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JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

WINCHESTER RIFLES.

We publish elsewhere in our paper to-day, at the request of Messrs. Norton & Davis, agents, a letter addressed to them by Capt. Wm. Edgar, who is well known over the frontier as one every way reliable. When he proves to his own satisfaction that the "Winchester" gun is the "best gun," there is little room for doubt on that question.—*San Antonio, Texas, Daily Herald, August 30, 1868.*

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, August 22, 1868.

Messrs. NORTON & DAVIS, Agents, Winchester Arms Company:

Gentlemen:—In conformity with my promise, I am much pleased to make the following statement, viz: The Winchester rifle which I purchased of you some three weeks past has exceeded my expectations. I gave it a fair and impartial trial, at the distance of 100 yards, choosing this distance for my test rather than a greater, knowing that accurate shooting at this distance would be attended with similar results at a greater distance. I fired five shots at a spot two inches in diameter, the first shot I placed on a line but three and a half inches above; second shot two and a half inches below on a line with the centre; third shot two inches to the left, parallel with the centre; fourth shot a little to the left, two and a half inches from the centre; fifth centre shot. While making this test I moved the front sight a little after each shot in order to regulate them, which argues rather against than in favor of the gun. I have used from time to time all of the latest and most approved guns, yet have found none to compare with the Winchester rifles, for force, accuracy, range in shooting, neatness, durability and simplicity of construction; yet it is not so liable to get out of order as the Spencer and a host of other arms now in use. The Spencer, when using it, I always place it to my shoulder with some fear of explosion, as several to my knowledge have occurred, causing severe and dangerous wounds, but I can see no possible chance for such accidents with the Winchester rifle or carbine. In fact or in short, the Winchester gun has no equal, at least none has never come under my observation, and I have met and used many kinds and make during twenty years residence in this State, and much of the time on the frontier. I have seen the Ballard, Spencer, Morse, Maynard, Colts, and the celebrated needle gun, but all of them sink into significance when compared with the Winchester. It is so simple in its construction that in five minutes you are as familiar with its mechanism as if you owned it for years. It is true, the Spencer is more in general use than any other gun. The reason of this is, that it was the first introduced; but the Winchester rifle is now here, and the Spencer's day has gone. It will soon find a place in the rubbish pile to make room for a better gun, the Winchester. The latter only needs to be known, and so soon as this is the case every man living in districts troubled with Indians will have one. They are bound to supercede all other guns; they are the only gun in use that will shoot eighteen shots without reloading; they are sighted for eight hundred yards, and will do good execution at that distance; they are well balanced, and in every way the best extant. Buy one, try it, and you will see for yourself that it is no humbug, but simply what it purports to be—the best.

Respectfully, WILLIAM EDGAR.

This testimony to the value and efficiency of the Winchester rifle is entirely worthy of public confidence, and have only to add that Messrs. Sorrel Bro hers are the agents in Savannah.

[From the Vicksburg (Miss.) Herald.]

DO NOT PLANT TOO MUCH COTTON.

Let not our planters be too much elated by the result of their last year's efforts in planting cotton. The year before, for no cause that we can assign, cotton sold in this market as low as eight and nine cents per pound, while portions of last year's crop has been sold here in the past few days for twenty-six and twenty-seven cents per pound. The same causes which brought the crop of 1867 to nine cents a pound may produce a similar result with the crop of 1869, and planters should guard against a similar result. The sale of cotton, like that of gold and different kinds of bonds, are, to a too great extent, in the hands of capitalists, who, by a combination of action and capital, are able to either increase or decrease the selling prices. We remember distinctly that in January of 1867 cotton brought a remunerative price, and yet, at the close of the season, after the crops had been greatly shortened by the ravages of worms, and by the ruinous effects of a bad season, prices fell to such figures as brought almost total ruin upon the cotton producing section of the country. This increased offer for cotton early in 1867 was a plan adopted by capitalists interested in the purchase of cotton, to induce planters to plant largely in cotton, and we regret to see that the same influences are being brought to bear again this year. Let not, therefore, our planters be controlled in their planting operations the present year, by the price which cotton is at present commanding. From no known cause it has been steadily advancing for the last few weeks, and many sanguine persons elated at their success of the past year, and, in consideration of the present price of cotton, are liable to give too much attention to the planting of cotton. This would be ruinous. Raise first a sufficiency of everything else required for your support, and even experiment with other products than those at present commanding the attention of the planters of the South, such as the Ramie, Castor bean, Flax, &c., and then raise what cotton you can. And then, if prices should decline, the planting community will not be left in the same helpless condition it was early in 1868, after the ruinous cotton crop of 1867 was disposed of for the benefit of creditors.

