

THE ERA.

Official Organ of the United States.
W. M. BROWN, Manager.
RALEIGH, N. C.
THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1875.

An Election for Delegates to number One Hundred and Twenty, to amend the Constitution of the State, will be held on Thursday, the 5th of August, 1875. The Convention will meet at Raleigh, on the 6th of the following September.

The Republicans of Goldsboro have elected their entire city ticket by twenty-five majority.

There are hundreds of poor Democrats in North Carolina who are in the enjoyment of a home furnished them at the hands of the Republican party. Had it not been for the Homestead provision of our present Constitution, their wives and children would now be homeless. Will such men be longer governed by passion and prejudice? Let them reflect. Passion, prejudice and hate will avail you nothing, and the leaders of Democracy will desert you when the sheriff's execution is made operative. Take warning, poor men of all parties, and vote for the only party that has exhibited any interest in your welfare.

Democratic lawyers, many of whom are looking to judgeships under the Convention movement, declare that the Homestead provision of the present Constitution does not apply to old debts. They have denounced the decision of our Republican Supreme Court as a partisan one. If the election of Supreme Court Judges should be taken from the people and transferred to the Legislature, the Supreme Court will be composed of Democratic judges and they will decide that the poor man's Homestead is liable for debts contracted during the war. As the Constitution now stands the poor men of North Carolina can live in ease and comfort, educate their families and leave them a home. Will you put your dearest rights in jeopardy by inaction? This question is to be decided in August next, and is a vital one to thousands.

How the nabobs do itch to again have the power of inflicting the lash upon poor white and colored citizens! It would so remind them of the old days of slavery to hear the groans and witness the writhings of poor wretches under the sheriff's scourge. They would be willing to pay the cost of a Convention for this one privilege rather than miss having it. Let the people remember that they refused to have the Convention act restricted in this particular.

Dr. Wheeler, the member of the Legislature from Forsyth, put them to the test on this subject. That gentleman offered an amendment to the restrictions incorporated in the act, to the effect that the Convention should pass no law establishing a whipping-post. The Democrats voted it down unanimously. Keep this before the people. Ring it on every stump. Charge it upon them on all occasions. One of the main reasons why the Democracy wanted a Convention was to take revenge upon the poor white and colored people, and one of the main instruments of this revenge was to be the whipping-post.

Count the Cost.

At five dollars per diem, for each member, clerks, &c., the Convention will cost the poor people of the State of North Carolina between seven and eight hundred dollars each day of its session. If the Democrats should unfortunately succeed in obtaining a majority the body will be in session probably several months, and will be followed by a session of the Legislature which will doubtless drain the treasury of every available dollar. All of this vast expense is to be placed upon the people for the purpose of creating new offices for a few aristocrats, and for the purpose of depriving the poor people of the rights now enjoyed by them. It is one of the main objects of the Republicans to avoid this vast expense and relieve the people of the amount of taxation necessary to meet it. Remember that the Democratic Convention of 1861 entailed upon us and our children the heavy debt under which we now groan. Democracy is no better, and we believe, worse than in 1861. The action of the late Legislature is enough to convince poor men of all parties that their only refuge is in the ranks of Republicanism.

We call upon the bone and sinew of North Carolina to be no longer deceived and made tools of by designing men. We are confident that serious reflection will convince thousands who have listened heretofore to the teachings of prejudice and hate to espouse the cause of truth, justice, equality and consequent good government. Every man has a way to perform to himself and family. Ponder well and decide which path you will take.

Economy as is Economy.

The "Ku Klux boys" who spent the late winter in Raleigh, under the firm and style of the "General Assembly of North Carolina," were clamorous for "economy." That magic word was painted on their midnight masks, worked in blood-red thread on their ghastly gowns, and hung out on streamers attached to their horrid horns.

They arose each morning from economical beds, washed their faces in economical bowls with economical soap, combed their hair with economical combs, brushed their economical heads with economical brushes, took each an economical drink of economical whiskey, and after eating an economical breakfast at an economical boarding-house, sat down at economical tables to prepare economical speeches on economical bills. They talked economical talks, they spoke economical speeches, they ate economical peanuts, and were all and singular an economical set.

A very large majority of the people of North Carolina are engaged in agriculture and the mechanic arts, and the State has been encouraging those engaged in these pursuits by appropriating fifteen hundred dollars per year to enable them to hold a creditable State Fair, but it was with great difficulty that these economists were persuaded from taking away this appropriation from our farmers and mechanics, on the score of economy.

