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**G**IVE immediate relief in Nervous or sick Headache, palpitation of the heart, lowness of spirits, despondency, in inflammatory or putrid sore throat, bowel or summer complaint, fainting, oppression or a sense of sinking of the chest, cholera, spasms, cramps of the stomach or bowels, hysterical affections and all nervous diseases, drowsiness through the day and wakefulness at night; cholera or cholera morbus, diarrhoea, lassitude, or a sense of fatigue. Persons travelling or attending large parties, will find the Lozenges really reviving, and imparting the buoyancy of youth—used after dissipation, they will restore the tone of the system generally, and remove all the unpleasant symptoms arising from too free living.

#### Sherman's Cough Lozenges,

Are the safest, most sure and effectual remedy for Coughs, colds, consumptions, whooping cough, asthma, tightness of the lungs or chest, &c. The proprietors has never known an instance where they did not give perfect satisfaction. Several thousand boxes have been sold within the last year, restoring to health persons in almost every stage of consumption, and those laboring under the most distressing colds and coughs. They do not check and dry up the cough, but render it easy, promote expectoration, allay the tickling or irritation, and remove the proximate or exciting cause. They are made from a combination of the most valuable expectorant or cough medicines, and are undoubtedly superior to every thing in use for those complaints. Hundreds upon hundreds of certificates have been offered of their wonderful virtues, from those who have been saved from an untimely grave, and restored to perfect health, by using them.

#### Sherman's Worm Lozenges,

Proved in more than 400,000 cases to be infallible; the only certain worm-destroying medicine ever discovered. Many diseases arise from worms and occasion long and intense suffering & even death; with out their ever being suspected; grown persons are very often afflicted with them and are doctored for various complaints, without any benefit; when one dose of those Lozenges would speedily cure them.

**Symptoms of Worms**—Pains in the joints or limbs, off nose breath, picking at the nose, grinding of the teeth during sleep, and at times a paleness about the lips with flushed cheeks, bleeding at the nose, a gnawing sensation at the stomach, flashes of heat over the surface of the body, slight chills or shiverings, headache, drowsiness, vertigo, torpor, disturbed dreams, sudden starting in sleep with fright and screaming; sometimes a troublesome cough, feverishness, thirst, pallid hue, fits, bad taste in the mouth, difficult breathing, pain in the stomach or bowels, fatigue, nausea, squeamishness, voracious appetite, leanness, bloated stomach or limbs, gripings, shooting pains in various parts of the body, a sense of something rising in the throat, itching of the anus towards night, a frequent desire to pass something from the bowels, & sometimes discharges of slime and mucus.

#### Sherman's Poor Man's Plaster,

The best strengthening plaster in the world, and a sovereign remedy for pains, or weakness in the back, loins, sides, breast, neck, limbs, joints, rheumatism, lumbago, &c. One million a year will not supply the demand. They require a little warming before application. Warranted superior to all others, and for one quarter the usual price, making not only the best, but the cheapest plaster in the world. It affords relief in a few hours and makes as tonishing cures.

Ample directions accompany the above inestimable medicines, and numerous certificates as to their superior efficacy. Just received and for sale by

GEO. HOWARD, Agent.  
Tarboro', Feb. 23.

Constables' Blanks for sale,  
AT THIS OFFICE.

### VARIETY.



FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

#### FAREWELL TO MISS E.—

Farewell, sweet girl—I must away,  
Fate's decrees are cold and chill;  
My fortune calls, I must obey,  
But yet 'tis sad against my will.

Adieu, sweet girl—but for awhile,  
From thee I cannot long remain;  
Then let the gay, the sunny smile,  
Illuminate that lovely brow again.

Earth's gay scenes may pass me by,  
In them no joy I can find;  
For all my loveliest visions fly,  
Now I leave my girl behind.

Dearest girl! where'er I go,  
Thine impress in my breast I bear;  
Whether in joy—or sunk in woe,  
I feel thy spirit with me there.

Whate'er in joy or grief await  
My being here—whate'er my lot,  
In thy smile or frowns—my fate  
Remember'd—or by thee forgot—

On earth the gayest brightest beam  
Of hope—that wakes a charm for me,  
Is but to think—to feel—to dream—  
That I am not forgot by thee. F. J. W.

FOR THE TARBORO' PRESS.

#### A BRIEF ACCOUNT OF MYSELF, &c.

"A d—d odd genius" for a town.

A long score of years have I lived in this city,  
And "a d—d odd genius" have I been all the while;

My ways have been such, I have excited no pity,  
Nor have I by "O woman" been blest with a smile.

