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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. H. McL. McKAY,
Attorney at Law,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

WILL attend the County Superior Court of Cumberland, Harnett, Moore and Robeson Counties. Prompt attention given to the collection of all claims entrusted to his hands.
Oct. 17, 1859.

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.

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

JOHNSON, WILLIAMS & CO.,
SALT MAKERS.
WE have thirty (30) pans now in operation nine miles west of Wilmington, Fayette, 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. 20, 1862.

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. Thompson, at the Merchants Mills, Fayetteville, or on the subscriber at his old stand on Market Square.
ALEX. JOHNSON, Jr.,
Nov. 5, 1862.

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 will have prompt attention and sent off in quick dispatch.
JOHN CARTER,
Goldston P. O., Chatham Co., N. C.,
June 18, 1862.

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

SALT! SALT!
25 SACKS for sale by
ROBERT MITCHELL,
Dec. 22.

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

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

Wanted to Purchase,
WESTERN RAIL ROAD STOCK:
Gold Notes;
Bank and Silver;
North Carolina Treasury Notes (Fundable);
" " Bonds, old and new;
County of Cumberland Bonds;
County of Fayetteville Bonds;
Confederate \$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;
Oct. 12, 1863.

Spun Cotton Exchanged for Lard.
WE will give Spun Cotton in part payment for LARD delivered at my Factory on Person St.
A. McLAUCHLIN.

LARD OIL.—A very fine article, for sale at my Factory.
A. McLAUCHLIN.

BAR AND TOILET SOAP.—For sale at my Factory.
A. McLAUCHLIN,
Fayetteville, Sept. 12, 1863.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.
BALDWIN, 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. H. HOGG, Capt. C. S.,
in charge of Ordnance.

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.

THE DIXIE PRINTER.
FOR THE DIXIE PRESS. A number supply at Wholesale or Retail.
W. J. HALE & SONS.

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, 5.00
Board \$10 per month, or \$10 per month if paid in provisions at old prices.

Rev. W. M. HOOPER, } Principals
T. C. HOOPER, }
Address "St. Lawrence P. O."
Sept. 8. 63

WESTERN RAIL ROAD.
THE FREIGHT AND PASSENGER TRAINS of this Road leave Fayetteville daily, (Sundays excepted) at 8 o'clock, A. M., and returning leave Egypt at 1 o'clock, P. M.

Cattle and Horse Train MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY.
By order JNO. M. ROSE,
Treas'r and Gen'l Trans. Ag't.
Jan. 22, 1863

From and after this
date the Steamer A. P. HURT will leave at 8 o'clock, A. M., on Monday and Thursday.
April 6—[17] Ag't C. F. Steam Boat Co.

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, and which my Proprietor Eagle Hotel, Asheville, N. C.
May 13, 1863.

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. C. & 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. 9, 1863.

WORTH & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchants,
Water Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Oct. 16, 1863.

WANTED, for the Hospital at Fort Fisher.
DOULTY, 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' on Hay Street.
R. E. HEIDE, Gen'l Ag't.
Aug. 25.

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.

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 sub-agents or by agents in this State on the 31st 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 their Cotton rather than to private capitalists.

LEWIS S. WILLIAMS,
Charlotte, March 24, 1863.

WANTED,
DANK NOTES of North Carolina, South Carolina, D. Virginia and Georgia.
Also, North Carolina six per cent. Fundable Notes. Also, North Carolina six per cent. Bonds, new issue.
W. R. RICHLANDSON & CO.,
Brokers, Raleigh, N. C.,
March 9.

The Star Foundry.
I S again in full operation. Having no 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.

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 bundle of Cotton Yarn for 4 lbs. of Wool, unsoiled, or 3 lbs. washed and picked. This change is made at the instance of the Quartermaster at Raleigh, in order to comply with the terms of exchange throughout the State.
GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.,
Fayetteville, June 29, 1863.

GRIND STONES FOR SALE.
THIS undersigned has taken the Agency for the sale of Messrs. W. B. Farrar & Co.'s Grind Stones, and has now on hand sizes running from 18x22 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.

