THE RALEIGH REGISTER.

SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 31, 1863.

THE LATEST NEWS.

STUCK IN THE MUD.

The special correspondent of the Richmond Enquirer sends the following:

FREDERICKSBURG, Jan. 28, 1863.—I have just received Northern dates of the 26th instant:

THE ATTEMPTS TO CROSS THE RAPPAHANNOCK.

The Special correspondent of the New York "Post" states that for four days last week, beginning with Tuesday and ending with Friday, the "Grand Army" attempted to cross at Bank's Ford, just above Fredericksburg, but that such was the condition of the roads, it was compelled to fall back.

Accounts represent that on Friday the greater portion of the army was back in camp before Fredericksburg. Burnside, Hooker, Sumner, Stoneman, Griffin, Slocum, Sykes, Humphries, Franklin and all the other officers labored hard to get the men across, but the mud prevented. Pontoons were brought within one hundred rods of Ball's Ford.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT FROM RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, Jan. 20.

Some of the Kentucky delegates credit the report that Governor Robanson has called out called out sixty thousand men to repel the aggressions of the Lincoln Government. The report was referred to in the House of Representatives to-day, by Mr. Foote, who proposed a meeting of the members, after adjournment, to adopt resolutions expressing their gratification at the event. The meeting was not held.

On dit that commissioners from Indiana and Illinois have arrived here. This report is the town talk to-day.

ANOTHER STEAMER IN.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 29.

Another British steamer successfully ran the blockade last night into a Confederate port. She brings still later Nassau dates, but no news of interest.

AND STILL ANOTHER.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 26.

Still another English merchant steamer ran into a Confederate port this morning. She brings a general cargo of merchandize. She left Nassau on the 25th. This is her first trip to the Confederate coast.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

MACON, Jan. 28.

The Supreme Court has decided that a conscript under the first law who obtained a substitute, is liable to conscription under the new law, and also becomes liable now.

CONFEDERATE CONGRESS.

RICHMOND, Jan. 28.

In the Senate, Mr. Phelan, of Mississippi, introduced a bill for condemnation to the public use of all cotton within the Confederate States. Referred to a select committee. The Supreme Court bill was further discussed.

In the House various propositions were submitted. No definite action upon any subject. When the Exemption bill was taken up, the House went into secret session.

RICHMOND, Jan. 29.

The Senate was chiefly occupied in the farther discussion of the amendments to the bill organizing the Supreme Court. The House debated the Exemption bill without result.

CONFEDERATE WAR STEAMER FLORIDA.

The Charleston *Courier* says it has reason to know that the Confederate steamer Florida has sailed from Mobile, and gives the following as a full and correct list of her officers:

J. N. Maffit, Commanding, Georgia.
S. W. Averett, Lieutenant and Executive Officer, Virginia.
J. L. Hoole, Alabama; C. W. Read, Mississippi; S. G. Stone, Alabama—Lieutenants.
Garrestston and Grafton, Surgeons.
— Lynch, Paymaster.
R. S. Floyd, Georgia; George D. Bryan, Charleston, South Carolina; G. T. Sinclair, J. Dyke, Virginia—Midshipmen.
J. Spidell, — Jackson, C. Quin, E. H. Brown—Engineers.
L. Vogel, Captain's Clerk.
Wm. Wilson, Purser's Clerk.
E. Wyman, Master's Mate.

"HE'S TAKEN TO DRINK."—How knell like those words sound, and how suggestive of degradation, ruin and death! But how applicable are they, and to what numbers of young men, in Richmond and in the army, who left their homes with lips unstained by the intoxicating glass, can the ominous words be applied with all their terrible force, "He's taken to drink!" Hundreds of doting mothers of the South, who have given up their manly sons to the defence of the cause, and death if needs be, will find them sacrificed—not in battle, which would have been far better—but destroyed at the shrine of Bacchus. War has cut them loose from the moral restraints of home, and the excitement of the times impels them to the draught that makes the nerves bound, and the brain reel in unison with the dance of War.

Who of the thoughtful among men do not look forward with something like dread to the time when peace shall disband our armies, and return its gallant members to their tens of thousands of homes throughout the area of the Confederacy. Helplessness from wounds and disease, will have fastened upon scores of them for this life, but no disease will be more terrible, or helplessness more complete than that of drunkenness.

Wives who parted from husbands, and parents from sons, in the consciousness of their integrity and manhood, will receive them in too, too many instances, jabbering fools and shattered objects of humanity.