Our farmers are also largely interested in having their soils analyzed, and those of our citizens who own mines of coal, iron, copper, gold, &c., in having their ores tested. To this end the State many years ago engaged the services of a skilled geologist and chemist. The economists of the late General Assembly made herculean efforts to abolish this office, and thus deprive our citizens of this valuable officer, on the score of economy.

The maimed and disabled soldiers of the late Confederate army from North Carolina asked that they might be supplied with an artificial leg or arm at the expense of the State, in order, in many cases, to prevent their being thrown on the charity of the public, but these economists were so busy drawing their five dollars per day, and were so intent on staying at Raleigh till each member got his five hundred dollars, exclusive of mileage, which in some cases amounted to near two hundred dollars, from the State Treasury, that the appeal of these disabled men was disregarded, on the score of economy.

A bill was passed to take up the old State bonds and give the holders forty cents in the dollar, payable in new bonds, provided the holders would not charge anything for the interest already due on the old bonds. It is thought there is not a sane man, woman or child in Europe, Asia, Africa or America who would for three minutes consider the proposition, but these economists were so anxious to publish their felicity to the world that the Secretary of State was ordered to publish the act for three months in the New York Journal of Commerce and in the London Times. These economists would not patronize any of our home papers, but had the act published in a Yankee paper and in a British paper. There are many of our home papers which would have published the act for fifty or one hundred dollars. But the Yankee paper charged twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars and the British paper charged only FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, less fifteen.

So the amount paid by this economical Legislature for publishing one silly bill was over SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS!

These are the economists who called the State Convention.

The conduct of the Democratic judges in the late municipal election in this city, for the Fifth Ward, cannot be characterized in any other manner than infamous. It was suggested by the Republican minority that a consultation be had by the registrar and judges of that ward for the purpose of agreeing upon a line of conduct for election day. The three Democratic members consented to the meeting but failed to attend. They met by agreement to themselves, and agreed to so judge the majority to the Democratic candidates. They overrode every precedent of law, and were guilty of the most outrageous frauds upon the rights of voters. Over fifty Republican voters were denied the right to vote, in that ward, upon the most flimsy objections—objections that no judge or court of justice would dare hold to be right or just. In fact, the registrar and the Democratic judges were simply automatons who submissively voted to reject Republicans at the dictation of a malignant challenger, appointed for the purpose, who stood inside the voting-place all day, and by every means sought to brow-beat and repel honest voters. The ward was thoroughly canvassed by the hirelings of the ring; they knew precisely how many votes it was necessary to reject in order to elect their candidates, and their intentions were so patent from the start, that every one present at the polls early became satisfied that the whole affair was cut and dried before the Democratic poll-holders met at the voting-place. The election was a complete farce and palpable fraud.

A Short Indictment.

In 1861 the Democrats plunged the country into civil war without submitting the question to the people, against an express understanding to the contrary at the time of the election for delegates to the Convention.

They forced a flood of money upon the people, and afterwards repudiated the same.

They squandered the Sinking Fund of the State which had been placed in their hands as a sacred trust.

They invested the entire school fund of the State in worthless Confederate bonds, and thus defrauded poor men's children out of the means of education.

They promised the poor men, that if they would enlist for twelve months they would, at the expiration of their terms, be allowed to return home, but instead of complying with their promise, they had them conscripted and left their wives and children to suffer.

The poor men of North Carolina were hunted down by Democratic tyrants with bloodhounds, and forced to fight against their will.

The latest and crowning act of Democratic meanness consists in the refusal of the late Legislature to furnish artificial limbs or commutation to the poor unfortunate men who were forced to fight the slaveholders' battles.

After all this, the voters of the State are asked to again trust in Democratic promises. Rely upon it, that unless Republicans shall control the coming Convention the days of popular rule are over in North Carolina.

"There is a tide in the affairs of men which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune." Now is the time for the free people of our good old State to establish upon a firm and lasting basis the privileges enjoyed by virtue of the Republican party. Let good and true Republicans be brought out in every county and let all men who desire to retain their rights put their shoulders to the wheel. The chances now lost may never be recovered.

