Life's Sunny Spots.

Though Life's a dark and thorny path,
Its goal the silent tomb,
It yet some spots of sunshine hath,
That smile amid the gloom.
The Friend, who weal and wo partakes,
Unchanged, whate'er his lot;
Who kindly soothes the heart that aches,
Is sure a sunny spot.

The Wife who half our burthen bears,
And utters not a moan;
Whose ready hand wipes off our tears,
Unheeded all her own;
Who treasures every kindly word,
Each harsher one forgot,
And carols blithely as a bird—
She's, too, a sunny spot.

The child who lifts, at morn and eve,
In prayer its tiny voice;
Who grieves whene'er its parents grieve,
And joys when they rejoice;
In whose bright eye young Genius glows,
Whose heart, without a blot,
Is fresh and pure as Summer rose—
That child's a sunny spot.

There's yet upon Life's weary road
One spot of brighter glow,
Where sorrow half forgets his load,
And tears no longer flow;
Friendship may wither, Love decline,
Our child his bonds [illegible];
But still undimmed that spot will shine—
[illegible] lights that spot.

The word lady is of Saxon origin, and is compounded of leaf and dian, leaf being the result of a union of the two. Leaf dian, or, as corrupted, lady, literally rendered, means a feeder of the poor. How many of those who assume the title in these days are worthy of it?

We are informed that the wife of one of the most distinguished physicians of Paris wears a ring made of gold that was extracted from blood taken from her husband during some disease with which he was afflicted.

Those who have doubted that man is incapable of producing, by merely artificial means, such a piece of mechanism as will converse in any tongue with precision and ease, will not doubt much longer. We learn that a speaking figure, fully gifted with these extraordinary powers, has just been completed by a very intelligent and worthy gentleman, who has labored very long and ardently to accomplish this wondrous work. It converses freely and intelligently, and uses the throat and tongue the same as a human being. We are gratified to say further that this really remarkable figure will be exhibited in this city some time next month. [Phil. U. S. Gaz.

NOTICE.

I shall proceed to rent the Cherokee lands released to the State according to an act of our last Legislature, for the year 1846. In each case a sum certain in money payable in twelve months will be required.

For the purpose above named I will attend at Franklin on the 22nd of January next, and at Murphy on the 27th. Lessees can have a preference by timely application.

JACOB SILER, Agt.

Dec. 26, 1845. 4t 280

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.

Second Round of Quarterly Meetings on the Asheville District.

Burnsville Circuit	Feb.	7 and 8
Asheville	"	14 " 15
Hendersonville	"	21 " 22
Franklin	"	27 " 28
Waynesville	March	7 " 8
Sevierville	"	14 " 15
Newport	"	21 " 22

JOS. H. HASKEW, P. E.

Dec. 26, 1845.

New and Cheap Goods!

JESSE S. & J. P. SMITH, Are now receiving and opening at the stand recently occupied by Messrs. Williams & Roberts, a splendid stock of New and Cheap

GOODS,

which they intend to sell at unprecedented

Low Prices!!

Their stock embraces every thing usually kept by merchants in this part of the country.

Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, if you wish GOOD BARGAINS.

The usual articles of Barter will be taken in exchange for Goods.

Asheville, Oct. 1845. tf

Now Opening:

NEW style Fancy Cassimeres,
[illegible] Satinette—new and beautiful articles for gentlemen's pantaloons.
Rich [illegible] Prints,
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Insertings,
Ladies Black Kid Gloves,
Black, pink, and white Crape lisse.
All of which will be sold very cheap.

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

Asheville, Nov. 1845. tf

NOTICE!—BARGAINS!!

Selling off at Cost and Carriage.

The death of F. Patton, one of the firm of F. & M. PATTON, makes it necessary to wind up the business of the Company. The GOODS on hand WILL BE SOLD AT COST AND CARRIAGE [illegible]

Good, Cheap Bargains,

[illegible]

F. & M. PATTON.

Asheville, Dec. 12, 1845. [illegible] 279

FRANKLIN MALE ACADEMY.

[illegible]

A. F. HICKS.

Franklin, Macon co., Dec. 1845. 3t 279

JAMES M. SMITH

Has just received at his old stand a new and splendid stock of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

which he offers on the lowest terms.

