POETRY.

From the Kentucky Gazette.

Rhoda Harry.

BY THE LATE PEARCE MAY.

In the ancient burying-ground of Ballymargy, near Ballycastle, there is the grave of a young woman who died when her parents and other members of the family were about to emigrate to America. They were obliged by her illness to postpone their departure for a time, and the gloom of approaching death was deepened and rendered more appalling to her, by the thought that none of her kindred would be near to visit her grave.

O life and hope, ye faint, ye fail!
How blindly were we!
On sweet Rathmona's heights, the gale
Came o'er the summer sea!
But soon the heart shall cease to beat,
These sleepless eyes shall close,
And in the grave's serene retreat,
My weary head repose.

Sweet friends, and when ye lay me where
Our fathers' ashes lie,
Say will ye sometimes think of her
Whose love can never die?
And when you leave your peaceful glen
To cross the distant wave,
Oh, will you ever come again,
To see your Mary's grave?

Full many a year has passed, and she,
The best beloved of all,
Sleeps, from her cares and sorrows free,
Beside the old church wall—
The bee at noontide murmurs there,
The shamrock flowers among;
And in the evening's silent air,
How sweet the red-breast's song!

For the Highland Messenger.

Stanzas.

Oh! why that cloud upon thy brow—
Why linger thoughts of sorrow!
Or why despairingly thus bow
As though there were no morrow?
Though all be blight within thy path,
Life yet some spots of greenness hath.

Though long the night of grief hath been,
And weary hours have lingered,
Yet Hope hath still her glowing sheen,
Whose rays far off are fingered:
This pall-like darkness shall dispel,
And thy glad heart respond "'tis well!"

EDWARD.

From the New York Evening Mirror.

Lines for the Present.

A year hath passed—a year hath severed
Another cherished link from time,
Another storm in life is weathered,
And we are ploughing through our prime;
Years are rolling as the billows,
Every moment's flying fast,
Days are crumbling as the pillars
Of some mighty temple past!

Each and all are but a solemn
Temple built upon the soul;
Every crumbling year's a column
Fallen from the mighty whole.
The Past is the departed hour
Haunting round the ruined wall;
The present is the ivy flower,
Growing wildly over all!

Cherish fond the fallen pillar,
And from it the lesson learn,
Hearts are true that love the willow
Weeping o'er the broken urn;
The youth that year is but the growing
Orphan of the parent dead,
Remember well while tears are flowing,
What road to shun, and path to tread!

The Baltimore Typographical Society, at a recent celebration, among the regular toasts gave the following for "Woman:"

The sweetest *type* upon the earth—
The prettiest *forms*—the fairest *faces*—
The loveliest *flowers* that e'er had birth—
That ever clung to man's *embraces*.

Crabbe.

The poet Crabbe, once, in a fermenting mood, evolved the following crabbed, crooked, cross and crusty criticism:

Secrets with girls, like loaded guns with boys
Are never valued till they make a noise;
To show how trusted, they their powers display;
To show how worthy, they their trusts betray;
Like pence in children's pockets, secrets lie
In female bosoms; they must burn or fly.

A very great degree of alarm has been created amongst the settlers on the Missouri river, by the discovery of the fact that the beavers have built their dams this season many feet higher than they were ever known to do before. This is regarded as a sure omen of an unprecedented freshet on that river. It seems to be a fact, and an extraordinary one truly, that these animals, of all others, are gifted with an instinct which enables them to provide against danger.

Post Office Robbery.—The Lancaster (Ohio) Gazette of the 16th ult. says—

A young man by the name of Julian, employed as a clerk in the post office in this town, has been detected in extracting money from a letter deposited in the office. The letter in question was from a merchant here, directed to Baltimore, Md., in which was enclosed $225; consisting of a draft for $125, and $100 in bills of tens and fives. The bills were all taken out, and waste paper substituted so as to leave the letter in appearance and weight the same. The draft was left untouched. He confessed himself guilty of the theft and absconded immediately. He was pursued, but whether he has been taken or not we have not learned.

State of North Carolina,
BUNCOMBE COUNTY.

Superior Court of Law—Fall Term, 1845.

Elizabeth Bellenger vs. Revel Bellenger.
PETITION FOR DIVORCE.