It is customary, at elections regularly held, to have two inspectors of each of the political parties: not so the late apology in the Fifth Ward. To the record. On the 25th day of April, 1874, Joseph A. Harris, a Democratic (?) judge of election, wrote a communication for the Era, in which he said he had theretofore voted the Conservative-Democratic ticket "more from prejudice than anything else;" approved the nomination of Mr. Purnell; characterized Col. Pool, a Democrat, as "an enemy to the working-class;" fully approved the nomination of Mr. Holden, an unmistakable Republican; pronounced as "good" the nominations of Gorman, O'Neill and Jones—yes, colored Mr. James Jones; and, after saying that he felt it his duty in future to "take sides with the Republican party," wound up by lauding the Republican as the "party that is always advancing in new ideas and doing away with old broken down men and things."

R. W. Best, the other Democratic (?) judge, afflicted with cacophonous scribbled, wrote an article for the above-named journal, in which he charged the Democratic party with "inconsistency, ingratitude and favoritism;" applied to that party the contemptuous adjective "so-called;" alluded to the slighting of himself and a younger gentleman by the Democracy, because they were not "favorites;" and, asking why it is thus? answered in these words: "We tell you [new recruits to the Democracy] and those contemplating leaving the PARTY OF GREAT PRINCIPLES [the Republican party] that it is inconsistency, ingratitude, and favoritism."

The Disabled Soldiers.

The Democrats profess to have great regard for those who fought the battles of the Confederacy. We well remember how the poor men of the State were brought to go to the front and fight against the flag of the Union, and the promises that were made that their wives and little ones would be cared for. How such promises were kept many a poor woman can sadly testify.

What is more characteristic of Democratic meanness than the fact that the late Legislature neglected to furnish artificial limbs or commutation to the hundreds of poor ex-Confederate soldiers now crippled for life? Thousands of dollars were spent in passing bills to abridge the political rights of poor white and colored citizens, but when this act of humanity came up for consideration it failed to pass. What think you of such treatment, ye men who risked your lives to save the property of nabobs from destruction? Are you willing to trust such men further? If these men refuse even this poor boon, is it reasonable that they will hesitate to deprive you of your Homesteads if they should have a majority in the coming Convention? We think the disabled ex-Confederate soldiers of North Carolina should assemble and denounce such ingratitude. Such treatment is worthy only of savages, and finds no precedent in any civilized government we read of. Let the poor wounded soldiers of the Confederacy take warning and vote in the future with the party of justice and humanity.

The new Democratic board of Aldermen exhibited a remarkable promptitude to assume charge of the city government. They met at the Court House at five o'clock, A. M., on Tuesday, and elected J. H. Separk, Mayor. Major Basil Manly was an aspirant, but was wire-worked and beaten, and there has been much weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth among the Democratic aristocracy at the result. The triumph of a poor man and mechanic over a scion of the house of Manly considerably disgruntled them. But oil was poured over their wounds at a subsequent meeting. Major Manly was elected Chief of Police. How have the mighty fallen! However infamous the manner of their election, it is refreshing to know that for once the assumed "governing class" have met with an ignominious defeat in the election of Separk as Mayor.

CORRESPONDENCE.

It must not be understood that THE ERA endorses the sentiments of its correspondents in every instance. Its columns are open to the friends of the party, and their communications will be given to the public as containing the views and sentiments of the writers.

A Good Appointment.

To the Editor of the Era:

Mr. E. E. Harris, the father of one of the Democratic poll-holders of the Fifth Ward, has been selected by the Democratic Aldermen as Janitor of the Market Building. Among other duties of the said Janitor, it is the cleansing of spittoons, the emptying of slops, building fires, furnishing water for the Mayor's office, and in fact the general duties of a menial. This is, beyond question, a No. 1 appointment. The son assisted in the dirty work of the election, and now the father is selected to do the dirty work for the elected. They are truly "chewers of wood and drawers of water" for their Democratic masters.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE UNITED STATES MARSHAL.

Eastern District of North Carolina.
RALEIGH, May 3d, 1875.

BY VIRTUE OF EXECUTION DEEDS issued to me directed, issued from the United States Circuit Court in the case United States vs. Lovelace Puryear and Stewart Ellison, I will sell the following property at the Court-house door, in Wake county, on Saturday, the 5th day of June, 1875. Terms, CASH: one house and lot situated in the Eastern Ward, in the City of Raleigh, which is subject to a mortgage of \$1000. All the right, title and interest of Stewart Ellison in said lot.

