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For the benefit of the public, we publish the following directory of the post-office of this city:

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" " arrives	3:49 p. m.
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W. W. HOLDEN, P. M.

THE CITY.

J. J. WOLFENDEN & Co., dealers in grain. Corn a specialty. Newbern, N. C. 3m.

Cotton market quiet. Middlings 11¼; low middlings 10¾; clear stains 10; deep stains 8a9.

J. C. S. Lumsden, of this city, is putting on the new tin roof of the Granville county courthouse.

T. T. Oliver manufactures best heart pine and poplar lumber, &c. Seasoned flooring always on hand. Pine Level, N. C.

A safe key has been left at this office. It was picked up between Simpson's drug-store and Rosenbaum's corner. The owner can have the same by applying.

Mr. J. D. Whitaker is selling good oak wood at $3.50; pine $3.00@$3.25 per cord delivered, provided the cash attends the order. Call on him in rear of Citizen's National Bank.

Just arrived at Osborne's Grain and Feed store 600 bushels of seed oats, at 65 cents per bushel; 10 tons of Anthracite Coal at $10.50 per ton; one car load of Marshall's Salt which can be bought low for cash. 1t.

The Orphans' Friend, of March 8, says: "The kind-hearted wife of a Raleigh merchant visited the orphan asylum at Oxford, last Monday, and adopted a little orphan girl to be trained and treated as her own child."

The case of the State against James W. Buck, a radical of this city, for embezzlement, was closed yesterday before his honor, Mayor Manly. The evidence was direct, and Buck submitted to be bound over without going into a preliminary examination.

Avery's Blue Ridge Blade, of March 7, gets off this six-liner: "'Oxford, the mother of newspapers, is the way the Statesville Landmark puts it. Hillsboro, then, must be the mother-in-law of newspapers since two Raleigh editors have their washing, nominating and voting done in that town."

George Allen & Co., Plow Manufacturers, Newbern, N. C., offer to send to any address, samples of their Labor Saving Plows. Atlas anti-choking Turning Plows, Dickson, Allen and Magnolia Steel Cotton Sweeps, at a liberal discount for cash, with privilege of returning them at their expense should they not give perfect satisfaction.

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The Oxford Orphans' Friend, of March 8, says: "Mr. R. W. Best, of the Raleigh Sentinel, spent last Monday evening singing with the children at the orphan asylum at Oxford. He gave them a specimen of his tremendous and very thorough bass. He also made the children a short speech and recurred to the day the asylum building was sold at auction and he as grand master of the masons enjoyed the pleasure of buying it for the grand lodge."

The very finest results and increasing demand of the Star Ammoniated Soluble Phosphate seem to have created quite a sensation among manufacturers of and dealers in commercial fertilizers. Other manufacturers have even commenced manipulating and offering for sale a fertilizer called the "Star Bone Phosphate." Farmers should beware of imitations. The original and only genuine Star Ammoniated Soluble Phosphate has the trade mark of a star printed on each sack with the analysis manufactured by Lorentz & Ritter of Baltimore, Md., and for sale by A. C. Sanders & Co., or their agents.

Granville farmers are hard at work, preparing to raise a crop to pay taxes with.

ADVISARI'S TAKEN.—Yesterday the supreme court took advisari's in the following cases:

W. H. & R. S. Tucker vs. City of Raleigh and in four other cases of a similar nature.

W. A. French vs Commissioners of Fayetteville, (2 cases.)

Joseph A. Harris vs. David A. Jenkins, public treasurer. (The Chatham road bond swapping matter.)

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.—The meeting of W. G. Hill lodge last evening was attended by a visiting masonic brother from afar off. Isaac Edrrehi, of Turkey, arrayed in his turban, sought admission and worked his way, we are told, into the mysterious precincts in the most approved style. He is one of the Israelitish subjects of the Sublime Porte, and holds membership in Israel lodge, London. He is traveling over the country seeing the sights and selling engravings, representing well-known places and scenes in the Holy Land.

MAYOR'S COURT.—His honor, Mayor Manly, had quite a levee this morning. Martha Gudger, Laura Busbee and Annie Yates, dusky damsels of the demi-monde, were arraigned for disorderly conduct and were condemned to waste their sweets on dungeon airs for the next 30 days.

