THE SENTINEL.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1869.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Dr. Goddins "Compound Gentian Bitters."

Newspaper and Advertising Agency by Wm. A. Hearne & Co.

Advertisement of Darby & Co., Baltimore, M. D.

Auction sales by James M. Towles.

Lost, by Henry Pennington.

For Rent by W. C. Stronach & Co.

Paragon, Patapsco, Peabody and other Choice brands of Flour, by W. C. Stronach & Co.

Oranges, Lemons and Groceries, by W. C. Stronach & Co.

BLAIR, AGAIN.—We are under special favor to our friend Blair, the Proprietor of the Yarborough. He has again favored us with the choicest ice cream and cake. Many thanks.

GODDIN'S "Gentian Bitters" are recommended highly by those who have tried it.

THE PREVAILING FASHION.—What is it? To appoint the most obscure, incapable, and corrupt men to office. Since this government was founded, no such list of appointments has ever been given to the country. If the country had been "raked and scraped" a more complete set of leatherheads could not have been found. Grant was expected by all, both by Conservatives and Radicals, to appoint "moderate" men; but he has given a turn to the matter that was not anticipated—they are *too* "moderate;" they are so "moderate" in ability and experience that even the strongest and most influential supporters of the Administration are surprised. Only hear the New York *Herald* of the 21st inst., one of Grant's warmest supporters:

"There was a time when the government, untouched in the purity of its original organization, sent such men abroad as did the people credit. Gradually, as the power has centred in the Senate, ministers and consuls have grown of lighter calibre in everything that makes a man. To-day the list of foreign appointments, with but few exceptions, may be characterized as the worst we have yet known."

PERSONAL.

Bismarck's wife acts as his private secretary.

Train has delivered his "seventy fifth lecture of the course of six hundred in succession."

Menard the colored man who failed to secure a seat in Congress, has established a semi-weekly paper—the Radical Standard—in New Orleans.

It is rumored in Paris that the Emperor has written a new work—a treatise on the political and social condition of France—and that it is now in press.

William Hurlburt, of Cornwall, Vermont, recently died of starvation. He was seventy years of age, a batchelor, and worth some $8,000; but having lost $130 through robbery, he became despondent, afraid of coming to poverty, and having refused to eat, he starved himself to death.

De Cassagnac, the editor of the Pari. Pays, wants to fight sixteen duels with as many brother editors who refused to mess with him at the prison of St. Pelagie.

It is reported in some of the English papers that Dr. Pusey, the High Church leader, has been found to be a real Jesuit priest. The revelation purports to have been made by a Jesuit priest on the Continent.

Dickens has been threatened with a libel suit by the proprietors of the Alhambra.

The last prisoner of the revolutionary war has died again. This time he was Daniel Bakewell, of this State, aged 111.

Roebuck's Sheffield friends have given him a "testimonial" in the shape of £3,000 in trust for his daughter.

M. E. Deschamps, the French critic, says, in a late number of the *Opinion Nationale*, that he never laughed more heartily than upon reading a few chapters of Abbott's Life of Napoleon the III. He says that all Frenchmen who have got the blues should learn English, and then read Abbott's "merry" biography.

Maximilian's library sold for $4,000 more than it cost.

Daniel Frederick Beekman, the last surviving soldier of the Revolutionary War, died at Freedom, Cattaraugus county, New York, on the morning of April 5, at the advanced age of 109 years, 6 months.

Mr. Hulburd, the Comptroller of the Currency, has issued a circular requiring every national bank to furnish the Treasury Department with a statement of its condition on the 12th of April.

The conversion of the Marquis of Bute to Catholicism has been offset by the withdrawal of the Duke of Norfolk, the head of the Catholic nobility in England, from the church of his forefathers. He has joined the Irvingites, a Protestant sect.

Mr. Edwin Booth has engaged Mr. Joseph Jefferson to play seven weeks in his theatre, beginning early in August. The terms are said to be five dollars a night, and half the gross receipts at the matinees, after a deduction of a hundred and fifty dollars.

Speaking of Grant's candidates for foreign missions, the Chicago *Republican* (Radical) compliments them after this wise:

"It is understood that some of the persons indicated are not famous for personal integrity and dignity of character; that others are not complete masters of the spelling-book and of the art of English composition; that others besides are not over distinguished for devotion to the cause of loyalty; and that, at least in one case, there are strong probabilities that the nominee is not even a naturalized citizen."