Palma Christi Beans.
THE subscriber will pay the highest cash prices for any quantity of Palma Christi Beans.
J. A. WORTH,
Fayetteville, Oct. 5.

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 an early collection as the large number now on file will admit.

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.

WANTED.
To hire for the year 1864, a number one COOK, for this office. Also a good NURSE.
Nov'r 30, 1863.

Confederate Tax, Robeson County.
THE Assessors of Confederate Taxes for the County of Robeson, with the collector, will meet the Tax-payers at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing New Cattle, (including all cattle except Oxen actually used in producing crops.) Also Horses and Mules not used on farms, and to receive the lists of crops of corn, potatoes, &c., not already issued, and also of all incomes and profits as required by the 8th section of the Tax Act. The Collector will be prepared to receive the Taxes on the value of New Cattle and all other Taxes due at that time.

Regan's, Wednesday Jan'y 6th, 1864
St. Paul's, Thursday Jan'y 7th,
Lanier Bridge, Friday Jan'y 8th,
Rockville, Saturday Jan'y 9th,
Col. P. P. Smith's, Monday Jan'y 11th,
Aldersonville, Tuesday Jan'y 12th,
Thompson's, Wednesday Jan'y 13th,
White House, Thursday Jan'y 14th,
Sterling's Mills, Friday Jan'y 15th,
Sally's, Saturday Jan'y 16th,
Lamberton, Monday Jan'y 18th,
Whitaker's, Tuesday Jan'y 19th,
Buck creek, Wednesday Jan'y 20th,
Barnet Swamp, Thursday Jan'y 21st.
All tax payers are earnestly requested to attend promptly with their lists and out, and avoid the penalty of the law.

J. T. POPE, } Assessors,
D. S. MORRISON, }
Nov'r 25, 1863.

TAX NOTICE.
THE Tax Collector and the Assessors for the County of Bladen, will meet the Tax Payers at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing the New Cattle, Horses and Mules, and also to receive the list of Tax in kind that has not been given in.

At Mayville, on Monday Jan'y 4th, 1864
White Oak, on Tuesday Jan'y 5th,
Beverly Dam, on Wednesday Jan'y 6th,
Cotton on Thursday Jan'y 7th,
Celly, on Friday Jan'y 8th,
Elizabethtown, on Saturday Jan'y 9th.

All persons must attend and pay their Taxes. Those failing to do so will be required to pay the penalties prescribed by law.
T. C. ROBINSON,
Tax Collector for Bladen County, N. C.
Dec'r 14, 1863.

NOTICE.
HEADQUARTERS NAVAL DEFENCES, N. C.,
WILMINGTON, Dec. 1863.

THE following Circular from the Bureau of Conscription is published by order of the officer commanding the Naval Defences of North Carolina, for the information of Conscribers and persons liable to Conscription:

Confederate States of America,
BUREAU OF CONSCRIPTION,
Richmond, March 24, 1863.

CIRCULAR ORDER.
THE attention of officers having charge of conscripts, is directed to section 2 of the act of Congress, approved October 24, 1862, which is as follows:

Sec. 2. That if any person who has been or is about to be enrolled for service in the army, shall, at any time before being assigned to any company, declare to the enrolling or commanding officer that he prefers being enrolled for service in the navy or marine corps, it shall be the duty of the said officer to enroll such person for the service which he may prefer, and to transmit to the Secretary of the Navy a list of the persons so enrolled.

The Superintendent directs that this provision of the law be observed, and that reports be made accordingly. Whenever any officer of the Navy, designated by the Navy Department, shall present himself for the purpose, any officer in charge of conscripts will cause them to be mustered in presence of such officer of the Navy, in order that the same may be offered the alternative of entering naval service.

By order of Brig. Gen. G. B. Rains, Superintendent,
A. JONES, Lieut. Col., A. A. G.

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 country, it is hereby given that recruits to the number of 100 non-conscript 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 come prepared to remain in camp, at the Arsenal, until ordered to the front.

Apply to Capt. MATTHEW F. TAYLOR, at the Arsenal.
S. L. CHILDS,
Major C. S. A. Com'd'g Post.

