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Jan. 28.

Western N. C. Railroad.

The State's Interest Sold to
W. J. Best and his Associates.

FULL TEXT OF THE BILL.

Report of Joint Select Committee in Relation to the Sale of the Western North Carolina Railroad.

The Joint Select Committee of the two Houses, to whom was referred S. B. No. 8, "A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the sale of the State's interest in the Western North Carolina Railroad Company and for other purposes," have had the same under consideration, and after frequent sessions and mature deliberation, beg leave to report the accompanying substitute, which a majority of your Joint Committee have instructed us to report, with a recommendation that it do pass.

J. M. LEACH,
Chm'n Senate Branch,
M. E. CARTER,
Chm'n House Branch.

A Bill to be Entitled "An Act to Provide for the Sale of the State's Interest in the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, and for other purposes."

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That the Governor, Treasurer, Secretary of State, and Attorney-General of the State of North Carolina be and they are hereby appointed commissioners on the part of said State to sell, assign and transfer all the right and interest of the State in and to the railway, stock, property and franchises of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, in accordance with the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. That said commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to execute an instrument purporting to convey, and which, when delivered to the grantees in pursuance of the provisions hereinafter contained, shall be a deed effectual to convey, to William J. Best, William R. Grace, James D. Fish and J. Nelson Tappan, subject to the charter of said company and the amendments thereto, which shall be in force at the date of the ratification of this act, all the interest of said State in and to the stock, ways, railways, road-bed, rights of way, depot grounds, and other lands belonging to the same; all rails, bridges, viaducts, culverts, fences, depot station houses, engine houses, car houses, wood houses, freight houses, machine shops, and every other building or structure thereunto belonging, held, owned or used by said railroad company in conducting the business thereof; also all locomotives, tenders, cars and other rolling stock, all equipments, machinery, tools, implements, fuel, supplies, and material for constructing and operating the railroad of said company, or any part thereof; together with all and every one of its corporate rights and franchises, and all and every right, estate, interest, property, claim, and demand whatsoever appertaining or in anywise belonging to said railroad company, and all statutory claims or liens of said State against or upon the property and franchises of said company; which said instrument shall be deposited by said commissioners with the United States Trust Company of New York, as an escrow, to be delivered to the grantees herein named, upon the fulfillment of the terms and conditions hereinafter specified, taking from said Trust Company a receipt setting forth the purpose and conditions of said deposit.

SEC. 3. That said instrument shall be made, and shall express upon its face that it is made, subject only to a mortgage deed of the aggregate amount of eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars, (\$850,000), and mortgage bonds of equal amount issued thereon, which said mortgage was executed under and by authority of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act in relation to the Western North Carolina Railroad Company," ratified the 13th day of March, 1875.

SEC. 4. That the interest on said bonds shall be paid by the said grantees, or their assigns, from and after the ratification of this act, and if paid elsewhere than at the treasury of the State, the interest coupons, as soon as paid, shall be forwarded to the Treasurer of the State for cancellation. And nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent said grantees or their assigns from settling and discharging of record said mortgage deed and the bonds issued thereon, for a sum less than the face or par value thereof, and any sum saved in the settlement or compromise of said mortgage shall inure to the benefit of said grantees or their assigns.

SEC. 5. That on or before the depositing of said instrument of conveyance with the said United States Trust Company, said grantees shall deliver to said commissioners a written contract signed by themselves and binding them to said State to pay the interest on the said bonds at the same shall accrue and to finish the railroad of said Western North Carolina Railroad Company to its Western terminus at Paint Rock and the Georgia or Tennessee State line near Ducktown, according to the charter of said company, and that said railroad be completed and put in operation to Paint Rock on or before

the 1st day of July, 1881, and to Murphy, in the county of Cherokee, on or before the 1st day of January, 1885; and that the work upon the said road shall be begun within two months from the date of the ratification of this act, and carried on with diligence and energy until completed to Ducktown and Paint Rock.

SEC. 6. That the work upon said road shall be continued by said State as heretofore up to the time when said grantees or their assigns, shall take possession of the same, and all the moneys expended by said State from and after the ratification of this act, up to and including the day upon which said grantees or their assigns shall assume control, shall be paid by them on or before the delivery of possession. And the remuneration of said State for the convict labor employed upon said road within the periods named shall be computed at the rate of one hundred and twenty-five dollars per capita per annum.

SEC. 7. That during the construction of said railroad, and until the same shall be completed as aforesaid, said State shall furnish to said grantees or their assigns, not less than five hundred able bodied convicts, who shall be under the supervision of an officer appointed by the Board of Directors of the State Penitentiary, and said grantees or their assigns shall pay to said State for and in consideration of the services of said convicts one hundred and twenty-five dollars per capita per annum, which shall include the board, clothing, maintenance, supervision, and all other expenses, payable quarterly; that is to say, on the first day of May, August, November and February in each and every year.

SEC. 8. That upon the execution and delivery of said contract by said grantees they shall re-organize the said Company as a new corporation by the name of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, upon the basis of a capital stock of four million of dollars, which shall be considered and deemed preferred stock; and there shall be set aside and reserved of said stock, for the benefit of the private stockholders of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company as the same may exist at the date of the ratification of this act, the sum of two hundred and twelve thousand five hundred dollars, (\$212,500) which stock shall be divided pro rata between said private stockholders, according to the number of shares of the stock of the said last mentioned Company respectively held by them; Provided, That said company, by a majority vote of the stockholders in interest may issue second or common stock to an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars per mile of said road; and said company as re-organized shall be governed by a board of nine directors who shall be elected by a majority vote of the stockholders in interest.