Aloof have I stood, oh, from woman's society,  
Like a hermit I've liv'd, like a fool to myself;  
'Tis said I have become most anti-sobriety,  
And pay poor attention to the things on the shelf.

Now be this as it "may be," my task is before me,  
And well chalk'd out by wisdom, which none can deny;

Not out out for greatness, I aspire to no glory,  
Save honor, uprightness, which I'll maintain till I die.

Oh! most cruel is the fate of a worm like myself,  
Thus doom'd as I am, oh! to die without a wife;  
And to live all alone, watching the things on the shelf.

Like a cat watching mice, is a miserable life.  
Yet my task is chalk'd out, which I've got to perform,  
My Master demands it, and I've got to obey;  
And 'tis just so with all, however humble the worm.

There's a part in the drama he must certainly play.  
Life's but a theatre, and we have all got to play  
Our part on the stage, for a part is assign'd us;  
And so whether we "hoe corn," or gamble, preach or pray,  
We are nought but mere models for those left behind us. YARD STICK.

From the Raleigh Register.

#### RESOURCES OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The Statesman and Legislators of America are beginning to appreciate the importance of statistical information. A correct knowledge of the resources and condition of the country must be essentially useful to every one who is called upon to legislate; or who has any interest, indeed, in the progressive improvement and rapid development of the resources of the country. No man can legislate properly, unless he knows the field on which he is to act, or the material which he is to employ. The mind, in the Hall of legislation, may exhaust itself in metaphysical speculation, or astonish by the splendor of its creations, but its deductions can never be correct unless the data which it employs, be true. We have been led to these remarks by receiving from a friend at Washington, a large Tabular Sheet, exhibiting the aggregate of the Statistics of the United States, taken in pursuance of an Act of Congress. With some labor, we have prepared from this General Statement the subjoined condensed account of the Statistics of North Carolina, which may be interesting for present information, and useful for future reference:

Iron.	
Number of Furnaces in the State	8
Tons produced (Cast Iron)	968
No. of Bloomeries, &c.	43
Tons produced (Bar Iron)	963
Tons of fuel consumed	11,598
No. of men employed	468
Capital invested	\$91,961
Lead.	
No. of Smelting Houses	2
No. of pounds produced	10,000
No. of men employed	30
Capital invested	\$50,000
Gold Mines.	
No. of Smelting Houses	10
Value produced	\$255,618
No. of men employed	389
Capital invested	\$9,832
Anthracite Coal.	
No. of bushels raised	1,400
No. of men employed	4

Bituminous Coal.	
No. of bushels raised	75
No. of men employed	1
Domestic Salt.	
No. of bushels produced	4,493
No. of men employed	8
Capital invested	\$7,090
Granite, Marble, &c.	
Value produced	3,350
No. of men employed	14
Capital invested	\$930
Live Stock.	
Horses and Mules	166,605
Neat Cattle	617,371
Sheep	538,279
Swine	1,649,716
Cereal Grains.	
No. of bushels of Wheat	1,970,855
No. of bushels of Barley	2,574
No. of bushels of Oats	3,193,941
No. of bushels of Rye	213,971
No. of bushels of Buckwheat	13,391
No. of bushels of Corn	23,893,763
Various Crops.	
Pounds of Wool	635,044
Pounds of Hops	1,003
Pounds of Wax	118,923
Hushels of Potatoes	2,609,239
Tons of Hay	101,369
Tons of Hemp and Flax	9,879
Pounds of Tobacco, gathered	16,772,37
Pounds of Rice	2,820,388
Cotton, Sugar, Silk, &c.	
Pounds of Cotton, gathered	51,926,190
Pounds of Silk Cocoons	3,014
Pounds of Sugar made	7,163
Cords of Wood sold	40,034
Gallons of Wine made	28,752
Nurseries.	
No. of men employed	20
Capital invested	\$4,663
Commerce.	
No. of Commercial Houses in foreign trade	4
No. of Commission Houses	46
Capital invested	\$151,300
Retail Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.	1,068
Capital invested	\$5,082,835
Lumber Yards	20
Capital invested	\$46,000
No. of men employed	432
Internal Transportation.	
No. of men employed	213
Butchers, Packers, &c.	
No. of men employed	24
Capital invested	\$9,000
Fisheries.	
No. of quintals of Fish	2,385
No. of barrels Pickled Fish	73,350
No. of gallons of Fish Oil	2,387
Value of Whalebone and other productions of the fisheries	\$23,800
No. of men employed	1,784
Capital invested	213,502
Products of the Forest.	
Value of lumber produced	\$506,766
Barrels for Tar, Pitch, &c.	593,451
Skins and furs, value produced	\$3,126
No. of men employed	2,694
Machinery.	
Value of machinery manufactured	\$43,985
No. of men employed	80
Hardware, Cutlery, &c.	
Value of Hardware, Cutlery, &c. manufactured	\$1,200
No. of men employed	48
Gun Manufactories.	
No. of small arms made.	1,085
No. of men employed	40
Precious Metals.	
Value manufactured	\$875
No. of men employed	1
Various Metals.	
Value manufactured	\$6,050
No. of men employed	24
Granite, Marble, &c.	
Value manufactured	\$1,083
No. of men employed	15
Bricks and Lime.	
Value manufactured	\$58,336
No. of men employed	276
Woolen Manufactories.	
No. of Fulling Mills	1
No. of Woolen manufactories	3
Value of manufactured goods	\$3,900
No. of persons employed	4
Capital invested	\$9,800
Cotton Manufactories.	
No. of Cotton manufactories	25
No. of Spindles	47,934
Value of manufactured articles	\$438,900
No. of men employed	1,219
Capital invested	\$995,300
Silk Manufactories.	
No. of pounds reeled	7
Value of the same	\$55
No. of persons employed	1
Flax Manufactories.	
Value of manufactures of Flax	\$1,866
No. of persons employed	95
Tobacco Manufactories.	
Value of manufactured articles	\$89,168
No. of persons employed	482
Capital invested	\$91,065
Hat Manufactories, &c.	
Value of Hats and Caps manufactured	\$38,167
Value of Straw Bonnets	1,700
No. of persons employed	142
Capital invested	\$13,141
Leather Manufactories, &c.	
No. of Tanneries	353
Sides of Sole Leather tanned	62,050

