat, and cotton. Gen. A. D. McLean will show the lands to any who wish to purchase. To those who wish to invest in that species of property these lands offer the strongest inducements.

Unless disposed of previously, the property will be offered at public sale in the town of Lillington, on Tuesday the 22d December next. Terms made known at sale. EFFIE McLEAN, Ex'r'x.
Lillington, N. C. Nov. 19, 1863. 82-10tpd

Negroes! Negroes For Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED, at this Term of Court, being appointed Commissioner to sell the slaves belonging to the Estate of Nancy Daughtry, deceased, will sell at Clinton, Sampson County, on Monday, fourteenth day of December next, at public auction, eight likely slaves, consisting of men, boys, women and girls. Terms cash.
H. D. LEWIS, Com'r.
November 17, 1863. 82-4tpd

STRAYED.

FROM my plantation near Davis's old Store, Marlboro' District, S. C., on or about the 1st of Sept. last, a small sorrel MULE, right eye out. Any one taking up said Mule will be liberally rewarded by addressing J. M. DAVIS, Cheraw, S. C.
Nov. 19. 83-3tpd

SHEEP.

FOR sale, three BUCK LAMBS, half Cotswold, shear from six to nine pounds of wool. Price $50 each, cash. Apply to HUGH McLEAN.
Bulo's Creek P. O., Harnett Co., Nov 18. 82-3tpd

OFFICE OF THE ACT'G ASS'T QUARTERMASTER,
Fayetteville Arsenal and Armory,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C. Nov. 17, 1863.

WOOD WANTED.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until the 30th Nov. for the delivery of five hundred cords of oak and pine wood, delivered on the line of the Western Rail Road or at the Arsenal, as the parties may prefer. The oak to be good sound black jack, red oak, or white oak. The pine to be good sound wood. It must conform strictly to the standard measurement for cord wood, viz: 8 x 4 x 4. Proposals marked, Proposals for wood for Act'g Ass't Qr. M.
MATTHEW P. TAYLOR,
70tt Captain & A. A. Qr. M.

Eat Less Meat.—The great scarcity of meats of all kinds in this Confederacy renders it absolutely necessary that all classes should be exceedingly economical in its use, in order to furnish the Southern armies with proper rations. In the old countries, where the people possess iron constitutions and enjoy fine health, comparatively little meat is used. We must follow their example during this war. Every housekeeper should raise as many hogs and beeves as possible, and every farmer ought to devote a fair proportion of his best lands to the cultivation of the Chinese sugar cane, from which to make abundant supplies of molasses. By doing this, and by cultivating and drying fruits of all sorts, we shall have an abundance of good, nourishing food for private families and exempts and a fair proportion of meats for the army. The South has its all in this war. It must conquer an honorable peace, or lose all that is worth living for. If it desires freedom its people must be willing to bear sacrifices, privations, and want. Without these we cannot succeed, and the sooner every man and women in the land makes up their mind to bear all and suffer all, rather than become Northern slaves, the sooner we will attain to the great end for which we are aiming. Meat is scarce, very scarce, and we are compelled to do with very little of it, even now. The stock on hand can last but a short time, and our readers should make up their minds to do without it altogether till this war is over.

Practice and Precept.—"That which thou hast to do, do it with all thy might," said a clergyman to his son one morning.

"So I did this morning," replied Bill, with an enthusiastic gleam in his eye.

"Ah! what was it, my darling?" and the father's hand ran through his offspring's curls.

"Why, I wolloped Jack Brown till he yelled like thunder; you should just have heard him holler, dad."

Dad looked unhappy, while he explained that the precept did not imply a case like that, and concluded with—

"You should not have done that, my child."

"Then he'd a wolloped me," retorted Bill.

"Better," expostulated his sire, "for you to have fled from the wrath to come."

"Yes," argued Bill, by way of a clincher, "but Jack can run twice as fast as I can."

The good man sighed, went to his study, took up a pen, and endeavored to compose himself and a sermon, reconciling Practice with Precept.

A Shrewd Editor.—At a Welsh celebration Dr. Jones told the following amusing anecdote:

The speaker said that editors were like other shrewd men, who had to live with their eyes and ears open. He related a story of an editor who started a paper in a new village at the West. The town was infested by gamblers, whose presence was a source of annoyance to the citizens, who told the editor that if he did not come out against them they would not patronize his paper. He replied that he would give them a "smasher" next day. Sure enough, his next issue contained the promised "smasher," and on the following morning the redoubtable editor, with scissors in hand, was seated in his sanctum, cutting out news, when in walked a large man, with a club in his hand, and demanded to know if the editor was in. "No, sir," was the reply, "he has stepped out. Take a seat and read the papers; he will return in a minute." Down sat the indignant man of cards, crossed his legs, with his club between them, and commenced reading a paper. In the meantime the editor quietly vamosed down stairs, and at the landing he met another excited man with a cudgel in his hand, who asked if the editor was in. "Yes, sir," was the prompt response, "you will find him seated up stairs, reading a newspaper." The latter, on entering the room, with a furious oath, commenced a violent assault upon the former, who resisted it with equal ferocity. The fight was continued until they had both rolled to the foot of the stairs, and pounded each other to their hearts' content.

Contentment is Wealth.—Agar said, "give me neither poverty nor riches;" and this will ever be the prayer of the wise. Our incomes should be like our shoes; if too small, they will gall and pinch us; but if too large, they will cause us to stumble and to trip. Wealth, after all, is a relative thing, since he that has little, and wants less, is richer than he that has much, and wants more. True contentment depends not upon what we have; a tub was large enough for Diogenes, but a world was too little for Alexander.

Sugar and Tobacco.—"Are sugar and tobacco injurious to the teeth?" This question was discussed at the "Congress of German Surgeon Dentists," which met recently at Frankfort. The Congress decided the question in the negative in both instances, when the articles are taken in a pure state and not in immoderate quantities.

NOTICE.

CONSCRIPT OFFICE,
RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 13, 1863.

THE following named negroes are now confined at Camp Holmes, near Raleigh, subject to call of owners:

NICY, black, 30 years old, 5 feet 3½ inches high, and her son, JOHN, black, 8 years old, 4 feet 2½ inches high; were arrested by pickets near the Trent, and sent to Camp Holmes, Aug. 18th. Represent themselves as belonging to Mrs Louisa Odam, Polloksville, N. C.

ALBERT RIDDICK, black, 33 years old, 5 feet 5 inches high, and WILLIAM FULLER, black, 23 years old, 5 feet 11½ inches high, arrested in Princess Ann county, V., and sent to Camp Holmes Oct. 27th; state that they are free.

By order of the Comd't.
82-4t] E. J. HARDIN, Lt., Act'g Adj't.

$100 REWARD.

RANAWAY, on the 12th of November, my negro boy HENRY. He is about twenty-one or two years old, weighs about 140 lbs., 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, dark complection, and very talkative. He was seen last in the neighborhood of Fayetteville, supposed to be going to Washington, N. C. Said boy I purchased Oct. 10th in Richmond, Va., of J. Lynch. I will give the above reward for said boy if lodged in any Jail so I can get him. JOHN FAIRLEY.
Montpelier, N. C., Nov. 18. 82-3tpd

TAKEN UP,

AT my house, three miles from town, on the Western Plank Road, early last Spring, a light BRINDLE COW, medium size, white belly and flanks, a slit in the right ear, and an underbit in the left. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away. RUFFIN VAUGHN.
Nov. 16, 1863. 82-4tpd

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