

Three thousand of our troops, fought the aboli-tionists yesterday, at Kinston, from 8 to 1 o'clock, driving them once entirely frem their position.-Not more than three thousand of our men were engaged. About one o'clock, Gen. Evans retired engaged. About one o'clock, Gen. Evans retired across Neuse bridge, and the vandals occupied the town. Pending the engagement, the yankees shelled the town furiously, killing several citizens. I was present and saw it. Several houses were destroyed. No estimate of loss on either side. Gov. Vance is here and is doing his full daty. Gen. Foster sent a flag of trace to Gen. Evans, demanding unconditional surrender. "Tell Him

demanding was the significant reply. (SECOND DISPATCH.) GOLDSBOBO', Dec. 15.

All quiet below. The fighting iyesterday was terrific, and the abolitionists seem satified to enjoy their holiday. Their depredations on citizens are the same as in other sections.

(THIRD DISPATCH: GOLDSBORO', Dec. 15.

Report of artillery is heard in the direction of

the lines since last dispatch. From the Richmond Enquirer of Monday.

THE FIGHTING IN FRONT OF FREDE RICKSBURG_DISPATCH FROM GEN LEE.

From an officer who came down in the train last evening, we learn the following :

The fighting of Saturday was chiefly by Longstreet's corps; a part of Jackson's corps being in reserve at Hamilton's Crossing. A. P. Hill's division was of the part which was in the battle. At the time General T. R. R. Cobb was slain,

his Legion was holding in check fifteen thousand of the enemy. The remains of the gallant and distinguished gentleman were brought to Richmond on yesterday evening's train.

Our loss in the battle of Saturday is variously stated at from six hundred to one thousand in killed and wounded. The slaughter of the enemy was very great-vastly exceeding ours. Our artillery was admirably served, and was very effective.-It suffered considerably.

General Gregg of South Carolina, was very severely and it was believed mortally wounded. He

Was shot through the body. General Pender was slightly wounded in the héad or arm. We understood he reported for du ty again on yesterday. Our informant heard of noother general officer

who was injured. There were several unfounded reports here yesterday-one of which stated that NORTH CABOLINA LEGISLATURE.

SEXATE Friday, Dec. 12. A message was received from the House proposing the raising of a joint Committee to exquire why not more than one-half the soldiers have been paid the bounty authorized by an Ordinance of the Convention, and empowering them to send for persons and pa-

Sundry reports were received from Standing

The Select Committee on adjournment reported

ecommitted. The Select Committee on the threatened seizure of iron belonging to the Wilmington and Ruth-erford Ballroad by the Confederate Government, reported a resolution that the Confederate Govaroment had no right to seize said iron, and protesting egainst such action by that government. Mr. Wiggins introduced on its first reading "The Revenue bill," which was read and made the order of the day for Monday next and for each day thereafter until it be disposed of.

The bill concerning insane persons passed its third reading. The hour for the order of the day, the bill to

alse a force of State reserves, having arrived, Mr. Matthews withdrew the amendment he offered yesterday and offered as an amendment the minority report of the committee appointed

on the subject. Mr. Copeland moved to amend by excepting from the persons to be called out those liable to be called into the Confederate service by virtue of the Conscript act.

He introduced the amendment because the bill without some such modification would, in his ominion, conflict with the law of the Confederate Government. It was no time to decide upon the constitutionality of the Conscript act. With Gov. Vance he thought that the law had been

the salvation of the country. The further consideration of the bill was post-

poned until Monday next. Pending its consideration, two elections for Judge of the 7th District was held, but the result

of the last had not been announced when the Senate adjourged. An election for Solicitor was also held for the same circuit, resulting in the election of Wm. P.

Bynum, Esq. The Senate adjourned until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

HOUSE OF COMMONS,-A memorial was received from John Rosemond, a citizen of Wake county, asking compensation for property taken by the military.

The joint Select Committee to consider the question of adjournment reported in favor of adourning on the 22d of December to the first Monday in November, 1863, unless sooner convened by the Governor and Council. Mr. Love moved to lay the /resolution on the

table. Agreed to-ayes 37, noes 34. Mr. Mann, of Pasquotank, from the committee

inted to enquire into the arrest of members

State was taken up on its second reading This bill give the Governor \$5,000; Judges of the Supreme Court \$2,500; Secretary of State \$1, 000; Comptroller \$1,500, and members of the As-

sembly \$4 per day. The bill passed its second and third readings. The Senate adjourned until Monday morning

at 11 o'clock. House of Commons .- Mr. Carson, from Besu fort county, was sworn and took his seat. Mr. Henry, of Henderson, presented a memo

rial from certain citizens of Henderson county, in favor of restoring the jurisdiction of the county. courts, as to collection of debts.

RESOLUTIONS READ THE FIRST TIME.

In favor of F. H. Hill, passed its second and third readings. In favor of County Clerk of Harnett county. repaying \$1,982 40 expended in subsistence for Capt. Murchison's cavalry company, passed its second and third readings.

A message was received from the Senate transmitting the report of the commissioner of the Sinking Fund, with a proposition to print. Con-Craig, W G curred in.

