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may 9, '66-tf.

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J. S. McCUBBINS.
May 22-d— Adm'r.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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MAIL TRAIN.

Leave Goldsboro',	12 30	P. M.
" Raleigh,	3 45	"
" Hillsboro',	5 28	"
" Greensboro',	7 40	"
" Salisbury,	10 10	"
Arrive at Charlotte,	12 35	a m

FREIGHT AND ACCOMMODATION.

Leave Goldsboro',	12 00	P. M.
" Raleigh,	4 50	A. M
" Hillsboro',	8 27	"
" Greensboro',	1 00	P. M.
" Salisbury,	5 30	"
Arrive at Charlotte,	9 00	"

GOING EAST.

MAIL TRAIN.

Leave Charlotte,	11 15	P. M.
" Salisbury,	1 26	A. M.
" Greensboro',	4 10	"
" Hillsboro',	6 31	"
" Raleigh,	8 30	"
Arrive at Goldsboro',	11 20	"

FREIGHT AND ACCOMMODATION.

Leave Charlotte,	4 30	A. M.
" Salisbury,	8 55	"
" Greensboro',	1 10	P. M.
" Hillsboro',	5 25	"
" Raleigh,	9 45	"
Arrive at Goldsboro',	2 15	A. M.

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There is no Sunday Train going North from Weldon to Portsmouth; passengers arriving at Weldon on that day can go immediately through *via* Petersburg and Richmond.

E. WILKES.
June, 9. '66-dtf *Eng. & Supt.*

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april 1,'66. no1 tf

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SCALE OF DEPRECIATION.

The following bill passed during the present session:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a Scale of Depreciation of Confederate Currency.

WHEREAS, By an ordinance of the Convention, entitled "An ordinance declaring what laws and ordinances are in force, and for other purposes," ratified on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1865, it is made the duty of the General Assembly to provide a scale of depreciation of the Confederate currency from the time of its first issue to the end of the war; and it is further therein declared that "all executory contracts, solvable in money, whether under seal or not, made after the depreciation of said currency before the 1st day of May, 1865, and yet unfilled, (except official bonds and penal bonds payable to the State,) shall be deemed to have been made with the understanding that they were solvable in money of the said currency," subject nevertheless to evidence of a different intent of the parties to the contract; therefore,

"Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same," That the following scale of depreciation be and the same is hereby adopted and established as the measure of value of one gold dollar in Confederate currency, for each month, and the fractional parts of the month of December, 1864, from the 1st day of November 1861, to the 1st day of May, 1865, to wit:

"Scale of depreciation of Confederate Currency, the gold dollars being the unit and measure of value, from Nov. 1st 1861, to May 1, 1865."

MONTHS.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865
January,	—	$1 20	$3 00	$21 00	$50 00
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March,	—	1 50	4 00	23 00	60 00
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June,	—	1 50	6 50	18 00	—
July,	—	1 50	9 00	21 00	—
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And whereas, many grave and difficult disputes may arise between executors, administrators, guardians and trustees, and their legatees distributees, wards and cestuysque trust, in the settlement of their accounts and trusts, arising from the depreciation of Confederate currency, State treasury notes and bank notes, incident to and growing out of the late war: and that law suits and expensive litigation may be obviated,

Be it therefore enacted, That in all such cases, the parties are hereby empowered to form a full and perfect statement of the case on both sides which case shall be submitted to the determination of one of the judges of the Superior Courts, chosen by the parties, who is hereby authorized to consider and determine the same, according to eqnity and good conscience: Provided, however, That no part of this section shall be construed to stop or hinder any person from proceeding in the usual course of law, if he shall deem the same necessary.

A true copy.

J. A. ENGELHARD,
Clerk of Senate.

THE Saturday Evening Post.

NEW LIFE, TALENT AND ENERGY.

SPLENDID ARRAY OF CONTRIBUTORS.

UNSURPASSED AND UNSURPASSABLE.

Mrs. Bella Z. Spencer having purchased an interest in THE SATURDAY EVENING POST, and Mr. Edmund Deacon having retired from the paper, THE POST passed into the management of a NEW FIRM, who are determined to infuse Fresh Life, Talent and Energy into its columns. The opular novelist, EMMERSON BENNETT, Author of "Prairie Flower," "The Refugees," "Clara Moreland," &c.,&c., has been engaged, at a great expense, as a regular contributor, and will

WRITE EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE POST.