33,000 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE.
WILL be sold in Lots 100, on Friday the 21st of W. January, A. D. 1864, following property, as designated 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 Broward 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.

12,180 acres of Land in Broward county, known as the Gomez Grant, in T. 33 S. R. 41 E. T. 34 S. R. 42 E. T. 34 S. R. 42 E. T. 34 S. R. 43 E. T. 34 S. R. 43 E. T. 34 S. R. 43 E. Property of Gomez, Gomez & Gomez.

500 acres of Land in Hernando county, Florida, comprising the E. of N. E. of Sec. 23; the W. of N. W. of Sec. 26; E. of N. E. of Sec. 27; E. of N. W. of Sec. 27; S. W. of Sec. 27; and S. E. of Sec. 28; T. 22 S. R. 19 E. Property of Thos J. Parsons.

108 acres of Land in Broward county, site, Lots No 2 and 3 of Sec. 29, T. 30 S. R. 41 E. Property of Philip Hernalles.

300 acres in Hillsborough county, Florida, N. E. of S. E. of Sec. 31 S. R. 22 E. and N. W. of S. E. of Sec. 31 S. R. 22 E. and N. E. of S. W. of Sec. 31 S. R. 22 E. Property of John C. Brown.

100 acres of Land in Hillsborough county, Florida, N. W. of Sec. 13, T. 27 S. R. 20 E. Property of Atwater, Mulford & Co.

Block No 38, N. 4 of Water Lot No 11; and Lot No., Block No. 1, 2, and 3, in Block 12; Lot No. 5, in block 17.

1 Steam Saw and Grind Mill,
on block No 38, in the city of Tampa.

89 acres of Land, in Hillsborough county, Florida, N. 4 of N. W. of Sec. 5, T. 33 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 Attorney, at Lake City, Florida, and E. W. Thompson, at Tampa, Florida.
E. M. THOMPSON, Receiver.
Oct. 21, 1863.

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 partnership for the purpose of mining and selling Coal, and admit others to do so in any desired quantity. Orders for any amount can be supplied on short notice. The Coal from this property is superiorly 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.

TESTAMENTS AND HYMNS.
CONFEDERATE STATES Bible School Testaments.
A Collection of Sabbath School Hymns.
For sale by
E. J. HALE & SONS.

FAYETTEVILLE WATER WORKS.
CITIZENS of the Town will be furnished with Water at the following rates, the payments in every instance to be made semi-annually in advance, beginning with the 1st of October, 1863:

For Hotels, \$75 to \$100 per annum
Livery and Hotel Stables, \$30
Bar Rooms and Eating Houses, 20
Bathing Houses, 10
Private Boarding Houses, 30
Dwelling Houses, \$15 to 25
Stores and Shops, \$10 to 15
Drug Stores, 25
Rochel, or other shops, 25
Lawyers' and Doctors' Offices, 10

Wagoners from the country, and all transient persons, are privileged to use the water gratis.

JOHN W. BAKER, Jr.,
Supt' Fayetteville Water Works.
Dec. 8.

Hillsboro' Military Academy.
THE Sixth Anniversary year of this Institution will be held on Wednesday Feb'y 31, 1864.

For circulars and information apply to
J. W. M. GORDON Supt.
Hillsboro' N. C. Nov. 21, 1863.

Sale of Negroes.
THE subscriber as Commissioner under an order of the County Court of Cumberland will sell at public auction in the town of Fayetteville, on Saturday the 16th January 1864, at the Market House, the following negro slaves, late the property of Naita B. Daniel, Naita, Mary Bate, and Flora Bate, (Ban) viz:
500 lbs. Clark's Spool Cotton, 40 lbs. wide, 2000 yds.
20 pieces black Alpaca Luster
300 lbs. printed Lisle Hankerchiefs.
300 lbs. Clark's Spool Cotton, black, 200 yds.
500 lbs. Clark's Spool Cotton, white, 200 yds.
500 Great Green Agate Shirt Buttons.
57 doz. fine 2 & 4 bladed Knives.
50 sets Table Knives and Forks.
500 gross Knitting Needles, assorted Nos., 10 to 16.
20 doz. Grass Ragging Hairs.
3 doz. No 10 Cotton Cards.
160 Expansion Skirts
Dec. 29.

