

SCOTT'S LAMENT.

Virginia! Thou art well avenged!
Remorse is killing thee!
Let me pour forth one long, last wail,
For all I've injured thee.

II.
Would I could feel, as once I did,
The proud and lofty air,
With which I took my Mother's sword,
I never more can wear.

III.
I see it now with teeming brain!
The blade is gory red!
Each drop stands out, a brother's name,
I've numbered with the dead.

IV.
Oh! take from me the maddening sight!
The glittering hilt I grasp;
It stings me with the serpent tooth,
Deadly as poisonous asp!

V.
The vision's gone! Again I'm calm;
Reflecting now with tears,
In six short months I've blasted all,
The hopes of sixty years.

VI.
Ambition, with conductor coil,
Did all affection smother,
And bade me join the Tyrant cause,
To subjugate my Mother!

VII.
With cold ambition, came the twin,
This mother tie to sever;
Envy and Hatred! sped the shaft,
To blast my heart forever.

VIII.
Its scared and withered; like the tree
The lightning bolt has riven.
On Earth there is no peace again—
Would I could hope for Heaven!

IX.
Oh, Lee! how proud thy soul must feel,
Your Mother's heart you cherish;
Virginia! prays around for thee,
Whist all my hopes are perished.

X.
And Davis, too, like Washington,
Is blessed in every heart—
Wives, Mothers, Sisters pray for him—
I took the Traitor's part.

XI.
My heart grows sick, or I could call
On many a brilliant name
Inscribed in characters of gold,
While mine is writ in shame.

XII.
Scorn and contempt, and cold neglect,
Are the reward my treachery won;
With honor, health and power destroyed,
Virginia! thy revenge is done.

XIII.
Then cease, Virginia, to upbraid;
Could you but look within
The heart remorse is gnawing at,
You'd pardon e'en my sin.

From the Southern Field and Friends.
RHYMES FOR THE TIMES.

So you're going, darling, going
Where the bloody Mars is throwing
His ensanguined bolts around;
Where his victims, dead and dying,
Are beside each other lying.
On the cold unshowered ground.

No you're leaving, darling, leaving
Me to die with lonely grieving,
When my loved one's gone away;
O! will nothing, nothing keep you?
Thank, I never again may meet you—
Oh, be merciful and stay!

Stay! oh stay! and I'll caress you;
Here's my bosom, let me press you—
What! And dare you disobey?
Why, sir, force those tears to glisten!
Be you silent, sir, and listen
What my throbbing heart would say.

Know you then, sir, that I love you,
Next to Him who rules above you,
And my own unspotted fame,
With a love as life enduring,
Ever cheerful, never sighing,
And in every fate the same.

Yet, sir, had you seemed to waver,
As your country's humble avenger,
I should then your love resign;
For I swear no slave can be,
Either sweet or dear to me,
In the widest range of time.

Now, however, before you go, love,
O! to meet the destined foe, love,
Come enjoy a last embrace—
Ah! how sweet to love's enjoyment!
Would it were the sole employment
Of our woe-begotten race.

But behold you proud invader—
Hark! our country calls to aid her,
Every son upon her soil,
Be you first with life to shield her;
Be you last with life to yield, or
Ne'er return to claim the "spear."

J. H. S.
Montgomery, April, 1861.

STAND UP FOR THE STATE OF THE COUNTRY.

Stand up here, Bill Brooks and keep your coat tail out of your mouth.

Q. What is independence?
A. Do as you please, so long as you please, tell what you please, and what you please for, and cheat all you can.

Q. What is love of country?
A. To fight, bleed and die, and get no credit for it.

Q. Do all men manifest this desire to do battle for their country?
A. No; some had rather stay at home and make money, grumble at the faults of others, spend upon Tom's and Jim's Bravery.

Q. What class is this?
A. They are commonly called street loungers, but some call 'em soap tails for short.

Q. All who stay at home are not so disposed are they?
A. Oh no—some are liberal in their donations to support the country and relieve the wants of the poor.

Q. Do they get no credit for it?
A. Nay but. You see the soap-tails do all the talking, having more time to devote to the bellows than the working man, and they say when the liberal give a dollar they just add that much more profits on their saleable articles, which the country is bound to have.

Q. Is it certain that any person does this?
A. Without a doubt, a great many do add on blockade war tax, and many other items too numerous to mention.

Q. Is it men that have been born and raised among us?
A. Yes sir, and some others.

Q. What is patriotism now a days?
A. Talk big, tell what you have done, what you wish to do, make out you've done everything and nobody else has done nothing, pay all your taxes and make 'em up on yer customers, add a little more to the price every time you see the word "blockade," oppress the people, and especially the poor, they can't get no business to be poor.