J. B. HILL,
United States Marshal,
May 6th, 1875.

N. C. STATE PENITENTIARY.

PROPOSALS FOR CONVICT LABOR.

In accordance with the law passed by the last General Assembly, entitled "An act to authorize the hire of convict labor, in or outside the State prison," the Board of Directors offer for hire the labor of

Three Hundred and Twenty-Five convicts, within the Penitentiary enclosure, for terms varying from 5 to 10 years.

Sealed Proposals addressed to the Steward of the Penitentiary, will be received up to 12 o'clock, M., Wednesday, the 19th day of May, 1875.

Bidders will designate the article or class of articles they expect to manufacture, how many convicts they wish to employ on each class of articles, how much they will pay for the labor of each convict per day for different periods of time with or without the exclusive right to manufacture the articles specified, and state the number of square feet of shop-room and yard-room which will be required.

Each bid must be accompanied by a bond with sureties, that the bidder will comply with the terms of his bid, if it is accepted.

The Board reserves the right of rejecting any or all bids if they are for less than a fair and reasonable price for the labor and for

Furnish of Proposals and blank bonds will be furnished by the Steward.

JACOB S. ALLEN, President.
Raleigh, N. C., April 16, 1875. 45-46

LARGE VARIETY OF FANCY GOODS, TOYS, &c., at BROWN'S.

Raleigh, April 7, 1875.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MATTRESSES, BROOMS, CHAIRS!

THE BRANCHES OF MATTRESSES, Brooms, and Chairs, are being made up for the North Carolina Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind, and management give notice that they are prepared to make to order.

Mattresses

Of the very best material and workmanship, and at low prices.
A large lot of excellent

Brooms

kept on hand, which will be sold cheap.
New chairs, settees, &c., cane-seated and old ones re-seated in a style not to be surpassed by any establishment in the country.
Dumb Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, 215 North Third St., Raleigh, N. C., April 29, 1875. 45-50a.

FREE SAMPLE TO AGENTS.

Lab-dies' combination needle-book, with Chromos, Send stamp, F. P. GLUCK, New Bedford, Mass. 4w.

MONEY

Importers selling TEAS at WHOLESALE PRICES, getting up clubs in towns and country for the oldest Tea Company in America. Great inducements. Send for circular.

CANTON TEA CO., 143 Chambers St., N. Y. 4w

SHOT-GUNS, RIFLES, PISTOLS, REVOLVERS.

Of any and every kind. Send stamp for catalogue. Great variety of English Gun and Pistol Works, Pittsburgh, Pa. 4w

For Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and all Throat Diseases, USE WELLS' CARBOLIC TABLETS. Put up only in BLUE boxes. A TRIED & SURE REMEDY. For sale by Druggists generally, and WM. F. KIDDER & CO., New York.

HAVE YOU TRIED JURUBEBA.

Weak, Nervous or Debilitated? Are you so languid that any exertion requires more of an effort than you feel capable of? Do you try Jurubeba, the wonderful tonic and invigorator, which acts so beneficially on the sensitive organs as to impart vigor to all the vital forces.

It is the best vegetable food, which stimulates for a short time, only to let the sufferer fall to a lower depth of misery, but it is a vegetable tonic acting directly on the liver and spleen.

It regulates the bowels, quiets the nerves, and gives such a healthy tone to the whole system as to soon make the invalid feel like a new person.

Its operation is not violent, but is characterized by great gentleness; the patient experiences no sudden change, no marked results, but gradually his troubles

"Fold their tents, like the Arabs, And silently steal away."

This is no new and untried discovery, but has been long used with wonderful remedial results, and is pronounced by the highest medical authorities, "the most powerful tonic and alterative known."