BLACKSMITHS WANTED.
THE undersigned wishes to hire a number of first rate BLACKSMITHS. All such who wish to do good service to the Confederate States, have now an opportunity offered them to serve their country as acceptably as they could in Tennessee or Virginia, and at the same time receive good wages for their labor.

References as to qualifications must accompany applications. Apply to
Lieut. Col. F. L. CHILDS,
Commanding Officer.
92-6c

RUN THE BLOCKADE.
W. MAC INTYRE
HAS RECEIVED,
1 CASE Madder colors Calicoes, 1845 yards.
1 case black and white Calico, 3 yd wide, 1400 yds.
1 case black case cotton, 40 in wide, 2000 yds.
2 cases English Shirting, 3500 yds.
20 pieces black Alpaca Luster
300 lbs. printed Lisle Hankerchiefs.
300 lbs. Clark's Spool Cotton, black, 200 yds.
500 lbs. Clark's Spool Cotton, white, 200 yds.
500 Great Green Agate Shirt Buttons.
57 doz. fine 2 & 4 bladed Knives.
50 sets Table Knives and Forks.
500 gross Knitting Needles, assorted Nos., 10 to 16.
20 doz. Grass Ragging Hairs.
3 doz. No 10 Cotton Cards.
160 Expansion Skirts
Dec. 29.

For Rent.
THE Country residence of the late John D. Starr; it is about two miles from the Market House, in a pleasant neighborhood; there is on the premises a good well of water, stable, carriage house, and other conveniences. For terms &c., apply to
M. M. STARR, Esq.,
A. JOHNSON, Jr., Esq.,
Fayetteville, Dec. 21.

NEGRO SLAVE FOR SALE.
UNDER an order of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of Cumberland County, passed December Term 1863, I will expose to public sale, at the Market House in Fayetteville, on Monday, Jan'y 18, 1864, negro man John, belonging to the estate of the late Dugald M. Duffie. DANIEL SMITH, Com'r.
A. M. CAMPBELL, Auc'r.
Dec. 28.

Sale of Negro Man.
THE subscriber as Administrator of the Estate of John McGill dec'd. will sell at public auction at the market house in the town of Fayetteville, on Saturday the 16th Jan'y 1864, a negro slave by the name of Lingo—terms made known at sale.
DAN'L K. McGILL, Adm'r.
Dec. 21.

MULES AND WAGONS TO HIRE.
TWO Four Mule Teams and Wagons to Hire. Those containing 500 acres, with 225 or 250 acres of cleared Land, and in one and a half miles of Laurinburg Depot, W. C. & R. R. On the premises is a two story DWELLING and all necessary out houses, an Orchard of six hundred Apple Trees, and convenient Churches and School Houses.
Apply to J. R. McLAURIN,
Dec'r 7, 1863.

NEGROES FOR SALE.
BY virtue of a Decree of the County Court of Cumberland county, the subscriber as Commissioner appointed for said purpose, will expose to public sale, at the late residence of Robert McPhail, dec'd., known as the old "Five Hill" minister ground, on the Raleigh road, on the 5th day of January next, SEVEN NEGROES, 1 man aged 19, 1 boy aged 11, 1 boy aged 6, 1 woman aged 40, 1 girl 15, 1 girl 14, 1 girl 12. Terms at sale.
WM. J. McLAURIN, Com'r.
Dec'r 14, 1863.

State of North Carolina.
ROBESON COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Nov. Term, 1863.
I, J. P. McLeod, Sheriff of Robeson county, do hereby propose to sell for the Taxes due thereon for the year 1862:

85 acres listed by F. C. Watson, Gun Swamp, tax \$1 23;
350 acres listed by James R. Ashley, Hog Swamp, 5 16;
100 acres listed by John Ferguson Singletary, Elizabeth road, 2 32;
85 acres listed by John Graham, George's Marsh, 83 cts.

(Firms the Minutes.)
JNO. A. ROWLAND, Clerk.
Dec'r 14, 1863.

