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varied learning and knowledge, so much in advance of his times, his accomplishments as a courtier, his lofty spirit, fully imbued with the tone of that departing chivalry, which would lead even to error itself as a man of honor, his high courage and daring, and his generous and noble traits in private life, Sir Walter Raleigh was, by all odds, the first man of his day in England, bright as that day was.

When the dividing line was run between Virginia and North Carolina, one of the commissioners appointed by the former State, William Byrd, in his "History of the Dividing Line," says: "The borderers hid to be sure if the line was taken in Virginia they chose much rather to belong to Carolina where they pay no tribute to God or to Caesar."

It was not ten years after this act, that the Bostoners, disguised as Indians, went on board a ship and threw overboard the tea imported in her. This latter act was done in the night time, by men in disguise, and was directed against a defenseless ship.

The same spirit continued to animate our people, and led to the uprising of the Regulators to resist the oppressive taxation and abuses of the colonial government. It was on the 16th day of May, 1771, that the battle of the Alamance was fought, in which more than three thousand men were engaged.

As the first blood of the Revolutionary contest had been shed in our State, so in it the first victory was won, in the well fought battle of Moore's Creek, on the 27th of February, 1776. Nor were the exertions of our citizens confined to their own territory.

That North Carolina declined, for nearly two years after its formation, to become a member of our present Union, is in no respect to her discredit. Having profited by her own experience, she was slow to part with the rights of absolute self-government, and finally, only adopted the Federal Constitution after important amendments had been made.

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The sixth annual fair of the North Carolina State Agricultural Society closes to-day (Friday).

We designed furnishing to our readers, in this issue, a full account of the proceedings in connection with the Fair, at the Fair grounds, Capitol, &c., but finding it impossible to crowd all we have to say, as well as Mr. Clingman's address, into one issue, we have resolved to defer till our next all but the address, which we present in full.

We need hardly in write attention to the address of Hon. T. L. Clingman. It was delivered yesterday (Thursday) and was attentively listened to by the largest audience ever seen on the Fair grounds.

STATESVILLE CELEBRATION.—The completion of the Western North-Carolina Railroad from Salisbury to Statesville, was celebrated in the latter place on Thursday last by speeches, public dinner, military parade, firing of cannon, &c.

PRIZE MONEY AND THE "ECHO."—The Washington "States" refers to the entire misapprehension of the case in the statements made in reference to the disposition of the slave "Echo," and the amount of the prize money accruing to those who were directly instrumental in her capture.

RECEPTION OF MAYOR SWANN, OF BALTIMORE.—On Wednesday last an election was held in Baltimore for Mayor and Councilmen. Mayor Swann, the American candidate, received 30,400 votes, and Shitt, the Locofoco candidate received 4,859—Swann's majority, 19,149.

BALTIMORE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.—We submit the record of a vote taken yesterday, under the authority of a municipal election. The returns from the polls are the most faithful indication of the character of the whole affair. The text and commentary are there to be seen at a glance.

THE POTENCY OF A NEWSPAPER.—The London Times, in an able article on the power of the Press, says that the potent of a newspaper lies in the fact that it is a newspaper, and not a sheet of tales and essays like the French journals. "The public Press," says the Times, "has purchased the right of expressing its opinions by the facilities which it has given every man for forming his own."

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North Carolina is also alive to the importance of education, and her system of Public Schools is in the full tide of successful experiments. The Report of her State Superintendent, shows in a nutshell what immense benefits are to be expected from her system of Public Schools. I venture the assertion, that in this respect, North Carolina is doing fully as much to elevate her people as any of her sister States.

We have heretofore neglected to notice the industry manifested at the Wachovia Mills in this place, during the past summer. For a greater portion of the season, the puffing and clanking of the engine was incessant, and the mill was in full operation day and night, and it is with no little degree of town pride that we chronicle the extensive business which has been done at this establishment.

From Washington. WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—By private advices received here from Arizona, Sept. 28th, it is ascertained that the Sonora silver mine has begun shipping silver from Huac to San Francisco at the rate of about 1,000 ounces per week.

Another of the overland mail parties, named Laing, attacked at Dragon Spring, is dead. The Convention, asking for the separate territorial organization of Arizona, has been unanimously endorsed by the Southern portion of the territory at a mass meeting held at Tucson.

HAJFAX, Oct. 20.—The steamship Europa arrived last night bringing Liverpool dates to 9th inst. The Cable demonstrations are unchanged. The London "News" hopes that when the combined improvements of Messrs. Hughes, Thompson & Henly reach Trinity Bay, they will be successful.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS, Oct. 9.—Cotton is quiet—the sales of the week amount to 46,000 bales, of which speculators took 25,000 and exporters 3,000 bales. The stock amounts of 486,000 bales, including 433,000 of American.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.—WAKE COUNTY.—In Equity.—William H. Page and others vs. the Heirs of Edw. Martin and others.—Sale of Real Estate. Pursuant to an order made at Fall Term, 1858, of the Court of Equity for the county of Wake, in the above entitled cause, the undersigned, Clerk and Master, will proceed to sell at the Court House door in the City of Raleigh, on the 18th day of November, 1858, to wit: A tract of land in the pleadings described, to wit: A tract of land containing fifty-three acres, which, during her life-time was the property of late Wm. Williams, deceased, which she conveyed to William J. Burrow and Henrietta Burrow.

NOTICE.