Ask your druggist for it. For sale by Wm. F. Kidder & Co., New York. 45-4w

Read Every Word TO MAKE ENOUGH MONEY

In the next three months to keep you a week's pay over and over, between the ages of 16 and 60, take an agency for THE ILLUSTRATED WEEKLY, a large, sparkling, literary and family paper, (\$2.50 a year) pure, instructive, and interesting in its contents, full of beautiful pictures, the other half containing the choicest reading matter. James Parton contributing editor. Like that great English paper, the London Illustrated Weekly, is entirely non-political. During a year it furnishes over 1,100 pictures, and the equal of 9 large volumes of reading matter. IT GIVES AWAY, extra each week, a large engraving, (52 in a year), size, 17x 24 inches. These are exquisite facsimiles of the finest steel engravings, on heavy tinted paper, and are available for framing, and are truly a fine art gallery every year. Besides, each subscriber is presented with the chromo, "Gold Fish, Fruits and Flowers," size 22x28 feet, in 27 oil colors, painted by Ramsey. Not only the largest and finest chromo ever given, but the most wonderfully beautiful chromo ever produced. It is just the paper for which everybody has been waiting, larger and finer than any other, at half the usual cost. Its success (nearly 1000 subscribers a day being received) proves its complete, so progressive, so full of useful as well as of amusing matter is this paper, that we venture to assert that to every thinking, observant American, a year's subscription (costs \$2.50 in advance) will be worth fifty dollars. AGENTS.—This combination is unequalled. It is an instantaneous and pronounced success. Every good American takes at least one paper, of course. He takes this paper because (1) it is the nicest, newest and best; (2) it is the cheapest—giving a great bargain—and thus suits the hard times. It sells itself. Be quick, if you want an agency. This time of the year any agent can make from \$10 to \$20 per day. Send three stamps for specimens and liberal terms, with reports from agents, subscribers, and press notices; or, better yet, to save time, send \$2.50 at once for a complete outfit, and make \$100 while you would otherwise be waiting. You are sure to take hold anyhow. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfied, or if the territory you want is already occupied. Address all orders for specimens, subscriptions, or outfits to T. E. MOORE, Publisher, "The Illustrated Weekly," P. O. Box 5150, No. 11 Day St., New York.

FOUTZ'S HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS.

Will cure or prevent Disease. 41-ly
April 1, 1875.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE CIGARETTES.

Prices suitable to the times. NAT. L. BROWN & CO. Raleigh, April 7, 1875. 6-1u

SCHEDULES.

Piedmont Air-Line Railway.

Richmond & Danville, Richmond & Danville R. W., N. C. Division, and North Western N. C. R. W.

CONDENSED TIME-TABLE, in effect on and after Tuesday, April 27, 1875.

GOING NORTH.	
Stations.	Mail. Express.
Leave Charlotte, 9.24 p. m.	8.20 a. m.
" Raleigh, 10.35 " "	9.30 " "
" Salisbury, 11.48 a. m.	10.52 " "
" Greensboro, 2.20 a. m.	1.35 p. m.
" Danville, 5.44 " "	4.05 " "
" Dundee, 5.54 " "	4.15 " "
" Burkeville, 6.11 " "	4.32 " "
Ar. at Richmond, 2.23 p. m.	11.17 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations.	Mail. Express.
Leave Richmond, 1.38 p. m.	5.08 a. m.
" Burkeville, 4.32 " "	8.35 " "
" Dundee, 5.35 " "	1.17 p. m.
" Danville, 10.39 " "	1.21 " "
" Greensboro, 2.00 a. m.	4.23 " "
" Salisbury, 3.74 " "	6.45 " "
" Air-Line Jn., 7.05 " "	7.52 p. m.
Ar. at Charlotte, 7.13 a. m.	8.47 " "

FREE SAMPLE TO AGENTS.

Lab-dies' combination needle-book, with Chromos, Send stamp, F. P. GLUCK, New Bedford, Mass. 4w.

MONEY

Importers selling TEAS at WHOLESALE PRICES, getting up clubs in towns and country for the oldest Tea Company in America. Great inducements. Send for circular.

CANTON TEA CO., 143 Chambers St., N. Y. 4w

SHOT-GUNS, RIFLES, PISTOLS, REVOLVERS.

Of any and every kind. Send stamp for catalogue. Great variety of English Gun and Pistol Works, Pittsburgh, Pa. 4w

For Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and all Throat Diseases, USE WELLS' CARBOLIC TABLETS. Put up only in BLUE boxes. A TRIED & SURE REMEDY. For sale by Druggists generally, and WM. F. KIDDER & CO., New York.

HAVE YOU TRIED JURUBEBA.

Weak, Nervous or Debilitated? Are you so languid that any exertion requires more of an effort than you feel capable of? Do you try Jurubeba, the wonderful tonic and invigorator, which acts so beneficially on the sensitive organs as to impart vigor to all the vital forces.

It is the best vegetable food, which stimulates for a short time, only to let the sufferer fall to a lower depth of misery, but it is a vegetable tonic acting directly on the liver and spleen.