Upon affidavit of the sheriff, that the defendant cannot be found, and proclamation having been made at the door of the Court House by the Sheriff, under the order of the Court, for the defendant to appear and answer as commanded by the subpœna. Therefore it is 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 Mon. day of March next, or that 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. 12, 1845. [Prs. fee $6] 3m 279

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 concern of the Company. The *GOODS* on hand *WILL BE SOLD AT COST AND CARRIAGE* either for cash, or on time to punctual customers. Persons wanting

Good, Cheap Bargains,

will do well to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. All persons indebted by note or book account, are requested to settle on or before the 1st day of April, 1846, or they will find their notes and accounts placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

M. PATTON, surviving Partner of
F. & M. PATTON.
Asheville, Dec. 19, 1845. 1A 279

A List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Burnsville on the 1st day of January, 1846. If not taken out by the 1st day of April next they will be sent to the Post Office Department as dead letters:

William Arrowood,	Johnston Hampton
Charles Baker,	Stephen McMahan
C R Byrd	Charles McKinney 2
Russel Beaver	William Ray
Jeremiah Broadway	A L Ray
James Broadway	Henry Ray
Clerrissa Broadway	Thomas Randolph
Maj Edwards	David Smith
Wm C Evett	Mary A Shearman or
E D Elliott	James A Shearman
Alexander Erwin	A Tye
Samuel Flemming	James Wilson
Lawyer Francis	Phillip Wilhite

LORENZO D. POTEET, P. M.
Burnsville, Jan. 1, 1846. 284

CARRYALL AND WAGGON

HARNESS.

We have now on hand and will continue to keep every variety of Carryall, Buggy, and Waggon HARNESS, which we will sell on more accommodating terms than the same article has ever before been offered for in this market.

Our stock of

LEATHER

is large, consisting of

UPPER AND SOLE—a large quantity;
CALF, SHEEP, BEAR and DEER SKINS.

All of which is offered at the lowest cash prices, or for the produce of the country.

PATTON & OSBORN.
Jan. 9, 1845.—tf 281

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, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Strictures, 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 restraint in diet or exercise, and without mercury. Even when the procreative energies become torpid or paralyzed, from excessive indulgence, or from masturbation, he will be able to restore the parts to health and vigor. Persons at a distance, enclosing $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, 6m 263

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.

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 want GOOD BARGAINS.

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

Asheville, Oct. 1845. tf.

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 publication of the same be made in the Highland Messenger published at Asheville, at the Court-house door, and at three places in the county.

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

J. H. COLEMAN, *Clerk*.
Dec. 19, 1845. [Prs. fee $6] tf 279

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, Satinetts, 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

BLANKS OF ALL KINDS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

NOTICE.

The subscriber avails himself of this method to inform his customers that he wishes them to make payment to him by April Court.—After that time, all notes and accounts that remain unpaid, he intends putting in the hands of an officer for collection.

JAS. M. SMITH.
Jan. 30, 1846.—6t. 284

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,
68 Ann Street.
Sept. 19, 1845.—6m. 266

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

PURIFY THE BLOOD.

MOFFAT'S

VEGETABLE LIFE PILLS AND PHŒNIX BITTERS.

The high and varied celebrity which these pre-eminent Medicines have acquired for their invariable 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.—In the south and west, where these diseases prevail, they will be found invaluable. Planters, farmers, and others, who once use these Medicines, will never afterwards be without them.

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 have 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 infinitely sooner than the most powerful preparation of Sarsaparilla.

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 35 years standing by the use of these Life Medicines alone.

PAINS in the liver, 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. Parents will do well to administer them whenever their existence is suspected. Relief will be certain.

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 stranger 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 dont 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

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

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 dress handkerchiefs, and if you do not purchase of us it will not be because you think our prices high, for we sell a "cheap" cheaper than any body else. Try us.

J. S. & J. P. SMITH.
Asheville, Oct. 31, 1845.—tf. 272.

TAILORING

In All Its Various Branches.

WINTER 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.

DISSOLUTION.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of Turner & Hughes, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Henry D. Turner is alone authorized to close the business; and all persons indebted to the late firm are requested to make immediate payment to him.

HENRY D. TURNER,
NELSON B. HUGHES.
Raleigh, Jan. 1, 1846.—tf 281

READY MADE CLOTHING.

Men's and Boys' Ready Made Clothing.

