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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, 1863.

W. 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. 52-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 east 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. 28, 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 can 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 of in quick dispatch. JOHN CARTER.
Goldston P. O., Chatham Co., N. C.
June 13, 1862. 84tf

300 lbs. Gum Arabic for sale by
J. R. LEE.
Oct. 15. 68tf

SALT! SALT!!

25 SACKS for sale by
ROBERT MITCHELL.
Dec. 22 58-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 Soling. Apply to
D. MURPHY.
Fayetteville, April 14 [illegible]

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 roll 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 Sladen township and may probably find her way back to that locality.
JNO. A. WATSON.
June 30, 1863. 69-10pd 1f

Wanted to Purchase,

WESTERN RAIL ROAD STOCK;
Bank Notes;
Gold and Silver;
North Carolina Treasury Notes (Bundavis;)
" " " $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 $10,000,000 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. 61-8mpd

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. 63-6mpd

Administrator's Notice.

THE subscriber having at December Term, 1862, of the County Court of Cumberland, qualified as Administrator upon the Estate of Neill O. 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. 65- 6

Mount Vernon Female Seminary,
At Mt. Vernon Mineral Springs, Chatham County.
1st Session to commence 23th Sept.

TERMS:

Higher Eng. Branches per session of 20 weeks.	$38 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, } Principals.
T. C. HOOPER, }
Address "St. Lawrence P. O."
Sept. 5 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. 81-5pd

NOTICE.

THE two firms of R. G. WORTH & CO., and WORTH & DANIEL have combined, and will continue the General Commission and Forwarding Business, At the old stand of T. C. & R. 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

R. G. WORTH. D. G. WORTH. N. G. DANIEL.
WORTH & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 16, 1863. 74-12m

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. R. 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 not loose from the enemy. The proprietors having started the manufacturing of all kinds of ROBBINS for Factories in the Southern States, will be able to fill orders at short notice. Work delivered in Fayetteville, N. C.
Address D. L. KIZETT,
Manchester, Cumberland, N. C.
June 9, 1863. 80-6mpd

The Cedar Falls Robbin Co. are now prepared to furnish, at short notice, all kinds of ROBBINS, SPOOLS and QUILLS, &c., suitable for Woolen and Cotton Mills. J. M. ORRELL, Agent.
Cedar Falls, N. C., July 9, 1863 30-6mpd

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 it their Cotton rather than to private speculators.
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. Payable Notes.
Also, North Carolina six per cent. Bonds, new issue.
W. R. RICHARDSON & CO.,
Brokers, Raleigh, N. C.
March 9. 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. 8. 87 tf

FAYETTEVILLE ARSENAL AND ARMORY,
Sept. 24, 1863.

$30 REWARD.

ESCAPED from prison on the morning of the 12th inst., LEMUEL 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 case. 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.
66 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.
69-tf In charge of Ordnance.

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 28, 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 a 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 promptly 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. M. SAUNDERS, Secretary, Raleigh.
E. J. HALE, Agent at
July 1859. Fayetteville, N. C.

FAYETTEVILLE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital in Premium Notes amounts to $267,438 00
Cash on hand and other assets, 5,347 35
Total, $272,785 61
The Company have paid all losses promptly, and have never made an assessment on their premium notes.
Total losses paid, $20,582 69

OFFICERS:

GEO. McNEILL, President.
R. A. RAY, Vice President.
G. A. McMILLAN, Sec'y.

DIRECTORS:

Henry Lilly, W. N. Tillinghast,
H. L. Nyncum, E. J. Hinsdale,
S. T. Hawley, Wm. McLaurin,
Nathan A. Blackburn, N. S. Lutterloh,
C. B. Mallett, A. W. Sisel,
James Kyle, J. G. Cook,
A. A. McKethan, Hon. J. C. Shepherd,
J. D. Williams, R. F. Brown, } Wilm'gton.
S. W. Tillinghast, A. E. Hall, }
Colds and C. C. McCrummen, Traveling Agents.
☞ The Company invite applications.
May 28, 1861. 21-

A GEM!

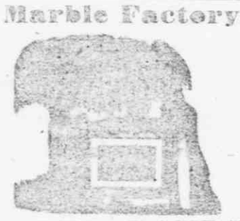
The New Style, Small,
COLORED PHOTOGRAPHS,
AT
Vanorsdell's Gallery.

ART.
Woodward's Solar Camera.

PHOTOGRAPHS can be had at Vanorsdell's Skylight Gallery, Hay street, opposite Market 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, Glass for very large pictures—as large as 20 by 30 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
Dec'r 23, 1859

Marble Factory.



By GEO. LAUDER.
TWO DOORS ABOVE C. W. BATCH & SONS' STORE
Fayetteville, N. C.
Jan'y 26, 1863 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. 43-tf

Cotton Yarn for Wool.