It regulates the bowels, quiets the nerves, and gives such a healthy tone to the whole system as to soon make the invalid feel like a new person.

Its operation is not violent, but is characterized by great gentleness; the patient experiences no sudden change, no marked results, but gradually his troubles

"Fold their tents, like the Arabs, And silently steal away."

This is no new and untried discovery, but has been long used with wonderful remedial results, and is pronounced by the highest medical authorities, "the most powerful tonic and alterative known."

Ask your druggist for it. For sale by Wm. F. Kidder & Co., New York. 45-4w

Read Every Word TO MAKE ENOUGH MONEY

In the next three months to keep you a week's pay over and over, between the ages of 16 and 60, take an agency for THE ILLUSTRATED WEEKLY, a large, sparkling, literary and family paper, (\$2.50 a year) pure, instructive, and interesting in its contents, full of beautiful pictures, the other half containing the choicest reading matter. James Parton contributing editor. Like that great English paper, the London Illustrated Weekly, is entirely non-political. During a year it furnishes over 1,100 pictures, and the equal of 9 large volumes of reading matter. IT GIVES AWAY, extra each week, a large engraving, (52 in a year), size, 17x 24 inches. These are exquisite facsimiles of the finest steel engravings, on heavy tinted paper, and are available for framing, and are truly a fine art gallery every year. Besides, each subscriber is presented with the chromo, "Gold Fish, Fruits and Flowers," size 22x28 feet, in 27 oil colors, painted by Ramsey. Not only the largest and finest chromo ever given, but the most wonderfully beautiful chromo ever produced. It is just the paper for which everybody has been waiting, larger and finer than any other, at half the usual cost. Its success (nearly 1000 subscribers a day being received) proves its complete, so progressive, so full of useful as well as of amusing matter is this paper, that we venture to assert that to every thinking, observant American, a year's subscription (costs \$2.50 in advance) will be worth fifty dollars. AGENTS.—This combination is unequalled. It is an instantaneous and pronounced success. Every good American takes at least one paper, of course. He takes this paper because (1) it is the nicest, newest and best; (2) it is the cheapest—giving a great bargain—and thus suits the hard times. It sells itself. Be quick, if you want an agency. This time of the year any agent can make from \$10 to \$20 per day. Send three stamps for specimens and liberal terms, with reports from agents, subscribers, and press notices; or, better yet, to save time, send \$2.50 at once for a complete outfit, and make \$100 while you would otherwise be waiting. You are sure to take hold anyhow. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfied, or if the territory you want is already occupied. Address all orders for specimens, subscriptions, or outfits to T. E. MOORE, Publisher, "The Illustrated Weekly," P. O. Box 5150, No. 11 Day St., New York.

FOUTZ'S HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS.

Will cure or prevent Disease. 41-ly
April 1, 1875.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE CIGARETTES.

Prices suitable to the times. NAT. L. BROWN & CO. Raleigh, April 7, 1875. 6-1u

SCHEDULES.

Piedmont Air-Line Railway.

Richmond & Danville, Richmond & Danville R. W., N. C. Division, and North Western N. C. R. W.

CONDENSED TIME-TABLE, in effect on and after Tuesday, April 27, 1875.

GOING NORTH.	
Stations.	Mail. Express.
Leave Charlotte, 9.24 p. m.	8.20 a. m.
" Raleigh, 10.35 " "	9.30 " "
" Salisbury, 11.48 a. m.	10.52 " "
" Greensboro, 2.20 a. m.	1.35 p. m.
" Danville, 5.44 " "	4.05 " "
" Dundee, 5.54 " "	4.15 " "
" Burkeville, 6.11 " "	4.32 " "
Ar. at Richmond, 2.23 p. m.	11.17 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations.	Mail. Express.
Leave Richmond, 1.38 p. m.	5.08 a. m.
" Burkeville, 4.32 " "	8.35 " "
" Dundee, 5.35 " "	1.17 p. m.
" Danville, 10.39 " "	1.21 " "
" Greensboro, 2.00 a. m.	4.23 " "
" Salisbury, 3.74 " "	6.45 " "
" Air-Line Jn., 7.05 " "	7.52 p. m.
Ar. at Charlotte, 7.13 a. m.	8.47 " "

FREE SAMPLE TO AGENTS.

Lab-dies' combination needle-book, with Chromos, Send stamp, F. P. GLUCK, New Bedford, Mass. 4w.