FOR SALE.
1200 ACRES OF PINE LAND in Harriet county, situated about equidistant between Upper and Lower Little Rivers, being about 3 miles from each on the West side of the Aukins Road. Apply to
HUBBARD McLEAN,
Bate's Creek P. O., Harriet Co., N. C.
Dec'r 12, 1863.

POTASH.
25 CASKS extra quality home-made POTASH on hand, put up in 50 lb. packages of 2 1/2 casks each, and also in Richmond county by a party who understands the business. Orders are solicited.
WORTH & CO., Agents.
Wilmington, N. C. Dec'r 8, 1863.

WANTED.
A MAN to take charge of a Carding Room in a Cotton Factory. Apply at this Office, by note addressed to McD. & Son.
Dec'r 9, 1863.

JOHN H. COOK, Auctioneer.
Wharves, Store and Dwelling House,
TO BE RENT AT AUCTION.

2 WHARVES at Campbell Landing;
2 Wharves at Water Street;
1 Warehouse in rear of above;
1 Improved Lot, No. 10, in Lower Fayetteville;
1 Do. No. 11, do do;
1 Dwelling House, Burgess Street;
1 Two story Brick Dwelling on South side of Hay street, adjoining M. E. F. Moore.

The above property will be rented at the Market House in the town of Fayetteville, on Tuesday Jan'y 12th, 1864.
JOHN H. COOK, Auc'r.
Dec'r 26, 1863.

Real Estate at Auction.
ON the 12th day of January 1864, the STORE and Lot known as Williams' Auction Store fronts on Hay, Maxwell and Franklin streets, adjoining the Bank of Charlotte, will be sold at Auction.
JOHN H. COOK, Auc'r.
Dec'r 30, 1863.

Farm for Rent and Land for Sale,
AT AUCTION.

ON Tuesday the 22nd inst. will be rented at Auction of the Market House in Fayetteville, a PLANTATION containing 34 acres, about 40 acres of which are cleared, a part being cleared low ground and on the premises is a good Dwelling House, situated five miles below Fayetteville, formerly the land of Henry Carter. At the same time will be sold 40 acres of land on Hay Mount, South of the Arsenal and near the residence of John Jackson—a excellent building place with a superior spring of water.

At same time will be rented for one year, the commodious Residence known as the Hooper place, situated on Church Lane.

Will sell at same time, 1 Steaming Machine.
JOHN H. COOK, Auc'r.
Jan'y 2, 1864.

FOR RENT,
MY FARM, known as the Myrtle Hill place, situated on the North side of the Cape Fear River, including the large and comfortable dwelling house and office. There are one hundred and thirty acres of cleared land, lying mostly on the river and not subject to overflow.

For further information and terms apply to Mr. Deacon McLAURIN.
JAMES W. STRANGE,
Jan'y 4, 1864.

Plantation for Rent.
THE Shaw plantation, on Cape Fear, 3 miles from Town, is offered for rent the present year. For further particulars, apply to
JAS. JENKINS,
Fayetteville, Jan'y 2, 1864.

LAND FOR SALE.
WE will sell to the highest bidder at Griffin's Bluff, in Robeson county, on Saturday the 30th day of Jan'y 1864, the following LAND: 1st lot, toward Swamp Creek Swamp and the upland neighbor, containing seven or eight hundred acres, 2d lot, containing three hundred and four acres, and known as the Cooner place, 3d lot, containing fifty hundred and sixty acres in Columbus county, lying on the Creek Swamp, opposite Griffin's Bluff. Terms one half cash, the balance twelve months credit, note and approved security.
WILLIAM GRIFFIN,
ALLEN GRIFFIN,
Dec'r 28, 1863.

FOR SALE.
5000 ACRE TRACT
OF
SUPERIOR MOUNTAIN LAND,
In Surcoube, N. C.