SEC. 9. That after its re-organization said Company may execute and deliver mortgage deeds with power of sale, to such trustee or trustees as may be selected by the Board of Directors, conveying the railroad, property and franchises, including road-bed, superstructure, equipment and all the real and personal estate of said Company to secure the payment of such bonds and the interest thereon, as it may issue to aid in the construction completion and equipment of said railroad; and said mortgage deeds, when duly executed, may be recorded in the Register's Office, in the County of which the land is situated, and in that county shall be deemed an effectual and sufficient registration for all purposes, and it shall not be necessary to register the same in any other county, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; Provided, That no sale under the mortgage deeds herein authorized shall be made by virtue of any decree of foreclosure, or of any power of sale contained therein, without giving ninety days notice thereof in three newspapers published in the State of North Carolina.

SEC. 10. That the bonds to be issued under the first of said mortgage deed shall not exceed the sum of fifteen thousand dollars per mile for each mile of road finished and ready for operation, and said mortgage and bonds shall have expressed in the body thereof that they are issued for the purpose of completing the said railroad, and that the mortgage cannot be foreclosed for either principal or interest until said railroad shall have been completed to Paint Rock and Murphy: Provided, That until the eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars of bonds now outstanding shall have been paid, the aggregate of bonds authorized to be issued as provided in this section, shall be less than the amount named above by the sum of \$350,000. And neither by this act nor by the contract to be made by authority hereof, shall the first lien of the mortgage now upon said road as security for said bonds be affected or impaired.

SEC. 11. That the bonds to be issued by said re-organized Company shall run for a period not exceeding thirty years, and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of January and July; and said bonds shall begin to bear interest on the first day of January 1881, and not earlier.

SEC. 12. That said first mortgage bonds there shall be delivered to the Treasurer of said State the sum of five hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$550,000), par value, in payment for the disbursements of said

State on account of said company; and until the delivery of said bonds, said State shall retain the lien it now has upon the property of the company, as provided by law.

SEC. 13. That any second or subsequent mortgage that may be executed and the bonds that may be issued thereunder, shall have expressed in the body thereof the like provision that they are issued for the purpose of completing said railroad and cannot be foreclosed until the same shall have been completed to Paint Rock and Murphy.

SEC. 14. That Thomas J. Jarvis, Zebulon B. Vance and John M. Worth, be, and they are hereby, appointed commissioners to examine the work upon said road, and in the event of the death, resignation or disability of any one of them, then the survivors shall, with the approval and concurrence of said grantees, who shall select a successor, who shall exercise the same powers and duties as his predecessor. And the same as often as such vacancy or disability shall occur. The expenses of said commissioners shall be borne by said company, and the pay of the commissioners is hereby fixed at ten dollars per diem, each, exclusive of actual traveling expenses.

SEC. 15. That said commissioners shall, from time to time, and certainly as often as ten miles of said road shall be put in running order, examine the work thereon; and, in case of failure of said grantees, or their assigns, to conduct the same according to the terms of their said contract, to give due notice thereof to the Governor of said State and to the United States Trust Company of New York. The decision of a majority of said commissioners as to any matter entrusted to them by this act shall be binding alike upon said State and said grantees, or their assigns.

SEC. 16. That in case the said grantees or their assigns shall fail to carry out and perform their said contract all the grants hereby intended to be made to them shall become and be null and void. And upon notification of such failure by the said commissioners, the said Trust Company shall surrender to the Governor of said State, or his duly accredited agent, the instrument of conveyance so as aforesaid deposited with said Company, but no damages shall be recoverable against the said grantees for any breach of said contract.

SEC. 17. That upon notification by the said commissioners to the Governor, that the said grantees or their assigns, have failed for the period of ninety days to comply with and perform their said contract, the Governor shall notify said grantees and their assigns immediately to proceed to complete the said railroad according to their said contract; and should they fail to do so for a period of thirty days from the date of such notice, the Governor shall then appoint six directors, who, together with the directors to be chosen by the private stockholders, and the said grantees or their assigns, as hereinafter provided, shall elect one of their number President, and such other officers as may be necessary, and shall at once enter into the possession, control and management of the said railroad, its property, franchises and appurtenances, and shall conduct, prosecute and complete the said work as by law may be directed. And at the time of the appointment of such directors the Governor shall hold a meeting of the private stockholders of said company to assemble at such time and place as he may designate, and when assembled they may, by a vote of a majority of the private stock, proceed to elect three directors to co-operate in the organization, management and control of said company.

SEC. 18. That if said grantees or their assigns shall fail to observe and perform their said contract, and the said railroad, property and franchises shall come again in the possession and control of the State as before provided, that all that part of said road between Salisbury to Paint Rock, together with the property, real and personal, including rolling stock and equipments thereunto appertaining or belonging, shall be free and discharged of any and all liens, claims and demands whatsoever, saving and excepting the lien of eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$850,000) now outstanding against said road, and a lien for the actual and necessary amount expended by the said grantees or their assigns, in building, repairing and equipping said road between Salisbury and Paint Rock, and a lien for the bonds to be delivered to the State in payment for disbursements as provided in section twelve of this act, and the amount of said expenditures for constructing, repairing and equipping said road from Salisbury to Paint Rock shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars, (\$850,000); and the holders of this indebtedness, whether in bonds or other evidences of debt, shall have no other lien on said road than Salisbury to Paint Rock road from Salisbury to Paint Rock than that given them by their said bonds, and shall have no other power, right or remedy to enforce the same except by an actual foreclosure of said mortgage, as provided for in this act. And until the said lien of the said grantees and their assigns for their said expenditures shall be discharged, the said grantees, or their assigns, may appoint three directors to co-operate in the construction and management of said railroad; and whenever the said lien shall be discharged, the right of the said grantees and their assigns to ap-

point directors shall cease, and the Governor shall then appoint nine directors instead of six.