Not shattered in battle, and the exposure of the bivouac—that would have been a consolation; but shattered amid the dissipation of this capital, and in the pursuit of forbidden pleasures that, loosed, follow like hounds from the leash upon wine-bibbing. We are led to these reflections by the fact that in no period during the years of peace, was there, perhaps, such reckless drinking as is now indulged in by the transient officers, soldiers, and civilians in Richmond.

The drinking shops, if not so open, are as numerous if not more so, than before the war; while the vile compounds, called "liquor," sold, bear no comparison in quality to even the commonest articles sold before the war, and extortioners adulterate everything. In times when fair whiskey sold for a Spanish "fip" a glass, men drank less than now, when infinitely worse whiskey sells for fifty cents the "thimble full."

For a long time, now, the drinking "inlets" have enjoyed an immunity from Provost "raids," a fact that has emboldened their sleek, money making keepers, and many of them have returned to the old custom of selling openly, encouraged perhaps by a wink in some relenting official quarter.

The excuse that the places where liquor is sold are not all known is an absurdity. The swarming of flies around a molasses or sugar hogshead no more surely indicates the presence of the sweets, than does the stamping of men around particular doorways indicate liquor within.

Richmond Examiner.

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LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS!

[ADJOURNED SESSION.]

SENATE.

MONDAY, Jan. 26, 1863.

The following bills were taken up on their third readings.

A bill to legalize certain acts of the County Court of Lincoln.

A bill authorize the Governor to employ a messenger. Passed.

A bill authorizing the public Treasurer to employ a clerk to sign bonds. Passed.

A message was received from the House transmitting certain engrossed bills, together with the list of magistrates for the different counties of the State, asking the concurrence of the Senate in their appointment. After the addition of several names to the list it was returned to the House for its concurrence in the amendments.

Messrs. Ellis and Graham thought it very improper to exclude from these appointments competent men because they might be subject to conscription. They thought it proper to appoint certain men because of their competency and because of their accessibility in certain sections of the counties.

A resolution in favor of John A. Long.—Passed.

The hour of 12 having arrived the Senate proceeded in a body to the House to receive a communication from the Governor in secret session.

The Senate returned to their chamber at 1 o'clock.

The bill to authorize incorporated towns to levy an *ad valorem* tax on slaves.

Mr. Young moved an amendment, and on his motion both the bill and the amendment were laid on the table.

The resolution to clothe military prisoners at Salisbury was then taken up.

Mr. Warren moved to restrict the provisions of the resolution to citizens of North Carolina.

Mr. Graham said that he thought the Confederate Government had no right to arrest a citizen of the State and deny him a trial, as the writ of *habeas corpus* had not been suspended throughout the State, though it had been in the town of Salisbury.

Mr. Drake moved to amend by inserting "after our troops are properly supplied."

Mr. Murrill moved to add "those prisoners who are unable to provide for themselves."

After a good deal of discussion, without coming to a vote, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

MONDAY, Jan. 26.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

By Mr. Allison, from Propositions and Grievances, a resolution relative to soldiers bounty, recommending its passage.

By Mr. Mann, from Internals Improvements, a bill to amend the charter of the Greenville and French Broad Railroad Company, recommending its passage.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED.

By Mr. Bynum, a resolution that the Legislature adjourn sine die on Monday the 2d day of February next. Concurred in.

Mr. Smith, intructing the Judiciary Committee to take into consideration the subject of providing some plan to authenticate Claims, Guardian Bonds, Notes, &c., the records of which have been destroyed by the enemy, and to report by bill or otherwise. Concurred in.

By Mr. Benbury, a bill to authorize the Governor to promote officers and men in the Regiments from this State, for gallant and meritorious conduct. Referred.

Mr. Gentry, a bill to provide relief on account of the destruction of the records of Allegany county by fire. Referred.

Mr. Henry, of Henderson, a bill in favor of Isaac Arledge, late sheriff, allow him to collect arrears of taxes. Passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Henry, of Henderson, presented a memorial from citizens of Henderson county, relative to the mode of assessing the value of slave property as proposed by the Revenue bill.

Mr. Amis, from the committee appointed to make arrangements for the reception of the Senate for the joint session, &c., reported a plan which was concurred in, and the Senate was notified by message, of the arrangement.

On motion of Mr. Shepherd, the House took up a resolution relative to the bounty of soldiers.

Mr. Shepherd stated the reasons why the passage of the resolution was necessary.

The resolution was then passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

The Revenue Bill being the special order was taken up.