[illegible]

Don't forget the old stand.

Asheville, Nov. 1845. tf

DR. A. RAMSOUR

Having located at Flat Rock, Henderson county, N. C. offers his Professional services to the citizens of the surrounding country. He can at all times be found at home, unless professionally absent.

He expects to keep on hand, at all times, a supply of fresh Medicines.

Flat Rock, N. C., Oct. 31, 1845.—tf 272

TAILORING

In All Its Various Branches.

LATEST FASHIONS JUST RECEIVED.

The undersigned is truly grateful for the very liberal patronage he has received, and feeling determined to give satisfaction, he again offers his professional services to the citizens of Asheville and the surrounding country, no time lost nor pains spared to effect this object, our work shall be as fashionable and tasty as work from the North. As goods are cheap in this place and our work low, we will make it to the interest of the people here and at a distance to have their work done with us.

I. Mc. DUNN.

Nov. 21, 1845.

SPECIAL COURT.

WHEREAS, it [illegible] me, now holding the Superior Court for the county of Cherokee, that the business on the Civil [illegible] of this Court cannot be done at any regular Term of the same, and that a Special Term is necessary for the despatch of the business. It is therefore ordered that a Special Term of the Superior Court of Law for the county of Cherokee be held in conformity to the act of the last General Assembly, on the first Monday of March next. It is further directed that the Clerk of this Court record the above Order, and communicate a copy thereof, under the seal of his Court, to his Excellency the Governor of the State; and that he advertise the same in the newspaper published at Asheville, at the Court-house door, and at three other public places in the county. Made the 12th day of September, 1845.

J. L. BAILEY.

A true copy from the minutes, the 20th day of September, 1845.

JAS. H. BRYSON, C. S. C.

Murphy, Nov. 1845.—tc. 273

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

Two Hundred Pages of Rare and Fashionable Music for Three Dollars!!

The Musical Gem.

A weekly publication of rare and popular music, Vocal and Instrumental, consisting of standard and original songs, duets, Glees, &c., with Piano Forte accompaniments, overtures, waltzes, marches, quick steps, airs, rondos, and selections from modern Operas, most of which have never been published in this country.

Mr. G. W. Durand, a professor well known to the musical world, has been engaged to superintend the selecting and arranging department, and the publisher feels warranted in asserting, that The Musical Gem will bear comparison with any other musical publication in this country. Persons sending $3, free of postage, will have the Music mailed to them weekly.

The following pieces are now ready for delivery: "Red Spirit, Red," (from Amilie,) "Pearl Waltz," by Francois Hunten. "The sun has caught me sleeping," a celebrated Hunting song. "The Rose will cease to blow," sung by Mr. Templeton.

Address, [illegible] MILLER, N. Y. City.

Dec. 12, 1845. 278

PURIFY THE BLOOD. MOFFAT'S VEGETABLE LIFE PILLS AND PHŒNIX BITTERS.

The high and envied celebrity which these pre-eminent Medicines have acquired for their invaluable efficacy in all the diseases which they profess to cure, has rendered the usual practice of puffing not only unnecessary, but unworthy of them. They are known by their fruits; their good works testify for them, and they thrive not by the faith of the credulous.

IN ALL CASES

Of ASTHMA, ACUTE and CHRONIC RHEUMATISM, AFFECTIONS of the BLADDER and KIDNEYS.

BILIOUS FEVERS & LIVER COMPLAINTS.—[illegible]

BILIOUS CHOLIC, and SEROUS Looseness, BILES, COSTIVENESS, COLDS & COUGHS, CHOLIC, CONSUMPTION. Used with great success in this disease. CORRUPT HUMORS, DROPSIES.

DYSPEPSIA. No person with this distressing disease, should delay using these medicines immediately. ERUPTIONS of the skin, ERYSIPELAS, FLATULENCY.

FEVER and AGUE. For this scourge of the western country these medicines will be found a safe, speedy, and certain remedy. Other medicines leave the system subject to a return of the disease—a cure by these medicines is permanent.—TRY THEM, BE SATISFIED, AND BE CURED.