A WEALTHY DIRECTOR OF THE PHILADELPHIA UNION LEAGUE (A NEWLY-CONFIRMED UNITED STATES CONSUL) CAUGHT ROBBING STORES.—*Philadelphia*, April 19.—There was considerable excitement here in Republican circles to-day by the discovery that a well-by gentleman, a director of the Union League, and recently confirmed to a European consulate, had for a long time been engaged in robbing stores, &c. He was detected yesterday stealing a box of cigars from a grocery store.

He confessed his guilt, and said he could not resist the temptation to steal, and paid $500, the estimated value of the goods taken from the store. Shortly afterwards he resigned from the League, and it is supposed he will never get to his consulate.—He obtained his appointment on the recommendation of prominent politicians here.

STATE NEWS.

SUPERIOR COURT YESTERDAY.—Owing to the absence of Judge Thomas, who is dangerously ill, Judge Russell presided over the Court yesterday, and his charge to the Grand Jury was favorably received by those who heard it.

The Judge decided that no one could place a substitute either on a *venire or grand jury*, unless special permission from the Court was given. He dwelt on the harmony prevailing between the two colors, and spoke of the impartial manner in which law should be administered to all.—*Wilmington Star.*

WISHING TO PURCHASE.—A gentleman from Pennsylvania is at present in this place with the view of purchasing a small farm for the purpose of carrying on the trucking business, which with the existing arrangements on the Wilmington and Weldon and Seaboard and Roanoke railroads, can be made highly profitable to the parties engaged in it, and to the parties who dispose of their lands to such persons, and we do not see why it is that those who own them will not throw them upon the market, as at present they are lying idle.—*Roanoke News.*

THE LATE FROSTS.—The recent cold spell and accompanying frost did much damage to the early vegetables in this section. There is quite a difference of opinion as to the extent of the damage to fruit. Our impression is that while some peach orchards have suffered severely, yet there is sufficient fruit left for an average yield.—We hear that in most cases the forward strawberries have been killed.—*Wilson Plaindealer.*

THE CANAL.—We understand the State has authorized the President of the canal terminating at this point to sell it at the sum of forty-five thousand dollars, but as this State and Virginia both are interested largely in the stock of the company, we hear there will have to be another meeting of the Legislature before it can be disposed of.—*Roanoke News.*

Some weeks ago we stated, says the Charlotte *Democrat*, that Mr. Burrell Hilton, a young white man, was murdered near this city. Three negro men, Josiah Henderson, Monroe Torrence and Sykes Funnerburg were arraigned last week before J. N. Hunter, J. P., charged with the crime. Two of the negroes, Henderson and Torrence, confessed the crime, and acknowledged that all three struck Mr. Hilton a blow with an axe. Henderson and Torrence declare that they ran off after hitting Hilton, and that Funderburg remained and robbed the body of money and clothing. All three were committed to jail.

An effort is on foot in this city, among our live merchants, to establish a regular line of steamers between this city and Wilmington, N. C., and in order to encourage the enterprise and give it substantial assurance of success we are assured that the leading business men and planters of Beaufort, Pitt, Martin, Greene and Edgecombe counties promise their valuable aid and influence to the line of steamers by their patronage. *Norfolk Journal.*

An incendiary applied fire to the school house at Company Shops last Thursday night, completely destroying it, with all its books, furniture &c.—*Greensboro Patriot.*

The first train on the N. W. N. C. railroad left this place this morning, under the charge of Capt. Cahill, and consisted of two large government wagons loaded with provisions for the hands now working near here.—*Ib.*

LATEST ARRIVAL.—A live alligator from the swamps of Florida, brought by Col. Zimmer, the energetic emigration and railroad agent. It is proposed to place this new settler in Orrell's pond as soon as he gets acclimated. We tremble for the boys.—*Ib.*

ROCK ISLAND WOOLEN MILLS, CHARLOTTE, N. C.—The factory has eleven one hundred inch Crompton looms, thirty two Jencks' six treadle looms, and twenty-eight more are putting up. Or, as wool machinery is always rated by "sets," they have six complete sets of wool machinery, and their production is from one thousand to twelve hundred yards of cassimeres per day, enough to make four hundred pair of pantaloons or two hundred and fifty coats. The goods are from all wool cassimeres, with double and twisted all wool warps, fit to adorn a Broadway dandy, down to the strong, heavy, durable jeans, so much liked by our own people, and so cheap as to be within the reach of the poorest. Every yard is guaranteed by the proprietors, and they are seeking to sell direct to the merchants of the South. They give notice that purchasers can return all goods not coming up to their representation.—*Cor. Wil. Jour.*

Question for "Loil League" Debate—Is a White man as good as a negro?

Affirmative—Wilson Carey, Galloway, Cook, and other colored men.