Q. Who does this?
A. Merchants, farmers and school teach—
Blast Bill with an inkstand in close proximity with his spout.—*Lancaster Ledger.*

Amid Party Hacks.—We hope the people will bear in mind the great importance of excluding party hacks from both branches of the Confederate Congress. Let the members of the "old wreck" be carefully excluded—they learned too many tricks in Washington to be safe representatives of the people. Give us fresh men—give us pure men—even they intellectually, they may be inferior to those who brought ruin upon the country. Give us honest men, of fair ability, and we have nothing to fear.

The Legislature of North Carolina set a good example the other day in the election of Confederate Senators—one a Whig and the other a Democrat—neither of them connected with the "old wreck"—both new men so far as we know—one named Davis, the other Dortch. This gives us some hope. We would much rather look upon these unfamiliar names than the names of those who would awaken reminiscences of past party treachery and corruption. Hurra for Davis and Dortch! We have never heard their name connected with any disreputable transaction. Give us new men all the time, and we will at least have some reason to hope for a pure and honest administration of the Government.

With broken-down hacks in these high places, we should know that destruction would sooner or later overtake the new Government.—*Athens Watchman.*

Our Treasury Notes.—Judge Hyams, of the Louisiana Sugar Planter, does not often "get mad," but when he does—when he does—well, for example:

We have heard with much mortification that our treasury notes have, in some places, been held at a discount, and in others, have been refused altogether. This is no time to mince matters or words with any man guilty of so contemptible an action, either in one or the other. If we have no faith in our Government now that we have marched so far upon the road to independence under its skillful guidance, when, in the name of common sense, shall confidence be established? Does the action of such miserable wretches, who refuse our treasury notes, or who desire to have them discounted, arise from purely mercenary motives, or from fear that they will never be paid? If the former, their souls are so small that a million might dance upon a mustard seed, and cannot, at heart, be true friends to the South; if the latter, we advise that they be immediately ordered to leave for a more genial climate where their patriotism will be better appreciated—under the Government of Abe Lincoln. Every man who refuses to receive treasury notes in payment of all just dues, or even in ordinary business transactions, at par, is no friend to the South, and should be dealt with accordingly.

AGRICULTURAL FAIRS.—We suppose there will be no Agricultural Fairs in any of the Southern States this year. The Executive Committee of the Mecklenburg Society have decided to have none in this county this year, and we suppose there will be some held in the State. The President of the South Carolina Agricultural Society publishes a notice stating that there will be no Fair in that State. Inasmuch as all the money that can be spared will be needed for war purposes, we think it best to omit these exhibitions the present year. When the war closes we hope all the Societies will be revived.—*Charlotte Democrat.*

The only money that does a young man good is what he earns himself. A ready made fortune, like ready made clothing, seldom fits the man who comes into possession.

The pleasantest things in the world are pleasant thoughts, and the greatest art in life is to have as many of them as possible.

Excess of ceremony shows want of breeding. That civility is best which excludes all superfluous formality.

One hour of justice is worth seventy years prayer. One act of charity is worth a century of eloquence.

Head-Quarters 63rd Regiment N. C. MILITIA.

To the Officers and Regiment:
Met at the Adjutant's office, in Salisbury, on Friday 25th day of October inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M., for drill, per standing order of Court Martial.

The Captain will pay particular attention to the following set passed at the second session of the last General Assembly:
Sec. 2. All free white men and white apprentices, residents of the State, except ministers of the Gospel of every denomination that are properly educated, or have, cure of souls, and the superintendent assistant physician and necessary attendants of the Insane Asylum, of North Carolina, who shall be of the age of 18 and under 50 years, shall as soon as practicable, be severally and respectively enrolled in the militia of the State, by the Captain or commanding officer of the infantry company within the bounds of whose district such persons may reside.

R. P. BESSENT, Adjutant,
Sept. 20, 1861. 4642

TAKE NOTICE.

From this date our books are positively closed to all.

Cash will in every instance be required without distinction of persons.

We are compelled to buy for cash ourselves and must therefore have money.

Do not ask for credit as we are forced to refuse all persons.

R. & A. MURPHY.
6442
Oct. 1, 1861.

Rowan County Soldier's Aid Society.

THIS Society will receive at their Depository next door to Brown, Coffin & Mook's Store, Socks, Blankets, Gloves, Clothing, Shoes, Dried Fruit, Potatoes, Sour Kroul, Peas and Beans, and forward them to the Soldiers of Rowan County.

If those wishing to send special gifts of above named articles to their Friends can do so by leaving the articles at the Depository.

MRS. D. A. DAVIS, Pres.
Rowan Co. Soldier's Aid Soc'y.

WANTED.—From 50 to 100 Shoe makers for course work, either pegged or sewed, to whom the highest cash prices will be given. Also a good CUTTER wanted. Apply to

J. H. ENNIS.
Salisbury, Oct. 7, 1861. 4643

Corn and Wheat Wanted!

