

POETICAL.

A CHARGE OF INFANTRY.

Betsy's got another baby! Darling precious little tyke! Grandma says—and she knows, surely— That you never saw its like.

The following impressive passage is from the "Husband and Wife's Grave," a poem published several years since by Richard H. Dana.

O, LISTEN MAN! A voice within us speaks the startling word "Man, thou shalt never die!"

SOMETHING ABOUT PRINTING. We live in an age and in a country wherein it would be considered almost a proof of lunacy, or great temerity at least, to say that printing is not one of the most useful arts.

Common or letter press printing, such as books, newspapers, &c., is carried on by a large number of tools or types, every one of which cost money, labor, and ingenuity to fit it for use.

every sized type, and every different shape and size, of each letter in our alphabet in use—new matrices have to be made, and each with the same exactness, or the fount is defective. In roman each letter must be made three times—large and small capitals, lower case, saying nothing of points, figures and other indispensable characters.

Table with 4 columns: letter, number of types, number of types, number of types. Rows include a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z.

Nothing here is said of points, figures, double letters and other characters, which would swell this list amazingly. And all this makes but one item in a common country newspaper office.

PAY THE PRINTER. GIANT SEA-WEED.

There is one marine production, which from its importance is worth a particular history. It is the kelp or Fucus giganteus of Solander. This plant grows on every rock from low-water mark to a great depth, both on the outer coast and within the channels.

And as this weed does not grow in a perpendicular direction, but makes a very acute angle with the bottom and much of it afterwards spreads many fathoms on the surface of the sea, I am well warranted to say that some of it grows at the length of sixty fathoms and upwards.

"The number of living creatures, of all orders, whose existence intimately depends on that of the kelp, is wonderful. A great volume might be written, describing the inhabitants of one of these beds of sea-weeds.

From the New York Express. North Carolina and Western Elections show us that Locofocoism is scotched, not killed.

"A LITTLE MORE GRAPE." VOLUNTEERS VOTING.—A vote taken among the volunteers of the 4th Kentucky regiment, that arrived here yesterday morning on the steamer Archer, resulted as follows:

NOTICE. APPLICATION will be made at the next General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, for a Charter of a Rail Road to be constructed from the Town of Charlotte to the Town of Danville, in Virginia, or to some point on the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road.

NOTICE. A NEW and elegant Surveyor's Compass for sale. Apply at this Office.

LAND DEEDS. Beautifully printed and for sale here.

and by, that the night before the battle of Buena Vista he ran away, and hid himself in Saltillo, where he actually did go to order a proper defence of that town.

Now we have no apprehension of the great result, as the old true Whig standard bearers wake up to the magnitude of the work and their duty. In guerilla fights, all upon our own hook, we shall soon be scattered to the four winds,—but when there is ORGANIZATION, when there is ACTION, all's well.

It is always the height of folly, in a Presidential campaign, to underestimate the work to be done in it, and it is so much wiser to over-estimate it, as we did in 1840,—that, if we are to err, let us err on the safe side.

Walter Scott tells a story of a Scotch Judge, who got beaten at chess every circuit by a country friend who he was in the habit of visiting.

NOTICE. THE French ship Industrie arrived at N. York on Thursday with a large number of planters as passengers from Martinique, who left their plantations with their crops growing, on account of the insurrection.

NOTICE. HOTCHKISS'S Vertical Water Wheels for sale in Fayetteville, by D. McNEILL & Co. And in Lincoln County by E. A. BREVARD.

TAKEN UP AND COMMITTED. To the jail of Rowan county, on the night of the 4th inst, a negro boy about twenty five years of age, dark complexion, five feet six inches high, a burnt scar on the back of the right hand.

DRS. BROWN & JAMES. DRS. BROWN & JAMES. DRS. BROWN & JAMES.

Saddle, Harness and Trunk MANUFACTORY! MAIN STREET, SALISBURY.

THE subscriber having established himself in the Town of Salisbury, for the purpose of carrying on the above business, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

FASHIONS FOR 1848! HORACE H. BEARD, Dressmaker.

Tailoring. B. F. FRALEY is ever ready to make CLOTHING in the latest style, well done, and warranted to fit.

A CARD. WILLIAM J. PLUMMER, SADDLER AND HARNESS MAKER.

High Shoals Iron Works! Gaston County, N. C. THE subscriber having leased the above Establishment, for the purpose of manufacturing Iron, Nails, Castings, Mill Spindles, Cranks, and all Blacksmith Work.

NOTICE. J. N. WOOD, MOSES L. BROWN. Salisbury, June 1, 1848.

Medicines, Medicines. WE are receiving at Dr. C. B. Wheeler's old stand the largest and best stock of MEDICINES, INSTRUMENTS, Paints & Dye-Staffs, Spices & Perfumery.

Important to Mill Owners. HOTCHKISS'S Vertical Water Wheels for sale in Fayetteville, by D. McNEILL & Co. And in Lincoln County by E. A. BREVARD.

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LEXINGTON FEMALE SEMINARY. THE undersigned has the honor to announce to their friends, and to the public, that the first Session of this Institution will be held on Monday in July, under the auspices of D. SALISBURY, late of the Edgeworth High School, Salisbury.

Music on the Piano, &c. Board, with all necessary books, from \$30 to \$40 per session.

FAMILY COM. SIX Lectures on Consumption, Asthma, &c. All necessary instructions can be had from the undersigned.

PRICE & FASHIONABLE CONCORD. April 27, 1848.

JUST RECEIVED. A VERY large assortment of all kinds of Wines.

FALL AND WINTER FOR 1847. Just Received at the New Tailor Shop.

I WOULD respectfully announce to Salisbury and its vicinity, that I have placed for the purpose of carrying on Business in all its various branches, strict attention to business, to public patronage.

House Paint. THE subscriber would like to call attention to the public, that he holds himself ready to undertake and execute, in the best style, in all its various sizes in his line of business.

25 DOLLARS. RANAWAY from the Suburbs of Morganton to the Negro Man slave, named SALLY, aged about 20 years, very dark, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, was purchased by me of Mr. W. H. Gant, who purchased him of the late Mr. Burke county. He has been back to this county. The above Dollars will be paid for his manumission, if he is found in this county, or if he is found in any other county, he will be sent to the Sheriff of this county, to be kept until he is manumitted.

State of North Carolina. Superior Court of Law. Nancy Carrall, Benjamin Carrall, et al. vs. Benjamin Carrall, et al.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that Benjamin Carrall, et al. have been appointed Administrators of the estate of Benjamin Carrall, deceased, and that the same has been made in the Greenock and Watchman, for three months, and that the same has been made and appear at the next Term of Law, to be held for the County of Rowan, on the fourth Monday in September, next, to answer the petition of the said Benjamin Carrall, et al. for judgment pro confesso, with this case set for hearing on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1848.

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