Henry Austin and Henry Lane, African disciples of the rosy god, got 20 days, each, of muscular enjoyment on the streets for an excess of hilarity.

James Thompson, a white tramp, takes a rest in jail for the space of 30 days.

Orrin Lee, an African Jehu, was mulcted in the sum of $5 and cost for rattling his wagon more rapidly than the law allows.

STATISTICS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.—The Charlotte Observer says: By the latest reliable statement for 1876, it appears that the diocese of Richmond has 21 churches, 22 chapels, 23 priests, 12 clerical students, 5 female religious institutions, 6 female academies, 13 male and 13 female parochial schools with an attendance of 2,234 scholars, 1 hospital, 2 orphan asylums with 107 orphans, 4 benevolent institutions, 55 benevolent and religious societies numbering 8,595 members and a Catholic population of 18,000.

In the vicarate of North Carolina there are 7 priests, 11 churches and chapels, 21 stations, 1 female academy, 1 female religious institute, 3 parochial schools, 4 theological students and a Catholic population of 1,600.

TUPPER CHURCH IMBROGLIO.—The long contested case of this nigger congregation against the white pastor, Tupper, over the house they built for the Lord, was brought to a close to-day by the judges in the supreme court rendering an opinion in favor of the congregation. The pastor took a lease upon the house from the congregation for 999 years, and when he preached politics not to their taste they essayed to turn him out. The pastor rebelled and told the congregation that he would control the house as he pleased, for it was his property, and they could go elsewhere to hear the gospel expounded if he did not suit them. The flock was ousted from the fold by the shepherd, and they brought this suit for possession and cancellation of the lease. The case has excited great interest among the colored people of the city and the state. Messrs. Smith, Strong and E. G. Haywood appeared for the shepherd, and well did they argue his case. Maj. A. M. Lewis appeared for the flock. The argument lasted three days. Mr. Lewis has been highly complimented by those who heard his argument. The flock sport and gambol upon the lawn, over the discomfiture of the shepherd. Verily we are a contentious people. The fight over the Union had hardly closed before one over the house of God began.

WANTED, A CONFERENCE.—Oxford has not, for lo these seven-and-twenty years, enjoyed the refreshing from the Lord which attends upon the holding of a Methodist conference within her municipal gates. She longs for one, she is hungry for it. All her christian people, including Davis and Kingsbury, of the Torchlight, stand upon the walls and stretch out their white arms, and with their mouths open wide and clamorous as young chimney-swallows, continually do cry to the hard-riders of Zion's invincible hosts, "Come, come and meet with us." They have taught their yellow-limbed shanghais and dominicas to cost low; and their fatted calves, popping out of their hides like puffy No. 8 hands through No. 6 kid-gloves, go gamboling on a thousand hospitable hills. They have wine and oil, milk and honey upon the honeycomb. Conferential brethren, remember Oxford when next you discuss the question of a meeting-place.

GRAVE CHARGES AGAINST THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

IS IT SO? SPEAK OUT, MR. HOWERTON.

About a month ago we heard that Auditor Reilly had refused to audit some of the stationery bills of the secretary of state, but as it came in the shape of a rumor we gave it no attention; but now comes a grave, specific charge against Secretary of State Howerton, made by a Raleigh correspondent of the Petersburg Index-Appeal. Who "N. S." is we know not, but he must have the entre of the offices in the capitol, or be very intimate with those that have, or he could not make so serious a charge and go into such minute details. Secretary Howerton left, we learn, yesterday for New York in company with General J. C. Gorman. Whether this visit has anything to do with these charges we are not informed. We suppose Mr. Howerton will reply to "N. S." and demand a full investigation of the matter. He must either do this or be content to rest under the imputation of guilt. Here is what "N. S." says in the Petersburg Index-Appeal of yesterday:

RALEIGH, N. C., March 6, 1876.