SEC. 19. That this act shall be notice to all persons furnishing material for, or performing labor upon, said railroad or its property while under the management of said grantees and their assigns, and said railroad property and franchises, when returned to the possession of the State, shall be free of all liens and liabilities on account of such labor and material save only so far as the interest of said grantees and their assigns therein may be concerned.

SEC. 20. That said company shall not discriminate against North Carolina towns and cities, in the matter of transportation rates, and that no discrimination shall be made between the towns and cities of North Carolina.

SEC. 21. That when the railroad of said company shall have been completed to Asheville, a force shall be put to work on the Ducktown line and sufficient force shall be kept at work to complete it as far as Pigeon River by the time the branch shall be finished to Paint Rock, and this provision shall be embodied in the aforesaid contract of said grantees.

SEC. 22. That upon the certificate of the said commissioners that the said railroad has been completed according to the said contract, the United States Trust Company of New York shall deliver to the said grantees, or their assigns, the instrument deposited with said company as provided in the second section of this act as the deed and effectual conveyance of the State.

SEC. 23. That the said grantees, or their assigns, be hindered or delayed by any cause for which they are in no wise responsible, then the said commissioners shall allow a reasonable extension of time for the completion of said lines of road.

SEC. 24. That the floating debt of said company not to exceed thirty thousand dollars, contracted since the purchase of the road by the State in 1875, shall be paid by the said grantees in cash, and the amount of mortgage bonds to be delivered to the State as provided in section 12 of this act shall be reduced by the amount so paid.

SEC. 25. That section 12 and 48, of chapter 228, laws of 1874-75, and section 7 of chapter 106, laws of 1876-77, and all laws making appropriations or extending aid to the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, and all laws in conflict with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed: Provided, however, if the said grantees shall fail to execute the contract as provided for in section 5, and begin work upon said railroad, the laws now providing for the employment of convicts shall continue in force until further provided for by law; and the State shall have the same lien for such labor of said convicts as is now given by law.

SEC. 26. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Rotation in Office.

John W. Forney, in "Anecdotes of Public Men," tells the following: After Jackson's first election in 1828, a strong effort was made to remove General —, an old Revolutionary soldier, at that time postmaster in one of the principal New York towns. He had been so fierce an Adams man that the Jackson men determined to displace him. He was no stranger to Jackson, who knew him well, and was conscious of his private worth and public services.

As Mr. Van Buren was then Jackson's Secretary of State, the combination against the soldier was powerful. The old postmaster, knowing that these two political masters were against him, called upon the President immediately upon his arrival, and was most courteously received and requested to call again, which he did several times, but nothing was said about the post-office. Finally the politicians finished their protest and sent it forward to Mr. Wright, with the request that it should be delivered at the first opportunity. The old postmaster heard from his friends at home that the important document was on its way, so he resolved there was a Presidential reception, given by Jackson, he quietly took his seat and waited until the long train of visitors had duly saluted the nation's chief and passed through the grand east room on their way home. The President turned to his venerable guest in some surprise as he noticed him still seated on one of the sofas, and entered into familiar conversation with him, when, to his surprise, the old soldier said: "General Jackson I have come here to talk to you about my office."

The politicians wanted to take him from me, and they know that I have nothing else to live upon." The President made no reply till the aged postmaster began to take off his coat in the most excited manner, when Old Hickory broke in with the inquiry, "What in Heaven's name are you going to do? Why do you take off your coat in this public place?" "Well, sir, I am going to show you my wounds, which I received in fighting for my country against the English," he put on his coat at once, sir," was the reply: "I am surprised that a man of your age should make such an exhibition of himself," and the eyes of the iron President were suffused with tears, as without another word he bade his ancient foe good evening. The very next night the crafty and able New York politician called at the White House and sent in his card. He was immediately ushered into the presence, and found Jackson in loose gown and slippers seated before a blazing wood-fire quietly smoking his pipe.

After the ordinary courtesies had been exchanged, the politician opened his budget. He represented the district from which the venerable postmaster hailed; said the latter had been known as a very active advocate of John Quincy Adams; that he had literally forfeited his place by his earnest opposition to the Jackson men, and that if he was not removed the new administration would be seriously injured. He had hardly finished the last sentence, when Jackson sprang to his feet, flung his pipe into the fire and exclaimed, "I take the consequences, sir; I take the consequences. By the Eternal, I will not remove the old man—I cannot remove him. Why, Mr. Wright, do you know that he carries more than a pound of British lead in his body?" That was the last of it. He who was stronger than courts, couriers or cabinets pronounced his fiat, and the happy old postmaster next day took the stage and returned home rejoicing.

Chairs and Tables.

[The Cornhill Magazine.]