WE will pay the highest cash price for old Corn and Wheat at the distillery.

M. & E. MYERS.
Salisbury, Oct. 7, 1861. 4316

Brown's Livery Stable.

It is kept up as heretofore. It is gratifying to him that this establishment, begun at first, as a doubtful experiment, has proved to the public a great desideratum and a complete success. Travelers, and others can always have their wants, in this line, well supplied.

Cash prices paid for Provender. And the subscriber is always ready to sell or buy good Horses.

THOMAS BROWN.
Jan. 1st, 1861. 4647

New Firm.

MURR & SOSSAMON,
HAYING purchased of J. D. Brown & Co., their entire stock of

TIN, SHEET-IRON, COPPERWARE, STOVES, &c.

now offer the largest and handsomest lot of COOKING, PARLOR AND CHURCH STOVES ever offered in this market, and will sell for cash as low as can be had in Western North Carolina. Also, all kinds of Plain and Japanese TINWARE AND STILLS kept on hand. All kinds Tin Sheet-Iron or Copper work done at the shortest notice.

MURR & SOSSAMON.
Salisbury, Jan. 22, 1861. 1736

SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, Sept. 13, 1861.

WANTED for the Army, a large quantity of Cider Vinegar, Hard Soap and Tallow Candles.

JOHN DEVERETX,
Captain C. S.

Subsistence Department,
RALEIGH, Sept. 13, 1861.

A large supply of salt Beef will be needed for the subsistence of the troops during the coming winter.

Proposals for furnishing it will be received at the Adj. & Act. Com. General's office in Raleigh, N. C., and specifications furnished on application.

A. DEVEREUX,
Captain C. S.
Sept. 15, 1861. 4639

50,000 Pair Woolen Socks Wanted.

For the North Carolina Soldiers.

OFFICE OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER AND PAYMASTER OF THE N. C. ARMY, Salisbury, Aug. 13, 1861.

THE highest price in Cash will be paid for WOOLEN SOCKS. I appeal to the patriotic Ladies of North Carolina to furnish them, and am assured the call will not be in vain.

I would prefer them thick and made long in the leg.

A. MYERS,
Assistant Q. M. & P. M.
Aug. 15, 1861. 4631

Attention! Military Companies.

THE subscriber is prepared to furnish to Companies the Military Fatigue Cap of Home Manufacture and material, well made, and of latest military style at low price. Address

JAS. H. ENNIS.
Salisbury, N. C.
May 17, 1861

MARRIAGE LIUENSES
FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE

TIME TABLE.
WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA

RAIL ROAD.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Salisbury, June 15, 1861.

On and after the 17th instant, a Train of Cars will leave Salisbury daily, and run according to the following schedule:

TRAIN WEST.

STATIONS.	Whole Day	Arrive	Leave
		A. M.	A. M.
Salisbury	7.46	
Third Creek	8.29	8.34
Statesville	9.10	9.20
Catawba	10.05	10.10
Newton	10.46	10.55
Hickory Tavern	11.33	11.40
Lead	12.10	
Morganton		

TRAIN EAST.

STATIONS.	Whole Day	Arrive	Leave
		P. M.	P. M.
Morganton		
Icard	1.30	
Hickory Tavern	2.00	2.06
Newton	2.40	2.45
Catawba	3.20	3.35
Statesville	4.10	4.20
Third Creek	4.55	5.00
Salisbury	5.45	

Passengers will dine at Icard's.

JAMES C. TURNER,
Ch. Eng. and Sup't. W. N. C. R. R.
Salisbury, June 18, 1861. 4713

THE CONFEDERATE LOAN.

THE undersigned having been appointed Commissioners to receive subscriptions of Stock to the Confederate Loan, would most earnestly and respectfully appeal to the patriotism of the people of Rowan county to come forward with their well-known liberality and uphold the Government and sustain the credit of the Confederate States. We ask you to subscribe a portion of your crops, for which you receive the Bonds of the Confederate States, bearing 6 per cent interest per annum. By thus sustaining our Government in the noble struggle against the Black Republican horde, invading our soil, we shall defend our liberties, our lives, our homes and families, our wives and our children from the blood-stained hands of our enemies, and free ourselves from the yoke of oppression and despotism.

B. CRAIG,
J. W. HALL,
SAM'L. REEVES,
JOHN I. SHAVER,
Commissioners.
July 27, 1861. 4723

THE undersigned having been duly appointed by the authority of the Confederate States are ready to receive subscriptions in pursuance of the Act of the C. S. Congress, passed February, 1861, for Coupon Bonds or transferable stock, either bearing eight per cent interest, and to give receipts on the payment of the money.

