From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

THE CULTIVATION OF BEES.

The early sunbeams are flashing long streams of light through the thick shrubbery of the garden, the blossoms have unfolded their thin robes to receive the light which invigorates the germ and clothes the petals in their variegated tints. A tiny insect, all life and music, dances from flower to flower, drinking honey from their cups, and, like a Bacchanalian, singing as he drinks. His jet black breeches and yellow vest are conspicuous among the white and pink blossoms as he thursts his head fearlessly into their hollow tubes, surrounded with stamens and pistils, and extracts the liquid sweetness they secrete. Not a blossom escapes his visit, and when all are thus robbed by this nectariferous burglar, off he starts, with a directness of course and a rapidity that makes one instinctively dodge his head to give him a free course, so disproportinate seems the power evinced in his activity to the diminutive size of the body. This little insect, noted for its industry, though dreaded for the virulence of its sting, is the honey bee, which may be domesticated and cultivated until it can be harmlessly handled, and the labor which it seems to delight in performing unceasingly in the blossom season, may have its rich results transferred by man to his own benefit. All that is required is to know how to do it, and this knowledge, fortunately, is easily acquired by the study of the habits and the peculiarities of the insect, so as to know practically how to manage it.

The Apiarian, or bee cultivator, is a manufacturer, though his productions may not enter into the calculations of national wealth. He is the proprietor of thousands of busy workmen, who voluntarily perform labor without asking a division of the profits in wages. He takes their surplus as his own, and there are none to question his right—and he is able to do this through observation of natural objects and patient investigation of the laws which control their life. His business is an art, and he can impart its principles to others till they become equally as expert as himsel. It is now fifteen years since Mr. Langstroth, of Greenfield, Mass., first turned his attention to the cultivation of bees. In the course of his experiments he found that he could dispense entirely with natural swarming, and yet multiply colonies of bees with greater rapidity and certainty than by the common methods. It is the quality of the bee, as in men, of being exceedingly good-natured after a meal, which enables one to cultivate it. The bee never volunteers an attack or acts on the offensive when filled with honey; and when it intends to swarm it fills its honey-bag to its utmost capacity. Bees cannot, under any circumstances, resist the temptation of sweetness, and a little sugar and water mollifies their wrath and seduces them as surely as sweet words poured into the unsuspecting ear of maidenly affection.

A hive contains three kinds of bees—the queen, the drone and the worker. The queen bee is the only perfect female in the hive and lays all the eggs, amounting to two or three thousand per day during the height of the season. By a curious provision of nature, though not peculiar to the bee, the fecundition of the queen lasts for several years, or probably as long as she lives. At least this is the prevailing opinion among the apiarians, though it is not without its difficulties and its doubts. If this fecundation is retarded, her eggs will all produce drones. The queen bee is essential to the existence of the colony, and when she is taken away there is as great a commotion in the hive as in a nation when it loses its reigning female sovereign. The labor of the hive is abandoned or the work of rearing a successor to the insect monarch is immediately commenced. The drone is the male bee, and several hundreds will be found in a hive. He is necessary to the propagation of the species, but adds nothing to the accumulation of the stores of honey. He goes forth filled and comes back empty, and like all such profitless members of an industrious community, is driven out of the hive soon after the swarming season is over. The life of such an idler fortunately lasts but three or four months.

The third kind of bee is the smallest in size, the greatest in number and the most useful in the hive. This bee is called the worker, and is the common bee we see visiting the blossoms. It is an imperfectly developed female, incapable of breeding.—A good swarm will contain from fifteen to twenty thousand of workers, which live six or seven months. The wax with which the bee builds its comb is a natural secretion of the insect, and is, in the opinion of experienced naturalists and apiarians, not derived from the pollen of the flowers. It is an animal oil, secreted from honey, and twenty pounds of honey are required to be consumed to produce one pound of wax.—The building of the honeycomb is carried on during the night and in bad weather, so that little time is lost by the industrious bee. The young are nourished with the bee bread or pollen of flowers, which the bee carries home on his thighs. Successful cultivators use a substitute of rye meal, by which they obtain an early breed. A hive of bees will produce in a season a hundred pounds of honey.