THE above tract as rich land as can be found in Western North Carolina, is situated on the waters of Sandy Mtn, and in the range of mountains called by that name. The land is mostly timbered with Black-oak, Chestnut, Oak, Poplar, Walnut, Linn, Cherry, Ash, Sugar-tree, &c. While the soil is appropriate to all kinds of grain, it is specially adapted to stock raising, and offers an excellent opportunity to any one desiring the tract for extensive cattle and sheep raising, or who would like to engage with the proprietor of the land in that business. To any one desiring of entering stock on shares, or of furnishing a capital proportionate with the proprietor, for the purpose of raising stock at Sandy Mtn P. O., Surcoube Co., N. C., for the latter or for purchase, every particular said terms will be made known.

Undeveloped title, and about one hundred acres of cultivated lands, and houses on the tract.
J. M. LOWRY, Proprietor,
Sandy Mtn, N. C.
Dec. 24.

Physician's Card.
DR. D. A. CAMPBELL (late of Marion, S. C.) has removed to Fayetteville and taken an office on Bow street, where he may be found at all times, with a supply of stock on hand for the purpose of professional calls. Satisfactory references furnished, &c.
Jan'y 2, 1864.

Wood Wanted.
SEALED Proposals will be received until the 10th inst. for one hundred cords each of OAK WOOD, delivered at the Arsenal.
MATTHEW P. TAYLOR,
Major and A. A. Q. M.
Jan'y 2, 1864.

Harriet County.
THE Magistrates of Harriet County are ordered to meet at the Court House in Lillington, on the 23 Monday Jan'y 1864.
R. G. BELDEN, Chm'n.
Dec'r 31, 1863.

\$10 Reward.
WILL be paid for the apprehension and delivery to me of HEIRY ALANZO, a mischievous free boy, about 10 years of age. He is bound to me as an apprentice. I hereby forewarn all persons from harboring or assisting him.
Fayetteville, Jan'y 1, 1864.

CATTLE STRAYED.
STRAYED from the Subscriber, living near Fayetteville, about two months ago, a black and white cow, 4 years old, with a white face, a red Cow, about 5 years old, with crumpled horns; with this time have a calf about 6 months old. Also, a black yearling, with a red streak all down his back, crumpled horns. All marked with the Mallett mark, viz: swallow-tail in each ear. Any information will be thankfully received, and a reward of \$10 each will be paid for their recovery.
ELIZABETH HENDERSON,
Dec. 29.

Dividend No. 20.
BANK OF CHARLOTTE, N. C.,
DECEMBER 25, 1863.

THE Board of Directors of this Bank having declared a semi-annual Dividend of Two Dollars and Fifty cents (\$2 50) per Share, and also an extra dividend of Five Dollars (\$5) per Share, the same will be paid to Stockholders on or before the 30th day of January 1864. Stockholders are requested to draw their dividends promptly.
Any information will be thankfully received.
JNO. J. BLACKWOOD, Pres't.
Dec'r 20, 1863.

By GEO. LAUDER.
TWO DOORS ABOVE E. T. HALE & SONS STORE
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Jan'y 20, 1864.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED, both having conferred the military service of the Confederate States of America, hereby give notice to their old customers and friends, that they have appointed John B. Starr and John D. Williams, of this place, their attorneys to collect their accounts, or to do any business in relation to their account of note, and otherwise in relation to their business generally during their absence. They respect fully ask all persons indebted to them to call as promptly as possible on their agents and make payment.

W. B. BATHWELL,
JANUARY 14, 1864.

Prof. W. S. B. Matthews will
visit Fayetteville and vicinity, about the 30th of this month, for the purpose of tuning Piano Fortes; Strings replaced, &c.
Dec'r 15.

Effect of Light.—A tadpole confined in darkness would never become a frog; and an infant being deprived of Heaven's first light would grow into a shapeless idiot, instead of a beautiful and reasonable being. Hence, in the deep, dark direct sunshine never reaches, the hideous prevalence of idleness stalks the traveler. It is a strange, melancholy idiosyncrasy. Many citizens are incapable of any articulate speech; some are deaf, some are blind, some labor under all those privations, and all are mistaken in almost every part of the body. I believe there is in all places a marked difference in the healthiness of houses according to their aspect with regard to the sun, and those are decidedly the healthiest, other things being equal, in which all the rooms are, during some part of the day, fully exposed to the direct light. Epidemics attack inhabitants on the shady side