Negative—Joe Holden, 'His Excellency the Governor,' J. W. Stephens and J. M. Jones, *Esquire*, (the man that cried in the League because 'Paul' wouldn't shake hands with him.)—*Milton Chron.*

The Corner Stone of the M. E. Church will be laid to morrow evening at 3 o'clock, Dr. R. S. Moran, officiating. A large attendance is expected.—*East. Intelligencer.*

Three thousand plows have been turned out by Wilson county factories this year.

WHEAT.—This article looks well and if the season holds good we shall have a heavy crop. But it matters very little whether we have a large crop or a short one, so far as price is concerned. "The Rings" arranges the figures, and the people dance to its music. *Milton Chronicle.*

The jail was opened on Tuesday evening last, at half past six, and 7 prisoners walked out over the intoxicated guard, Mr. Calvin Buchanan. Two negroes refused to leave, preferring to be boarded at the expense of the county. Let our county rejoice that this precious batch of offenders is free, as it saves them at least $5 per day, may they like old John Brown's soul—"still keep marching on."

Clapp has been recaptured.—*Greensboro Patriot.*

WORK COMMENCED.—It is with pleasure we learn from Gen'l Lewis, that work has really begun on the Williamston & Tarborough Railroad.

Mr. H. D. Roberson has taken under contract a section of the Road near Robersonville, and is now engaged with a large number of hands in grading.

It is expected that the whole line will be under contract in a short time and the Road pushed rapidly to completion.

Preparations for the construction of the bridge over the Tar has already begun, and lumber for the same is now being secured.—*Tar. Southerner.*

We are deeply pained to record the untimely death of Mr. Thos. Garland, a young planter living six miles distant in this county, who, in a fit of delirium tremens on Sunday last terminated his earthly career by shooting himself in the head with a pistol. He was a young gentleman highly respected and esteemed by all who knew him. His soul was the seat of honor, and his heart was kind and generous to a fault.—*Milton Chron.*

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

London has no less than six theatres that are managed by women.

In 1866, the last census, the population of France was 38,067,094.

The Louisiana sugar crop is estimated at 80,000 hogsheads or twice as much as in 1867.

Dr Harris tells us that nine hundred horses in New York city died of glanders last year.

Plymouth Church gives Saturday matinees, fifteen cents admission, at which the big organ is played.

Sugar raising is on the decline in Cuba, the profits thereon, it is alledged, not amounting to more than six per cent.

The people in one section of New Hampshire rode to church in sleighs, during the past season, on eighteen successive Sundays.

A sporting man in Paris has opened an office for advising inexperienced young men in regard to so called affairs of honor. He teaches them for fifty francs how to insult their adversaries in the most genteel manner, and how to resent affronts so as to render a duel inevitable.

Horace Greeley says that the darkest day in any man's earthly career is that wherein he fancies that there is some easier way of gaining a dollar than by squarely earning it.

Texas has begun to grumble loudly over the crop prospects. The grasshoppers are already destroying the corn by wholesale and there is little hope that cotton can be successfully planted.

It is authoritatively announced by a San Francisco paper that five and a half million dollars worth of silkworm eggs were exported from the port of Yokohama, Japan, in 1868. The purchasers were mostly Frenchmen.

The largest rose bush in France is at Toulon. It covers a wall seventy-five feet long by eighteen in height, and near the root measures two feet eight inches round. In the months of April and May it produces fifty thousand roses.

It is authoritatively announced that the capital stock of the Louisville *Courier Journal* is owned by three parties exclusively, W. H. Haldeman, Henry Watterson, and Isham Henderson. It is divided as follows: Mr. Haldeman holds $151,000; Mr. Watterson, $75,000; and Mr. Henderson, $74,000. The stock brings a premium on the market, but is not for sale.

The Ministers from the United States to England and France receive $17,500 a year each; the Ministers to Austria, Spain, and Mexico, $12 000 each; the Minister to Hayti and Liberia, $7,500; the Ministers Resident in Sweden, Belgum, Guatemala, Bogota, Bolivia, and Nicaragua, $7500.

The demand for feathers to adorn bonnets has led to such wholesale destruction of wild ducks, gulls, and other birds, that laws have been passed in France and Switzerland to limit the business to certain times of the year, and the subject is under consideration in the British Parliment.

The stage of the new "Her Majesty's Theatre," in London, is the finest in Europe, being sixty-one feet deep, ninety nine wide, and eighty-one feet high. The system of framing the proscenium more or less in barbaric gold will be abandoned in favor of the real architectural and classical style.