FOULNESS of COMPLEXION,

GENERAL DEBILITY,

GOUT, GIDDINESS, GRAVEL, HEADACHES, of every kind, INWARD FEVER, INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM, IMPURE BLOOD, JAUNDICE, LOSS of APPETITE.

LIVER COMPLAINTS,

LEPROSY, LOOSENESS.

MERCURIAL DISEASES.—

Never fails to eradicate entirely all the effects of Mercury [illegible]

NIGHT SWEATS, NERVOUS DEBILITY, NERVOUS COMPLAINTS of all kinds, ORGANIC AFFECTIONS, PALPITATION of the HEART, PAINTER'S CHOLIC.

PILES. The original proprietor of these medicines was cured of Piles of [illegible] years standing by the use of these Life Medicines alone.

PAINS in the head, side, back, limbs, joints and organs.

RHEUMATISM. Those afflicted with this terrible disease will be sure of relief by the Life Medicines.

RUSH of BLOOD to the HEAD, SCURVY, SALTRHEUM, SWELLINGS.

SCROFULA, or KING'S EVIL, in its worst forms, ULCERS, of every description.

WORMS, of all kinds, are effectually expelled by these Medicines. [illegible]

THE LIFE PILLS AND PHŒNIX BITTERS PURIFY THE BLOOD,

And thus remove all disease from the system.

A single trial will place the LIFE PILLS and PHŒNIX BITTERS beyond the reach of competition in the estimation of every patient.

The genuine of these medicines are now put up in white wrappers and labels, together with a pamphlet, called "Moffat's Good Samaritan," containing the directions, &c., on which is a drawing of Broadway from Wall street to our Office, by which strangers visiting the city can very easily find us. The wrappers and Samaritans are copyrighted, therefore those who procure them with white wrappers can be assured that they are genuine. Be careful, and do not buy those with yellow wrappers; but if you do, be satisfied that they come direct from us, or don't touch them.

Prepared and sold by

DR. WILLIAM B. MOFFAT,

335 Broadway, corner of Anthony street, New York.

For sale by

PATTON & OSBORN, Asheville, N. C.
PETER STRADLEY, Flat Rock, N. C.
LORENZO D. POTEET, Burnsville, N. C.

June 20, 1845. 253

State of North Carolina,

BUNCOMBE COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law—Fall Term, 1845.

On motion it is ordered and decreed by the Court that hereafter the State Docket of this Court be taken up and the business proceeded with on Monday of the Term. Further ordered by the Court that [illegible] of the same be made in the Highland Messenger published at Asheville, at the Court-house, and three other places in this county.

Witness, J. H. Coleman, Clerk of said Court, at office, the 2nd Monday after the 4th Monday of September, 1845.

J. H. COLEMAN, Clerk.

Dec. 19, 1845. [illegible] 279

READY MADE CLOTHING.

Men's and boy's Fine Cloth Over Coats.
" " " Flushing do do
" " " Hunting Boxes of a variety of kinds.
Gentlemen's mixed Tweed Pants.
Black and Gray do
Fancy Valencia Vests.
Black Satin do
Ladies Cloaks, a new Style—all suitable for winter. For sale by

PATTON & OSBORN.

Asheville, Nov. 14, 1845.

John E. M'Donnald,

Commission Merchant,

Hamburg, S. C.

ALSO Receiving and Forwarding Goods and Produce, and will fill all Orders that may be entrusted to his care.

His best exertions shall be used to give general satisfaction to those who may confide to him their business.

Hamburg, Oct. 10, 1845. 269

TO PRINTERS.

Type Foundry and Printers' Furnishing Warehouse.

THE subscribers have opened a NEW TYPE FOUNDRY in the city of New York, where they are ready to supply orders to any extent, for any kind of JOB or FANCY TYPE, and every article necessary for a Printing Office.

The Type, which are cast in new moulds, from an entirely new set of materials, with deep counters, are warranted to be unsurpassed by any, and will be sold at prices to suit the times.

Printing Presses furnished, and also Steam Engines of the most approved patterns.

N. B. A Machinist is constantly in attendance to repair Presses and do light work.

Editors of newspapers, who will buy three times as much type as their bills amount to, may give the above six months insertion in their papers, and send their papers containing it to the subscribers.

COCKCROFT & OVEREND.