Mr. Shepherd, a resolution appropriating a sum of money to pay expenses of commissioners to Bichmond; passed its second and third readings. The joint committee on the election for Solicitor of the seventh circuit reported Mr. Bynum duly elected.

Doughtie, J R. The joint committee on the election of Judge Davis, R H for the same circuit reported Mr. Shipp, duly elected. Fisher, Josie

A numbers of bills were introduced and passed French, Geo R. their first reading. Graff, C H

Mr. MoRae introduced a bill allowing free persons of color from 16 to 50, in Robeson county, to be impressed to work on the public defences instead of Slaves. On motion of Mr. Waddell, all the counties of the State were included; and the bill passed its second and third readings. Mr. Shepherd, to incorporate the Presbyterian publishing and Printing Committee at Fayette-

ville, passed its second and third readings. Mr. Shepherd introduced a resolution asking the Comptroller of the State when his accounts would be laid before the General Assembly.

The following Engrossed Bills and resolutions from the Senate were read:

A bill to amend the act establishing the Bank of Lexington and also to establish the Bank of Graham, Alamance county, passed its second and third reading.

Resolutions instructing our Senators, and requesting our Representatives in Congress, to have epealed certain clauses in the Exemption Law. To incorporate the Dallas, Newton and Kings mountain Railroad Company, passed its second and third readings.

To amend the act entitled Militia.

To amend the Revised Code relating to Justices of the Peace. It authorizes Justices of the Peace who may have to leave counties invaded by the

enemy to resume their duties on their return. To amend the act incorporating the Western Bank of Norta Carolina, passed its second and third readings.

To change the place of holding the polls in the 44th Senatorial District.

To establish the Bank of Lincolnton. Mr. Worth, from the Finance Committee, reported a bill authorizing the issuing of one milion of Treasury notes in denominations from five cents to ten dollars, and making regulations relative to the sale of bonds. &c., read the first time and ordered to be printed.

DIED:

In Southampton county, Va., on the 7th inst., of Dysentary, HUGH, second son of Dr. James E. and M. A. E. Crichton, aged eight years, five months and seven days. In this City, on the 11th instant, of Pneumonia, JOHN C. HYDRICK, formerly of Charleston, S. C., aged about 52 years, leaving a wife.

IST OF LETTERS REMAINING UN. a called for in the Raleigh Post Office, December 15th, 1862. The postage on advertised letters is two cents each :

Armfield, Col R F LeGrande, L C 2 MeHegan, Walter Austin, Etheldred Byrum, Richard Miller, Mrs T Bailey, Peleg Bearde, Thomas Muggins, W F McAdams, Wm Broadwell, Joseph Pursé, E L Blake, Jno S Parrish, Mrs Martha J Pennington, Miss M A Page, George D Boulcott, J R Barley, Charles

Crocker, Alonzo

Clegg, H M

Cutter, E H

Creech, John

Carpenter, Z R

Gattis, Rev T J

Huggins, Luke

Hill, Miss Mattie J

Hardy, Capt W H

Grots, John

Rogers, Miss Ann E Banks, Charles (colored) Candle, Miss Mary Reaves, H C Raines, Oliver Crawford, Morrison Riggsbee, Miss Julia Rinnon, John Craig, Gaston

Ryan, Miss Emily T Segraves, Mrs Molsey 2 Smith, J P Simpson, Rev J P Sweaney, Miss Hattie L Scarborough, Jas H Thompson, Miss Susan Thompson, Eliza Froget, Augustus A Thacker, John H Taylor, Mrs Betsey A. Terry, Miss Rebecca 2 Upchurch, W B Query, F N Whitaker, Miss D

Holleman. Miss Sarah Whitaker, Miss Fannie Hill. Miss Nancy J Wood, F N Williamson, Mrs B M White, G F Yelventon, LJ

Johnson, Miss Lizzie Long, Thos GEO. T. COOKE, P. M.

of the List. dec 17-1t.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

per cent. on the Capital Stock of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company advertised to be paid on and after the 1st of January next, will be

of the Treasurer. Stockholders are requested to call promptly. dec 17-3t J. W. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

RALEIGH, December 15, 1863.

THE APNUAL MEETING OF THE members of this company will be held at the office of the company in this city on the second Tuesday in January, 1863.

H. S. SMITH. By order : dec 17 Secretary. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT N. C.,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE. RALEIGH, Nov. 27, 1862. GENERAL ORDER,]

Sale of Thoroughbred Stock, WTILL BE SOLD. ON THURSDAY. .W 18th day of December next, in the City of Petersburg, Virginia, all the blooded stock of the lat tersburg, Virginia, all the blooded stock of the late R. E. Beasly, consisting of Marce and Colta-one 3 years old colt, a fine 3 years old filly field, to wit a Marietta, by Boston, dam Catidy Jones, by old SirHae, a fine colt by her side, by Waison's Mohe-gen.