Mr. Amis said that he had been satisfied from an interchange of views with a number of parties that the mode of fixing the value of slave property proposed in the Revenue bill, was not in accordance with the wishes of a majority of our people, and he did not think that the plan ought to be favored by them. He had in course of preparation an amendment, the features of which, he indicated. He thought the bill should be amended in this respect, and as the most expeditious way of getting at it, he moved to recommit the bill with instructions to report such amendments as were indicated by him.

The House proceeded to the consideration of a bill to amend the Charter of the Chatham Railroad Company.

The bill was earnestly advocated by Messrs. Fowle, McKay and Waddell. Pending its consideration,

The hour having arrived for the joint secret session, the Senate proceeded to the Hall of the Commons and the doors were closed.

After the secret session closed the doors were opened and the members of the Senate returned to their Hall.

On motion the Chatham Railroad bill was referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

The House proceeded to consider the bill for the relief of the indigent families of soldiers in the army.

Mr. Walser proposed an amendment increasing the amount appropriated, to one million dollars, and the provisions of the bill to extend to the indigent wives and families of all soldiers in the army, or of such as have died or been killed in the service. Carried.

Mr. Brown proposed an amendment, that the distribution should be in accordance with the number of troops from each county in the State, as per the report of the Adjutant General.

Mr. Foy proposed an amendment, as an amendment to the amendment, That the County Courts of each county should appoint a committee to ascertain the number of indigent families of the soldiers in each Captain's district, and that the distribution should be made in accordance with the number thus obtained.

The question being put, Mr. Foy's amendment to the amendment was negatived.

The House now voted on Mr. Brown's amendment. It was rejected.

An amendment proposed by Mr. Mann, was concurred in, and the bill passed its third reading.

A communication was received and read from the Public Treasurer, which was ordered to be sent to the Senate.

The House adjourned until 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, Jan. 27.

BILLS ETC. ON FIRST READING.

Mr. Smith, a bill to encourage the manufacture of wool.

By same, a bill to incorporate Tuskasegee Mining Company, also a bill to incorporate Nantihala Mining Company; a bill to incorporate the Macon Mining Company. Bill to incorporate Franklin Mining Company. All of which were referred.

ENGROSSED BILLS FROM THE HOUSE.

A bill in favor of the sheriff of Henderson.

A bill to incoporate the town of Marshall, in Madison county.

A message was received from the House transmitting a message from the Governor, with a bill passed by the Legislature of Georgia, forbidding excessive cultivation of cotton in that State, with proposition to print.

Mr. Arendell introduced a series of resolutions repelling assaults upon the State and Legislature in regard to loyalty, &c. (For resolutions in full, see editorial columns.)

Mr. Young offered a substitute, stating that the Legislature thought a formal notice of these charges unnecessary, pointing to the force of the State in the field, and the sacrifices of our people in supporting the cause of the South as sufficient proof of the State's loyalty.

Mr. Murrill moved to lay the substitute with the resolutions on the table, and on that motion called the yeas and nays. Rejected. Yeas 8, nays 31. The substitute was also rejected—yeas 10, nays 28.

Mr. Ellis moved to add a resolution stating that members of the Legislature might prove their loyalty by joining the army. Rejected—yeas 10, nays 30.

The question then recurring on the passage of the resolutions, they were adopted. Ayes 33, noes 36.

Mr. Graham presented a bill giving certain powers to the Auditor of public Accounts. By same, to amend that portion of the Revised Code referring to the writ of Habeas Corpus. Both referred.

The bill to secure the property of married women being the special order, was taken up.

Mr. Faison favored the passage, and hoped that State Rights men would support this women's right measure.

Mr. Warren opposed the passage of the bill in its present shape.

This question pending, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

TUESDAY, Jan. 27.

Mr. Green presented a memorial from citizens of Stanly, asking the appointment of Alfred M. Leadbetter, as a Justice of the Peace for that county. The prayer was granted.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Love introduced the following resolutions: [see resolutions in editorial columns.]

After a good deal of discussion, and several ineffectual attempts to have the resolutions postponed and printed, Mr. Love's resolutions were stricken out and those introduced by Mr. Grissom adopted—Ayes 82, noes 9.

A number of engrossed resolutions and bills from the Senate were read.

Mr. Mann, of Hyde, introduced a resolution in favor of Geo. Credle, late sheriff of Hyde county. Passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Cowles introduced a series of resolutions requesting the President to revoke the orders suspending the writ of habeas corpus at, and in the vicinity of Salisbury, declaring that we had laws sufficiently stringent to punish all manner of disloyal conduct and Judges of unimpeachable integrity to administer the same. That any freeman restrained of his liberty has a right to a speedy and public trial by a jury of his peers. Made the special order for 12 o'clock, to-morrow, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Shober addressed the House on a privileged question.