63 Ann Street.

Sept. 19, 1845.—6m. 266

Polka Fashions—Polka Music, and Polka Engraving.

The Polka Dance and Portraits of Philadelphia Belles.

In the November number of GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK, we shall present to our Subscribers Eight Figures of Fashions—more than has ever been given by any other publication. The Dresses are copied by Madame Duquet, from the Depots of our most fashionable modistes, and they may be relied on as those that are to be worn at Evening Parties this winter. The female faces are portraits, taken from Daguerreotype likenesses, of some of our most fashionable belles. They will be readily recognised by their acquaintances. This, in future, will be one of the features of Godey's Fashion Plates. The gentlemen's dresses are from designs by Carpenter, and are of the fashion of the day.

In addition to the above, we will give the Cloak Fashions for winter wear—also, Winter Bonnets.—These will be in advance of all cotemporaries. Our Fashions are expressed, after the first proofs are taken, and sent to England to be forwarded to us by the Boston Steamers. The remainder of the edition is then printed and colored for the Paris market, which gives us an opportunity of issuing at the same time as those of Paris, while other publications have to wait until they are published in Paris, which is precisely one month after our proof has been sent to us, making our plate Thirty days in advance of all others.

It is always necessary to modify the French fashions, to suit the taste of our American Belles.

We receive from the following publications—Le Follet, Les Modes Parisiennes, Le Moniteur De La Mode, Le Bon Ton, Le Lion, Le Caprice.

NO OTHER PUBLICATION HAS THIS ARRANGEMENT.

The November number will also contain a favorite Polka Waltz and a Comic Polka Engraving.

TWO STEEL ENGRAVINGS will also be published in the November No.

A rare chance for a beautiful engraving—monument to Sir Walter Scott.

A beautiful Line Engraving, 30 by 22 inches, engraved by A. L. Dick, of New York, and published at $2 will be given as a premium to any new or old subscribers, who will pay $3 per annum, in advance for GODEY'S MAGAZINE AND LADY'S BOOK, Office, No. 101 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

*** It is too large and valuable to be transmitted per mail, but a receipt will be given with an obligation to deliver a copy of the print to any person producing said receipt.

(FORM OF CERTIFICATE.)

Due the Bearer, on Demand, a Copy of the Monument to Sir Walter Scott.

(Signed,) L. A. GODEY.
Philadelphia, 1845.

The price of the Lady's Book is $3 per annum, payable in advance.

L. A. GODEY,
101 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

The November No. will be issued on the 15th October.

L. A. GODEY, Publisher.

GOOD LAND FOR SALE, In Buncombe.

The subscriber proposes to sell two tracts of Land on good terms. The 1st tract joins lands with Thos. Foster, Thos. T. Patton, Wm. Patton and others, on Swannano river, including the mouth of Gash's Creek and all the creek land up to and including Jno. Reid's improvements, near Whitson's mill, on the road leading from Asheville to Rutherfordton, containing about

FIVE HUNDRED AND TEN ACRES, well timbered, and about fifty acres cleared, and sixty or seventy acres of good bottom. The value of Swannano lands, and the increased advantages of its lying so near Asheville, and immediately on the Hickorynut Gap Road, is so apparent to all acquainted with the country, that it is unnecessary to say more than ask those who wish to purchase, to call and examine for themselves.

The other tract joins lands with Daniel Blake, and B. H. Merrimon and others, on Hooper's Creek, containing about

160 ACRES,

nearly one hundred of which is Creek Bottom, and near one half in cultivation. To see the lands, call on B. H. Merrimon, on Hooper's Creek; or B. S. Gash, on Swannano. To purchase, call on either of my sons, B. S. Gash, on Swannano, or L. S. Gash or M. A. Gash, of Henderson county, N. C.

JOHN GASH.

Swannano, Oct. 10, 1845.

CALL & EXAMINE

Our stock of American, English and French Prints, before purchasing elsewhere. Also, our stock of Ginghams, Cambrics, Jackernett, Swiss, Book and plain Muslins, and silk handkerchiefs, and if you do not purchase of us it will not be because you think our prices high, for we sell a "leetle" cheaper than any body else. Try us.

J. S. & J. P. SMITH.

Asheville, Oct. 31, 1845. 276.