The Lake City *Leader* says that James White, living at the mouth of Bogus creek, recently lost eight head of cattle by a singular disease, not occasioned, like the loss of other cattle in that county, by eating corn smut. The symptoms are a dry nose and a trembling of the flanks, followed by death in a few hours.

A letter writer in the South says you can not pass a cotton plantation in Alabama now without hearing the command: "Senator, start right smart to your cotton picking Judge, you go and bring my horse round; or, Colonel, have a shoe put on that mule right away."

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

SUPERIOR COTTON SEED!

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS!!

VICK COTTON SEED!

PEELER COTTON SEED!

MONTEREY COTTON SEED!

HAVING PERFECTED ARRANGEMENTS by which I can secure good seed from

THE FAR SOUTH,

I invite the attention of Farmers to specimen Seed at my Store.

☞ Orders solicited at once.

DOUGLAS BELL,
Fayetteville Street,
Feb 9-tf Raleigh, N. C.

COD FISH! IRISH POTATOES! ONIONS! For sale by
Feb. 12-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

TWO HUNDRED BUSHELS CORN, Just received on consignment by
Feb 12-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

200 BUSHELS MEAL, In store and for sale by DOUGLAS BELL,
Raleigh, Feb. 12-tf Fayetteville St.

IRISH POTATOES.

50 bbls. Jackson White Potatoes.
10 " Early Goodrich "
10 " " Dykeman "
10 " White Mercer "
10 " Peach Blow "
For sale by
Jan. 26-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

FRESH MOUNTAIN BUTTER, Just received by
Jan. 29-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

PURE CIDER VINEGAR, At
Jan 13-tf DOUGLAS BELL'S.

FRESH ORANGES, LEMONS and APPLES, To-day received by
DOUGLAS BELL.

PRIME FACTORY CHEESE.

25 Prime Cheese, for sale at lowest market rice by DOUGLAS BELL.

WOODES WARE.

Brooms, Buckets, Covered Pails, Tubs, Keys, Horse Buckets, for sale by
Raleigh, Jan. 7-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

Nails, Nails,

OLD DOMINION NAILS, assorted numbers. For sale by
Feb. 12-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

RAISINS! RAISINS!

New Layer Raisins on hand and for sale by
Feb. 12-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

SUGAR! SUGAR! SUGAR!

Cr. shed, Powdered, Extra C. Porto Rico, and Cosmbia Brown Sugars, for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

BUTTER! BUTTER!

A lot of firkin Butter, for sale cheap by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

CANDY! CANDY!

Another lot of sett-made Candy, in 25 lb. boxes, at UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

RAISINS! RAISINS!

Another supply of new Layer Raisins, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

BACON AND LARD.

A new supply of new Bacon and Family Lard, by
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

COTTON YARNS AND SHEETINGS.

Another supply of Bolt's Sons Yarns and Sheetings, at UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

Another supply of Shoes, N. C. manufacture.
UPCHURCH & DODD.

SNUFF! SNUFF! SNUFF!

DIP, DIP, DIP,

FRESH SNUFF, FRESH SNUFF.

EGERTON'S SCOTCH SNUFF, the only Snuff that will sell in this Market. It has been used in this State for more than twenty-five years, and will be used for the next twenty-five years to come.

For sale Wholesale and Retail by
Jan. 28-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

FOR SALE.

A first rate PORTABLE STEAM SAW MILL and ENGINE, of 15 horse power, all iron, on wheels, tires 6 inches wide.

The carriage can be moved by two good horses.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan. 9-tf Auction and Com. Merch'ts.