The House proceeded to the consideration of a resolution to authorize the Governor to contract for a quantity of salt.

A protracted discussion arose on this resolution, participated in by Messrs. Waddell, Harris, of Chatham, Russ, Amis, Robbins, Cowles and others; the whole matter was finally tabled.

Mr. Watson reported from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, a resolution in favor of J. L. Murry—refunds taxes over paid. Passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Person, from the Committee on the Judiciary reported back a bill relative to the Statute of Limitations, recommending its passage.

Mr. Stanceil introduced a bill to exempt old men from military duty, exempts all over 45.

Mr. Bryson presented a memorial from citizens of Cherokee county, with a bill to establish the county of Hill.

Mr. Walser, a bill to authorize the investment of trust funds, &c., in Confederate Bonds. Referred.

Leave of absence was granted to Mr. Kerner.

The Chatham Railroad bill was taken up, and on motion the House adjourned until 7 o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION.

TUESDAY, Jan. 27.

The bill to amend the Charter of the Chatham and Coal Fields Railroad, being the unfinished business of the morning. The question being upon certain amendments recommended by the Internal Improvement Committee.

Mr. Waddell spoke in favor of the bill, and went into the history of the Coal and Iron interest of the Deep River country, and argued to show that no better investment could be made by the State, so far as dividends are concerned, but that it would materially contribute to the development of the great mineral wealth of the Deep River Valley.

The committee's amendments were concurred in.

An amendment proposed by Mr. McKay was accepted by the author of the bill, and the vote was taken and the bill passed its second reading.

On Mr. Fowle's motion, the rules were suspended, and the bill put upon its third reading.

Messrs. Cobb and Rives opposed the bill, and Messrs. McKay, Fowle and Mann, of Pasquotank, spoke in its favor.

The vote was then taken, and the bill passed its third reading.

On motion the House adjourned until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 28.

A message was received from the House transmitting resolutions similar to those passed by the Senate yesterday, declaring North Carolina's loyalty.

After a short discussion, the resolutions were passed, ayes 33, noes 7.

Also a message proposing to adjourn on Monday next.

Mr. Brown moved to insert Wednesday.

The proposition, on motion of Mr. Graham, was laid on the table.

Mr. Young, from the committee on the message of the Governor, reported a bill.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Graham, a bill to provide for the payment of claims due the State from the Confederate government. Also, a bill in regard to Auditor's office. Passed their several readings.

Mr. Ellis, a resolution in regard to the enrollment of free negroes as cooks in the army. Referred.

The bill to secure the rights of married women was discussed by Messrs. Smith, Graham, Faison, Eure, Murrill and others.

The bill failed to pass, ayes 15, noes 25.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The bill to raise ten thousand volunteers for State defence, with Mr. Lane's amendment excepting conscripts from its provisions.

Messrs. Warren and Sanders spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Eure proposed a bill "to organize the State reserves" as a substitute.

Mr. Lindsay wished to know where and how men under and above the ages of 18 and 45 could be raised, their presence was necessary at home.—Eastern North Carolina had called upon the Confederate Government time and again for aid but in vain.

Mr. Eure said that voluntary enlistment was impossible and he considered this bill a fraud and a swindle; a half of a regiment could not now be raised in North Carolina by voluntary enlistment—he considered the bill a humbug.

On motion the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 28.

Mr. Shepherd, from the committee on Finance, reported a bill to amend an act entitled an act to provide ways and means for supplying the Treasury, &c. The bill passed its second reading.

Mr. McKay, of Harnett, reported back a bill for the relief of the people of Alleghany county, recommending its passage.

On motion of Mr. Gentry, the bill was put on its several readings and passed.

Mr. Peebles, from Judiciary Committee, reported back a bill relative to attachments of soldiers' property, recommending a substitute for the bill.

On motion the bill passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Watson, from the Select Committee, to whom was referred the matter of recommending some plan to prevent the spread of small pox, reported a bill upon the subject.

On motion of Mr. Shepherd, the bill was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Grissom introduced a bill to authorize the Secretary of State to employ a clerk at a salary not exceeding $800 per annum. Referred to committee on propositions and grievances.

Mr. Bryson, a bill to restore to credit Nelson G. Howell.

Mr. Hooper, a bill to legalize the proceedings of a court in Catawba county. Passed its several readings under a suspension of the rules.

Mr. Burns, a bill to amend the Revised Code relative to administration.