MEDICAL CARD.

DOCTOR FAWCETT,

Of 196 Fulton street, New York, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, of London, and Edinburgh, and Graduate of the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia; also, author of a work embracing the following subjects, viz: Matrimony, Impotency and Sterility, anatomically, physiologically, and medically explained, with a comprehensive exposition of the nature and modern treatment of Syphilis, Secondary symptoms, Gonorrhoea, Gleet, Stricture, Nocturnal Emissions, and all the consequences arising from self-pollution. Doctor FAWCETT continues his private consultations on the above mentioned diseases, at his long established office, 196 Fulton street, where the most aggravated forms of all affections of the generative organs will yield to his mode of treatment, without hindrance in diet or exercise, and without mercury. [illegible] excessive indulgence, [illegible] he will be able to restore the [illegible] original vigor. Persons at a distance [illegible] $1, can have a copy of the work.

All letters must be post paid, and directed to Dr. H. Fawcett, 196 Fulton street, New York.

Sept. 5, 1845. 3m 263

State of North Carolina,

[illegible] COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law—Fall Term, 1845.

Elizabeth McKenzie vs. [illegible] McKenzie.

PETITION FOR DIVORCE.

Upon the return of the Sheriff [illegible] that the defendant [illegible] is not to be found [illegible] ordered by the Court that publication be made in the Highland Messenger at Asheville, and the Raleigh Register at Raleigh, for 3 months, requiring of the defendant to be and appear at the next term of this Court to be held at the Court House at Asheville, on the 2nd Monday after the 4th Monday of March next, or the judgment will be taken pro confesso, and the petition heard.

Witness, J. H. Coleman, Clerk of said Court, at office, the 2nd Monday after the 4th Monday of September, 1845.

J. H. COLEMAN, Clerk.

Dec. 19, 1845. [Prs. fee $6] 3m 279

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

BURKE COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law—Fall Term, 1845.

Summey & Forney to the use of J. J. Summey, vs. James Upton, Thomas Upton, James Goodson and wife Elizabeth, Lemuel Weaver and wife Jane, heirs at law of Job Upton, dec'd.

SCIRE FACIAS.

Whereas, it appears to the Court that Lemuel Weaver and wife Jane, defendants in this case, heirs at law of Job Upton, deceased, are non-residents of this State, and legal process cannot be served on them; it is therefore ordered and adjudged that publication be made in the Highland Messenger for six successive weeks notifying the said non-residents to appear at the next Superior Court of Law to be opened and held for the county of Burke, at the Court-house in Morganton, on the 4th Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, then and there to plead to said Scire Facias, or judgment pro confesso will be rendered against them.

Witness, William S. Pearson, Clerk of said Court, at office, the 4th Monday in September, A. D., 1845.

W. S. PEARSON, C. S. C. L.

Dec. 19, 1845. [Prs. fee $6] 6w 279

New Fall and Winter GOODS.

The subscribers are now receiving and opening in their new store, a large and well assorted supply of new and seasonable articles from New York, which added to their former stock, makes their assortment very full and complete. Comprising every variety usually to be found in any market.

They solicit an examination by their former customers and all others. They are determined to sell on as accommodating terms as possible, either for cash or the produce of the country.

PATTON & OSBORN.

Asheville, Nov. 14th, 1845. 274.

Best Spanish Float Indigo,

Best Dutch Madder,
Ground Logwood,
Putty,
Window Glass,
Collin's Axes,
Mill Saws,
Rio Coffee,
Brown Sugar,

Just received, and will be sold at the lowest rates.

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

Asheville, Nov. 7, 1845.—tf. 273

TO MINERS.

The subscriber wishes to hire five stout experienced hands to the gold mines, commencing the 1st of January, 1846.

Also, to others some women that are first rate house servants. Also, some boys averaging in price from two and a half dollars to one and one half per month, immediately. Apply to myself or agent, three miles east of Asheville, on Swannanoa.

THOS. T. PATTON.

October 31, 1845.—3t 272.

BOOTS & SHOES.

WE are now opening at our new establishment, Superior water-proof sewed Calf Boots; also a large lot of Coarse Brogans, which will be sold at the most reduced prices for cash.