It takes fifty-seven paymasters, from brigadier general down, to do nothing in the world but pay off the present standing army of the United States.

Ten thousand sugar maple trees are tapped in town of Farmington Me.

It has become fashionable for Parisian ladies to wear wigs made of fine silk.

Fashionable parasols in Paris this year have handles of green and red morocco.

The contract of the French Government for Virginia tobacco has been awarded to two houses in New York. The order is for about eight thousand hogsheads. Three qualities of tobacco are usually bought: a first rate article of lugs, short leaf, and of good quality. This tobacco is bought for the purpose of being manufactured into snuff. The snuff made of it is of the celebrated "Maccaboy" brand, a coarse snuff highly flavored, and almost universally used in France, and the secret of the manufacture of which is carefully kept. Sweet, sound tobacco is bought for this contract, and is in that respect different from the order from Germany, to fill which "funked" tobacco is preferred.

RICHMOND VA., April 21st.—General T. L. Raymond, member of Congress from Virginia before the war, died this morning.

WHIM WHAMS.

"Typ me a ballad, ladye farye, my ladye, a'ballad typ;" and ye man he twirled ye black moustache that covered his upper lip. She lay aside her 'broiderie—for his love she styryyes to win—and to a weird like air the ladye tayre attones her mandolyn. "I do not care for a wild romance of ye days of old," says he, "but rather I'd hear, if my layde please, some touching melodie." And over ye ladye's musyc book ye gallant soldier leans, while she sings with a sweet and angel voice "Captain Jinks of ye Horse Maryn s!"

Tears differ. They may mean downright sorrow or upright joy. Some people feel "so glad" they cry it out at the eye; others do the same thing from an opposite cause. Mrs. Flimflam appears to be gifted with a faculty for either extreme. When her son John Small was born she shed copiously, and laughed and cried at the same time; and when Mr. Flimflam left for good, her shed was of the same varied sort, only the laugh shed somehow came in oftener than the cry shed.

When a woman has her dress stepped on in the street, by which it receives a pretty extensive demolishment, and she says 'Never mind, sir, it's of no sort of consequence,' do you believe she means it? and isn't she likely to say, two steps on, "What a beast that calf was!" Of course she is. It's as natural as it is for her to breathe, and she says it a great deal easier than she breaths, in view of the taut lace-work around her waist.

The New York "Sun" says: "The Spanish Government are buying metalic cartridges in this country with which to kill and maim the patriots of Cuba. The Union Metalic Company of East Bridgeport, Connecticut, are now at work on an order from Madrid for ten millions of these cartridges to fit the Berdan breech loading musket.

Prof. Davidson recently lectured in San Francisco on the recent telegraphic determination of longitude, stating that the corrections of former much determinations were found to have been nearly correct by the electric observations, the difference being only one second. The time occupied in making the electrical circuit between Cambridge and San Francisco was 80 hundredths of a second.

A CHAPTER OF ANCIENT HISTORY.—*Harper's Weekly* is responsible for the following contribution to our archæological knowledge. Readers may find it advantageous to cut it out and preserve it for reference:

History of Boston.—Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, is a city of no mean pretensions. In age it antedates the Pyramids.

When first discovered by the Ten Tribes, in 1283, B. C., it bore the marks of extreme antiquity.

Faneuil Hall is supposed to have been the original Solomon's Temple, and Boston Common is known to be the Garden of Eden with modern improvements. The Tree of Life has been removed to make room for the magnificent Old Elm, and the Four Rivers are represented by the beautiful fountain which squirts continually.

Boston was named in honor of a certain cracker, which was there made in great perfection by the pre-Adamite inhabitants. And it retains the name—and the cracker—to this day.

A certain one of its poets whose son *de plume* is Holmes, has called Boston the Hub of the Universe. Being the hub, and also a place where the visible muscles are never used, it may fitly be termed the centre of gravity.

No one laughs in Boston, and whoever would smile must go into a bar-room to do it.

The streets in Boston are unlike the one in Damascus which was called Straight. When laid out, far back in the carboniferous period, the Street Commissioner did not heed the injunction of the "Great Expounder:" "Ye solid men of Boston, drink no strong potations;" and so the lane and avenues of the town stagger about after the similitude of a ram's horn.

The principal hotel was formerly kept by Theodore Parker, and is still called the Parker House. It is kept on the European plan, which is, to charge so much for a room that you have no money left to invest in a breakfast.

Boston includes the towns of Cambridge, Jamaica Plains, Roxbury, Framingham, Worcester, Salem, and indeed all Massachusetts.