Mr. Grissom moved to take up House bill No. 13, of specie payments by the banks, to regulate the currency between creditors and debtors.—Concurred in, and the bill was read.

Mr. Henderson proposed a resolution as a substitute for the bill, instructing our Senators and Representatives in Congress to endeavor to have an act passed making Confederate notes a legal tender.

Mr. Crawford proposed a substitute as an amendment to Mr. Henderson's resolution. Mr. Crawford said that his propositon referred to future contracts, and he conceived that such was the only way that this matter could be properly disposed of.

A division of the question having been called for, the question was put upon striking out, and and the House proceeded to consider the resolutions introduced by Mr. Cowles, relative to the writ of *habeas corpus*, &c.

Mr. Cowles accepted two of Mr. Foy's resolutions as an amendment to his.

Mr. Shepherd moved to strike out one of the resolutions instructing our Senators and requesting our Representatives in Congress to vote for a repeal of the Act authorizing the President to suspend the writ of *habeas corpus* in certain military districts.

The motion to strike out was concurred in and the resolutions were passed.

Mr. Harris, of Cabarrus, moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the House decided to strike out all after the enacting clause of the bill regulating the currency between creditor and debtor. Before the vote was taken the House adjourned until 10 o'clock Thursday.

GEN. LEE AT VICKSBURG.—The GEN. LEE who figured so conspicuously and effectively at the late battle of Vicksburg, is Stephen D. Lee, a native of South Carolina, who was 1st Lieutenant in the 4th regiment of U. S. Artillery before our present troubles, but who promptly left that service and cast his fortunes with his native South. Gen. Lee has been recently appointed to the office he now holds. He was appointed a Second Lieutenant in the 4th U. S. Artillery on the 1st July, 1854.

EXCHANGE NOTICE NO. 4.

RICHMOND, VA., Jan. 10, 1863.

The following officers and men have been duly exchanged, and are hereby so declared.

1. All officers and men captured in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, Florida and South Carolina, up to December 10th, 1862.

2. All officers and men captured in Missouri, Kansas, New Mexico, Arizona, Arkansas and Louisiana, up to January 1st, 1863.

3. The two foregoing sections apply not only to officers and men of the Confederate service, but also to all persons captured in arms or hostile array against the United States, whatever may have been the character of the military organizations to which they were attached, and whatever may have been the terms of the paroles given by them. If any are in Federal prisons, they are to be immediately released, and delivered to the Confederate authorities

4. All persons who have been captured on the sea or seacoast of the Confederate or United States, up to December 10th, 1862. If any such are in Federal prisons, they are to be immediately released and delivered to the Confederate authorities.

5. All Confederate officers and men who have been delivered at City Point up to January 6th, 1863.

6. All Confederate officers and men who have been delivered at Vicksburg up to December 23d, 1862, and including said date.

7. All paroled Confederate officers and men receipted for at Vicksburg up to December 23d, 1862, and including said date.

8. All Confederate officers and men captured and paroled at Fredericksburg, Va., in December, 1862.

9. All Confederate officers and men captured and paroled at Goldsboro,' N. C., in December, 1862.

10. Other miscellaneous and minor exchanges, of which the appropriate officers will be duly informed.

NOTE.—All Confederate officers and men who had been captured in Virginia or Maryland, before the first of November, 1862, and all Confederate officers and men who at any time had been delivered at Aiken's landing, were declared to be exchanged by a former notice No 3.

ROBERT OULD,
jan 17—6t Agent of Exchange.

Office North Carolina R. R. Co.,
Company Shops, Jan. 19, 1863.

DIVIDEND NO. 4 OF TEN PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of this Company, will be paid to the Stockholders, and persons authorized by powers of attorney, on and after the second day of February next.

Certificates *not heretofore presented* will still be required before payment.

By order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN H. BRYAN, JR.,
jan 25—2t Secretary.

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P. S.—Orders for military clothing promptly filled.
jan 21—1y T. W. R.

FOUND, IN THE STREETS OF RALeigh, a COUPON which has been detached from a North Carolina Bond, which the owner can have on application at the Public Treasurer's Office, by describing the No. and amount of said Coupon, and by paying for this advertisement. oc 1—tf

FOR SALE.—
20 Cases Claret Wine,
1000 lbs. Bacon.
200 " Beeswax.
200 " Tallow.
At WHITAKER'S.

35 SACKS SALT for sale at WHITAKER'S.

PREMIUM CARRIAGE AND HARNESS for sale at WHITAKER'S.

DOUBLE BUGGY for sale at WHITAKER'S.