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

Asheville, Nov. 7, 1845. tf.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

THE undersigned, Merchants in the city of Charleston, are now receiving and will have by the 15th inst., full and complete assortments of all

GOODS

in their respective lines, which they offer for sale on the most accommodating terms.

Country Merchants who have been heretofore in the habit of visiting other markets, would find it to their interest to examine this, which affords as many facilities for commerce as any other in the country.

The facilities for getting here are great, and the rates of Transportation now so low as to offer quite an inducement to those residing in the neighboring States.

DRY GOODS.

TOWNSENDS & ARNOLD, No. 1 Hayne st.
WILEY, BANKS & CO., 3 "
KELSEY & DEAS, 5 "
GILLILANDS & HOWELL, 7 "
HYATT, M'BURNEY & CO., 9 "

SADDLERY.

HARRAL, HARE & CO., 4 Hayne st.

SHOES.

D. F. FLEMMING, 2 Hayne st.
H. STODDARD & WOOD, 13 Hayne st.
J. S. BEACH, 10 Hayne st.
L. M. & B. W. FORCE & CO., 18 " st.

GROCERIES.

S. J. FARRAR, 22 Hayne st.

HATS, CAPS, &c.

F. D. Fanning & Co., 6 Hayne st.
Rankin, Sproulls & Co., 16 Hayne st.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

Haviland, Harral & Allen, 11 Hayne st.
P. M. Cohen & Co., 19 " st.

HARDWARE.

Morton & Courtney, 8 Hayne st.
Roosevelt & Barker, 17 " st.

CROCKERY.

G. S. & H. Cameron & CO., 21 Hayne st.
Brown & Stone, 14 " st.
H. B. Gleason, Meeting st., opposite Charleston Hotel.

BONNETS AND STRAW GOODS.

Bowing & Thayer, Meeting street.

BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c.

M'Carter & Allen, Meeting street, near the Charleston Hotel.

September 19, 1845.—8w. 260

Just Received,

A few more Lustred Plaid Alpaccas, Forrarella, and Lupellas, new and beautiful articles for ladies winter dresses, which will be sold very cheap.

Also,

A lot of extra, rich, new style Prints. The ladies are invited to call and examine.

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

Asheville, Oct. 17, 1845.—tf. 270

Boots and Shoes.

[illegible] & Co., Charleston, S. C. [illegible]

[illegible]

1,500 do Men's kid and morocco walking shoes
1,200 do do leather walking shoes and brogans
2,000 do Children's do and morocco boots

to all of which we invite the attention of merchants and dealers visiting Charleston, with the assurance that their goods will be offered as low for cash or approved paper, as they could be bought in the northern markets.

Sept. 26, 1845. 3m 267

PRINCE'S Linnæan Botanic Garden AND NURSERIES,

Flushing, near New York.

The Great Original Establishment. WM. R. PRINCE & CO. have just published their Unrivalled Descriptive Catalogues of Fruit and Ornamental Trees and Plants, comprising the largest assortment of the various classes, and the greatest collection of new and rare varieties ever yet offered to the public, and at greatly reduced prices. Every variety of Trees and Plants, is individually described with a precision never before evinced in any European or American Catalogues, and the gross blunders of other Catalogues are also set aright. The collection of Roses comprises above 1250 splendid varieties.

These superior Catalogues will be sent gratis to every post paid applicant.

WM. R. PRINCE & CO.

Flushing, Sept. 26, 1845.

DR. G. J. WARD,

Marion, McDowell Co., N. C.

Takes this method to inform the public that he is permanently located in Marion, and will attend to the practice of Medicine in its various branches of Surgery, Midwifery, &c. He may be always found at home, unless professionally engaged.

He keeps on hand, at all times, a good supply of Drugs and Medicines.

March 28, 1845.—1y. 241

NOTICE

To Those Concerned.

The Copartnership of GASH & KILLIAN closes with this year. All persons indebted to the concern of L. S. Gash & Co. or that of Gash & Killian, are requested to make settlement with us between this and the 1st of January, otherwise we shall be under the necessity of using the means to bring our business to a close in some way or other. Persons having unsettled claims against us, are requested to present them at our counter for liquidation. We hope those indebted to us will not wait for a notice more special, least it should be taxed with Forty cts. cost.