MONEY

Importers selling TEAS at WHOLESALE PRICES, getting up clubs in towns and country for the oldest Tea Company in America. Great inducements. Send for circular.

CANTON TEA CO., 143 Chambers St., N. Y. 4w

SHOT-GUNS, RIFLES, PISTOLS, REVOLVERS.

Of any and every kind. Send stamp for catalogue. Great variety of English Gun and Pistol Works, Pittsburgh, Pa. 4w

For Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and all Throat Diseases, USE WELLS' CARBOLIC TABLETS. Put up only in BLUE boxes. A TRIED & SURE REMEDY. For sale by Druggists generally, and WM. F. KIDDER & CO., New York.

HAVE YOU TRIED JURUBEBA.

Weak, Nervous or Debilitated? Are you so languid that any exertion requires more of an effort than you feel capable of? Do you try Jurubeba, the wonderful tonic and invigorator, which acts so beneficially on the sensitive organs as to impart vigor to all the vital forces.

It is the best vegetable food, which stimulates for a short time, only to let the sufferer fall to a lower depth of misery, but it is a vegetable tonic acting directly on the liver and spleen.

It regulates the bowels, quiets the nerves, and gives such a healthy tone to the whole system as to soon make the invalid feel like a new person.

Its operation is not violent, but is characterized by great gentleness; the patient experiences no sudden change, no marked results, but gradually his troubles

"Fold their tents, like the Arabs, And silently steal away."

This is no new and untried discovery, but has been long used with wonderful remedial results, and is pronounced by the highest medical authorities, "the most powerful tonic and alterative known."

Ask your druggist for it. For sale by Wm. F. Kidder & Co., New York. 45-4w

Read Every Word TO MAKE ENOUGH MONEY

In the next three months to keep you a week's pay over and over, between the ages of 16 and 60, take an agency for THE ILLUSTRATED WEEKLY, a large, sparkling, literary and family paper, (\$2.50 a year) pure, instructive, and interesting in its contents, full of beautiful pictures, the other half containing the choicest reading matter. James Parton contributing editor. Like that great English paper, the London Illustrated Weekly, is entirely non-political. During a year it furnishes over 1,100 pictures, and the equal of 9 large volumes of reading matter. IT GIVES AWAY, extra each week, a large engraving, (52 in a year), size, 17x 24 inches. These are exquisite facsimiles of the finest steel engravings, on heavy tinted paper, and are available for framing, and are truly a fine art gallery every year. Besides, each subscriber is presented with the chromo, "Gold Fish, Fruits and Flowers," size 22x28 feet, in 27 oil colors, painted by Ramsey. Not only the largest and finest chromo ever given, but the most wonderfully beautiful chromo ever produced. It is just the paper for which everybody has been waiting, larger and finer than any other, at half the usual cost. Its success (nearly 1000 subscribers a day being received) proves its complete, so progressive, so full of useful as well as of amusing matter is this paper, that we venture to assert that to every thinking, observant American, a year's subscription (costs \$2.50 in advance) will be worth fifty dollars. AGENTS.—This combination is unequalled. It is an instantaneous and pronounced success. Every good American takes at least one paper, of course. He takes this paper because (1) it is the nicest, newest and best; (2) it is the cheapest—giving a great bargain—and thus suits the hard times. It sells itself. Be quick, if you want an agency. This time of the year any agent can make from \$10 to \$20 per day. Send three stamps for specimens and liberal terms, with reports from agents, subscribers, and press notices; or, better yet, to save time, send \$2.50 at once for a complete outfit, and make \$100 while you would otherwise be waiting. You are sure to take hold anyhow. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfied, or if the territory you want is already occupied. Address all orders for specimens, subscriptions, or outfits to T. E. MOORE, Publisher, "The Illustrated Weekly," P. O. Box 5150, No. 11 Day St., New York.

FOUTZ'S HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS.

Will cure or prevent Disease. 41-ly
April 1, 1875.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE CIGARETTES.

Prices suitable to the times. NAT. L. BROWN & CO. Raleigh, April 7, 1875. 6-1u

MISCELLANEOUS.

IMPORTANT.

CUSTOMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST.

A. CREECH

IS THE MAN WHO HAS NO PART IN THE BUSINESS TO divide profits with those being the case he can, will and does sell Goods at

Astonishingly Low Prices.

Spring and Summer opening of New Goods at CREECH'S you will find a Splendid Stock of

Dress Goods.