100 BUSHELS MEAL daily expected at WHITAKER'S.

10 CASES CHAMPAGNE CIDER at WHITAKER'S.

A SMALL LOT GLASS WARE AND CASTORS at WHITAKER'S.
January 28, 1863.

$50 Reward.

RANAWAY, ON THE 24TH OF OCTOber, a negro boy, BOB, belonging to the estate of H. W. Bunn, deceased. He is about twenty years old, weighs about 170 pounds, very large head, downcast look when spoken to, and in walking carries himself a little one-sided.

I will give the above reward for his delivery to me, or confinement in any jail so that I can get him again.

A. T. BUNN, Adm'r.
Wake County, Dec. 1, 1862. dec 17—w2mpd

Headquarters 46th N. C. Regiment,
Goldsboro', N. C., Jan. 17, 1863.

THE FOLLOWING NAMED ABSENTEES are notified to join their Companies at this post without delay, being absent without leave, or having remained absent beyond their furloughs:

COMPANY A.
Privates J E Huntley
M W H Price of Union county
COMPANY B.
Privates D W Conrad
Wm Fritz
J W Headrick
J Terry
A Wilkerson, of Davidson county
COMPANY C.
Privates H S Arthurs
W H Boyer
A J Cashion
D Cledfelter
C A Earnhardt
J A M Gibson
J S Leonard
D Keistler
T A Murdock
J W Orbison
O S Plyler
D Scroggs
T B Sherrill
J T Torrence, of Iredell county
COMPANY D.
Corporal J M Dictor
Privates J C Richardson
D Richardson
J Wood
H A Spence
S Craven
E Wallace
W Williamson, of Moore county
COMPANY E.
Privates C W Anderson
J Davis
M King
J Lee
H J Yarborough, of Union county
COMPANY F.
Privates T McDowell
W Evans
L R Ferguson
G S Richardson
P Wolf
T Fowler, of Union county
COMPANY G.
Privates J Y Field
T A Holt
J Malden
S A Rogers
R Burns
A Cross
L L Hessler
J Newsom
S H Scarlet
W D Sinder
J W Wood
J B Abernathy
J W West, of Chatham county
COMPANY H.
Privates A S Bryant
J K Lambeth
S Fisher
N Horn
W Johnson
H Leonard
R Leonard
S F Myers
L Loman
S Fallyers
J Miller, of Davidson county
COMPANY I.
Privates W H Mullis
Wm McGlammery
J Skipper
B H Wright, of Union county
COMPANY K.
Privates E D Spach
F Smith
J B Bodenhammer
L Garboden
A Crouch
J Mendenhall
P B Mustin
N Brown
W Kapp
W Standiford
A T Joyner
E Hauser
S Venable
H Crouch
S Green
R Green
J Atwood
F L Reynolds
R Smith
N Moab
W Speech, of Forsythe county

Hospital Steward, L L Johnson.

These men must be at this post within ten days after the publication of this order, or they will be reported as deserters.

By order of Col. R. C. HILL:
J. R. WINCHESTER, Act'g Adjutant.
jan 24—3t

Headquarters 48th N. C. Regiment,
Goldsboro', N. C., Dec. 16, 1862.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

ALL OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS OF this Regiment able to join it at his place, will do so immediately. Those whose sick leaves have expired and are still unfit for duty, must come here to have them renewed. Those unable to travel will forward certificates to that effect.

Failing in this, their names will be furnished to the Colonels of Militia for arrest and confinement at Raleigh as deserters.

Certificates of unfitness for duty will not exempt the holder from reporting in person.

By order of Col. R. C. HILL:
J. R. WINCHESTER, Act. Adjutant.
jan 24—3t

Notice to Commanding Officers of Militia Regiments in the First Congressional District, N. C.

COMMANDING OFFICERS OF MILITIA Regiments in the aforesaid District, are hereby notified to assemble all men enrolled by them on the 20th December, 1862, as conscripts in their respective regiments, at the following places and dates, for examination and final enrollment, viz:

Commander of the 36th Regiment, at Jackson, on the 15th day of January, 1863.

Commander of the 6th Regiment, at Winton, 22d January, 1863.

Commander of the 8th and 9th, at Windsor, 29th January, 1863.

Commander of the 10th, at Williamston, 5th February, 1863.

Issued in obedience to Special Order, No. 12, by Col. Peter Mallett, Commandant of Conscripts in North Carolina. Lt THOMAS J. STEWART,
Enrolling officer First Congressional Dist., N. C.
W. R. CAPEHART,
Examining Surgeon First Cong. Dist., N. C.
jan 7—1m

Committed To Jail.