L. S. GASH,
J. W. KILLIAN.

Claytonville, N. C., Oct. 10, 1845.

State of North Carolina.

YANCY COUNTY.

COURT OF PLEAS & QUARTER SESS.

OCTOBER SESSION, 1845.

Bedford Wiseman vs. James Aldridge.

ORIGINAL ATTACHMENT LEVIED ON LANDS.

It having appeared to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant in this case is not an inhabitant of this state; it is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made in this case in the Highland Messenger for six weeks, that the defendant, James Aldridge, make his personal appearance at the Court-house in Burnsville, before the Justices of said Court, at the next Court to be held for said county, at the Court-house in Burnsville on the 2nd Monday after the 4th Monday in December next, then and there to plead, answer or demur, otherwise judgment pro confesso will be taken and the lands condemned to plaintiff's use.

Witness, I. C. Wilson, Clerk of said Court at Burnsville, on the 3rd Monday after the 4th Monday in September, 1845.

ISAAC C. WILSON, C. C. C.

Nov. 28, 1845. [Prs. fee $6] 6w 276

Manufactured Tin Ware.

We have a very large assortment of every kind, manufactured by Hosea Lindsay, of superior TIN which we will sell by wholesale or retail, at very low prices.

PATTON & OSBORN.

Asheville, Nov. 27, 1845.

H. Lindsay will do all kinds of repairing in his line of business, and will execute orders for Guttering and pipes for houses. His shop just below Patton & Osborn's store.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

The subscriber has just received a splendid stock of New and Seasonable Goods, of every description. His stock embraces, among other things,

Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinetts, Kerseys, Tweed, Janes, Cassinett, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Prints of all descriptions, Shawls, Pocket handkerchiefs, Domestics, Linens, &c.,

IN FACT EVERY ARTICLE IN THE DRY GOODS LINE.

Also, Hardware, Queensware, Glass Ware, Crockery, Sugar,

COFFEE, SPICES, &c. &c.

As it is impossible to enumerate all the articles on hand, those who wish to buy will of course call and examine for themselves. I would say to those who want Good Bargains, call at my store, and you shan't be disappointed.

HUGH JOHNSTON.

Asheville, Dec. 5, 1845. tf 277

BOOTS & SHOES.

Just received a large assortment of Gentlemen's dress calf Boots,

Gentlemen's winter do do
" water-proof do a superior article,
Boy's and Youth's do
Men's lined and bound Brogans,
Men's heavy coarse russet Brogans, an excellent article.
Women's leather sewed and pegged shoes,
Gentlemen's fine ladies' [illegible] shoes, (several kinds) and nearly every other variety. For sale at a small advance by

PATTON & OSBORN.

Nov. 14, 1845.

WANTED.

5000 lbs. Dry Ginseng.
5000 " Goose Feathers.
1000 " Clean Wool.
[illegible] " Wax.

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

September 26, 1845.—tf. 261

For Sale,

Superfine Flour, [illegible]

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

Asheville, Nov. 7, 1845.—tf.

BLANKS OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

Salt! Salt!! Salt!!!

[illegible] Salt [illegible]

PATTON & OSBORN.

Asheville, Nov. 1845. 273

Five Cents Reward,

AND NO THANKS!

RANAWAY from the subscriber, [illegible] of September last, a bound boy [illegible] Day, aged about 18 years. All persons are warned against harboring said boy. I will give the above reward and no thanks for his delivery to me.

THOMAS A. STARNES.

October 17, 1845.—3t. 270

The subscriber earnestly requests all to whom he is indebted, to [illegible] that they are [illegible]

JOHN DICKSON.

Asheville, Dec. 12, 1845. [illegible]

SOUTHERN HARMONY.

ONE Dozen copies of the Southern Harmony, the best work of the kind ever published, just received and for sale at 62½ cents a copy, by

THOS. W. ATKIN.

Asheville, Oct. 17, 1845. 270

DO YOU HEAR?

We have on hand lots of Goods for this dull weather, and if you want a Good COAT, VEST, or PANTALOONS, we have just the thing for you. And more than that, we have on hand yet a few of that same lot of splendid

BLANKET OVERCOATS,

one of which you had better procure soon, or you will be too late. Call at the cheap cash store of

JESSE S. & J. P. SMITH.