Lady Meritt, imported by Margrave, out of im ported Queen, and a filly by her side, by O. P. Hare's Arlington. Ready Money, out of the dam of the celebrated

horse Twobits, by Revenue, (this a full brother to Twobits and has much more size;) 2 years old. Garabaldi, out of Lady Merrit, by Revenue, 2 John Tom, out of same, by Arlington, one year

Also India, 3 years, old, out of Marrietta, by young Financier. This filly ran a trial over new Market last spring which compares favourably with any ever made over that course. The above stock is equal both as to blood and quality, to any in the Confederacy. A full pedigree will be farmished purchasers. Terms made known on

day of sale. By WM. B. WESTBROOK, Att'y

for the Executrix. dec 3-tds

Petersburg, Nov. 25th, 1861. IMPORTANT SALE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY IN WARREN COUNTY .- On Monday, 22d day December, I shall sell at Arcola, in the county of Warren, situated. 15 miles southeast of Warrenton, and 4 miles south of Grove Hill, the following property, belonging to the estate of the late Samuel T. Alston, deceased, to-wit: 1,395 acres of land, known as the Arcola tract ; one other tract containing 585 acres, known as the Melton's Creek tract. This land is adjoining the lands of Gen. Samuel A. Williams, John Burgess, Dr. Mark Perry, and others. This is valuable land, and well adapted to the cultivation of tobacco, wheat, corn, and all the products of the country, and for health and good society is unsurpassed.

The Arcola tract has good improvements on it. Persons wishing to view the land will call on Gen. Samuel A. Williams, Dr. Mark Perry, or Robert E Williams.

Also, at the same time and place, 60 bales of cotton 25 hhds. tobacco, and 20 likely negroes, of both sexes. TERMS OF SALE-Nine months credit, with interest from date. Bond and undoubted security will be required before the delivery of the property. A. D. WILLIAMS,

Agent for the estate of Sam'l T. Alston, dec'd. Warren county-nov 26-7t

mer Petersburg Express and Richmond Enquirer please copy two weeks.

Valuable Lands for Sale in Warren County, N. Carolina.

DY VIRTUE OF A DECREE MADE IN D the case of James T. Russell and others, exparte, at Warren Court of Equity, October Term; 1862, shall sell, at the Court House door, in the Town of Warrenton, to the highest bidder, at public auction, on the 6th day of January, 1863, on a credit of twelve months, a TRACT OF LAND now in the possession of James T. Russell, called the Mansion tract, situated in Warren County, adjoining the lands of Weldon N. Edwamds, John H. Bullock, Green Duke and others, and containing about fourteen hundred and fifty acres. Also, a tract in said County, adjoining the lands of William E. Davis and others, and containing about two hundred and twenty acres. Bonds with approved security will be required for the purchase money. C. M. COOK, c. M. E. November 5, 1862-tds. SNUFFS! SNUFFS!! WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO REceive orders fer Nelson & Munnis's celebrated Scotch Snuffs. viz : "Scotch" (in papers) in Boxes, 50 lbs. "Scotch," loose in Barrels, 120 lbs. "Rappee," in 20 lb. Jars. "Macawber," in 20 lb. Jars. For sale by SMYTH & CO., Sole Agents. nov 22-3m Petersburg, Nov. 22d, 1862.

HEADQUARTERS, CARP or Instruction, CAP Hormes, December 1, 1862. IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUC-TIONS from the Secretary of War, the following General Order, No. 96, is published : The Enrolling Officers of this State will pay par-ticular situation to the same, and report to these Headquarters all officers and calibred men whe do not comply promptly with said order. By order of Con PETER MALLETT,

Commanding Camp of Instruction B. N. MANN, Adjutant

ADJ'T & INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE. BICHWOND, Nov. 27, 1862. GENERAL ORDERS)

No. 96. Commandants of Conscripts will cause the follow-ing order to be published for at least seren times in a sufficient number of newspapers in each State of the Confederacy to ensure its reaching every part of the

I. All commissioned officers and enlisted men who are now absent from their commands from any other cause than actual disability, or duty under orders from the Secretary of War or from their department commanders, will report to their commands without delay.

II. Commissioned officers falling to comply with the provisions of the foregoing paragraph within a rea-sonable length of time, in no case to exceed twenty days after the publication of this order, shall be drop-ped from the rolls of the army in disgrace, and their names will be furnished to the commandant of con-

scripts for enlistment in the ranks. III. All enlisted men who shall fail to comply with the provisions of paragraph L of this order within a reasonable length of time, shall be considered as de-serters, and treated accordingly, their names to be furnished to the commandant of conscripts in their State for publication, or such other action as may be deemed most efficacious

IV. If order to ensure the efficient co-operation of all concerned to carry this order into immediate effect. Department Commanders are directed to require from the commanding officer of each separate command in their Departments a prompt report of the names of all commissioned officers and enlisted men now absent from their commands. These reports must state in each case the cause of absence, and any regimental, battalion or company commander who shall neglect to furnish such a report, or who shall knowingly be guilty of concealing any case of unauthorized absence, shall, on conviction thereof, be summarily dismissed.

V. Under the provisions of the 2nd clause of para-graph I. of General Orders No. 82, commissioned offi-cers and privates who are incapable of bearing arms in consequence of wourds received in battle, but who are otherwise fit for service, are required, if not otherwise assigned, to report to the nearest commandant of conscripts in their respective States, who will, if they are fitted for such duty, assign them to the col-lection of stragglers and the enforcement of the provisions of this order, with full power to call upon the nearest military authority for such assistance as may

be necessary thereto. . VI. Officers of the Quartermaster's Department, charged with payment of troops, are hereby directed not to pay any commissioned officer, non-commission-ed officer or private who does not furnish satisfactory evidence that he is not liable to the penalties described in the foregoing order. Any disbursing offi-cer who shall make payment in violation of this order, shall be liable on his bond for the amount of such By order : payment.