The "startling revelations" which I promised you in a former letter have not been fully developed yet, and I can only give the rumor as it reached me. I think I was somewhat in error when I called it startling revelations, for stealing among republican officials, national and state, has become so frequent and common that we are not startled at anything we hear. We would not be surprised or startled if the next telegram from Washington would tell us that the committee on expenses in the war department had undoubted evidence that General Grant had stolen larger sums than Belknap, and in the same way, but it would startle anybody to hear at the same time that he had resigned. No, not he, when he has the republican army of thieves to back him. Our little startling revelation is concerning our secretary of state, Dr. William H. Howerton, as deep a dyed radical as the devil ever consulted. He has been most too "liberal" in buying stationery, blank books and fancy articles for the state. Before the last legislature the law required the secretary of state to prepare a list of stationery, blank books, &c., wanted and to publish the same in newspapers, calling for bids, and requiring the secretary to let the contract out to the lowest bidder, but it now turns out that by some means he succeeded in having the law changed by the last legislature—giving the secretary power of purchasing, using his discretion in regard to quality and price. So last year there were no advertisements put out for stationery, &c. So the secretary takes a trip north early in the fall and buys a large lot of stationery and blank books, amounting to between $12,000 and $15,000. I will state just here, however, that heretofore all the blank books, such as county court dockets county records, &c., were manufactured for the state in this city by Mr. John Armstrong, a large blank book manufacturer and book-binder. His work has always been satisfactory, better made and about fifteen per cent. cheaper than the same quality of northern work. This, you see, put between $3,000 and $4,000 in circulation here for home work. But Howerton having an "eye to business," I suppose, takes it all to New York. Well, everything works on very well (for Howerton) until he returns and the goods are delivered. The bills were all made out as I understand, according to agreement with Howerton, certified to by the secretary of state, seal of the state, &c., all put on in style. So far, so good, as far as the secretary is concerned. The bills were then passed over to the state auditor, who, although a radical, is as honest as the days are long, and can justly be called "Honest John." The auditor, Mr. John Rielly, a keen and shrewd man, examined the bills, thought everything charged was exorbitant, and saw at once that the state was about to be swindled; so he refused to audit the accounts and to give warrants on the state treasury for the money. He "smelt a mice," so shortly after a gentleman happened to be in his office, who knew all about the wholesale and retail prices of papers, inks, penholders, etc., and Honest John asked him the price of lead pencils, ink erasers, &c., by the gross, which the gentleman gave, thinking he would sell a small bill to the auditor. Honest John put the prices all down, so when the gentleman left he compared prices to the New York bill and found there (the retail prices) much lower than the wholesale New York (Howerton) prices. Honest John informed the governor that something was wrong about the bills, and he did not think the state ought to be robbed in that way. So the governor called a meeting of his council, consisting of the secretary of state, treasurer, auditor and superintendent of public instruction; they sent for a gentleman who knew about prices of paper, &c., showed him samples and prices. They were readily given, and to their astonishment, found to be 30 per cent. lower than the New York bills. So the council concluded to summon three disinterested parties to set the prices to all the articles named in the bills. This Howerton agreed to, of course, like the chief Belknap, and they would not pay any more than what the three parties cut them down to. After working over the bills for three or four days, the blank book bill was reduced between $600 and $900. The same books of much better work and better paper are furnished here at prices given by the parties. The stationery bill was cut down between $1,200 and $1,500. Many items in the bills were not touched by the committee for want of proper judgment as to prices, but were charged at stealing rates. They say they could have reduced them much more, and that the same goods can be furnished by houses in this city at 30 per cent. discount and money be made at it. Honest John, the auditor, says he is very sorry that the legislature did not meet here this winter, and if it had, he "would be condemned if he didn't have Howerton impeached." He says he ought to be kicked out of office. All the prominent republicans here are down on Howerton, and denounce him in bitter terms. When a radical republican gets so mean and low down as to be abused by his own party, especially a North Carolina radical and prominent one at that, he is almost too bad for the devil to fool with.

Honest John has saved the state thousands of dollars since his induction to office, and if he ever runs for another office, he will be hard to beat. N. S.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.—Opinions were filed by the justices on yesterday in the following cases:

By PEARSON, C. J.:

Gideon Perry et al. vs. Henry M. Tupper, from Wake. Report set aside and judgment reversed.

Richmond Cole vs. Carolina Central Railway Company, from Richmond. Judgment affirmed.

Hutchison & Company et al. vs. Wilson & Shober, from Guilford. Motion refused.