Having Coats of a variety of

Gentlemen's mixed Tweed Pants,
Black and Grass do
Fancy Velencia Vests,
Black Satin do
Ladies Cloaks, a new Style—all suitable for winter. For sale by,

PATTON & OSBORN.
Asheville, Nov. 14, 1845.

Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road.

THIS Road, having become the property of the State of North Carolina, notice is hereby given that it is in successful operation, and the transportation of Passengers and Freights will be continued at the same rates as heretofore. Every attention will be paid to insure expedition and comfort to the Traveller.

WESLEY HOLLISTER, President.
Raleigh, Jan. 8th, 1846.—3. 283

Saddles! Saddles!!

WE are now receiving a large supply of *SADDLES*, directly from New York, which we will be able to sell very low for cash, or produce of the country.

PATTON & OSBORN.
Asheville, Jan. 12, '46.—tf. 281

NOTICE.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

WHEREAS, my wife Elizabeth having left my bed and board without any cause of provocation, I hereby forwarn all persons from harboring or trading with her, as I will not pay any of her contracts.

ISAAC R. CLARK.
Haywood co., Jan. 9, 1846.—3t. 281

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 it 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.

Boots and Shoes.

L. M. & B. W. FORCE & Co., No. 18, Hayne st., Charleston, S. C., are adding to their stock, by late arrivals, direct from the Manufacturers, two thousand cases of BOOTS and SHOES; consisting of

10,000 pair Men's thick black brogans
15,000 do do do russet do
1,000 do do do do do—extra sizes
12,000 do do kip lined and bound do
1,500 do do calf peg'd and sewed do
2,000 do do calf and kip peg'd boots
1,000 do do fine do sewed do
1,000 do do coarse mining do
2,500 do Boy's coarse black and russet brogans
2,500 do do kip lined and bound
1,000 do Youth's do do do do
1,000 do Boy's and Youth's calf do
2,000 do Women's leather peg'd and sewed strap shoes
1,000 do do calf skin do and do do
2,500 do do seal & kip do and Brogans
1,000 do do calf skin do and do
1,500 do do morocco and kid walking shoes
2,000 do do fine French morocco and kid slippers
1,000 do Misses' kid and morocco walking shoes
1,500 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.

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WANTED.

5000 lbs. Dry Ginseng.
5000 " Geese Feathers.
1000 " Clean Wool.
1000 " Wax.

RANKIN & PULLIAM.
September 26, 1845.—tf. 267

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.—6t 272.

SALEM ALMANICS FOR 1846,

Grigg & Elliott's Common School Reader,
Psalms and Hymns,
Meth. do
Southern Harmony,
Toy Books,
Blank Books of every variety,
Bibles—25 cts. edition.

We have also a few numbers of Sears' popular and interesting works, to wit:—History of the Bible, Bible Biography, Wonders of the World, &c., &c.; besides nearly every variety of school books usually kept by country merchants. All of which will be sold on the most accommodating terms by

PATTON & OSBORN.
Jan. 9, 1846.—tf. 281

FRANKLIN MALE ACADEMY.

THE subscriber having consented to take charge of this institution for the year 1846, respectfully informs the public that the first session will commence on Monday, the 4th day of January next. Tuition for Classical and Mathematical students, $10; English Grammar and Geography $7; and all others $5 per session. The subscriber will board a few students at $1 25 per week. Board can also be had in other respectable houses.

J. Y. HICKS.
Franklin, Macon co., Dec. 19, 1845. 3t 270

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.

Salt! Salt!! Salt!!!

JUST received, 100 Sacks of Liverpool Salt, (a very superior article,) which we will sell at a small advance, by the sack or single bushel, for cash or the produce of the country.

PATTON & OSBORN.
Asheville, Nov. 7, 1845. tf. 273

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Sarah A. Lyle, deceased, will attend the Court of Sessions in Buncombe for the purpose of settling said estate, and all persons indebted either by note or otherwise, will come forward and make settlement. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

JOHN LYLE,
Administrator.
Jan. 10, 1846.—3t. 281

Skins.

The subscriber wishes to purchase a quantity of Coon, Fox, Mink and Otter Skins, and will take in exchange for Goods all that are brought in by the 15th of March.

JAS. M. SMITH.
Jan. 30, 1846.—3t. 284

Just Received.