SHARPE TREATMENT OF A BRAVE MAN.—The confirmation of Jos. C. Brand, Consul at Nuremberg, made, it is reported, quite a scene in the Senate. General Lefevre, of Ohio, present incumbent, is a veteran volunteer, who fought his way up from a private to a generalship by sheer bravery and capacity, and whose promotion was forced out of the Department by his gallantry, despite of the desire to keep him down, because he is a Democrat. He has been wounded six times, is the only Democrat from Ohio holding a federal office, and, moreover, is an excellent French and German scholar, and has been the best of consuls. His successor is a man who does not know a squadron from a hunk of ginger bread; was never in the war, except by contract, and only indifferently knows even the English language. These facts were eloquently brought out by Conservatives Senators in executive session; but they availed only to strengthen the Radical vote which called the soldier home.—*N. Y. World.*

Mr. Charles Francis Adams is quoted as having said that the treaty lately submitted about the Alabama claims was a good treaty, creditable both to Lord Clarendon and Mr. Johnson, and that it ought to have been adopted with some slight changes.—Moreover, he thinks Sumner's speech on the subject did more harm than good.

LIGHTING STREETS BY ELECTRICITY.—A Mr. Wheeler proposes a plan for lighting the streets of New York by electricity. His method is similar to that in operation in the dome of the Capitol and the halls of Congress at Washington. He claims that the whole expense of laying wires, erecting the batteries, and lighting the city, will be saved and paid for in a few years, at the present cost of simply lighting the lamps. He estimates that, in 20 years, the saving to the city will be $1,000,000. By the proposed arrangement, if any lamp should be extinguished accidentally, it will immediately relight itself. In addition to the proposed electrical lighting the wires (he says) can be used for telegraphic purposes, and a complete system of telegraphic communication with every part of the city can be arranged. The subject has been referred to a Committee of aldermen.

The New York *Tribune* says:

The nomination of Howard for China met with slight opposition, but J. Ross Browne's friends *could not show satisfactorily that he had ever done anything for the Republican cause*, and that the party in power owed him anything.

SENT TO THE WORK HOUSE.—Stephen Jones and Archie Worth, two colored men convicted of larceny, were yesterday sent to the county work house, to remain for the period of six months, during which time, it is hoped, they will be adepts in the manufacture of "bricks.—*Bal. Star.*

MARRIED.

On Wednesday morning April 21st, at the residence of the bride's parents, Yorkville, Bladen county, N. C., by the Rev. Haynes Leonard, EDWIN L. HAYES of Shoe Heel, N. C., to Miss MARY L. DWIERRIS, daughter of Dr. Justin Dwierris.

At the residence of the bride's father, in Edgecombe county, N C., on the morning of the 20th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Jones, M. Wm. D. FLYMAN to Miss MARY T. LYON.

DIED:

At the residence of Mrs. McDowell, in Edgecombe county, on Wednesday the 21st inst., of Pleuro Pneumonia, Dr. W. D. SHERRARD.

In Edgecombe county on Sunday the 11th inst., of Pleuro Pneumonia, Mr. JAMES D. SAVAGE, in the 49th year of his age.

In Charlotte, at the residence of Mr. Allen Macaulay, on the 13th. inst., Mr. George Stenhouse, of consumption, aged 41 years.

In Anson county, on the 20th ult., after a protracted illness, Miss LALLIE J., second daughter of Henry W. DeBerry, Esq.

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Feb. 1-3m

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April 21-tf R. P. WILLIAMSON.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Thursday Midnight Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The Senate postponed the San Juan treaty.

Capt. Henry A. Wise, formerly Chief of the Naval Ordnance Bureau, died at Nantes.

There were only half a dozen nominations today. None South yet.

Admiral Davis reports that the allies refused to allow a bearer of dispatches to the Paraguayan Minister Mr. McMahon, to pass the lines.

The President withdrew the nomination of James B. Townsend as Marshal of North Mississippi.

The details of the flood at the North are terrible. At Granby, Canada, eleven persons were swept away by the flood. At Albany New York the water is within two feet of the flood of 1857. The Merrimac at Concord, is higher than since 1852.

The Senate will doubtless remain in session all night unless the adjourning resolution is reconsidered.

There was a big fight to-day over Sanford for Spain. The nomination was finally tabled. 29 to 30. This leaves three nominations for first class ministers in abeyance.

In the Senate to-day Mr. Sprague in replying to Mr. Nye who made a personal explanation and Mr. Abbott of North Carolina who defended Gen. Burnside, Governor of Rhode Island, said he had expected to be rebuked and denounced as drunk and crazy, but there was a multitude behind him equally intoxicated and equally crazy. During his speech still alluding to Messrs. Nye, Abbott and Anthony, Mr. Sprague said is there anything left in the Constitution of our fathers that remains sacred yet against which you do not yet dare to raise your parricidal hands.