W. E. Adams et al. vs. James Quinn et al., from Gaston. Error.

Richard P. Spiers vs. Holsted, Harris & Company, from Halifax. Judgment affirmed.

By READE, J.

John H. Garrett and wife vs. R. H. Dabney et al., from Chowan. No error. Judgment here for plaintiff.

Thomas D. Wolfe vs. John N. Davis, administrator from Union. Reversed.

M. C. Thomas vs. Abner Kelly, from Moore. Affirmed and remanded.

A. W. Austin vs. R. F. Miller, from Caldwell. Judgment reversed.

John G. Chambers, administrator, vs. G. F. Penland, from Buncombe. Affirmed.

B. W. Spilman, et al., vs. Roanoke Navigation Company from Halifax. Affirmed.

By RODMAN, J.:

W. M. Pippen vs. Charles M. Wesson et al., from Edgecombe. Affirmed.

Webb & Rountree vs. W. M. Gay et al., from Wilson. Affirmed.

W. F. Atkinson vs. W. H. Richardson and wife, from Wayne. Affirmed.

Joseph H. Wilson et al. vs. City of Charlotte, from Mecklenburg. Judgment for defendant.

By SETTLE, J.:

R. B. Chappell and wife vs. Edward G. Butler, from Granville. Affirmed.

James M. Mullen, administrator, vs. W. E. Whitmore et al., from Halifax. Affirmed.

Samuel Beavan & Company vs. R. A. Speed, from Franklin. Action dismissed.

Vandiver Teague vs. W. S. & Moses Teague, executor, from Alexander. Error.

By BYNUM, J.

W. S. Clark vs. O. C. Farr, from Edgecombe. Affirmed.

W. P. Moore vs. North Carolina Railroad Company, from Cabarrus. Affirmed.

Hawkins & Company vs. L. M. Long, et al., from Halifax. Reversed and dismissed.

Simon W. Kittrell vs. A. B. Hawkins, from Granville. Affirmed.

T. R. Hendrick et al. vs. J. H. Mayfield, executor, from Warren. Affirmed.

NEWS AND NOTES.

The English papers like Dana's appointment.

A $1,000,000 real-estate firm failure in New York.

Cook & Cheek, of Atlanta, have wood-bined for $300,000.

C. R. Parsons, radical, elected mayor of Rochester, New York, by 2 302 majority.

The jury in the Tweed case has found a verdict for the people for $6,537,117. The next thing is to find the money.

The Turks in Bosnia are imitating Phil. Sheridan in the Virginia Valley and among the Piegan Indians.

The Western Union Telegraph company, one of the gigantic monopolies of the country, has a cash surplus of $888,347.

J. W. Kates, of Richmond, Va., has been appointed district superintendent of the Western Union telegraph in place of Dowell, deceased. Our state is in Mr. Kates' jurisdiction.

Messrs. Jeffrees, Roberts & Co., South Boston, Va., write: "Have used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and pronounce it the best medicine in use. A case of consumption here was cured by its use. We cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers."

TAR DROPS.

Oxford is buzzing with spelling-bees.

Brunswick county poorhouse has only three boarders.

A white girl recently eloped from Old Fort with a thoroughbred nigger.

Capt. Joseph McCullough, of Orange county, is a veteran of the war of 1812.

Jesse Sandlin, an Onslow county farmer, was clubbed to death last Friday night, by a nigger. Murderer arrested.

Jack Herrin's distillery, in Gaston county, has been seized by internal revenuers, with 200 gallons of Babcock-tail material on hand.

Burke county is saddened by the reflection that not a nigger wedding took place within her borders during all the month of February.

A Union county cow recently solved a problem in long division by introducing to this world of sin and beef-eaters, four calves at one litter.

One of the nigger convicts at work on the Morganton asylum got his discharge a few days ago, by some heavy timbers falling on him. Gone to meet the radical party.

Hillsboro is happy again over the respening of her lightning-shop. She can once more communicate with the outside world by some speedier process than a freight-train.

Wellington Boyd, a young nigger swell, is in the Wilmington jail for robbing the postoffice. Style must be maintained, whether by a secretary of war, a senator or a darkey "blood."