The best chairs and couches are those which you like best, and which best conform to the natural contour of the human figure in repose. A couch should allow of the feet being put up, if necessary, and should be of such a shape that you can lie upon it, either full length or half length, with perfect comfort. To be really serviceable it should not be covered with pale blue satin or some colored fabric, but with a good tapestry, covering a neutral hue, say sage-green or dark, rusty red, to wear well. The tapestry should not be too fine to lie down upon, or even, in the privacy of family life, to lay one's feet upon. And the whole couch, should if possible, turn toward the fire, so that its occupant may have his face toward the cheerful glow. At the same time, a little wickerwork table—black and gold if you will—may hold a lamp for reading. As to chairs, a couple of good, well-stuffed easy chairs, or a few arm-chairs, with these pretty little clear seats, a black wicker work chair, two easy chairs, and a couch, you should have enough places for family and guests in a quiet household. Tables are very little used in a drawing room; still, we must have one or two to give the whole a furnished look. A spare table near the bay window will allow of a jardiniere and a fern or india-rubber plant to stand in the sun. You can have nothing better than black and gold for this purpose. Another, round of course, is needed for afternoon tea. There must be some place to lay books and other heavy articles; and the table for this office should be solid and should stand against the wall. Nothing remains but the piano; and that must naturally be placed where the exigencies of space demand. Few articles of furniture are more difficult to manage than the coal-stove. It is always getting in every body's way, and it can hardly be made presentable even by the utmost pains of the struggling decorative imagination. It is almost lamentable to think of all the useless efforts lavished by the human intellect upon abortive coal scuttles. Perhaps the best solution of the problem is that which combines scuttle and what-not in one comprehensive whole, having a box for the coal beneath, and one or two shelves for knick-knacks above. This composite piece of furniture may then stand against the wall beside the chimney piece, where it adds to the general prettiness of the room, instead of being an unsightly incumbrance. Moreover, the weight of the coal gives stability to the what-not, and prevents it from having that toppling down air so common with its kind. Any such suggestion of imminent catastrophes should always be avoided in a drawing room.

The Man who Drew the Benbow House.

[Reidsville Times.]

Prior Woodson of Lynchburg, Va., is the man that drew the Benbow House in Greensboro in the lottery scuffle for it some years ago. It is amusing to hear

Local Miscellany.

—Our merchants are all busy.
—Tramps are a great nuisance.
—To-morrow "all folk's" day.
—Spring toilets are now in order.
—Federal Court begins next Monday.
—The "Fifteen" game has played out.
—Day's length 12 hours and 31 minutes.
—The most unreliable being on earth—a female negro cook.
—Centennial meeting at Benbow Hall on Tuesday next at 11 o'clock A. M.
—Easter Monday was pretty generally observed in this section as a day of rest and recreation.
—We shall have something to say about the business houses in Greensboro in next issue of the PATRIOT.

—Our advertising columns are brimful of interesting reading matter this week, and will be more so next week.
—The largest edition of any newspaper ever published in Greensboro, THE GREENSBORO PATRIOT next week.
—Start and Co., on South Elm Street, manufacture fresh candy daily.
—The establishment is growing in popular favor.
—Don't fail to read the advertisement of W. R. Purvis & Bro., dealers in furniture, &c. They are clever merchants and deserve your patronage.

—The next thing in order—will be nominations for Mayor and Commissioners. The PATRIOT will print nominations from responsible parties.
—Capt. L. M. Hawkins, at the depot, is now ready to supply everybody with Northern ice in any quantity, and at reasonable prices.

—The Kinley Gold Mines located about 18 miles South of High Point were sold some days ago by Messrs. Cassey and Jones, to Northern Capitalists, who enter into possession at once. Price not given.

—The lath-string of the PATRIOT office hangs outside the door. We want everybody to call and see us next week, and while talking over matters don't forget to subscribe for the PATRIOT. It is the only Democratic paper in Greensboro—and it deserves your patronage.

—The Mayor's court was crowded yesterday morning to witness the trial of some trivial cases—in which the "negro" was interested. Whenever you want to get a crowd of lazy loafing dummies together let one of their race be arrested and taken before a trial Justice or the Mayor, and you will surely have a motley gathering of the dirtiest, worst, smelling set of Africans that ever assembled in any city on this continent.

—We are sorry to hear of frequent disturbances on board of the Passenger trains of the North Carolina Railroad. During the past week trouble, and we might say drunken passengers have attacked the conductors on two occasions—simply because the conductors wished to do their duty, in placing the parties who had bought third class tickets, in the third class coach—instead of the first class car where they had seated themselves. It is wrong to attempt to swindle Railway Companies in this way—not only wrong but disgraceful.

Commercial Statistics.

During the period of two weeks ending yesterday afternoon, Messrs. Houston & Bro., of this city have purchased 3 other skins; 30 muskrat skins; 168 opossum skins; 78 muskrat skins; 14 fox skins; 10-240 rabbit skins; 49 coney skins; 500 chickens; 800 dozen eggs; 13,000 pounds Rags.

The Work of Incendiaries.

Last Wednesday night, D. P. Foust, of this county, lost a fine gray and saw mill by fire. It was known to be the work of an incendiary, and a diligent search was instituted at once to bring out the guilty parties. Four was found concealed in an old barn near by, and suspicion rested upon some negroes in the neighborhood, and Lindsay Gibson, Alf Gibson, Harriet Hoffman and Leonard Foust were arrested. Leonard Foust turned State's evidence and the others were placed in jail Saturday, by Justice John Cobb, to await trial. Mr. Foust's loss is estimated at \$5,000—no insurance.

Real Property not to be Taxed This Year.