WAS COMMITTED TO THE JAIL OF Warren County, on the 31st day of December last as a runaway, a Negro man who says his name is Washington Newell; that he belongs to Capt. Wm. Smith of the 6th Regiment N. C. Troops, and that his master lives in Esquier County, Va., when at home. He also says he escaped from the Jail of Wake County some six or eight weeks since, and subsequently from Nash County Jail.

Said Negro is a dark ginger cake or bacon color; about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, has bad teeth in front and appears to be about 40 or 45 years of age.

The owner must prove property, pay charges and take him away or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

Jan. 10—tf WM. L. HARRISS, Jailor.

"Good" Land For Sale.

MY TRACT OF LAND IN THE COUNty of Franklin, eight miles S. East of Louisburg, on the Cypress Creek, is in "Market." The tract contains 1144 Acres. Enough "rich" bottom to make 700 barrels of Corn. is now open, well ditched and easy to cultivate and with the open high land 1100 barrels corn can be easily made the present year. The improvements consists of 8 Negro Cabins, Overseer's House, Corn Cribs and Stables. This is believed to be the very best tract of land in the County.

I can supply the purchaser of this tract with 350 Bls. Corn, 48 Stacks Fodder and 500 lbs Pork.

Also 840 Acres near Davis' X Roads, 8 miles from Louisburg and 18 from Nashville. The improvments are one Frame House 20x20 with Basement Room and Stone Chimney, two Cabins, enough open land to make 200 Bls. Corn, with a good Apple Orchard. More land can be easily fenced to make 200 Bls. Corn.

In my abscence Mr. N. B. Massenburg is authorized to Sell, Convey, title, &c., to these lands, and Lieut. W. K. Davis and Maj. S. W. Brodee will take pleasure in showing them. T. W. DAVIS.

Louisburg, Jan. 10—t1F
"State Journal" and Petersburg Express copy till 1st Feb.

Notice.

ON MONDAY THE 16TH OF FEBRUary next, I will sell at auction, at the Court House Door, in Raleigh, sixteen Bales Cotton, of the crop of 1861. C. B. HARRISON, Adm'r.
ja 17—td of Bryan Green's Estate.

Hillsboro', N. C., Military Academy.

THE FIFTH ACADEMIC YEAR OF this Institution will commence on the first Wednesday in February, 1863.

For Circulars and information, apply to
MAJ. WM. M. GORDON, Supt. H. M. A.,
nov 29—4m Hillsboro', N. C.

Notice.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTrator of GEN'L GEORGE B ANDERSON, deceased, at November term, 1862, of Wake County Court, I hereby give notice to the debtors of the estate to make payment, and to the creditors to present their claims within the time prescribed by law.

W. E. ANDERSON, Adm'r.
Nov'r 24, 1862. nov 29—tf

For Sale.

A SMALL FARM OF ABOUT 60 ACRES in the village of Oak Hill, Granville county, N. C., 12 miles from Oxford. There is a good dwelling, school house, and out-houses on the place. Also, a very good Apple Orchard. Mr. Wm. H. Puryear, the Postmaster at Oak Hill, will show any one the premises. For information regarding terms, &c., address

F. BINFORD,
jan 21—2m Richmond, Va.

Notice.

ALL WHO ARE INDEBTED TO US upon open account will please call and pay or Bond the same.

ja 17—1m WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—At the annual meeting of the North Carolina Mutual Fire Insurance Company, held on the 14th January, 1862, the following persons were elected Directors and Officers for the ensuing year:

DIRECTORS.

Henry D. Turner, Raleigh.
John R. Williams, do.
T. H. Selby, do.
C. W. D. Hutchings, do.
Kemp. P. Battle, do.
George Little, do.
James M. Towles, do.
James E. Hoyt, Washington,
Alexander Mitchell, Newbern.
Jos. G. Wright, Wilmington.
John M. Jones, Edenton.
George W. Charles, Elizabeth City
Jos Ramsay, Plymouth.
J. W. Harrell, Murfreesborough.
H. B. Williams, Charlotte.
Samuel Watkins, Milton.
A. W. Steel, Fayetteville.
Joseph White, Anson county
Josh. Boner, Salem.
A. F. Summy, Asheville,

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY

T. H. Selby, *President.*
Henry D. Turner, *Vice do.*
John H. Bryan, *Attorney.*
Hamden S. Smith, *Secretary and Treasurer*
T. H. Selby, *ex-officio*, } *Ex. Committee.*
John R. Williams, }
C. W. D. Hutchings, }

This Company has been in successful operation over 13 years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State, (except Steam Mills and Turpentine Distilleries) upon favorable terms.—Its Policies now cover property amounting to nearly $4,000,000, a large portion of which is in country risks; and its present capital is over Four Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds properly secured.