(Signed) S. COOPER, dec 6-71 Ad't and Inspector General.

WILMINGTON & WELDON RAILROAD CO., 1 Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 13th, 1862. THE DIVIDEND OF ELEVEN (11-100)

paid on and after Monday, the 15th inst., at the office

OFFICE N. C. M. FIRE INS. CO.,

the gallant General Hood was killed. happy to say he was uninjured.

We understand that several officers had very narrow escapes-among them General J. E. Stuart, whose neck was grazed by a bullet.

On yesterday up to one and a halfo'clock, when the cars lett, there had been heavy and isregular skirmishing, promising to grow into a general engagement. Jackson's corps were all in motion towards the front. We learn by telegraph that as late as four o'clock there was still nothing but skirmishing.

Our soldiers were cheerful and confident of fina success.

The enemy were driven back a considerable distance in the fight of Saturday. Our troops retained their strong position on the Massaponax hills, about four miles this side of Fredericksburg.

DISPATCH FROM GEN. LEE.

The following despatch was received at the War Department at 9 o'olock, P. M., Saturday :

At 9 o'clock this morning the enemy attacked our right wing, and, as the fog lifted the battle ran along the line from right to left, until 6 P. M., the enemy being repulsed at all points-thanks be to God! As usual, we have to mourn the loss of many brave men. I expect the battle will be resumed at daylight to-morrow morning. R. E. LEE.

To General Cooper :

Gen. Hampton reports that he entered Duntries and captured 20 wagons with stores, and took 50 prisoners, all of which he brought to the Rappahannock. General Siegel is expected at Dumfries to-morrow. R. E. LEE. to-morrow.

FROM THE SOUTHWEST.

MOBILE, December 12 .- K special dispatch to the Advertiser and Begister from Murfreesboro', dated 11th inst., says : "Yesterday morning the enemy, 50.000 strong, re-occupied Hartsville .--They refused, under a flag of truce, to exchange paroled prisoners for our wounded, or to permit us to remove the dead."

Nasbville dates of the 9th say that the Abolitionists acknowledge a loss of sixty killed at Harts, ville. The rebel forces were estimated at 4,000 The abolition army is greatly demoralized .-There is no prospect of an advance until the Cumberland rises. It is supposed that Rosencranz will be superseded by McCook.

St. Louis dates to the 7th say it is reported that "Hindman and Marmaduke, 25,000 strong, were driven back by Blount at Cave Spring, Arkansas. Next day they drove in Blount's pickets, but were repulsed; Blount holding the rebels in check for four days. The rebels were felling timber all night to cover their retreat."

A YANKEE WAR PRAYER.

The prayer delivered at the opening of Congress by Rev. Mr. Stockton, the Chaplain of that body, is extremely good. We give the following extract from it.

We pray that in our conflicts that just so far a Thou seest right Thou wilt give us victory and advancement. Be mindful, O Lord, of the bavoc and desolation that is falling upon the land through this war. Remember the sick and the wounded and the dying. We pray for our brethren now in arms against us. We thank Thee that it is so easy for us to obey this precept of our Redeemer-love your enemies. We cannot cease to love them. May they soon be induced to relinquish the evil that is amongst them, and place higher value on the great principles of the charter of our independence, and show that they

by the military reported that they had examined Lientenant Walker and General Martin, whe stated the men had exceeded their orders, which was only to arrest deserters ; that they were also intoxicated at the time. General Martin had tahen measures to have them punished by Col. Mallett, their commanding officer. Several resolutions were introduced and read

the first time. On motion of Mr. Waddell, the resolution to

hold evening sessions was taken up, amended and agreed to.

Mr. McRae's resolution limiting speeches to 15 minutes was taken up, and agreed to. A number of bills passed their first reading. A message was received from the Senate proposing to set aside Friday the 19th of December for the election of magistrates; concurred in.

Mr. Worth moved the Revenue Bill be made the special order of the day for Monday 12 o'clock and from day to day until disposed of; agreed to. The adjourned debate on the bill to organize the State Reserves, was resumed, the House going into Committe of the whole.

Mr. McKay moved to amend, by allowing company officers to be elected by the rank and file, and field officers by the company officers. After considerable debate, Mr. McKay's amendment was adopted. Yeas 59, nays 34.

Mr. Ingram moved the appointment of field officers by the Governor, staff officers by the Colonel, and Surgeon by the Surgeon General. The yeas and nays being called for, the amendment was rejected-yeas 23, nays 69. Mr. Fowle said as the House did not think pro-

per to give the appointment to the Governor, he would move that the rank and file have the election of Company and field officers, and the Staff be appointed by the Colonel.

After some debate, Mr., Fowle proceeded to defend himself for bringing forward this amend-ment on the ground that he had more confidence in the rank and file than in the company officers. The ability of the men to select good officers was proved by the first regiment of North Carolina, having elected a man like Colonel, now Major General Hill, and other sible officers.

Mr. Walser moyed to reconsider the vote adopting Mr. McKay's amendment.