FOR SALE.

Five crates of cheap Crockery. Samples now on exhibition at our store.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb. 9-tf Auction and Com. Merchants.

Notice.

THE LARGE NUMBER of orders we are receiving for SHEET LIME has caused unavoidable delay in filling many orders during the last two weeks. But with increased facilities we will, after this week, be able to ship WITHOUT DELAY, ORDERS FOR ANY QUANTITY. Price $7.50 per ton of 2,000 lbs.

Cash orders solicited.
J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
Feb. 5-2d&1tw Gen. Com. Merchants. Portsmouth, Va.

ANOTHER CONSIGNMENT OF MISH, CAtawba, Scuppernong and Claiton Grape Vines.
Feb 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

PIANO FORTES TUNED AND REPAIRED. Leave orders at J. H. Enns' Bookstore.
Feb. 9-tf

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE KNICKERBOCKER

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NEW YORK.

Southern Branch, SAVANNAH, Ga.

A. WILBUN, *Manager.*
R. D. ARNOLD, *Consulting Physician.*

THE ONLY BRANCH OFFICE OF LIFE INSURANCE IN THIS SECTION WHERE POLICIES ARE ISSUED AND LOSSES PAID.

ASSETS NEARLY

$5,000,000.

ANNUAL INCOME NEARLY

$3,000,000.

Annual Dividends nearly 50 per cent.

$73,300 LOSSES PAID BY THE SOUTHERN BRANCH IN TWO YEARS.

THE KNICKERBOCKER IS AN OLD, RELIable Company, and offers as great inducements to insurers as any solvent Company can. Issues Policies on every desirable plan. Loans one-third of Premium to Policy-Holder.

All Policies non-forfeitable, as the insured can at any time, on demand, get the surrender value.

NO RESTRICTIONS ON RESIDENCE OR TRAVEL.

NO EXTRA CHARGE for OFFICERS of the ARMY or NAVY, Officers of first-class Steam or Sail Vessels, or Railroad Conductors, &c.

The "KNICKERBOCKER" is ONE of the TWO Northern Companies whose Policies in the South were kept intact during the entire Rebellion, whose Dividends were accredited to Policy Holders as though Premiums were paid.

And is THE Company that paid all losses after the war, that occurred during the war, thus proving its integrity, the honorable method of conducting its business, and its indisputable solvency.

The KNICKERBOCKER still pays all losses, never disputes a just claim, and is as liberal and SAFE as any Company in America.

W. S. BELDEN,
General Agent for N. C.,
Raleigh.

Geo. H. Snow, Agent, Raleigh.
Jan. 21-3m

Importance of Life Insurance.

Read another forcible illustration of how the CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY pays its losses:—

"Received, at Raleigh, N. C., Jan 29th, 1869, of S. D. Wait, General Agent of the Conn Mutual Life Ins Co., two thousand five hundred and forty-five dollars, in full payment of Policy No. 84,031, and dividend on the life of my late husband, ——, and I hereby surrender all my right, title and interest in the same to said Company.

(signed) ——, of Newbern, N. C."

We refrain from publishing the names of the parties, because we do not think it advisable to publish one's private business, but will state, although the party had not been insured quite five months, yet received a 50 per cent. dividend of $45 on the premium paid. The dividends of this Company have been larger than those of any other, averaging over 50 per cent. annually, from the beginning, and the present dividend (Feb. 1st, 1869,) exceeds the average. On this successful annual dividend the Directors have, besides declaring a 45 per cent. dividend upon the premium paid, declared a per centage dividend on the surplus reserve arising from interest, which increases the policy holder's dividend annually, and on some policies pays over 70 per cent. this year. They have also adopted a reduced all-cash premium table with immediate annual dividends.

This company is purely mutual; there are no Stockholders to absorb its earnings. It offers abundant security in a large accumulated fund of over TWENTY-THREE MILLIONS DOLLARS, derived alone from its business, and has $154 assets, securely invested for every $100 of its liabilities. Its plans of business comprises all the desirable forms of insurance.