The Southern Home is authority for the statement that Mrs. Mary Austin, the wife of a Charlotte shoemaker, has been left sole heir to a $30,000 estate, the earthly awl of some kinsman who has just breathed his last, pegged out, of an ailment beyond the power of medicine to heal.

MENTAL SUCCESS.—Capacity and talent in this pushing and bustling age do not insure business success, but these, when coupled with resolute effort, untiring energy, suave manners, and thorough professional knowledge, lead to position, fame and success, for they deserve them. This is illustrated in the careeer of Dr. Jones, now at the McAdoo House, Greensboro, in this state, until March 6th. He has devoted the best years of his life to cultivating good natural abilities and thoroughly qualifying himself to battle with the worst forms of disease that assail and prostrate the human system. The result is a practice extensive, growing and lucrative. Dr. Jones' peculiar experience in the treatment of chronic diseases of every name and nature make him in every way a skilful and trustworthy physician. Dr. Jones practices at the Arlington house, Danville, Va., from the 6th to the 13th of March. At the Ballard and Exchange hotel, Richmond, Va., from the 13th of March to the 3d of April, 1876.

TRUE.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 9, 1876.

I have carefully read the letter supposed of Tom Scott to Governor Brogden, everything stated is proven by the testimony taken on oath before the Shipp commission and other evidences which I have seen or heard.

JOSIAH TURNER.

Don't be bothered with badly fitting collars but wear the Elmwood. Every one you put on fits right and looks well.

MEETING OF THE STATE DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

ROOMS OF THE DEM. CON. EX. COM.
RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 29, 1875.

At a meeting of the Central Executive Committee of the Democratic-Conservative party this day held, it was resolved that a meeting of the State Executive Committee be called to assemble in the city of Raleigh on Wednesday, the 15th day of March 1876. The object of the meeting is to decide upon the time and place of holding the State Convention of the Democratic-Conservative party and to consider such other matters as may come before the Committee.

Each member of the Committee is earnestly requested to be present.

W. R. COX, CH'M.
J. J. LITCHFORD, Sec'ty.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WOOD! WOOD!! WOOD!!! Wood Pine, $3 per cord, Oak, $3.50 per cord. Send orders to D. J. ELLIS' Store, Hillsboro street. march 6-d1m

DR. P. BABCOCK, DENTIST, HAS opened his old office over C. D. Heartt's Shoe Store where he will be glad to see his many friends requiring Dental operations, all operations carefully performed and at reduced prices. feb 21-tf.

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$3 A Perfect Sewing Machine for Light Work.
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ALL KINDS OF IMPROVED Agricultural Implements and Machinery manufactured and for sale by the SALEM AGRICULTURAL WORKS, Salem.

HORSES! HORSES! Eight good Horses for sale. Call and see them at F. C. CHRISTOPHERS & CO.'S, Wilmington street.

LATEST NEWS! SAVED HIS BACON! Having salted two hundred hogs, we are prepared to fill orders for home made bacon of all kinds at F. C. CHRISTOPHERS & CO.'S, Wilmington street, near City Scales.

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HOUSE AND LOT AT CHAPEL HILL FOR SALE.
By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Chatham county, I will sell as commissioner on Monday, 20th of March next, at the Court House door in Pittsboro, at public auction, that valuable house and lot in the town of Chapel Hill, known as the Hunt house.
Terms of sale $20.00 cash and the remainder on a credit of six months with bond and security. Title retained until purchase money is paid.
A. J. BYNUM, Com.
Feb. 5, 1876—w3w.

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We have found by several years experience in selling the above Fertilizers, as well as by actual observation, that they have no superior, if any equal among Commercial Manures. Our prices are much lower than others, not so universally popular, and that have proven unequal in results, upon sworn statements from many of our best farmers. All we ask is a fair trial with anything sold in the South. We refer to the following gentlemen of large experience, who have used our Phosphates for several years:

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JAMES A. JOHNSON, " "
D. Mc. McKAY, " "
JOHN AVERA, Johnston County.
W. H. SANDERS, " "
DAVID ADAMS, " "
JAMES PACE, Chatham County.
W. M. THOMAS, " "
R. H. WILSON, " "
ELIAS HAINES, " "
And many others who will gladly give their experience.

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