Sides of Upper Leather tanned,	\$9,032
No. men employed	645
Capital invested	\$271,797
All other manufactories of Leather, Saddleries, &c.	238
Value of manufactured articles	\$185,387
Capital invested	76,163
Soap and Candle Manufactories.	
No. of pounds of Soap	1,612,825
No. of pounds of Tallow Candles	148,546
No. of pounds of Sperm, and Wax Candles	335
No. of men employed	367
Capital invested	\$4,754
Distilled and Fermented Liquors.	
No. of Distilleries	2,802
Gallons produced	1,051,979
No. of men employed	1,422
Capital invested	\$180,200
Powder Mills.	
No. of Powder mills	1
Pounds of Gunpowder made	200
Capital invested	\$30
Drugs, Medicines, &c.	
Value of Medicinal Drugs, Paints, Dyes, &c.	8,635
Turpentine and Varnish value produced	\$116,750
No. of men employed	73
Capital invested	\$152,275
Earthenware.	
No. of Potteries	16
Value of manufactured articles	\$6,260
No. of men employed	21
Capital invested	\$1,531
Confectionary.	
Value of Confectionary made	\$3,300
No. of men employed	1
Capital invested	\$1,000
Paper.	
No. of Manufactories	3
Printing and Binding.	
No. of Printing Offices	26
No. of Binderies	4
No. of Weekly Newspapers	26
No. of Semi-weekly papers	1
No. of Periodicals	2
No. of men employed	103
Capital invested	55,400
Musical Instruments.	
Musical instruments—value produced	\$938
No. of men employed	3
Capital invested	\$200
Carriages and Wagons.	
Value of manufactures	\$301,601
No. of men employed	698
Capital invested	\$173,318
Mills.	
No. of Flouring Mills	323
Barrels of Flour manufactured	87,641
No. of Grist mills	2,033
No. of Saw mills	1,058
No. of Oil Mills	46
Value of manufactures	\$1,552,026
No. of men employed	1,830
Capital invested	\$1,670,228
Ships.	
Value of ships and vessels built	\$62,800
Furniture.	
Value of Furniture articles manufactured	\$35,000
No. of men employed	223
Capital invested	\$57,980
Houses.	
No. of brick and stone houses built	38
No. of wooden do. built	1,822
No. of men employed	1,707
Value of buildings	\$410,264
All other Manufactories.	
Value of all the manufactures not enumerated	\$127,516
Capital invested	\$62,550
Total capital invested in manufactures	\$3,838,200

100 gallons of Coffee.  
60 gallons of Tea.  
150 gallons of Madeira Wine.