S. D WAIT,
Feb 5-tf Gen. Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE

NORTH CAROLINA LAND COMPANY,

ESTABLISHED FOR THE

TRANSPORTATION AND LOCATION

OF

Northern and European Settlers,

THE SELLING AND LEASING OF

REAL ESTATE,

THE PURCHASE AND SALE OF AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, MACHINERY, &C., ALSO, NEGOTIATE LOANS, ON MORTGAGE OR OTHER SECURITIES.

OFFICERS:

Geo. Little, Prest. R. W. Best, Sec. & Treas.

AGENTS AND DIRECTORS AT RALEIGH:

Hon. R. W Best, Col Geo Little,
Geo W Swepson, R. Kingsland.

AGENTS AND DIRECTORS IN NEW YORK AND BOSTON:

A. J. Direckinck, Son & Co.

Feb 2-d&w3m

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

GOODS AT COST!

IN ORDER TO REDUCE MY STOCK, AND make a change in the business, I will sell AT COST for the next thirty days.

Feb. 6-1w L. P. HEARTT, Ag't.

The North Carolina Land Co.

HAVE for sale a fine 2 story frame House in the City of Raleigh, with 12 rooms, for place in cash.
Feb 5-tf

THE N. C. LAND COMPANY have applications for two or three Dwelling Houses in the City.
Feb 5-tf

FOR SALE.

Pure N. C. FRENCH BRANDY, made from the Scuppernong Wine, for medicinal purposes.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan 15-tf Auc'rs & Com. Merchants.

LIFE INSURANCE.

ÆTNA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HON. E. A. BULKELEY, President,
AUSTIN DUNHAM, Vice "
T. O. ENDERS, Secretary.
H. W. STJOHN, Actuary.

SUMMARY OF BUSINESS FOR 1867

Total Assets, over	$10,000,000
Polices Insured in '67,	15,251
Am'nt insured, nearly	$45,000,000
Policies Average "	3,000
Receipts for 1867,	5,129,447
Surplus for Dividends,	2,000,000

Dividend Fifty per cent.

Receipts for Interest Nearly Paid Its Losses.

It has $130 Assets for every $100 Liabilities.

Its premium receipts at the present time are nearly HALF A MILLION DOLLARS per month and are rapidly increasing.

The growth of the Ætna has never been equaled by any other Company whatsoever, in Europe or America.

Particular attention is called to the fact that while its business is increasing unprecedentedly, its ratio of expenses is comparatively small.

ECONOMY of management, CARE in the selection of risks, *promptness* in the payment of death claims, and *security* in the investment of its immense Trust Funds, are rigidly adhered to, and have ever characterized this Company.

The ÆTNA issues all the favorite kinds of Policies at the most favorable rates.

The ÆTNA issued last year more Endowment Insurances than any other Company.

The ÆTNA'S ratio of expenses, or cost of new business is less than any other Company whatsoever, and less than *two-thirds* of the average.

The ÆTNA is as liberal in permits to travel, in all parts of the world, as a sound discretion will warrant, and is much more liberal than any other prominent Company.

ANNUAL INCOME over $6,000,000.

The only Company that has the Low Participating Non-forfeitable Term Insurance with privilege of renewal. Ex. of rate at age 30 $14 67, which is nearly 40 per cent. lower than any other leading Company. Also

Non-forfeiting cash rates with dividends on contribution plan and payable at the end of the first year.

Description of Policies.

First—Whole Life Policies.

Second—Endowment Policies, for terms of ten fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, thirty, and thirty-five years.

AGES.

Insurance will be granted at all ages from fifteen to sixty years.

PREMIUMS.

Premiums are payable annually during the continuance of the insurance, or annually during a period of five, ten, fifteen, or twenty years within the insurance term, or by single payment.

DIVIDENDS.

All Whole Life and Endowment Policies, issued at the rates published herewith, will participate in the surplus from the date of issue,

The dividends will be declared and paid annually upon the contribution plan, and may be applied as the assured shall elect, either to reduce future premiums, or to increase the Cash Value of the Policy.

If no election be made the dividends will be added to the Cash Value.