The House agreed to reconsider. Yeas 44. nays 43.

The House went into an election of a Solicitor for the Seventh Judicial Circuit, and the Joint Committee to superintend the election reported that Mr. Bynum was elected.

A message was received from the Senate proposing to enter forthwith into an election of a Judge for the Seventh Judicial Circuit, and nominating Mr. Shipp, which was agreed to.

The Joint Committee to superintend the election had not reported when the House adjourned, but we learn Mr. Shipp was elected. The House adjourned to Saturday, 11 o'clock.

SENATE .- Saturday, Dec. 13. -The Select Committee appointed to enquire into the authority of certain arrests of citizens recently made by Confederate Officers reported, recommending the quietly laying the resolution of enquiry on the table.

Mr. Ramsay introduced a bill supplemental to a bill recently passed by the Legislature, amending the ordinance of the Convention making some for the families of provision soldiers dying in service, which passed its several readings. It authorizes the operation and effect of the original bill immediately after its ratification.

The Committee to superintend the election of Judge for the 7th Circuit reported that Wm. M. Shipp had received a majority of the votes and had been elected.

Mr. Fleming introduced resolutions guaranteeing North Carolina's proportion of the Confede-rate debt, on the same basis as that adopted by the Legislature of Alabama, read and ordered to be printed.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

To amend the charter of the city of Raleigh, passed it second and third readings. Resolutions in favor of Solomon Poole, M. L Britton and M. L. E. Redd, passed thier second and third readings.

Bills to protect certain grants of land in favor of William and Patton Calvert, to amend the act incorporating the Western Turnpike Company, to alter the line between the counties of Transvlvania and Jackson-and a resolution in favor of Oscar D. Johnston, now an inmate of the Lunatic Asylum, passed their second and third readings. A bill for the better administration of justice in Onslow county. On motion of Mr. Foy the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Resolutions in favor of W. L. Bryson, Thomas J. Kerr, W. W. Long, and Thomas E. and C. W. Skinner, jr., severally passed the second and third readings.

The House adjourned to Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

SENATE .- Monday, Dec. 15 .- The following bills passed their final readings :

Bill in regard to the harboring of deserters. Bill to amend the Charter of the North Caroli na Manufacturing Company. The bill in relation to Justices of the Peace for

Johnston county, was recommitted to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances with instructions to report a general bill on the subject. The special order, the Revenue bill, was next considered.

Pending the consideration, the Senate ad journed until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

House or Commons.-A message was received from Col. D. A. Barnes, aid to Gov. Vance, transmitting a communication from C. H. Brogden, Comptroller, in response to a resolution of enquiry relative to his report, stating that his report had been in the hands of the printer, some time. A number of bills were introduced and passed

their first reading. Mr. Jenkins, member elect from Granville, was worn and took his seat.

The unfinished business was resumed, being the consideration of the minority report from the Military Committee.

The question being upon an amendment offered by Mr. McKay, allowing Colonels to appoint staff offices and the rank and file to elect all the other N. C.

commissioned officers.

The amendment was adopted. Mr. Waddell offered the following preamble, which he afterwards withdrew, but which was immediately renewed by Mr. Fleming, who demanded the yeas and nays on the question of its adoption.

WHEBEAS, heretofore an act was passed by the General Assembly of North Carolina at its session of 1860-1, authorizing the Governor of theiState to accept of volunteers for State service; and whereas, the raising of said volunteers was not carried into effect at the time of the passage of said Hillsboro', N. C., Military Acadlaw: and whereas, this Legislature in the passage of the tollowing military bill, now under consideration, desire to be understood as offering no im-pediment to the operation of the Conscription act regard "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness' Shipp had received a majority of the votes and had been elected. as the right of all mankind, and as beyond all had been elected. The following bills and resolutions passed their throw itself in conflict with the President of the

THE PRÉSIDENT OF THE CON-. federate States having deemed it necessary to call

into service, under the provisions of the recent act of Congress, all persons liable to military duty between the ages of 18 and 40 years, the Commanding Officers of the Militia will call out their respective Regiments and enroll and conduct to the Camp of Instruction all persons liable to military duty under this law, at such time as Colonel Peter Mallett, Chief Enrolling

Officer for the State, may direct. II. The enemy are pressing upon us in great num-bers with the intention to overwhelm us by a winter. campaign. Our danger now comes from the south side of the James River, and as the scene of War approaches nearer to our borders, it becomes North Carolinians to rush even more promptly than before to the defence of our own territory. If we can drive

him back once more, as we have so often done, there is every reason to hope that his strength will be effectually broken. The various officers entrusted with the execution of this order are again commanded to use all diligence in arresting deserters and absentees without leave from the army, and all good eitizens who prize liberty and independence, are earnestly invoked to assist in hurrying off all such to their regiments. The brave and patriotic soldier will not over stay his furlough unless providentially hindered. The

coward alone will shirk (at home) whilst his brayer comrades endure the heat and burthen of the fight.

By order of Governor VANCE : J. G. MARTIN.

Adjutant General. December 13, 1862-2t.

St. Mary's School, RALEIGH, N. C.