A few pieces Leaded Plaid Alpacas, Poreelle, and Lunettas, 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

John E. M'Donnald,

Commission Merchant,
Hamburg, S. C.

ALSO Receives and Forwards 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. 268

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.

A LIST OF LETTERS,

REMAINING in the Post Office at Asheville, N. C., on the 31st of December, 1845, which if not taken out in three months will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters:

Allen Daniel		McDowell J C Doct	
Aiken John		McKay J M	
Alexander John		McClair E H	
Burns N J		Mix Jerry	
Bell J N		Monroe Charles	
Bell James		Owenby James	
Boggs John		Patton J B	
Black Mathew		Palmer A J	
Brookshur B		Perkins J N	
Ball William		Pope John	
Ball Ann Mrs		Patton T T Esq	3
Clayton Jacob		Reeves Willis	
Creasman Henry		Rogers A	
Coleman W T		Ruff John	
Chuck P B		Reads J S	
Creasman J H		Shrout John	
Clingman T L		Stradly Thos Rev	
Candler George		Sluder Henry	
Chunn A B	3	Sales Ann Miss	
Cassada John		Smith A D	
Francis M		Smith Bryce	
Franklin L P		Smith Thos Rev D D	
Frisby Isaah		Smith A Dewitt	2
Griggs Henry		Smith J H	
Gudger Elizabeth Mrs		Smathus James	
Guilbraith W		Speers J	
Gentle Joseph		Thomas Mary Mrs	
Griffith Wm A		Ute T	
Hardy Emma Miss		Vivion W P	
Hany John		Weaver J S	
Hall John		West J B	
Hughey E H		Woodson Mathew	
Johnson W B		Westall Thos C	
Jones W D Col	2	Warren William	
Keener U Rev		Wolf Jackson	
King C		Williams S F	
Lindsay Hosea		Watkins T H	
Luthrel Presly		Williams William	2
Mitchell Elisha Rev		Williams E H R	2
Mallory A		Westmoreland J	
McKee William		Young Thomas	

M. PATTON, P. M.
Asheville, Jan. 9, 1846. 281

Mount Pleasant Academy.

THE Winter Session of this Academy, situated near John's River, 7 miles north of Morganton, in one of the most healthy regions of Burke county, and now under the direction of D. A. Wilson, a graduate of one of the Northern Colleges, will commence the 1st of February, 1846.

The course of instruction embraces a thorough study of all the branches of an English education, together with Mathematics and the Latin and Greek languages; though parents have the privilege of designating those studies to which they may wish their children particularly to attend.

Tuition per Session of Five Months:

For the English Branches,	$ 7 00
" " English and Mathematics,	9 00
" " " and Languages,	12 00

Boarding, and all accommodations necessary for pupils from home, can be obtained convenient to the Academy at $5 per month for youths under 15, and at $6 for those over this age.

Satisfactory testimonials of the character and qualifications of the preceptor can be presented if desired.

For further information address Mr. Wilson or Mr. D. Corpening, at Morganton, N. C.

Jan. 9, 1846.—3t 281

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, duetts, 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. Dervort, 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: "Rest Spirit, Rest." (from Amille.) "Pearl Waltz," by Francois Hunten. "The sun has caught me sleeping," a celebrated Hunting song. "The Rose will cease to blow," as sung by Mr. Templeton.

Address, J. H. MILLER, *N. Y. City.*
Dec. 12, 1845. 278

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. 271

SPECIAL COURT.

WHEREAS, it appears to me, now holding the Superior Court for the county of Charleston, that the business on the Civil Docket 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 this county of Charleston be held in conformity to the act of the General Assembly, on the first Monday of March next, and continue for one week. It is further directed that the Clerk of this Court cause the above Order, and communicate a Copy thereof, under the seal of his Court, to his Excellency the Governor of this 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.*
Morgan, Nov. 7, 1845.—4t. 273

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 here before 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.

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DR. G. J. WARD,

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

March 28, 1845.—1y. 211

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WE have on hand *lots* of Goods to suit this cold weather, and if you want a *Coat, COAT, VEST, or PANTALOONS*, we have just the stuff to suit you. And more than that, we have on hand yet a few of *that same* lot of splendid

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RANKIN & PULLIAM.
Asheville, Nov. 7, 1845. tf

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Asheville, Nov. 7, 1845.—tf.

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J. W. KILLIAN.
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