When, by adding the dividends to the Cash Value, the accumulations on any Policy shall have become sufficient to keep the same in force for its *full amount*, without further payments, the assured may, at his option, either continue payment of premiums and enlarge thereby the annual additions to its Cash Value—or discontinue them; and in either case, when the accumulations shall have become equal to the sum insured, the annual dividends on the Policy will be declared as a per centage of said sum, and paid in cash, and upon surrender of said Policy the sum insured thereby will be paid in *full*, without regard to the time fixed therein for its payment.

The system of applying the dividends is peculiarly advantageous to the assured, securing, at an increased age, not only relief from further payment of premiums, but, at the same time, an annual income until death, unless he shall have previously received full payment of the Policy.

Dividends on paid-up Policies—that is, Policies which require no further payment of premium to continue them in force for the original amount of insurance—will be paid in cash upon demand.

NON-FORFEITURE RULES.

No whole Life or Endowment Policy, on which two or more annual cash premiums have been paid, shall be forfeited by failure to make further payment as stipulated therein, but will continue in force for the full amount which the Cash Value and dividends, then accumulated, will purchase, taken as a single net premium, upon the "Actuaries" rate of mortality and four per cent. interest; and the amount continued in force will generally exceed the aggregate of the payments actually made, extra charges excepted.

W. H. CROW,
General Agent

And Manager for England, Scotland the James, and the State of North Carolina.

Dec. 16-tf Office, Raleigh, N. C.

THE

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF NEW YORK.

ORGANIZED 1843.

CASH ACCUMULATIONS OVER $30,000,000, AND EXCLUSIVELY THE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY HOLDERS.

DIVIDENDS ANNUALLY IN CASH, WHICH CAN BE USED EITHER TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF POLICY OR TO DECREASE THE ANNUAL PREMIUMS.

Over $300,000 returned to Southern Policy Holders, after the War, as the Surrender Value of their Policies.

Policies issued on all approved plans, and particular attention called to the ENDOWMENT POLICIES of this Company, as a safe and profitable investment. For further particulars, apply to

O. P. BRESEE, Gen. Ag't., BALTIMORE, MD.
C. C. CROW, Agent, Raleigh, N. C.
JACOB PARKER, " Warrenton, "

☞ Other Agents of the Company will be announced in due time.
Feb. 10-3m

SOUTHERN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

PURELY A SOUTHERN INSTITUTION.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES:

Atlanta, Georgia; Memphis, Tennessee; Louisville, Kentucky.

CAPITAL STOCK, $228,500.

Nett Assets of the Company, July 1st, 1868, $230,942.06.

Insures lives, and promptly adjusts and pays losses. Its principal business is with Southern States, and to them it appeals for patronage. It has ample means to fully protect Policy holders and pay all losses.

The "Southern" combines the advantage of both note and cash system, stock and mutual—such as choose to pay cash may do so and secure a non-forfeitable policy and all the advantages of a Cash Company. The privilege of a permanent loan for one-third is granted to all who desire it.

It makes investments at home in good and reliable securities, thereby tending to make money more plenty in our midst, and to aid in developing the resources of our section, and to stop the annual drain of over Six Million dollars, which are being sent North for Life Insurance.

Its profits are equitably distributed among Policy holders and Stockholders.

In its organization are presented men of experience in Life Insurance and their aim will be to make the "Southern Life" the exponent of the business, enterprise and progress of the present day.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, ATLANTA, GA.

JOHN B GORDON,	BEN H HILL,	A H COLQUITT,
A AUSTELL,	E W HOLLAND,	J H CALLAWAY,
B C YANCEY,	B J SMITH,	J M JOHNSON,
WADE HAMPTON,	J F ALEXANDER,	WM JOHNSTON.
F PRESIEY,	STEVENS THOMAS.	

OFFICERS.

JOHN B GORDON, President
BEN H HILL, A H COLQUITT, Vice-Presidents.
A AUSTELL, E W HOLLAND, } Finance Committee.
W C MORRIS, Secretary.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, MEMPHIS, TENN.