Mr. Bennett will begin a continued story in the first number of the new year. It will be called

THE PHANTOM OF THE FOREST; A TALE OF THE BACKWOODS.

This story will run through from twelve to fifteen numbers, and be a story of the early settlement of Kentucky, including adventures with the Indians in that romantic region, which was generally called by the pioneers of civilization "the dark and bloody ground."

The Post is edited by Mrs. BELLA Z. SPENCER, who will also contribute a continued story in the course of the year, entitled

GENEVIEVE HOWE

Our columns will be further supplied with original contributions by a

SPLENDID LIST OF CONTRIBUTORS

All the department of the paper will be fill d, as far as possible, with ORIGINAL MATTER. The old friends of THE POST—some of whom have stood by it during the sunshine and storms of forty years—will thus see that we are determined to be

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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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It is our desire to make The Star a welcome visitor to all those who feel an interest in the prosperity and welfare of our country as a whole, and the perpetuity of our institutions, as handed down to us by our noble ancesty, a Federal Republican Government.

Our people have but lately emerged from a gigantic civil war, waged by and between Sections of a once glorious Union, and more desolating to our particular section, than anything that has ever happened on this continent, and it is to be hoped, than ever will again.

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We shall from time to time publish such laws, both State and National, as our people are directly concerned in, and shall likewise use our influence to establish a sound circulating currency, so much needed at the present time.

We shall be governed by principles and not men, for according to our honest conviction, the present condition of our country is owing to the abandonment of principles, we mean the abandonment of those fundamental principes upon which the Government of the United States was reared.

We shall favor and encourage the development of all our resources, Agricultural, Mineral &c., and likewise such internal improvements as will most likely be beneficial to the Country, and especially the extension of the Wilmington, Charlottee and Rutherford Rail Road west.

As to Politics we are True Conservatives, believing neither in the Fire Eaters of the South, nor the Radicals of the North, but in the Constitution, the Union, and the enforcement of all Constitutional laws, whether State or Federal, and a ready and willing obedience to the same.

The Star will be published every Wednesday at the following rates, (strictly in advance,) payable in currency or produce at market prices.

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" " 6 "	1.00

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April 18th, '66. d tf.

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April 2, 1866.—dtf

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REV. G. W. HEGE, A. M.,
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March 30, 1866. 1-d&w1m

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Gents and Boys Shoes of every Description,

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Also,

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of all kinds.

They are prepared to fill all orders, of Physicians, for Drugs and Medicines, at the shortest notice. The Drug department will be under the charge of a regular Physician.

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County Line, Davie County,

where all of the above named articles, may likewise be obtained on the same terms.

The above stock of Goods, having been purchased since the late heavy decline of prices in the Northern Cities, will be sold as LOW as they can possibly be bought in this market.

P. R. Martin, invites his old friends of Davie County especially, to give him a call when visiting this market.

J. W. GRAY,
P. R. MARTIN,
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Salisbury, N. C., April 2, '66. tf-no1.

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State of North Carolina,

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
RALEIGH, March 31, 1866.

To Holders of Coupons of North-Carolina Bonds.

BY ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY of North-Carolina, ratified Mar. 10, 1866, I am directed to prepare and sell for not less than par bonds of the State running thirty-four years, with Coupons bearing six per cent. interest, payable semi-annually, of the denomination of $100, $500, and $1,000, principal and interest untaxable, for the purpose of paying coupons now due and to become due in 1866, and bonds due and to fall due in 1866. By authority vested in the Public Treasurer, I designate New York as the place of payment.

Parties entitled, desirous of effecting the exchange authorized in said Act, will please communicate to me at once the amount and character of the securities which they wish to be funded, in order that I may know the number and denomination of the bonds which will be required. After the engraver shall furnish the blanks, the bonds will be prepared for issue with little delay.

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KEMP P. BATTLE.
no13 d1w. *Public Treasurer.*

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And in the commencement of this little work of love, being boys, ourselves, may we not appeal to every Sunday School boy, and girl in North Carolina to come up promptly to aid the undertaking. In our own State, there are very many Sabbath Schools, and from the best information we have, the scholarship is large and increasing, and it is from them we look for that patronage which is necessary to improve and keep floating, this native standard which we propose for their benefit. It is not for pecuniary gain that the "BANNER," is established; it has for its aim higher objects, and if we succeed in our enterprise, it will be to us in after life a source of great satisfaction to know that, in our boyhood days, we gave a helping hand to Sunday Schools, the preparatory *Schools* for places of high trust and position, in the work of our Heavenly Father.

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