RIGHT BEV. THOS. ATKINSON, D.D., Visitor. REV. ALDERT SMEDES, D.D., Rector. THE EXPERIENCE OF THE LAST Ferm having satisfied the Rector that the Boarding department of the School cannot be maintained at the present price, he has, after consulting judicious

friends, determined upon the following charges for the ensuing term. TERMS: For Board and Tuitien in English, per term of five months, commencing Jan. 6th, 1863, \$160. Tuition in French, \$10. Tuition in Music on the Piano, Organ or Guitar, \$30, with \$3 for the use of Instrument. Tuition on the Harp, with the use of Instrument, \$45. Singing, in private lessons, \$30. Drawing, \$10.;

Water colors, \$15; Oil Painting, \$25; Pens and Ink, \$2.00; Library, \$1. Washing, at the charge of the laundress : the present charge is \$15 per term. The sule prescribing a uniform is suspended for the

Raleigh, Dec. 11, 1862. 30~ de 13-3t

PRIVATE SCHOOL FOR YOUNG A LADIES will be opened by Miss MANGUM, at the residence of her mother, in Orange County, on the 20th January, 1863. They will receive instruction in the English branches and Music; and find a home in her mother's family. Parents and guardians who desire farther particulars, will please address

MISS M. P. MANGUM. either at Red Mountain, or Flat River, Orange County, dec 13-2m

> Headquarters 38th N. C. Militia, RALEIGH, Dec'r 8th, 1862.

THE MEMBERS OF THE 3STH REGiment N. C. Militia, and those subject to the late Conscription Act within the bounds of said Regiment, will assemble in front of the Old Factory, in the

Southeast part of Raleigh, on SATURDAY, the 20th of December, at 10 o'clock, A. M. By order of the Colonel :

D. W. BAIN. Adjutant 38th N. C. Militia. dec 10-td THE FIFTH ACADEMIC YEAR OF

Monday in February, 1863, For information and Circulars, apply to SUP'T. H. M. ACADEMY, Notice.

TAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINIStrator of the late Gen. L. O'B. BRANCH, at November term, 1862, of Wake County Court, I give notice to all debtors of the estate to make payment, and to all creditors to present their claims within the time prescribed by law. WW A DIOUNT TO

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Notice.

WILL PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE for Cattle, Sheep, and Hogs, also for Bacon, Lard, Eggs, Poultry of every description, particularly Geese and Ducks, delivered to me at my farm, 7 niles west of Raleigh, formerly belonging to Hinton Franklin, Esq. B. D. SMITH. Franklin, Esq. Raleigh, 14th June, 1862. june18-6mpd

Land for Sale in Warren County, North Carolina.

DURSUANT TO A DECREE MADE IN in the case of Thomas D. Hilliard and wife and others, ex parte, at October term, 1862, of Warren Court of Equity, I shall sell, on the 30th day of December, 1862, at the Court House door in the town of Warrenton, to the highest bidder, at public auction, on a credit of twelve months, with interest from the day of sale, the Tract of Land in Warren county on which Samuel H. Holloway, dec'd, resided at the time of his death, subject, nevertheless, to the dower of Martha Holloway, the widow of the said Samuel H. in said land. The Tract adjeins the lands of John Watkins, Austin Newman and William Paschall, and contains about two hundred and sixty-two acres .---Bond with approved security will be required of the C. M. COOK, C. M. E. purchaser. nov 22-tds

Public Sale. SIX MONTHS' CREDIT.

WILL SELL BY PUBLIC VENDUE, at the late residence of Dr. Thomas Davis, in the county of Franklin, N. C., on Thursday, the 18th of December next, all his Household, Kitchen and Dairy Furniture, consisting of Beds, Bedsteads, Sideboards, Bureaus, Tables, Chairs, Wash Stands, Mirrors, Carhousekeeping.

The crops of Corn, Fodder, Shucks and Peas, and 5 Mules, 8 Horses, 35 head Cattle, 2 yokes Oxen. The Plantation Tools, Wagons and Carts, I Family Carriage and Harness, 1 Buggy and Harness, 1 Steam Saw Mill in good running order, a large lot of Lum-ber, stock of Hogs, 60 Fat Hogs, 2 stall-fed Ozen,

200 Sheep, 30,000 lbs. Cotton in the Seed, 400 bushels Wheat, now in an excellent manufacturing mill, and can be ground and packed there. At the same time, 40 Negroes will be hired out for

N. B. MASSENBURG, the ensuing year. nos 22-tds Ex'or of Dr. T. Davis, dec'd.

Notice to Creditors.

LL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE A estate of Dr. Thos. Davis, dec'd, must make im-CHE FIFTH ACADEMIC YEAR OF this Institution will commence on the first in the time required by Law, or this notice will be pleaded to bar their recovery. N. B. MASSENBURG, Ex'or

(formerly Burns' Foundry,) will pay for scrap Cast Iron 3 ets. per lb. For Wrought Iron scraps, scrap of Dr. Thos. Davis, dec'd.

20 On WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of December next, at the residence of the late Henry S. Battle, deceased, in the county of Edgecombe, five miles Northeast of Rocky Mount, I will sell at public anc-Northeast of Rocky Mount, I will sell at public auc-tion, about seventy five bales Cotton, nine Mules, steck of Cattle and Sheep, 75 fat Hogs, 100 Shoats, Sows and Pigs, Carts, Wagons and farming utansils, carpenters' and blacksmith's tools, household and kitchen furniture, and many other articles not necessary to mention.