All communications in reference to insurance should be addressed to the Secretary, postpaid.

HAMDEN S. SMITH, *Sec'y.*
January 18th, 1862. jan 22—

NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.—OFFICE RALEIGH, N. C.—THIS COMPANY takes risks upon all healthy lives between the ages of 14 and 60 years—for one year, for seven years, or for life—*the assurers for life* participating in the profits of the Company. Slaves between the ages of 10 and 60 years, are insured for one or five years, for two-thirds their market value.

All losses are paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.

DIRECTORS FOR 1861 AND 1862.

Charles E. Johnson, Wm. H. Jones,
Wm. W. Holden, H. W. Husted,
J. G. Williams, P. F. Pescud,
Quentin Busbee, K. P. Battle,
Wm. H. McKee, W. S. Mason,
Charles B. Root, Everard Hall,
Rich'd H. Battle.

OFFICERS.

Dr. Chas. E. Johnson, President.
W. W. Holden, Vice President.
H. W. Husted, Attorney.
Wm. H. Jones, Treasurer.
R. H. Battle, Secretary.
W. H. McKee, Medical Examiner.
W. H. McKee, } *Executive Committee.*
Charles B. Root, }
Q. Busbee, }

For further information, the public is referred to the pamphlets and forms of proposal, which may be obtained at the Office of the Company, or any of its Agencies. Address

R. H. BATTLE, Sec'y.
Raleigh Jan. 8th, 1862. jan 11

OFFICE OF THE CHATHAM R. R. COMPANY,
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.
Raleigh, Oct. 31, 1862. nov 8—tf

SNUFFS! SNUFFS!!

WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO RECeive orders for 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.
Petersburg, Nov. 22d, 1862. nov 22—3m

THE NEXT SESSION OF J. H. HORNER'S SELECT SCHOOL, at Oxford, N. C., will open the second Monday in January, 1863.
Oxford, N. C. Dec. 4, 1862. dec 10—2m

A PRIVATE SCHOOL FOR YOUNG 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 further particulars, will please address

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

Committed

TO THE JAIL OF WAKE COUNTY, ON the 11th of November, 1862, a negro man who says his name is HARRY, and that he belongs to John Thomas Mebane, of Bertie County. Said boy is about 35 years of age, and of dark complexion.

The owner of said boy is requested to come forward, prove property and pay charges, or he will be dealt with as the law directs.

W. H. HIGH, Shff.
Dec. 15th, 1862. dec 17—tf

Auditor's Department.

THE ATTENTION OF ALL PERSONS who are concerned is hereby called to the Act of the General Assembly which creates the office of Auditor of Public Accounts.

Accounts with the State for the expenditure of public money will be required to conform, in all cases, touching military affairs, to the Army Regulations of the Confederate States; and all accounts, whether in the military or in the civil departments of the government are to be presented quarterly, and as soon as may be after the close of the regular quarter.

The undersigned avails himself of the present opportunity to notify all who are delinquent in rendering accounts of public money or property in their hands since the commencement of the war now pending of the necessity of having their accounts prepared and settled. The attention of the General Assembly will be called to the names of these persons, and suits will be directed in cases where this notice is disregarded.

Claims against the State will be audited according to the rules observed by the late Board of Claims.

S. F. PHILLIPS,
ja 10—6t Auditor, &c.

ANOTHER LARGE & VALUABLE stock of Imported Drugs, pr Steamer Kate, was purchased by the subscriber at the sale in Charleston on the 12th inst., which is daily expected and will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, at a small advance. This is a rare opportunity for Physicians and country merchants to replenish their stocks for fall trade. TERMS, CASH ON DELIVERY. The following comprises in part the stock referred to viz: 200 oz. Quinine, 100 gal. Castor Oil, 150 lbs. Camphor, 600 lbs. Pepper, 1 Case Howards Calomel, 6 do. Iod. Potass, 1 do. Sulpher, 3 Packages Chlorate Potass, 300 do. Alum, 8 Cases Eng. Mustard, 1 Case Morphine in oz vials, 1 Package Opium, 1 do. Assafoetida, 1 Case Eng. B. W. and Omnibus Soaps, 5 bbs. Lard Oil, 25 bbls. Tanners Oil, 1500 lbs. Yellow Wax, Fine Tooth Coombs, Ivory, Spts. Nitre, Lunar Caustic, and many extracts too tedious to mention