PURSUANCE OF A DECRETAL ORDER OF THE COURT OF EQUITY for the county of Wayne, made at the Fall Term, A. D. 1858, I shall expect to sale at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Home place, on Tuesday, the 10th day of November next, at 10 o'clock, the TWO TRACTS OF LAND, the property of the late Wm. Williams, deceased, situated in the county of Wayne, as follows: The one, called the Home place, containing three hundred acres, on Barton creek, adjoining the land of Edw. Martin and others; and the other, containing about five hundred acres, adjoining the lands of Allen King, John J. Lee and others, also on Barton's creek.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.—CHATHAM COUNTY.—Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1858.—The Heirs at Law of Stephen Moore, dec'd., vs. George Moore, Adm'r.—Petition for an account and settlement of the above-entitled cause, as non-residents of this State. This, therefore, is to notify said defendants, wherever they may be, to be and appear at the next Term of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the county of Chatham, at the Court House in Pittsboro, on the 24th day of November next, and there to plead, answer or demur to the petition filed against them in this cause; otherwise, said petition will be taken pro confesso as demur to. Witness, H. C. COTTEH, Clerk of said Court, at office, the second Monday of August, A. D. 1858. 40—w6t.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.—CHATHAM COUNTY.—Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August Term, 1858.—John W. Gunter vs. Robert G. Rives.—Attachment. It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Robert G. Rives, the defendant in this case, is a non-resident of this State or elsewhere, and that he is a party to a cause pending in this Court, it is ordered that the defendant do appear at the next Term of this Court, to be held for the county of Chatham, on the 24th day of November next, and there to plead, answer or demur to the petition filed against him in this cause; otherwise, judgment by default will be entered against him. Witness, H. C. COTTEH, Jr., Clerk of said Court, at office, at Pittsboro, the second Monday in August, A. D. 1858. 40—w6t.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.—MARTIN COUNTY.—In Equity.—A. H. Mitchell and others vs. Samuel Mitchell and William Mitchell.—Petition to sell land, filed Fall Term, 1858. To Samuel Mitchell and William Mitchell: You are hereby notified to attend at the next Term of this Court, to be held in Williamson, on the last Monday in February next, and plead, answer or demur to the petition filed against you in this cause; or the same will be heard ex parte, and judgment entered accordingly. Witness, C. B. HASSLETT, Clerk of said Court, at office, this 27th day of September, A. D. 1858. 40—w6t.

NOTICE. OBE'S health, he offers for sale that valuable property in the town of Enfield, N. C., known as WHITAKER'S. It is unnecessary to say anything in reference to its reputation. I can say that it is well patronized, and that ought to be sufficient proof of its quality. The details of the address the subscriber, at Enfield, Halifax Co., N. C. L. H. WHITAKER. 42—w44p*.

LANDS FOR SALE. STATE OF FLORIDA.—Middle River in Leon County. The undersigned has for sale the tract of land known as Curtis and Nath'l Thurston, Trustees of the times heretofore, Land Company, and others. Pursuant to a decree rendered in this cause, the subscriber will sell by public auction at the place and times herein specified, all the lands belonging to said Company embraced in "The Forbes Purchase," and lying in the counties of Leon, Wakulla, Liberty and Santa Fe; the lands lying in the first two named counties will be sold at TALLAHASSEE on the seventh (7th) day of December, and those lying in the latter two at QUINCY, on the fourteenth (14th) day of December next.

329 ACRES OF VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE. The undersigned has for sale, in the county of Wake, a tract of land situated in the town of Wake Forest, comprising 329 acres, more or less, bounded by the Wake Forest College, and the balance fine wood land. Deep River running through the middle of the farm, and two creeks running into the lake on the same, affording about 115 or 120 acres of the best bottom land in the State, as well as a state of fine cultivation, with the exception of about 15 or 18 acres of the best kind of meadow land in a very fine condition.

VALUABLE RESIDENCE FOR SALE. THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to sell his Residence at Forestville, N. C., with 100 acres of land. The cleared land is in a fine state of cultivation, with a sufficiency of wood-land for fire-wood and plantation purposes. Forestville is just one mile from Wake Forest College, immediately on the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, 15 miles from Raleigh. The neighborhood cannot be surpassed by any other in the State. It has a high and healthy location. The dwelling house is a two story building, with six rooms, a large barn, stable, crib, and all necessary out-houses. A large barn is two houses suitable for over-seeing or cropping, and containing a large quantity of corn and other crops. The land is well watered, and all the above property cheap, and on terms to suit the purchaser. For further particulars address the subscriber at Forestville, Wake county, N. C. W. H. MITCHELL. 1218—w6t.

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MASONIC CLASSIC INSTITUTE, PERSON COLO, N. C.—REV. JAMES H. BRENT, Principal, added by efficient assistants, commences his next session, Wednesday the 27th of January 1859, Board \$2 per month. Tuition from \$75 to \$200 per session. Hillsboro is the nearest point on the Central R. R.; South Boston, on the Richmond & Danville R. R. For particulars address the Principal. JAMES H. BRENT. 1218—w6t.

NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS.—A VERY ELLIOTT, physician, wishes to sell his North-Carolina residence, situated in the town of Wake Forest, on the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, 15 miles from Raleigh. The property consists of a two-story dwelling house, with six rooms, a large barn, stable, crib, and all necessary out-houses. A large barn is two houses suitable for over-seeing or cropping, and containing a large quantity of corn and other crops. The land is well watered, and all the above property cheap, and on terms to suit the purchaser. For further particulars address the subscriber at Forestville, Wake county, N. C. W. H. MITCHELL. 1218—w6t.