Asheville, Dec. 5, 1845.

Proposals

For publishing in the town of Knoxville, Tennessee, a religious Newspaper, to be denominated the

"METHODIST EPISCOPALIAN."

The necessity for a Religious Periodical, suited to the mountainous and isolated position of the Holston Conference, has been long and deeply felt; and the desideratum should have been supplied, had it not been for the difficulty of sustaining such an enterprise. Several attempts to do so, have been made, but they have been suffered to fall, for want of adequate patronage. In a Conference having under its control [illegible] travelling Preachers, and within its bounds some 35,000 members, it is believed that not more than five hundred of our Church papers are taken. This state of things has been, and, if it continue to exist, must continue to have a most blighting influence on the benevolent institutions and spiritual interests of the Methodist Episcopal Church, within the limits of this Conference. A most devoted, self-sacrificing, self-denying, and laborious Ministry, have traversed this country at large and have done much to advance the cause of Christ; but how much more efficient would be their labors if those among whom they labor and toil, were the constant and attentive readers of a well conducted Religious Newspaper? Would not the Missionary cause—the cause of Sunday Schools—and the interests of our Colleges and Academies, be greatly promoted by such a paper, if it were published in our midst? And will not our ministerial brethren, and other numerous friends, unite with us in the effort to establish among us such a vehicle of useful knowledge—suited to our varied wants? They are cordially invited to do so, and confidently expected to engage in the work. We have no mercenary interests to serve, and only aim to glorify God, by the promotion of his cause among our fellow-men.

At this eventful crisis of our Church—when the separation of the South from the North, is being so extensively spoken of, it is not our design to increase, but to allay the excitement, maintaining the unity of the spirit in the bonds of peace. Touching the doctrines and discipline of our Church, we shall act on the defensive, and repel the attacks of our assailants, in the spirit of the Gospel. And while items of general news, and other intelligence herein alluded to, are given, the Agricultural interests of the country will not be overlooked.

By a Resolution of the Conference, Rev. TIMOTHY SULLENS, and Rev. R. M. STEVENS, members of the Conference, and HENRY AULT, of Knoxville, were appointed a Publishing Committee, to whom all lists of names will be forwarded, POST PAID.

T. STRINGFIELD,
S. PATTON,—Editors.

TERMS.

The "EPISCOPALIAN" will be published on a super-royal sheet, at two dollars per annum in advance—two fifty within six months—and three dollars at the end of the year.

From two to three columns on the fourth page will be open for Advertisements, to be inserted at the usual rates.

It is contemplated that the publication of the "EPISCOPALIAN" will be commenced as soon as a sufficient number of subscribers are obtained to justify the enterprise. And the Preachers and friends of the Church are respectfully invited to exert themselves in its behalf, instantly and perseveringly, till the paper is under way.

The several Newspapers within the bounds of the Holston Conference, without distinction of parties, are respectfully requested to give this Prospectus one or more insertions, calling attention to the same.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 16th, 1845.

100 Sacks of Salt,

JUST received, and for sale, cheap, by

RANKIN & PULLIAM.

Nov. 14, 1845.

New Fall and Winter GOODS.

The subscriber is now receiving and opening at his old stand in Asheville, a General Assortment of NEW GOODS, carefully selected and bought entirely for Cash in New York and Philadelphia, his stock comprises almost every article usually kept in village stores, viz:

Dry Goods, of nearly every description, Hardware, Cutlery, Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Dye Stuffs, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Bonnets, Books, Saddlery, Groceries, Clocks, Wooden and Tin Ware, with a good stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING.

He now invites old customers and the public generally, and particularly people from the adjoining counties to give him a call; as he sells for nothing but Cash in Hand, he flatters himself that he can sell as Cheap as the CHEAPEST!!

J. DUNLAP.

Asheville, Oct. 3, 1845. tf 268

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Printed in superior style.

Winter Caps.

WE have just opened an excellent assortment of Men's and Boy's Cloth, Fur, Hair, and Seal Caps, of the latest fashions, which we will sell very low.

PATTON & OSBORN.

Nov. 14, 1845.