Black Gros-Grain and Fancy Stripes, Japanese Silks, Japanese Stripes, and Colored Poplins, New and Handsome Shades, from Greensboro, Black and Colored Alpaca, pure Mohair, Linen and Victoria Laces, Percales, Piques, and Other Styles of

DRESS GOODS.

Which will be sold at such low prices that cannot fail to give entire satisfaction.

Just received at A. CREECH'S Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Cashmere, French, Tweeds, Cottonades and Linen Goods for men's and boys' wear, making the Largest Stock in the City.

A. CREECH is the man that has just received One Hundred Cases of Men's, Ladies', Misses' Boys' and Children's Shoes, which he is selling at prices which must command the attention of Buyers.

Step in at

Creech's Marble Hall.

where you will find Silk, Cassimeres, Felt and Straw Hats, which will fit you or anybody else in size, price, style and quality.

Raleigh, April 22d, 1875. 41-42

AN ACT TO ASCERTAIN THE INDEBTEDNESS OF THE SEVERAL COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS OF THIS STATE, AND TO PRESCRIBE A STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS.

SECTION 1. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That all claims against the several counties, cities and towns of this State, whether by bond or otherwise, shall be presented to the Chairman of the Boards of County Commissioners, or to the chief officers of said cities and towns, as the case may be, within two years after the maturity of such claim or claims, or the date of such claim or claims shall be forever barred from a recovery thereof; provided, That claims which have already matured, and become due, shall be presented on or before the first day of January, A. D. 1877, or the holders thereof shall be forever barred of a recovery hereof.

Sec. 2. That it shall be the duty of the Chairman of the Boards of County Commissioners of the several counties, or the chief officers of the several cities and towns, to cause the nature, amount, date, and time of maturity of all claims so presented to be recorded in the books to be kept for that purpose and to be called "The Registry of Claims."

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to publish the act for five consecutive weeks, in the Daily News, Era, and Sentinel newspapers, published in the city of Raleigh; the Journal of Commerce, published in the city of Newberry; the Daily Journal, published in the city of Wilmington; the Charlotte Observer, published in the city of Charlotte; the Greensboro Patriot, published in the city of Greensboro; the Asheville Citizen, published in the city of Asheville; the North Carolina Gazette, published in Fayetteville.

Sec. 4. This act shall not apply to any county whose debts are already audited and ascertained.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its ratification.

In General Assembly, read three times and ratified the 22d day of March, A. D. 1875.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Office Secretary of State,
Raleigh, March 26th, 1875.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original act on file in this office.

(SEAL.) W. H. HOWERTON,
Secretary of State. 41-42

WHITELOCK'S VEGETABLE SUPERIOR TO ANY FERTILIZER MADE IN THE UNITED STATES, FOR COTTON, CORN, TOBACCO.

For sale by J. McLAUGHLIN & SON, Charlotte, N. C.

WELL & BROS., Goldsboro, N. C.
H. M. HOOVER, Norfolk, N. C.
MURRAY & CO., Wilmington, N. C.
WILLIAMSON, UPHURCH & CO., THOMAS, Raleigh, N. C.
W. L. McGUIRE, Franklinton, N. C.
TIMBERLAKE & EAVES, Pacific, N. C.

BRANCH & CO., Wilson, N. C.
M. A. ANGLER, Durham, N. C.
March 18th, 1875. 39-20

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of the Bank of North Carolina—Bankrupt.

This is to give notice that a general meeting of the creditors of the Bank of North Carolina, Bankrupt, will be held in the Raleigh National Bank Building, in the city of Raleigh, and State of North Carolina, before A. W. Shaffer, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on Wednesday, the 7th day of June, 1875, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose mentioned in the 27th and 28th sections of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867, to set a limit to further proofs, and make disposition of the bills of the bankrupt corporation filed with proofs of debt.

By order of the Court,
A. W. SHAFFER,
45-3w. Register in Bankruptcy.

FOR SALE.

A House and Lot in the Eastern Ward, containing four rooms and kitchen, with one-fourth acre of ground attached, on Newbern Avenue, will be sold on reasonable terms. Any person desiring to purchase will apply at this office. 41-4-3.

CONSTANT EMPLOYMENT.

At Home, male or female, \$30 a week warranted. No capital required, particulars and valuable samples sent attached, on Newbern Avenue, will be sold on reasonable terms.