FROM BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, April 23.—A Virginia delegation headed by Robert Ellett, is here on behalf of the Virginia Valley Railroad.

The deputation was received by the Mayor and city authorities. The business meeting occurs to-morrow at 4 o'clock.

FROM CANADA.

OTTOWA, April 22.—Notice was given in the Commons of a bill of indemnity against the United States for precautionary measures against the Fenians. The mover said the object was to give members an opportunity to speak on the subject, and express their views upon Mr. Chandler's speech.

MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Cotton heavy. Sales 1300 bales at 28½@28¾. Flour favors buyers, with more doing for export; common to fair extra Southern $6.10 to $6.65. Wheat heavy; spring wheat lower. Corn close heavy and declining.—Pork steady, new $31,20@31.35. Lard quiet, kettle 18@19½. Whiskey dull and nominal.—Groceries dull. Naval stores quiet.

Money more active at 7. Gold weak, 32½@33. Sterling steady. Bonds dull and lower. 6's 20's stocks heavy and unsettled at lower prices.

BALTIMORE, April 22.—Cotton nominal at 28@28½. Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat dull; choice Valley red $2.20; shipping red $1.40. Corn dull, white 76@81; yellow 84@86. Pork quiet.—Bacon active and firm.

WILMINGTON, April 22.—Spirit turpentine firmer at 40@44. Rosin active at $1.90 to $6.37. Crude turpentine steady, $1.60 to $4.25. Tar firm $2.35. Cotton dull at 28.

LIVERPOOL, April 22.—Cotton dull. Uplands 12d. Orleans 12¼d. Turpentine 29.

Friday Evening Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 22, M.

Sprague's words which offended Abbott were: Mr. President: In answer to the insults of the Senators from North Carolina and Nevada, I am reminded of a little illustration in my travels from the centre here into the rural districts through the woods and farms of the surrounding neighborhood. Chance at one time brought me to a farm house.

I discovered on looking up a large mastiff and a mongrel puppy dog. The little dog moved on me with rapidity from behind. But at my heels and frightened at his temerity he ran frightened and howling away, followed by his larger companion. The Senate will observe that the mongrel whining puppy encouraged by the mastiff and emboldened to make the attack from the shadow of its backer ran rapidly away alarmed at his temerity, whilst the over grown cur followed after with each proposed, and tail between his legs to a place of safety beside his mental companion.

During yesterday evening, Abbott threatened to horsewhip Sprague unless he retracted in the remarks last night Abbott said: "When I arose in Executive Session to ask that the doors be opened sometime ago, I said that I did not intend to utter anything unbecoming on this floor—what I did intend to do, was to ask the Senator from Rhode Island, if he intended to apply the term 'puppy' to me, as is implied in the connection of the language. If he did intend to apply it to me, my purpose was to ask him for a retraction as full as the implication of the language, and if he refused that retraction, my intention was to ask for satisfaction out of this chamber. I now, sir, give notice to as much as that Senator has chosen out of this chamber that I intend to have satisfaction outside of this chamber.

Sumner called Abbott to order, who, after much confusion, was allowed to say in explanation, 'I will state that I am not a duelist'—(not much.) "I was not educated as a duelist"—(very apparent or you would not publish your retraction)—and I did not mean that sort of thing—(of course not) but I meant to say, that the Senator from Rhode Island must make a retraction as broad as the order, and that I shall have that satisfaction outside of this chamber in some way.

In contradiction of the report that Sprague left town early this morning and that Abbott was absent from the usual haunts known Sprague was seen at home all the morning and has not heard from Abbott.

MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Money active at 7. Gold 32¾, sterling 8¼. 62's. 21¼. North Carolina's 64; new 54½.

Cotton 28½ more steady at 28¾.

LIVERPOOL, April 22.—Cotton firmer not higher. Uplands 12; Orleans 12¼. Sales 8,000. Week 73,000.

N. C. FLOUR AND HAMS.

JUST RECEIVED ON CONSIGNMENT A large lot good N. C. Flour in sacks, and prime N. C. Hams.

JAMES M. TOWLES,
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April 20-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

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April 20-tf

PERUVIAN GUANO.

A SMALL LOT TO-DAY ON HAND, FOR sale by

April 20 tf DOUGLAS BELL.

FOR SALE.

A LARGE LOT OF HAMS.

W. H JONES & CO
April 13-tf

Cotton Plows, Cotton Plows.