R C BRINKLEY, Pres Mem & Ld Rock R R.	T A NELSON, Cotton Factor, Memphis,
SAM TATE, Pres Mem & Charleston R R.	HUGH TORRANCE, "
F M WHITE, Pres Miss & Tenn R R.	J WELLER, Contractor, "
AMOS WOODRUFF, Pres Mem & Ohio R R.	J W MCGOWN, Merchant, "
F S DAVIS Pres 1st Nat Bank, Memphis,	CHAS KORTRIGHT, "
C P NORRIS Cashier 1st "	C W FRAZER, Att'y at-Law "
H A PARTEE, Memphis,	Jno B GORDON, Atlanta, Ga.

C C SPENCER, Asst'r and Com'n Merch't, Louisville, Ky.

OFFICERS.

AMOS WOODRUFF, President.
T A NELSON, F M White, Vice Presidents.
BEN MAY, Secretary.
CHAS T PATTERSON, Assistant Secretary.

Active and efficient Agents are wanted to canvass every County in the State, to whom the usual commission will be given by the undersigned, who is *General Agent for North Carolina.*

W. A. CALDWELL, Greensboro',
General Agent for North Carolina.

Col. Nat. P. Rankin, Traveling Agent.
Nov. 18-3m*

THE

EQUITABLE

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY,

OF

NEW YORK.

THE rapid advancement of "THE EQUITABLE," to the very front rank of American Life Insurance Companies, the unprecedented amount of its *new business* for the year ending September 30th, 1868, being over

FIFTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS,

the large accumulation by it of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, together with an annual income of FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, afford the very best evidence of its *popularity*, *success* and reliability.

A brief comparison of the Society's business for the first nine years of its organization, will best illustrate its remarkable progress.

PROGRESS OF THE SOCIETY.

Years.	No. Policies Issued	Sum Assured	Income.	Assets.
1859				
1860	277	1,179,000 00	38,814 00	120,772 00
1861	613	1,905,500 00	77,454 00	162,816 00
1862	672	1,818,750 00	107,647 00	210,636 00
1863	1,338	2,853,450 00	174,018 00	332,298 00
1864	1,624	4,861,930 00	326,471 00	524,714 00
1865	2,278	6,796,257 00	513,491 00	1,017,977 00
1866	3,445	13,749,650 00	971,565 75	1,582,323 93
1867	7,248	30,077,450 00	2,062,077 00	3,077,792 00
1867	10,455	42,740,581 00	3,247,021 74	5,125,429 15
*1868	*11,600*	*41,862,814 00*	*3,100,000 00*	*6,000,000 00*

*Year ending September 30th, 1868.

STANDING OF THE EQUITABLE SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.—In 1859, it was the ninth. In 1861, the eighth. In 1862 and 1863, the seventh. In 1864 and '65, the sixth. In 1866, the fourth. In 1867, fiscal the 2nd.

DIVIDENDS PAID ANNUALLY IN CASH.

Agents wishing to represent the Society, or persons wishing information in regard to Life Assurance, will please address special Agents.

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.,
General Agents.

W. H. FINCH, Special Agent for N. C.
T. C. HOOPER,
J. R. B. HATHAWAY,
J. B. MARTIN,
TRAVELING AGENTS.
Charlotte, N. C.
Dec. 18-3m

RALEIGH

SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.

All orders promptly attended to.
THOS. H. BRIGGS,
Proprietor.
Dec 1.

The N. C. Land Company

HAVE orders for 50 or 100,000 acres of timbered Swamp Lands in the Eastern part of the State. Any person having such land to dispose of, or reasonable terms will address
R. W. BEST,
Sec'y and Treas'r,
Feb. 6-tf Raleigh, N. C.

CARPET WARP! CARPET WARP!

Cotton Warp for Carpets, ALREADY DYED and READY FOR USE.

ROPE! ROPE!! ROPE!!!

WRAPPING TWINE,
CORDAGE, &c.
Dec. 1 THOS. H. BRIGGS.

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made to the present Legislature for a charter for a Railroad from Rocky Mount Depot, in Edgecombe Co., to the Clarksville Junction, in Warren County, with parties owning

LIFE INSURANCE.