The Wilmington Star says: "The following from State Treasurer Worth will be of general interest throughout the State. It seems that Mr. Solicitor Moore, who is also Attorney for the Board of County Commissioners of New Hanover county, was asked his opinion in regard to the act in question, and he construed the language of the same to mean that the assessment of 1879, so far as it related to real property, should hold good until the law directed otherwise; but, to place the matter beyond question, he wrote to the Treasurer by his opinion, sanctioned by the Attorney General, which, as will be seen, coincides with the views of Solicitor Moore."

Greensboro Law School.

Elizabeth City Economist: This School under the tuition of Judges Dick and Dillard, has acquired a reputation that places it first among the Law Schools of North Carolina, and makes it a worthy successor of the School of the late Chief Justice Pearson. Both of the teachers are eminent lawyers and occupy high judicial positions. Both cherish the school with parental pride, and give much attention to the instruction of the young gentlemen under their charge. The "Introductory Lecture" of Judge Dick at the first session of 1879, we have read with much pleasure. It is an interesting review of the origin and progress of law and the history of its changes and gradual development among nations, until it reached its present proud position as "the perfection of human reason."

List of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Greensboro, March 31st, 1880.

Mrs. Carrie Brown, Miss Addy, Donnell, N. D. Howell, Col. Alfred Jones, J. Jones, Miss Nellie McAdoo, Geo. Millaway, R. J. Miller, Henry New, Geo. W. Pritchett. Letters will please say if the above persons calling for any of the above letters and give date of list.

J. D. WHITE, P. M.

Feet and a simple remedy to quiet the baby and this innocent article is em- ployed in Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, which gives the baby to sleep without the evil use of opiates. Price 25 cents.

To Miss Jennie Wilson on Her Bridal Eve.

Fair, as the dawning, silvery gray
Of the morn, when clouds have broken away,
Bright with the light of the eastern sky,
Which Autumn paints with rosy dyes,
Pure as the petals of the sparkling dew
When the sun beams bright from the bened-
icted blue,
Nestle thy snowy veil at the even-tide
Thine eyes shine, a beautiful, peaceful bride.

May the gentle which deck thy forehead, fair,
Be emblem of the virtues rare,
The diamond's flash, in its brilliant light,
Show forth discretion, firm and bright,
The ruby, in its crimson gleam,
Glow soft, as love's untouchable stream,
The sapphire, clear as azure dew,
Show constancy's unchanging hue,
And each and all, in pure gold set,
Like truth, form all life's coronet.

May sunshine finger round thy eye,
And Rose and gold and gay birds sing
Where flowers shall bloom and gay birds sing
And pleasure never drop her wing,
Where Love shall tune the Harp of Time,
Whose golden strings make joy sublime,
So mayest thou stand at even-tide,
A gentle, loving, happy bride.

Yours always,
E. D. HUNKLEY.
Greensboro, Mar. 23, 1880.

Emigrants for the West.

Last evening another small lot of emigrants left for the Great (1) West. Why talk of immigration when our own people are leaving North Carolina in large numbers every week, to better their condition elsewhere. We did not need to recall Mr. Fall, the newly appointed agent of the State Department of Agriculture who has just been sent to England, and let him work among the people in this section of North Carolina, and try and keep them at home! We venture the assertion that Mr. Fall will never bring a single foreigner to this State.

Concert by a Blind Lady.

Miss Phoebe Looker a blind lady, will give a concert at Good Templar Hall on Thursday night April 1st, assisted by the best musical talent of this city. The object for which this afflicted lady gives this entertainment, is to raise money sufficient to purchase a quiet little home in Virginia, her own native State, where she can retire with her two sisters, both of whom are perfectly blind, and spend her declining years in peace and tranquility.

For Oh!
"The sun, moon and stars are to me un-
der-
stood,
Oh! tell me what light is, I'm blind, Oh!
I'm blind."

Miss Phoebe will also give a specimen of her handwriting, and the manner of reading in the asylum for the blind, which to those who have never seen it will be interesting. Tickets 25 cents. Concert to commence at eight o'clock. Tickets for sale at Yates' Bookstore, and Express office.

Composition Reading at Greensboro Female College on Friday Evening last.

A large and appreciative audience assembled in the chapel of Greensboro Female College on Friday evening last to witness the exercises appointed for the occasion.

The programme was an attractive one, and faithfully carried out. We publish with comments:

PART FIRST.
Vocal Class—"Chiming Bells of long ago."
Solo—A. S. Alois—"Ermami." Miss Maud L. Alois, of Greensboro. Fine operatic air, beautifully sung.
Reading—"A Reverie." Miss Margie Cherry, very good.

Instrumental Duet—"Gypsy Polka." Misses Louise E. Dodson and Lill P. Hunt, well rendered and with precision.
Reading—"When life is young, the skies are bright." Miss Rachael Scarborough, very good.

Duet for two pianos—"Ere the Dawn." Misses A. L. Furbus, J. Donnell, Flora K. Mahu and Margie Cherry. This fine arrangement was elegantly and creditably performed.

PART SECOND.
Vocal Class—"Don't Song." Fine illus- trated, spirited song.
Piano Solo—"Awakening of the Lion." Miss Louise E. Dodson, effectively rendered.
Reading—"Briars, Thorns, Nettles and Thistles." Miss Nellie Dixon. Very fine and read with much feeling and expression.

Vocal Solo—"From the Alps the horn sounding." Miss Alice P. Garrett, of Wil- mington, sweetly sung and with much ex- pression.
Reading—"Hard Times." Miss Bettie Farrington, of Orange county, best of all, very witty, and read with spirit and grace. Interrupted by frequent bursts of applause from the audience.