I RESPECTFULLY ADDRESS CALL the attention of farmers to my Cotton and Corn Plows. I have sold many to our most respectable and best farmers, in this section, and they pronounce them superior to any Plows used, rate and scarce as concentrated, are made of the best and most durable material, and are substantially put together, and I guarantee them to give satisfaction. Prices, complete, with three to Polaris (#8) Plow Stocks, No. 9 and 8 Plows (#8) Four dollars, try them

April 20-tf R. P. WILLIAMSON.

RYE.

25 BUSHELS MOUNTAIN RYE TO ARRIVE

April 20 3t JAMES M. TOWLES, Com. Merchant.

THOS. BRANCH & SONS, Petersburg, Va. | THOS. BRANCH & CO., Richmond, Va.

BRANCH SONS & CO. AND BRANCH, SCOTT & CO.,

AUGUSTA, Ga.

Bankers and Commission Merchants.

Advances made on consignments of Country Produce, and on shipments of Cotton to New York or Liverpool, Loans negotiated; Railroad, State and Corporation Bonds and Stocks bought and sold; first-class negotiable paper always on hand, for sale. Gold, Silver and Bank Notes bought and sold.

We give below our present buying rates for Bank Notes:

Bank of North Carolina	50
" Cape Fear	35
" Charlotte	40
" Chowan	1
" Cheraw	1
" Fayetteville	11
" Lexington	2
" Graham	24
" Roxboro'	40
" Raleigh	10
" Washington	11
" Wilmington	2
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	60
Farmers Bank of Greensboro'	25
Merchants' Mutual Insurance Co.	7
Merchants' Bank	65
Miners and Planters	40

FOR SALE.

Any of the above Bank Notes in sums to suit.
5000 Town of Wilmington, N. C. Bonds, 8
2000 N. C. R. R. 8 per cent Bonds.
4000 Wilmington 6 per ct. Bonds.
100 Shares Raleigh & Gaston Railroad Stock.

WANTED.

N. C. R. R. Stock.

We are daily expecting a cargo of Peruvian Guano, which we will sell in lots of five tons or over, delivered on the cars in Petersburg or delivered in Raleigh. Send your orders at once.

Jan 1, 1869-tf

Greensboro' Money Market.

BUYING RATES OF BANK NOTES, &c., BY WILSON & SHOBER, BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, SOUTH ELM STREET, GREENSBORO, N. C.

Bank of N. C.	40c
" Cape Fear	35
" Charlotte	40
" Wadesboro	30
" Wilmington	30
" Roxboro	40
" Thomasville	25
" Graham	24
" Lexington (old)	5
" " (new)	5
" Commerce	17
" Clarendon	4
" Fayetteville	12
" Washington	3
" Yanceyville	4
Merchants' Bank of Newbern	65
Farmers' Bank of Greensboro', (old)	35
" " (new)	20
Miners and Planters' Bank	42
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	20
Greensboro Mutual Ins. Co., (old)	5
Virginia Bank Notes average about	40
South Carolina "	25
Georgia "	25
N. C. Railroad Stock	20
N. C. R. R. Dividend Scrip	75

We buy and sell at liberal prices, Gold and Silver, North Carolina Bonds, United States Bonds and all other marketable stocks.

Orders for Bank notes by debtors and Stockholders of Banks will receive prompt attention.

Remittances for express packages of Bank notes &c., will be made on the day received, by check on New York or Baltimore, or in currency, as desired.

Life and Fire Insurance Policies issued in good Companies, at best rates.

March 10-3m*

THOMAS H. BRIGGS,

SUCCESSOR TO BRIGGS & DODD,

DEALER IN

HARDWARE, CUTLERY,

IRON AND STEEL,

PAINTS, VARNISHES, COLORS, OILS,

GLASS,

and all kinds House Furnishing Goods.

ALSO,

AGENT FOR THE SALE OF

BURR AND ESOPUS MILL STONES,

"Anchor" Bolting Cloth,

RUBBER AND LEATHER BELTING,

STEAM ENGINES AND SAW MILLS,

CIRCULAR SAWS.

Iron Fronts, Verandas, Fences, and all kinds of Ornamental Iron Works

No. 10, Fayetteville Street,
RALEIGH, N. C.

Just Arrived.

50 DOZEN LOCKS OF DIFFERENT KINDS.
100 Kegs old Dominion Nails.
100 Pair Trace Chains.
Sash, Weld, Log and Warter Chains.
Fine assortment of Pocket and Table Cutlery.

April 20-tf T. H. BRIGGS.

PAINTS.