The Most Vigorous and the Most Liberal Insurance Company in the Country.

BROOKLYN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

141 Broadway, N. Y.

ASSETS OVER

$1,000,000!

CHRISTIAN W. BOUCK, ... President.
ABRAM D. POLHEMUS, ... Vice President.
WILLIAM M. COLE, ... Secretary.
D. P. FACKLER, ... Consulting Actuary.
DANIEL AYRES, M. D. LL. D., Med. Examiner.

POLICIES ISSUED AS GOOD AS UNITED STATES BONDS.

POLICIES VALUABLE IN LIFE AS AT DEATH!

The BROOKLYN LIFE is the only Company in the country which guaranties a definite surrender-value to every Policy on which two or more annual premiums have been paid; this amount, in dollars and cents, is endorsed on every Policy issued. Should any Policy-holder become unable to pay his premiums, he can thus know the cash worth of the Policy at any time after two annual premiums have been paid.

This certainly is the greatest inducement and most tangible advantage ever accorded to parties insuring their lives.

Among the advantages offered by the BROOKLYN, which thoroughly evince the determination of the officers to make it the MOST LIBERAL Life Insurance Company in the United States, are:

1st. TOTAL REMOVAL OF ALL RESTRICTIONS ON TRAVEL AND RESIDENCE. The Assured may travel or reside anywhere they choose, the world over, without extra premium or special permit.

2d. A Loan of one-third of the Premium to the Policy-Holder Annually.

3d. All Policies are non-forfeitable after two full annual premiums have been paid.

4th. Rates as low as are consistent with financial soundness, and less than those of almost all Companies which accommodate their assured with loans.

5th. Dividends annually (after second year) in cash. Dividends are divided on the CONTRIBUTION PLAN—the only equitable manner of dividing the earnings of a Life Insurance Company. The Contribution Plan was first conceived by Mr. D. P. Fackler, now Actuary of this Company and has been adopted by most of the best managed Life Companies in this country.

The BROOKLYN LIFE has paid and now pays to its Policy-holders LARGER DIVIDENDS than ever before paid by a Life Insurance Company!

6th. Promptitude in paying losses.

7th. No charge for policy or stamp.

The success which the "BROOKLYN" has achieved, fully exemplified in its rapid and healthful growth, is a convincing proof of the confidence reposed by the public in its soundness, integrity and liberality.

A. W. LAWRENCE, Raleigh.
GENERAL AGENT FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
Dec. 19-3m

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

DAVIS, DRAKE & CO.,

DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

DRY GOODS,

CORNER OF SYCAMORE AND BANK STREETS,

PETERSBURG, Va.,

RESPECTFULLY CALL YOUR ATTENTION to their large and attractive stock of

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS

YANKEE NOTIONS,

CARPETS, RUGS, &c.

We shall, in a few days, be prepared to offer the largest stock of the above goods in the

STATE OF VIRGINIA,

All of which they guarantee to sell at

BALTIMORE PRICES.

Our Stock is kept constantly complete,—one of our partners remaining in New York during the entire business season, thereby taking every advantage of changes in the Market price of Goods.

We ask of the Merchants of the Old North State a comparison of our prices with those of Baltimore, and we feel confident they will find it to their interest to buy of us.

DAVIS, DRAKE & CO.,
JOBBERS OF DRY GOODS,
Corner Bank and Sycamore Sts.,
Jan 5-3m Petersburg, Va.

DAVIS, ROPER & CO.,

WHOLESALE

Grocers & Commission Merchants

No. 3 LION FIRE-PROOF,

Petersburg, Va.,

Keep constantly on hand a large stock of

BACON, LARD,
FLOUR, COFFEE, SUGARS,
SYRUPS, SALT, BUNNY
AND BUNDLE BAGGING,
BALE ROPE, TWINE,
CANDLES, SOAPS,
NAILS, TRAS,
ETC., ETC.

All of which they offer at the very lowest rates for cash, or Produce in barter.

They pay personal attention to the sale of Tobacco, Cotton, Wheat and Country Produce generally, and will make cash advances when in need on Railroad bill of lading for same.

Oct. 9-3m