Duet for two pianos—"Butterfly Adagio." Misses Hattie R. McGee, Myra Alderman, Ella Borden and Clara Al- derman. A charming piece of music, bril- liantly executed.

Vocal Class—"There's nothing like a 'freshening breeze.'" A lively, genuine sea- salt air, spiritedly rendered.
The essays were well written and read with much expression, and every mem- ber of the entertainment was much ap- plauded.

Personal Intelligence.

Mr. W. S. Moore, one of our leading merchants is in New York. Mrs. Moore is with him.

Maj. J. M. Blair, formerly Proprietor of Yarborough House, Raleigh, is now one of the clerks at the McAdoo House in this city.

Mr. Julius A. Gray, President: Dr. D. W. C. Benbow and Hon. Cyrus P. Mendenhall, directors—are in Fayetteville to at- tend the annual meeting of the Stock- holders of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad Company which takes place to-morrow.

Mr. J. R. Webster, the accomplished editor of Webster's Collier Weekly published at Reidsville, called to see us yesterday. He spoke favorably of his thriving town, his health, and he also said some kind words about the PATRIOT.

Hon. D. F. Caldwell, and Col. J. L. Scales, Senators from Alamance and Guilford, returned home Monday afternoon. Col. Scales is still right well, and is now confined to his room. Dr. J. A. McLean and C. J. Wheeler, our able repre- sentatives also returned on the same train.

The Rev. Dr. W. H. Bonhitt, Presiding elder of this district for M. E. Church, has just returned from a week's visitation to the churches on his circuit in Forsyth, Guilford and adjoining counties.

Mr. W. J. Best, one of the purchasers of the Western North Carolina Railroad, accompanied by his private Secretary, passed through Greensboro yesterday morning en route for Salisbury, and points along the W. N. C. Railroad. From Statesville where he will go to Chas lotte, thence to Wilmington, Goldsboro

and Newbern, we suppose in the interest of his recent investment.

JOHN GILMER. We have attended the Spring Terms of Catawba, Burke and McDowell Courts and noticed with grati- fication the fine bearing on the bench of Judge Gilmer, we are averse to the lan- guage of compliment, especially when ap- plied to judicial officers, but honest praise is not flattery and in the too fre- quent dearth of public duties well dis- charged, it is not amiss to say a word of congratulation to Governor Jarvis for his excellent display of sense in filling the place of the late Judge Kerr.

No man who has witnessed the antics of Watts and the splintering hiccoughs of Cloud in our Western counties can fail to feel a sense of relief, when he looks towards a bench from which shines the pleasant countenance of Judge Gilmer.

In time past lit with the light of Con- federate battle his face now wears the calm, patient, investigating look of the true seer after truth.

A pure christian gentleman and an able Judge are light words when applied to John A. Gilmer.—Blue Ridge Blade.

Centennial Celebration of the Bat- tle of Guilford Court House.

Preparations for the grand mass meet- ing of the people of North Carolina, ap- pointed for April 6th, at Benbow Hall in city to perform necessary arrange- ments for the centennial celebra- tion of the battle of Guilford Court House on March 15th, 1861, are about completed.

The citizens of Greensboro held a meet- ing at the Court House on Thursday evening last. Mr. W. P. Caldwell was called to the chair, and R. T. Fulghum chosen secretary. The chairman ex- plained the object of the meeting briefly.

On motion of Dr. W. C. Benbow a com- mittee of 12 was appointed to devise "ways and means," and arrange a programme for the meeting to be held in this city on the 6th of April.

THE COMMITTEE.
Dr. D. W. C. Benbow, Chairman, R. T. Fulghum, James A. Odell, R. M. Stafford, J. W. Forbis, J. W. Scott, Dr. H. M. Alford, B. E. Sergeant, J. C. Cunningham, George Donnell, J. N. Nelson, M. T. Hughes.

This committee was requested to at- tend without delay and report at a meeting of the various committees to be held in the Court House on Saturday next at 12 o'clock M.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

MEETING ON SATURDAY NEXT.
On Saturday next the Committee to Memorialize the Legislature, the Ex- ecutive Committee, and the committee re- presenting the city with the Mayor—also the committee from the county of Guilford are requested to meet in the Court House at noon—promptly, to take final action in regard to the Mass Meeting for April 6th.

At that time all the arrangements will be perfected, and a programme arranged, which will be printed and circulated.

At the meeting on April 6th, distin- guished men from all sections of the county will be present. Letters have been received by the committee of invitation from nearly one hundred prominent men, in which they give this great movement their hearty endorsement, and say they are coming.

The meeting at Benbow Hall on April 6th, will be called to order at 11 o'clock, A. M., by the Chairman, Col. J. T. More- head.

A Band of music has been engaged for the occasion.

What the City Council has done:
At a meeting of the Board of Commis- sioners, held on the 29th inst., the following Resolutions and Resolutions were adopted, and the City and State requested to pub- lish the same in the PATRIOT.

Resolved, That the Battle of Guilford Court House was fought within five miles of this city, and as an event in the Revolution, was conspicuous and distinguished for turning the tide of war in favor of the colonies; and
Whereas, The people of the county have met in mass meeting and recommended a proper celebration of the centennial of that event, and have called a public meeting in Greensboro on the 6th proximo, to take such steps as are necessary to make the celebration in 1861, worthy of our people; and
Whereas, The citizens of Greensboro, regard with patriotic pride, and a just appreciation any effort, which may directly or indirectly tend to the betterment of sectional feeling, and the promotion of patriotism and a devotion to liberty, regulated by law in the land; Therefore,

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Greensboro endorse the proposed celebra- tion, and will cordially assist the various committees in any way they may be able to promote the object sought.