**Fatal Affray**—The New Orleans Crescent City of the 8th instant says: "We learnt from Edward Morton, of the steamer John Jay, arrived last evening from Little Rock, that a fatal affray occurred at Lewisburg, Arkansas; between Dr. Mennifee and a Mr. Phillips, in which both were killed. Some difference arose about a note in possession of one of them. They accidentally met—drew pistols and fired. Mennifee was shot in the groin, and Phillips in the shoulder. They then drew bowie knives, and closed on each other. At the first cut, Mennifee was nearly severed in two, and Phillips's shoulder blade laid entirely open. Both expired on the spot."

An injunction has been served upon the publishers of the New York Aurora; forbidding their publishing certain correspondence between P. M. Wetmore and honorable Charles F. Mitchell, touching certain pipe laying transactions.

Silas M. Stilwell, Marshal of the Southern District of New York, is one of the first applicants for the benefit of the Bankrupt law. Just think of that. An officer whose yearly pay is \$10,000. We would not trust our old breeches in the keeping of such a fellow.—*Valley Star*. [If you did, you'd soon find them busted.] Andrews, the Cashier of the United States Bank, drew four hundred thousand dollars, and either put it in his pocket or spent it in pipe laying. That is the way that banks and bankers improve the morals of the country.

We learn from the Sailors' Magazine for February, that the number of vessels lost during the fourteen months ending with December, 1841, was as follows. Nearly all have been wrecked on the coast of the United States:

Ships	68
Barks,	47
Brigs,	130
Schooners,	246
Sloops,	21
Steamboats,	5
Unknown,	40
Total.	557

Of this number, there were of English vessels, viz.

Ships,	22
Barks,	16
Brigs,	41
Schooners,	15
Total,	94

Connected with the above, the number of lives ascertained to be lost is 650. In addition to this melancholy list, there have been reported 28 missing vessels, the whole of which, it is feared, have gone down to the caverns of the deep, with all on board. The Magazine justly remarks: How important that every opportunity should be improved to warn and exhort a class of men, who may be in our midst today, and in eternity to morrow.

It is stated, in the same article, that it has been ascertained, from an average of many years, that the number of merchant men wrecked annually on the coast of England, amount to upwards of five hundred; and the value of property lost, is three millions sterling!

**Shocking attempt to Murder.**—We learn from the Walde (Me.) Signal, that an attempt was made to murder the wife of Jos. Jellison, of Brooks, a few nights since, by pouring melted lead into her ear while asleep! About two o'clock at night she was awakened by a sensation as though her head was on fire, and screamed. Her husband seized hold of her, and asked her what was the matter, but whether he came from the backside of the bed or was on the bed, or was standing beside the bed, she could not tell. She told him to get some water and pour it into her ear, which relieved her somewhat. They sat up together the remaining part of the night, she receiving nothing but kind treatment, though no physician was sent for.—Nothing was seen by her of the ladle or shovel, but she found some pieces of lead in the morning, and her neck and shoulder was burnt a little, as was also her child; but her ear in the part exposed to sight, was not burnt at all. The physician testified that the cavity in the ear was either filled with lead or some fusible matter—and it was visible on examination, that the cavity of the ear was so firmly filled that they could not remove it with their instruments, though they had taken out several pieces. The woman has nearly if not wholly lost her senses, and whether she will survive is doubtful. Her husband was examined before a justice, but was not bound over to appear at court.

A body of rock salt has been discovered near Abingdon, Virginia, at the depth of 260 feet. This is the first that has ever been found in the U. States.

**The Boz Ball.**—This affair, which came off in New York on Monday night, is represented to have fully realized the expectations of its projectors. It was attended by an immense concourse of the beauty and fashion of New York. There were said to be 3500 persons present, whose dresses & ornaments cost at least half a million of dollars. The "Tattler" gives the following as the bill of fare:

28,000 Oysters, stewed and pickled.  
7,000 Fried Oysters.  
10,000 Sandwiches.  
40 Hams; 76 Tongues.  
12 Floating Swans, a new device.  
40 Rounds of Alamode Beef.  
50 boned Turkeys, gelatinated.  
50 pairs Chickens.  
25 pairs Ducks.  
1 barrel of Chicken Salad.  
2,000 fried Mutton Chops—cold.  
6 boxes of Raisins.  
2 barrels of Almonds.  
2 barrels of Apples  
400 pounds of Mottos.  
2,000 Kisses.  
26 Pyramids—one cost \$40, and the "Curiosity Shop" on the Top.  
350 quarts of Jelly and Blanc Mange.  
300 quarts of Ice Cream.  
Cocoa Nut Cakes, Gilded Biscuit,  
Sponge Cakes and Ladies Fingers, in thousands.

**Liquors.**  
2 hogsheads of Lemonade.  
14 barrels of Port Sangaree.  
2 dozen boxes of Claret.