NOTICE is hereby given that after this date (except in cases where we have bargained for Wool according to the terms of our advertisement of the 30th of May, which terms are now revoked) we will give 1 lbs. 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 29, 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 running from 18X2 inches to 6 feet by 11 inches; and can have cut 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 as represented.
GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
Fayetteville, May 27, 1863. 52-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. 14, 1863. 72-8mpd

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.

CAROLINA FEMALE COLLEGE,
ANSONVILLE, N. C.

WILL be reopened on the first Monday in January 1864, and close the 25th 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.	80 00

Terms—*Cash in advance.*

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

For further particulars address
JOSEPH R. GRIFFITH,
Brunswick, Va.

N. B. After the 15th of December 1863, address me at Ansonville, N. C. J. R. G.
Nov. 17, 1863. 82-10pd

$3,000 ACRES OF LAND
FOR SALE.

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

20,000 acres of Land, known as the Flemming 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 Sennard, of Boston.

12,180 acres of Land in Brevard county, known as the Gomez Grant, in T 30 S, R 41 E; T 28 S, R 42 E; T 28 S, R 41 E; T 40 S, R 42 E; T 40 S, R 43 E; T 41 S, R 42 43: Property of Gomez, Gomez & Gomez.

500 acres of Land in Hernando county, Florida, comprising the S ½ of N E ¼ of Sec 23; the W ½ of N W ¼ of Sec 26; 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 28, T 22 S, R 19 E: Property of Thos J. Parsons.

165 acres of Land in Brevard, near county site, Lots No 2 and 3 of Sec 20, T 26 S, R 41 E: Property of Philip Hornsby.

200 acres in Hillsborough county, Florida, N E ¼ of S E ¼ of Sec 3, T 31 S, R 22 E, and N W ¼ of S E ¼; S ½ of S E ¼; and N E ¼ of S W ¼ of Sec 3, T 31 S, R 22 E: Property of heirs of Luther Wilson.

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

Block No 38, N ½ of Water Lot No 11; and Lot No —, Block 35: 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 5, T 32 S, R 20 E: Property of Arthur Bell.

Terms—CASH.

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

Information can be had by addressing Ferdinand McLeod, Confederate States District Attorney, at Lake City, Florida, and E W Thompson, at Tampa, Florida.
E. M. THOMPSON, Receiver.
F. McLEOD, Con. States Att'y.
Oct. 21, 1863. 78-ts

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 29 years, Nancy, aged 17, and child about 18 months old. Terms at sale.
JAMES JENKINS,
Fayetteville, Nov. 14, 1863. Commissioner. 81

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-four as 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'rx.
Lillington, N. C. Nov. 19, 1863 83-4tpd

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 commissioned* will be enrolled 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 come prepared 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, 3,263 yds;
2 Cases English Satinets, 3,440 yds;
1 Case Pillow Case Cottons, 2,000 yds;
1 Case Printed Cotton Handkerchiefs, 225 dozen;
1 Case Fancy Drab Hose, 29 dozen.
Nov. 16, 1863. 81-5w-*5t

OFFICE OF THE ASS'T 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,
70tf Captain & A. A. Qr. M.

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

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

OIL AND LAMP BLACK.

TANNERS' and LUBRICATING OIL.
LAMP BLACK in barrels. For sale by
JOS. R. BLOSSOM & CO.,
March 7. Wilmington, N. C. 6-tf

Valuable Real Estate at Auction.

ON Thursday the 10th day of December 1863, will be sold at public outcry, in front of the premises, the THREE STORY IRON FRONT STORE, owned by me. This property is situated on Hay Street two doors East of the Bank of Clarendon, and adjoining the Fayetteville Hotel on the West, in the most central and business part of the town. The attention of parties wishing to invest in Real Estate, is particularly invited to this sale.

Also at the same time and place, will be sold 200 boxes of various brands MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, samples at sale.
STARR & WILLIAMS.
JOHN H. COOK, Auc'r.
Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 28, 1863. 83-3

Piano, Barouche and Negro,
AT AUCTION.

ON Tuesday of County Court next, will be sold at Auction:
One Piano;
One Barouche;
One Rockaway;
One Negro Woman;
And a Plantation will be rented.
JOHN H. COOK, Auc'r.
Nov. 30, 1863. 85-2t

LIST OF CHARGES FOR PASSENGERS.

ON and after Monday next the following rates of Passage will be charged:

DOWN.

From Fayetteville to Wilmington,	$20 00
" " " Elizabeth,	10 00
" " " White Hall,	13 00
" " " Kelly's Cove,	14 00
" " " All points below,	20 00

SECOND-CLASS, OR DECK.

From Fayetteville to Wilmington,	$10 00
" " " Elizabeth,	5 00
" " " Whitehall,	7 00
" " " Kelly's Cove,	8 00
" " " All points below,	10 00

UP.