Resolved, That a committee of three with the Mayor as chairman be appointed by the Mayor to attend the meeting on the 6th of April.

Resolved, That we cordially invite the citizens of Greensboro to co-operate with us, and lend what aid they can to carry out the proposed centennial.

Parties desiring to attend this meeting can purchase tickets at any of the stations along the various lines of Railways in this State and Virginia, good for four days—at three cents per mile each way—only half price. At the meeting it will be the duty of the secretary to countersign all tickets.

The people are invited to come, and we want the ladies to turn out and honor the occasion with their presence.

The Press throughout this and adjoining States are earnestly and cordially invited to be present.

Let the meeting on April 6th be one of the important events in the history of our dear old North State, and the celebra- tion of the Battle of Guilford Court House on March 15th, 1861, will be what it should be—a distinguished success.

The Kentucky Legislature.

FRANKFORT, March 30.—The lower house of the general assembly yesterday passed a bill making the seduction of any unmarried female of good repute, under 21 years of age, under promise of marriage, a felony. It fixes the penalty at one to five years in the penitentiary.

In the Second Congressional district the Republicans have selected delegates to the Chicago Convention favorable to Sherman—so it is just a continuation of his boom.

"Keep a reliable friend always at hand," such Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has emi- nently proven itself to be. Thousands of testimonials. Try it. 25 cents.

COMMERCIAL.

GREENSBORO MARKET.

Corrected by HOUTSON & BRO., Wholesale Grocers, South Elm St.

March 31, 1880.

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| Bacon, N.C. hog round,.....lb | \$4.10 |
| Western sides,..... | \$4.10 |
| Shoulders,..... | \$4.10 |
| Pork,..... | \$4.10 |
| Butter,..... | \$2.10 |
| Cheese,..... | \$1.30 |
| Beef,..... | \$1.30 |
| Cattle,..... | \$1.30 |
| Coffee,..... | \$1.30 |
| Laguayra,..... | \$2.35 |
| Java,..... | \$2.35 |
| Cotton,..... | \$1.10 |
| Yarns,..... | \$1.10 |
| Shootings,..... | \$1.10 |
| Feathers,..... | \$1.10 |
| Flour—Family,..... | \$7.00 |
| Superfine,..... | \$7.00 |
| Corn Meal,..... | \$7.00 |
| Grain—Corn,..... | \$7.00 |
| Wheat,..... | \$1.00 |
| Oats,..... | \$1.00 |
| Barley,..... | \$1.00 |
| Hides—Dry,..... | \$1.00 |
| Green,..... | \$1.00 |
| Lard,..... | \$1.00 |
| Molasses,..... | \$1.00 |
| Syrup,..... | \$1.00 |
| Nails,..... | \$1.00 |
| Salt—coarse,..... | \$1.00 |
| Superfine,..... | \$1.00 |
| Sugar—yellow,..... | \$1.00 |
| Crushed,..... | \$1.00 |
| White,..... | \$1.00 |
| Potatoes,..... | \$1.00 |
| Eggs,..... | \$1.00 |
| Hay,..... | \$1.00 |
| Quinn,..... | \$1.00 |
| Apples—green,..... | \$1.00 |
| Dried,..... | \$1.00 |
| Peaches—dried,..... | \$1.00 |
| Kidney Beans,..... | \$1.00 |
| Chickens,..... | \$1.00 |
| Flax Seed,..... | \$1.00 |
| Tallow,..... | \$1.00 |
| Rags—cotton,..... | \$1.00 |
| Yarn,..... | \$1.00 |
| Rabbit, per doz,..... | \$35.00 |
| Coot, each,..... | \$35.00 |
| Muskrat,..... | \$35.00 |
| Opossum,..... | \$35.00 |
| Fox, gray,..... | \$35.00 |
| Skunk,..... | \$35.00 |
| Produce in demand. | |

Richmond Market.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

[From the Richmond Star.]

RICHMOND, VA., March 30, 1880.

Country Produce.

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| Apples: Dried, bright, 5¢/7¢; per barrel, gross, \$4. | |
| Bacon: 2¢ per lb. | |
| Butter: Prime to choice yellow 25¢/30¢; medium, 15¢/20¢; common, 10¢/15¢. Mar- ket scarce, very active for all grades. But- ter most not be packed in yellow pine boxes, as it destroys the flavor. | |
| Butterfat: 1¢/1½¢ per pound and dull. | |
| Corn Meal: Country, 60¢/65¢ per bushel. | |
| Dried Turkey: 2¢/3¢ per pound. | |
| Flour: 25¢/30¢ per barrel. | |
| Chickens: 15¢/20¢. | |
| Cheese: 15¢/20¢. | |
| Cattle: In hides, 10¢ per dozen; in crates, 10¢/15¢. | |
| Feathers: Prime live-goose, 50¢; common 30¢/40¢. | |
| Eggs: Virginia timothy, \$1.00; clover, 80¢/90¢. Market firm. | |
| Lard: Country, 7¢/8¢. | |
| Oats: Baled, 50¢/55¢ in demand. | |
| Onions: Per barrel, 50¢/55¢. | |
| Peas: Peas, 10¢/15¢; dried, 10¢/15¢; unpeeled, 4¢/5¢. | |
| Potatoes: Irish, per barrel, \$1.50/2.00; per bushel, 10¢/15¢. | |
| Beans: Gansing, 20¢/25¢ per pound; sen- eoa, 50¢/60¢ per bushel; without top, 30¢/35¢. | |
| Sumac: Prime, 75¢/80¢. | |
| Seeds: Clover, \$2.50/3.00; Timothy, \$3.50; Orchard Grass, \$2.50/3.00; Hired Grass, \$1. | |
| Baled Straw: 40¢/45¢ in demand. | |
| Hay: 2¢/3¢ per ton. | |
| Wool: 15¢/20¢ for raddles. | |
| Wool: Washed, free of burrs, 50¢; unwashed, free of burrs, 30¢/35¢. Burry wool, 35¢/40¢. | |

Fertilizers.