D. F. CALDWELL,
JOHN I. SHAVER,
WM. MURPHY,
Commissioners.
Salisbury, Sept. 12, 1861. 4738

NOTICE TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THE subscriber having volunteered his services in the defence of the South, earnestly requests that all who are indebted to him will call and settle immediately as he wishes to leave his business in a tangible form, and hopes that this notice will not be disregarded.

R. P. BESSENT.
Sept. 12, 1861. 4739

W. R. WILSON.
Watch Maker and Jeweler.
Salisbury, N. C.

January 29, 1861. 4737

State of North Carolina, ROWAN COUNTY.

Court of Laws and Quarter Sessions, May Term, 1861.

ORDERED by the Court that all patrol companies in the county have leave to go any where they may please in the county and discharge the regular duties of patrol companies, when they see fit, so fully out of their districts as they have heretofore discharged them within their respective districts.

JAMES E. KERR, Clerk.
May 16, 1861. 473

JAMES HORAH, Watch-Maker and Jeweler,
One door below R. & A. Murphy's Store,
SALISBURY, N. C.

KEEPS constantly on hand a large assortment of WATCHES and JEWELRY of all kinds.

Clocks, Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired in the best manner and on the most reasonable terms.

February 14, 1860. 1738

COWAN'S Vegetable Lithontriptic,
OR
FRIEND OF THE HUMAN FAMILY,
SUFFERING FROM
DISEASED KIDNEYS,
Stones in the Bladder and Kidneys,
Weakness of the Loins, &c.

THIS inestimable Medicine is for sale only at Mocksville, Salisbury Stateville, Concord and Fayetteville, and at Col. Austin's and no where else.

The subscriber having entered into partnership with John F. Cowan, original inventor, for the manufacture and sale of the above Medicine, is prepared to furnish a supply by dressing him at Salisbury, N. C., or calling on his residence, 10 miles west of this place.

E. D. AUSTIN.
June 21, 1855. 475

Greensborough Mutual INSURANCE COMPANY.

Pays all Losses Promptly!

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All communications on business connected with this Office, should be addressed to
PETER ADAMS, Secretary
Greensboro, N. C., June 13, 1860. 474

MICHAEL BROWN, COMMISSION MERCHANT.

SALISBURY, N. C.

PROMPT PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN to the purchase of all kinds of PRODUCE. And to all consignments sold in this market or shipped to other Ports.

February 14, 1860. 475

MIL O. J. ROSEMAN, M. D.

HAVING studied in prominent Medical Colleges and Hospitals, North and South, and having been practicing in the various departments of his profession for some years with good success, he continues to offer his services to the public where he is permanently located, and by strict attention to his professional endeavor to merit a liberal patronage. He is here, and holds himself in readiness, day and night, for professional calls.

Office at Roseman's Store.
April 23, 1861. 6m42

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP AND Carriage Manufactory,
SALISBURY, N. C.

HORAH & MERONEY

CALL the attention of their friends and the public to their shop in Salisbury, where they are prepared to do all kinds of Blacksmith work, and to make all kinds of SULKIES, BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, WAGONS, &c.

They have employed the best of Workmen in their line of business, and feel confident that their work will compare favorably with any to be found in the Country. They have on hand ready for sale, and will endeavor to keep a constant supply of Buggies of the very best quality, which they will sell on liberal terms and at low prices.

J. M. HORAH,
T. J. MERONEY.
Aug. 5, 1861. 4729

DRAYING.

THE undersigned gives notice that he keeps a TEAM AND WAGONS for the purpose of Draying and will serve all who may favor him with calls in his line on accommodating terms.

GEORGE MOWERY
March 20th, 1860. 4743

MEDICAL NOTICE.

AFTER the 30th day of this month, all books will be closed, and no medicine prescribed, will therefore practice medicine for the week only or its equivalent.

We regret the necessity which compels us to adopt this system, but as we are required to do so for all we purchase in town or county, this course seems to us absolutely necessary in order to provide for our families the necessities of life.

Persons indebted to us for past services, will please call and settle their accounts, either by cash or note. Country produce will be taken in payment of our bills, at the market price.

ALEXANDER LONG, M. D.
M. WHITEHEAD, M. D.
J. J. SUMMERELL, M. D.
Salisbury, Sept. 23, 1861. 5141

Equity Sale of Land!

By order of the Court of Equity of Rowan County, I will offer for sale at the Court House, in Salisbury, on the 23d day of November next, the vacant LOT in the East ward of the Town of Salisbury, lying on the North Carolina Railroad, opposite the old stand of the Mount Vernon Hotel, and adjoining the lot of Mrs. Murphy, and the lot where George Velez used to live. Terms of sale—six months credit, purchaser giving bond with approved surety.

L. BLACKMER, C. M. E.
Sept. 20, 1861. 641