WHITE LEAD, LINSEED, COTTON SEED, Lard, Extra Sperm and Train Oil. Glass and Putty, Colors of all kinds both dry and in Oil.

April 20-tf T. H. BRIGGS.

LIME, PLASTER AND CEMENT CONSTANTLY on Hand.

T. H. BRIGGS.

BRASS AND ENAMELED LINED KETTLES, Sauce Pans, and Hollow Ware of all kinds.

April 20-tf T. H. BRIGGS.

Phosphatic Guano.

MANUFACTURED ESPECIALLY FOR COTTON and Tobacco.

Contains 20 Super Phosphate, Peruvian Guano, Potash, Nitrate of Soda.

Only $45 per Ton and known to be excellent.

For sale by

DOUGLAS BELL.
April 20-tf

A PROF. OF MUSIC WISHES A SITUATION in some Southern College, he is an experienced Teacher of Piano and Singing and also a Composer; has taught in Colleges in the State of North Carolina and Virginia etc; can furnish the best of references and recommendations.

Address,
PROF. OF MUSIC
Post Office Box 74.

April 15-tf

PORTER PORTER.

24 DOZ. GOOD PORTER JUST ARRIVED.

G. T. STRONACH.
April 20-tf

LEMONS LEMONS.

VERY Large and nice Wholesale or Retail.

G. T. STRONACH.
April 20 tf

HOES HOES.

ELWELLS AND PLANTERS.

G. T. STRONACH
April 22 tf

Tin and Sheet Iron Manufactory.

No. 44, Fayetteville St.

JOB WORK, ROOFING AND GUTTERS AT Short notice.

J. BROWN.
April 20 tf With Hart & Lewis.

1,000 ORDERS CONTINUED.

1,000 Pairs Turkey Assorted. Chief, Best and Handsome Kids. Store Sale and Pleasing trade.

J. BROWN.
April 20 tf With Hart & Lewis.

FLOUR OF ALL GRADES AT

DOUGLAS BELL.
April 22-tf

A NOTHER LOT OF THOSE GOOD OLD Hams.

W. G. STRONACH & CO.
August 14-tf

THOMASVILLE SNUFF.

For sale by

R. P. TAYLOR.

MISCELLANEOUS

FIRE! FIRE!!

ENCOURAGE HOME ENTERPRISE!

NORTH CAROLINA
Mutual Home Insurance Company.

INCORPORATED DECEMBER, 1868.

Chartered Capital $500,000.
Amount now liable for
Losses $180,000.

OFFICERS:

JAMES H. FOSTER, President.
W. R. Pell, Vice-President. Seaton Gales, Sec.
R. H. Battle, Treasurer.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

R. G. Leach, R. W. Lawrence,
J. H. Davis.

General Agent for Western N. C.
Gen. B. B. Vance.
General Agent for Eastern N. C.
Thos. Thompson.

OFFICE:

First Door South of Raleigh National Bank, Raleigh, N. C.

THIS HOME COMPANY, CHARTERED BY the Legislature of North Carolina, insures property against loss or damage by

FIRE, LIGHTNING, OR TORNADO,

and does business on the Mutual and Joint Stock plans.

The character of those who control the affairs of the Company is a sufficient guarantee that it is, what it promises to be, a HOME ENTERPRIZE, offering ample and liberal protection against loss by fire, &c., on the most easy and liberal terms to insurers.

The TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS in N. C. Bonds, required by the Charter to be deposited with the Public Treasurer, have promptly been so deposited and the Treasurer's receipt therefor obtained.

No other Company offers greater inducements to insurers.

Let all who feel any interest in a HOME INSTITUTION come forward and encourage the Company,—receiving, as they will, reciprocal benefit in the enhancement of value and protection of their property.

For further particulars, address the Secretary, or nearest General or local Agents.

☞ ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED AND PAID.

W. H. MURDOCH, Ass't. Sec. & Local Agt. | SEATON GALES, Secretary.

April 14-3m

INCORPORATED IN 1846.

THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ASSETS OVER 24,000,000,00.

ANNUAL INCOME OVER

8,500,000,00

TOTAL LOSSES PAID, OVER

8,000,000,00.

TOTAL DIVIDENDS PAID, OVER

5,000,000,00.

SURPLUS ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES

7,000,000,00.

THIS COMPANY BEING PURELY MUTUAL, there are no Stockholders to absorb any portion of its surplus funds, but returned to the Policyholders, are divided equitably among them by a dividend of over fifty per cent annually, after four years.

This year they have adopted a reduced all cash premium table with immediate annual dividends.

All policies are non-forfeiting