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| Guano: Peruvian, 85¢ per ton. | |
| Iron, Nails, Horseshoes, &c. | |
| Iron: American refined, 4¢ for standard sizes per lb.; American steel, 5¢/6¢; Sweden hammer, 4¢/5¢; hoop, 4¢/5¢. | |
| Nails: Old Dominion, 5¢/6¢ per keg. | |
| Machetes: \$4.50/5.00 per keg. | |
| Machetes: \$5.00/5.50 per keg. | |
| Plough Castings: Wholesale, 3¢; retail 4¢ per lb. | |
| Iron: 7¢ per pound. | |
| Iron: 7¢ per pound. | |

Groceries, &c.

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| Bullocks: Shoulders, 6¢; sides, 6¢/7¢. | |
| Bacon: Shoulders, 7¢; clear-rib sides, 8¢/9¢; breasts, 9¢; hams, 11¢/12¢; stock hogs, 12¢. | |
| Beef: 12¢/15¢ in tierces; in tubs, 7¢/10¢. | |
| Bucks: Painted, two hoops, 2¢; three hoops, 2¢/3¢. | |
| Two strings, 1¢/2¢; four strings, 2¢/3¢. | |
| Coffee: Rio—common, 14¢; fair, 15¢; good to prime, 16¢/18¢; Laguayra, 17¢; Java, 20¢. | |
| Cocoa: Adamantine candies, per lb 10¢; per set, 5¢/6¢; half-boxes, 10¢; tal- low, 13¢. | |
| Prime cutting, 14¢/15¢; common, 12¢; English dairy, 15¢; Pineapple, 25¢. | |
| Rice: Carolina, 8¢/9¢; Rangoon, 9¢. | |
| Molasses: Common syrup—Hogheads, 15¢; tierces, 12¢; barrels, 25¢; genuine golden syrup, 35¢/40¢ per gallon; New Or- leans syrup, 45¢/50¢. | |
| Salt: Liverpool, in round lots from wharf, 11¢/12¢; according to weight lots from wharf, 12¢/13¢. | |
| Sugar: Crushed, 11¢; powdered, 11¢; granulated, 11¢; A. 24¢/25¢; B. 24¢; C. 24¢; yellow, 24¢; cut loaf, 11¢/12¢. | |
| Soup: Common, 4¢; best washing, 5¢; 6¢; toilet, 15¢/20¢, and fancy prices; country, 5¢. | |
| Teas: Black, 30¢/35¢; the last a prime article; imperial, 60¢/70¢; gunpowder, \$1.25 for strictly choice. | |

Hides, Leather, &c.

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| Hides—Green, 5¢/6¢; dry salted, 12¢/14¢; wet salted, 10¢. | |
| Leather—Soft leather, oak, 30¢/40¢; sole leather, hemlock, 24¢/30¢; country harness 30¢/40¢; city finished, (best), 40¢/50¢ per pound; rough skidings, 25¢/30¢. All grades in demand. | |

Liquors, Wines, &c.

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| Rectified Whiskey, (proof)—\$1.20 per gal- lon. | |
| Virginia Rye—\$1.50/2.50, according to proof. | |
| Apple Brand—New, \$1.75; old, \$2.25. | |
| Peach Brand—\$2.25/2.75. | |
| Blackberry and Elder Brandy—80¢/1.10 Domestic Gin—\$1.50. | |

Mill-Feed, &c.

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| Corn Meal—70¢ per bushel. | |
| Ships-off—Per ton of 2,000 pounds, \$20. | |
| Bran—\$18. | |

Lumber, Stave, &c.

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| Lumber: White Oak, \$10.00/20.00 as to qual- ity per 1,000; Western Virginia poplar, \$12.00/20.00 per 1,000; white pine, \$20.00/25.00 per 1,000; yellow pine boards, \$24.00/30.00; joists, \$24.00/30.00; according to length. Shingles—pine, \$2.00/2.50; cypress six-inch, \$5.00/6.00 per 1,000. Laths—split, \$1.50; sawed, \$1.75/2.00 per 1,000. | |
| Staves: Whiskey-barrel timber, prices nom- inal and no demand; Flour-barrel timber, \$3.50/4.00 per 1,000. Flour-barrel poles, dull at nominal price; hoghead-booms, no demand; hickory—dull. | |

Powder, Shot, &c.

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| Fuse—Toys' mining, 35¢/40¢ per 100 feet. | |
| Powder—\$6 by the five kegs—less than five kegs, \$6.25; blasting, \$3.50/4.00 per bag of 25 pounds; Northern, \$1.75/2.00 per bag of 25 pounds. | |
| Graindusts—12¢/15¢ per bushel. | |

Oranges, Lemons, Citrus, Currants, Prunes, Raisins, Seedling Raisins, Plain and French Candies, Toys, Crackers, Cakes, Cocoanuts, Sapples and Fancy Groceries, at E. M. CALDWELL'S.

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