At the same time and place I will sell twenty likely negroes, composed of boys, men, women and children; among them a carpenter and many excellent field hands. Terms made known on day of sale. JAMES P. BATTLE, Adm'r,

nov 10-tds Rocky Mount, N. C.

Hotel and Land for Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE County Couff of Granville, made at the Novem. ber term, 1862, upon the petition of Martha S. Alley. Samuel Alley, Pattie Alley, Nora Alley and Parry Alley, heirs at law of Albert H. Alley, late of the town of Henderson, deceased, I will sell, in the town of Henderson, on MONDAY, the 15th day of December, 1862, to the highest bidder, the Hotel and Lot in said town, known as Alley's Hotel, and two Houses and Lots adjoining-all fronting Garnett street. Also, one Lot, containing about ' 5 acres, known as the "Old Fair Ground," with a nest cottage residence therson. Also, one Tract of Land, containing about 33 acres, in the suburbs of the vil-lage, beautifully located, and one-half in woodland,

and well adapted for the building of desirable resi-dences. Sold for division among the said heirs. A credit of 12 months will be given, the purchase

money to bear interest from the day of sale. A. LANDIS, C. C. C. Henderson, N. C., Nov 9, 1862. nov 12-64

Notice.

ON THE 17th DAY OF DECEMBER next, on the premises, I, as Administrator of John T. Taylor, dec'd, at public austion, will offer for sale the Tract of Land upon which he resided at the time of his death, situated in Warren county, and the State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Rich-ard Bullock, Sr., John T. Thomas and myself, and containing about one tobarnd and eighty acres, of which there are some 150 or 175 of fine bottom land. At the same time and place I shall also offer for sale about 500 barrels Corn, about 50 stacks of Fodder about 500 barrels Corn, about 50 stacks of Fodder and Oats, 15 or 20 thousand pounds of Tobacco, 8 large Mules, 2 Colts and 2 Mares, 2 yokes of Oxen, stock of Cattle, most of which are Beeves, 12 or 15 thousand pounds of Pork and a fine stock of out Hogs, 2 Wagons, and all Plantation Utensils of everv description; also, all the Household and Kitchen Furniture, and other articles too tedious to mention. The land will be sold on a credit of 12 months, with interest from date, and the other property on a credit of six months with interest from date. For all sums pets, and nearly every article necessary to genteel under ten dollars cash will be required; for all over that amount the purchaser will be required to give that amount the purchaser will be required to give bond with good scenarity for the payment of the pur-chase money. The title to the land will not be made until the payment of the whole of the purchase mon-ey. The sale will commence on the day above-named, and continue from day to day until all the property is sold. WM. H. BOYD, Administrator. oc 8-tds

OFFICE OF THE CHATHAN B. R. COMPANY,)

nov 8-tf

RALEIGH, October 29th, 1862. A MONTHLY INSTALMENT OF TEN per cent, payable on the first day of each month, until the whole subscription is paid, is hereby called for, by an order of the Board of Directors. W. W. VASS, Treasurer:

Save Your Scraps.

S NOBTH STATE IRON AND BRASS WORKS,

Raleigh, Oct. 31, 1862.