From Wilmington to Fayetteville,	$20 00
" " " Kelly's Cove,	9 00
" " " White Hall,	11 00
" " " Elizabeth,	12 00
" " " Prospect Hall,	15 00
" " " All points above,	20 00

SECOND CLASS, OR DECK.

From Wilmington to Fayetteville,	$10 00
" " " Kelly's Cove,	4 00
" " " White Hall,	5 00
" " " All points above,	10 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'r Kate and Sun.
T. S. LUTTERLOH.
Nov. 23, 1863. 84-tJ

Meeting of the Magistrates.

THE Magistrates of Cumberland County are requested to meet at the Court House in Fayetteville on Tuesday of December Term next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the transaction of public business.
DAVID McNEILL, Chm'n.
Nov. 28. 85-

Hillsboro' Military Academy.

THE Sixth Academic year of this Institution will begin on Wednesday, Feb'y 3d, 1864.

For circulars and information apply to
Maj. WM. M. CORDON, Sup't.
Hillsboro', N. C., Nov. 21, 1863. 84-3m

Steamer North Carolina,

LEAVE Fayetteville Wednesday and Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, A. M., and Wilmington on Monday and Thursday at 2 P. M. T. S. LUTTERLOH.
Nov'r 30, 1863 85 3w

Wanted to Purchase,

150,000 LBS. FODDER, HAY and SHUCKS. A high price will be paid in cash or in cotton yarn, sheeting, leather or salt.
—ALSO—
A Farm of 300 to 1500 acres of good land.
T. S. LUTTERLOH.
Nov'r 30, 1863 85 2w

FOR SALE.

900 BOXES and Caddies of Manufactured TOBACCO;
240 Bags Dry SALT;
2000 Barrels No 1 ROSIN.
T. S. LUTTERLOH.
Nov 30 85-2w

SCUPPERNONG BRANDY.

W. T. HORNE has at his Vineyard, 4 miles north of Fayetteville, on the Cape Fear, about 200 gallons of pure Scuppernong brandy, made from the pure juice of the grape, which he is disposed to sell. He has taken the greatest care to make this brandy pure, and it may be relied upon for medicinal purposes. He would prefer selling in for private use, and not to Liquor dealers to be adulterated and then sold again as Horne's best. It may be subjected to a chemical analysis before it leaves the cellar, by a competent chemist, to prove its purity. Professor Jackson says that the Scuppernong grape of N. C. is the best grape on this continent for wine making, and may be made as fine as to excel all other wine; therefore it ought to make good brandy, properly distilled.

Patent Office Report, 1859, *pages* 50-51.
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ESTRAY.

TAKEN up on my place ten miles below Fayetteville, about the 1st of November, a spotted SOW, with a smooth crop in right and a half moon in the left ear. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take her away.
ROB'T J. PENNELL.
Nov. 26, 1863. 85-2tpd

WANTED

TWO hires for the year 1864, a number one COOK, for which a liberal price will be paid. Address T, at this Office. Also a good NURSE.
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TO REFUGEES AND OTHERS.

ABOUT TWENTY MILES from Fayetteville, on the road leading from the same to Raleigh, in a desirable neighborhood, both as regards health and society, a beautiful HOUSE, built after the Cottage style; house good as new, containing four large rooms, exclusive of basement, pantry and other little cuddies; a well of good water in the yard, a good garden, convenient outhouses attached. Possession given immediately.

Terms as moderate as the times will admit. For further information, address me at Aversboro'.
Mrs. J. J. WILLIAMS.
Nov. 25. 85 3tpd

Wanted to Purchase,

A CORN SHELLER. Apply to
Capt. TAYLOR, at the Arsenal.
Nov. 25. 84tf

LOST,

BETWEEN Liberty Mills and the Camp of Lane's Brigade, one POCKET BOOK, containing $62 in cash and the following notes: One against M. E. McEachin for $15, D. Jones $15, A. Jones $10, J. C. Norton $10, John Hughs $6, D. McKinnon $5, S. W. Pate $5, M. H. Green $3, one account against E. Norton, Jr., $23 10, J. W. Wright $9 30, Samuel Wright $12 50, J. W. Stuart 5 00, and one against A. A. Moffitt for 1 00. All persons are forbid trading for any of the above notes or accounts.
A. A. HUCKABEE,
Nov. 27, 1863. Co. F, 18th Reg't N. C. T. 85-2tpd

An Interesting Experiment.—A writer over the signature of "Veritas" communicates the following to the Columbia South Carolinian.

I witnessed to-day, at the hospitable residence of W. B. Henderson, Esq. of Laurens, a trial of the broom corn for making syrup. Notwithstanding the stalks had been standing in the field until they were quite killed by the frost, the syrup is equal, if not superior, to that made from the sorghum. It also contains less of the fruit sugar; therefore I think it will readily granulate.