as the right of all mankind, and as beyond all mere local advantages, so that there shall be a restored Union, with increased goodness and love	The tollowing bills and resolutions passed their third reading :	of Congress, and disclaiming any intention to throw itself in conflict with the President of the Confederate States or the authorities at Rich-	SUP'T. H. M. ACADEMY, nov 29-4m Hillsboro', N. C.	Louisburg Nov. 12th 1862 nov 22-1m	Brass, scrap Zink and scrap Copper the highest cash price will be paid. They will pay the bigest market price for a large quantity of Charcoal. Will also re-
and glory and joy upon the earth for ever and ever.	Bill to incorporate the Macon Leather Compa-	mond, but simply to carry out the provisions of an act of the General Assembly by which a State force shall be organized, therefore—Be it enacted,	ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.	TTAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINIS-	ceive proposals for delivering two hundred cords of Wood
COTTONAt the market price of cotton to-day, says an exchange, our now useless staple is of	Bill to incorporate the Swift Island Gold Min- ing Company.	fe. The vote was as follows:	O next, at the Court House in Warrenton, I, as Ad- ministrator of E. Jones, deceased, will sell, at public auction, FIFTEEN LIKELY NEGROES.	at November term, 1862, of Wake County Court, I hereby give notice to the debtors of the estate to make	DETWEEN THREE AND FOUR HUN-
value enough to pay, of itself, every dollar which the Confederate States owe. At this moment	Resolution in favor of Joseph West. Resolution in favor of John Blalock. Resolution in favor of John Fisher.	AYESMesers. Amis, Barnhardt, Barringer, Beall, Beam, Brown, Bryan, Bissell, Costner, Davenport, Fleming, Foy, Gentry, Gilliam, of	Terms made krown on day of sale. JOS. B. JONES, Adm'r. Warren County, N. C., Dec. 1st, 1862. dec 10-td.	within the time prescribed by law. W. E. ANDERSON, Adm'r.	D'DRED ACKES OF LAND, situated four miles due West of Baleigh, and adjacent to the North Car- olina Railroad. Apply to
there are 3,000,000 bales of cotton within the country, which, at the roling prices of the staple now, is worth \$700,000,000. Since the world	Resolution to pay the officers and privates of Capt. Bank's Company 2 month's pay.	Rockingham, Grier, Hampton, Harris, of Cabar- rus, Hawes, Henderson, 'Headen, Hooper, How-	Horse stolen\$50 Reward.	Nov'r 24, 1862. Boy 29-H	TNOUND, IN THE STREETS OF RAL-
began no nation has ever had in its hands so much wealth in a single article of production. The	Resolution in favor of J. M. Neal. Allows him to collect arrearages of taxes. Bill in relation to the Richmond Manufactur-	ard, Judkins, Kirby, Lemmonds, Logan, Long, Manning, McKay, McNeill, McRae, Peebles, Reynolds, Rhodes, Robinson, Russ, Shepherd,	STOLEN, FROM A RACK ON FAY- Setteville street, in front of the store lately occu- pied by Iredell Brothers, on Thursday night hast,		eigh, a COUPON which has been detached from a North Carolins Bond, which the owner can have on application at the Public Treasurer's Office, by de-
consumption of cotton is increasing in a ratio far faster than the increased means of its production, and this results, in a great degree, from the new	Bill in relation to the county of Franklin,	Spruill, Stancill, Waddell-41. NozzMessre. Allison, Alford, Benbury, Ber-	about 6 o'clock, a light sorrel HORSE, with all four feet white, blaze-face and flax main and tail. The horse is about five years old, and in pretty fair con-	mill. For further particulars, address MARSHALL & REAMES, dec 3-5t Louisburg, N. C.	scribing the No. and amount of said Coupen, and by paying for this columntisement. of 1-tf
fabrics to which it is being applied, to say noth- ing of the increase of the world's population, and	Bill for the relief of landlords and tenants.	ry, Burgin, Burns, Carpenter, Cowles, Uraig, Carter, Flynt, Glenn, Greene, Grissom, Henry, of Bertie, Henry, of Henderson, Horton, Jenk-	dition. The saddle on the horse had been consider- ably worn, with the exception of the skirts, which, were good, and the padding had been roughly repaired	SALE OF THIRTY VALUABLE SLAVES	NO.I FAMILY FLOUR. White Meal Dried Apples
the new civilizations which immediately require its use. Regarding these interesting facts and statistics with respect to this annual store of	sufferred from the burning of the Court House of	ins, Keener, Kelly, Kerner, Laws, Lyle, Mann, of Hyde, Mann, of Pasquotank, McAden, Mc- Cormick, Nissen, Parks, Patterson, Pearce, Rich-	with a piece of old carpeting. The bridle was a good black leather one. I will give a reward of \$25 for the recovery of the horse, and an additional reward of	O as Administrators of Peter D. Powell, dec'd, will sell, at the late residence of said deceased, eight miles	Fresh Butter Green do "Eggs Dried Peaches Irish Potatoos "Pranes
wealth, it is impossible to suppose that the sum of debt which this war will accumulate can be un-	Mr. Outlaw introduced a bill to increase the salaries of members of the General Assembly \$5	ardson, Riddick, Cobbins, Russell, of Brunswick, Shober, Smith, Wallen, Walser, Wellborn,	\$25 for the apprehension and conviction of the thief. JACOB MORDECAI, dec 10-tf Raleigh, N. C.	south-west of Warrenton, to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, Thirty valuable Slaves, Men, Women, Boys and Girls, all very likely and valuable.	
manageable or fall with intolerable weight upon our people.	alling expenses, from the first of the session, and	Woodall, Worth, Young, of Iredell, Young, of Yanzey-44. After some discussion the substitute was adop-	OLD SAWS WANTED,	At the same time and place, will be sold to the high- est biddor, the crop of Corn, Foddar, Oats- the pres-	monds," Sc. Price, and Inc. and Inc. St. 10
GEN. JOSEPH E. JOHNSTON The Chattanoo- ga Rebel, of the 4th, announces the arrival there of Gan. In F. 1th, announces the arrival there	present war. The proposition was dimsed by Mr. Brown	ted-Ares 55, Nomes 33.	Mill Saws, from three feet upwards in diameter, fifty cents per pound ; and for long, heavy Saws, forty	of Mules Oxen, Wagon, Cart, and sundry other artis	BO 3 W. L. POMEROT.
of Gen. Joe E. Johnston and staff. The General established his Headquarters at Chattancoga, and entered at once on the discharge of the important	defeated-Ayes 11, noes 24.	NER'S SELECT SCHOOL, at Oxford, N. C., will open the second Monday in January, 1863.	L. FRØELICKS,	Terms made known on the day of sale. JOHN WHITE, NATH'L R. JONES, Adm'rs.	I lish and Confederate make, this day received, and for sale for cash only, at
duties of his command.	an increase of the salaries of the officers of the		dec 6-1m Wilmington, N. C.	Warren County, N. C., 1st Dec's, 1862. de 6-id	1 99.25 ar all steple of the Y the POMEROX'S.

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