Mr. H. will furnish seed to the planters who wish to plant broom corn next year. The broom corn now will prove a most valuable crop, particularly to our Edisto lumbermen. The straw is selling at twenty five cents per pound, and the seed is equal to oats for feed. If sugar cannot be made, it will make a superior syrup to that made from the sorghum; though according to Mr. Parish, of Lunenburg, Va., the yield may not be quite so good.

A Mischievous Story Contradicted.—B. F. Adams, of Southwestern Georgia, in a letter to the Macon Telegraph, contradicts the statement recently put forth by the Sumter Republican to the effect that fifteen of his negroes had died from eating Chinese sugar cane syrup. He says:

It is wholly and gratuitously false, and I am the more anxious to correct it, because I suspect it was put in circulation by some designing, heartless speculator, who wished to alarm the planters, and thus secure their syrup for less than its market value.

He further says:

I give each one of my grown negroes a quart per week, and they are very fond of it. I consider it a nutricious and perfectly harmless article of diet.

There is abundance in the country, says the Lynchburg Virginian, if properly distributed. There has been too much said about famine. No danger of it in a land of as generous soil as ours. The Great Benefactor, who gives us seed time and harvest, has blessed our country with a competency, and if cupidity hides it, hunger will find it out. There is, thank God, "corn in Egypt," and none need suffer for want of it.

An Industrious Woman.—A Mrs. Simmons, a widow lady of Jasper county, Miss., has made during the present year 300 bushels of corn, 100 bushels of potatoes, with peas and pinders enough to fatten her hogs. She did all the ploughing herself with an old wind-broken pony. Her two little daughters, aged twelve and fourteen years, did the hoeing. She also made 100 pounds of tobacco, now in press. Since her crop was finished, she has weaved enough to buy her salt, and a pair of cards, and has some money left.

Wheat Bread.—The Southern Cultivator has an excellent article on wheat bread, showing that so far as health is concerned, unbolted wheat flour is far better than the flour in common use. This is also the testimony of all intelligent physicians. And in addition to this, there is a saving of about 20 per cent. in the quantity, which in these times of scarcity and high prices is an item worth caring for.

Singular Traits of Song Birds.—A gentleman of my acquaintance had an American mocking bird in such health and vigour that it was constantly singing or else imitating the various sounds it heard. In order to try the powers of this bird, the owner purchased a fine sky-lark. When placed in the same room with the mocking bird, the song of the former was heard in echo through the house, as it it were chanting "on fluttering wing," its well known welcome to the rising sun. The mocking bird was silent for some time, but at last broke forth in the strains of the "aerial songster," but louder and clearer, as if mounting and stretching its wings towards heaven. The lark was silent that moment, nor was a joyous note ever heard afterward. Willing to test the power of the mocking bird still further, an unusually large price was given for a black bird celebrated for its vocal powers. It was placed in the same room with the mocking bird. Early on the second morning its songs were resumed, and its charming notes were warbled forth with all the sweetness and modulation which may be heard in its native "thorny brakes." The mocking bird listened and was silent for a time, when all at once its notes were heard to issue forth, but louder and sweeter than those of the woodland songster. The poor black bird heard them, felt that it was conquered, remained silent, drooped, pined, and died. From the above facts, emulation would seem to be one of the exciting causes of the songs of the birds. When their powers are excelled, they appear to feel disgraced at being conquered, and to lose all inclination to renew their former efforts.

Elbo Shins.—The New York Herald has just made a most important discovery. According to that paper, it costs just double the amount to shoe a negro regiment that it does to perform the same operation for a white one—cause, the difference in the size of the feet.

Ancient Lawsuit.—The Supreme Tribunal of Madrid has recently given final judgment in a suit which has been under litigation 200 years, and which involved the succession to the inheritance of Francis Pizarro, the famous invader and conqueror of Peru, in 1535.

"I do declare, Polly, you look pretty enuf to eat."

"Solomon, aint I eatin' as fast as I can," replied the damsel, with her mouth full.

Weep for love, but not for anger—a cold rain will never bring flowers.

ISAAC HOLLINGSWORTH
OFFERS FOR SALE:

20 BOXES SNUFF (Carolina Bible.) Also Tobacco, Soap, Pencils, Pen Points, Fine Tooth Combs, Violin Strings, Extension Skirts, Salt, &c.
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The Farmers' and Planters' Almanac for 1864. Just rec'd.
E. J. HALE & SONS.
Nov. 28, 1862.

$100 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber his negro man CALEB, color dark, age 28 years, slow spoken and motion, supposed to be in the neighborhood of St. Paul's, Robeson county, where he has a wife. The above reward will be paid for his delivery in any Jail where I can get him. JAS. T. PETTEWAY.
Wilmington, Nov. 23, 1863 85-1m