We should extend this subject to too great a length to treat of all the interesting facts connected with the life and habits of this useful insect, or the most successful mode of cultivating it—how bees should be protected, how their hives are ventilated, and how they may be made to swarm artificially, what pasture is preferable, what flowers they prefer, are all details which must be learned by observation and experience, or be directly communicated by the skilful apiarian. The gentleman above alluded to is probably as experienced a guide as we have, and he has published a work in which all the facts respecting the subject desirable to be known are published. He has invented the patent moveable comb beehive, which removes the main difficulties attending the bee keeper, gives him the control over the combs, and enables him to take them out at pleasure, without injuring or killing the bee, and the comb may be returned to the bee to be refilled. By this invention the management of the bee is so simplified, that hives may be placed in gentlemen's houses or even bed rooms, and we hear of one gentleman in this city who has them in the latter proximity. It is no doubt a gratification to be able to cultivate the friendship of this rambler among the blossoms, and be on terms of familiarity with it, though our instinctive dread would make us decline such association. Those who have no such fears, and who have the faculty of eliciting by their gentleness and kindness the good-will of every animated creature, might find it both a pleasurable and a profitable recreation, equally as excitable as politics, and not so damaging to the temper and the character. If it but diverted his mind from the harrassing pursuits of life into channels where nature always breathes fresh and pure, it would be a healthy inspiration, a reinvigoration of the mental power, and a rejuvenating of the life of the individual that would lend it some of the charms of youth to accompany its age to the grave.

☞ People are prone to condemn in others what they practice in themselves without scruple. Plutarch tells of a wolf, who, peeping into a hut where a company of shepherds were regaling themselves with a joint of mutton, exclaimed, "What a clamor would they have raised, if they had caught me at such a banquet!"

$4,000 IN PREMIUMS.

THE FIRST

ANNUAL FAIR

OF THE

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE Agricultural Society,

TO BE HELD AT

Columbia, South Carolina,

NOVEMBER 11, 12, 13, AND 14.

THE extensive grounds and halls of exhibition will be in complete readiness for the occasion. Should the weather be unpropitious the Halls will shelter

EIGHT THOUSAND PERSONS.

The Agriculturalists, Manufacturers and Mechanics of the Southern States are invited to send forward all articles of Agricultural and Mechanical interest, to compete for the various and extensive list of Premiums offered.

The Pomologist and Florist must present the Fruits and Flowers of the South, as well as the products of their gardens.

The Ladies are especially invited to exhibit (free of charge) specimens of Household Industry, the substantial as well as the delicate fabrics of their handi-work.

The Painters and Sculptors of the South must adorn our halls with the productions of their genius.

Every thing worthy of a premium in the wide range of the industrious and useful arts should be brought forward. A Steam Engine and necessary Shafting, for all sorts of Machinery, will be erected. Ample covered Stalls for Stock of all kinds, and forage arrangements, will be provided. All the Railroads in the State will transport articles and Stock for exhibition, with the necessary attendants on the latter, at the owner's risk of charge.

Visitors to the Fair will be charged but one fare going and returning.

All small packages of value should be sent, *prepaid*, by Adams & Co.'s Express, as this would insure their safety.

All articles for exhibition, not in charge of the owner, should be directed to "A. G. Summer, for State Agricultural Society, Columbia, S. C.," and have the owner's name plainly marked thereon.

The Annual Address will be delivered on WEDNESDAY, by Gen. DAVID F. JAMISON, of Orangeburg, S. C.

Comfortable hotel accommodations, as well as private entertainment, will be furnished at reasonable rates for all who may come.

A. P. CALHOUN, President.
E. G. PALMER,
A. G. SUMMER,
O. M. DANTZLER,
R. J. GAGE,
J. U. ADAMS,
R. W. GIBBES,
Sept. 9—1w Executive Committee.

RAIL-ROAD HOTEL,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

KINZEL & CO., Proprietors.

THE undersigned has taken charge of the new Hotel recently erected in the immediate vicinity of the Depots of the

S. C. & N. C. RAIL ROADS,
At Charlotte,

and they invite from the travelling public and the community generally a trial of the merits of their establishment. Our House will be kept in all respects not inferior to any other good hotel, whether regard be had to the table or to the comfort and convenience of the sleeping apartments. To the travellers on the Rail-Roads, this stand is particularly desirable, being near to and in full view of the Depots—and to boarders of the town we will make it as desirable, we hope, both in regard to accommodations and terms, as any other similar establishment. No effort will be spared on our part to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronage.

KINZEL & CO.

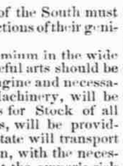
☞ There will be a

LUNCH HOUSE AND BAR

kept in the best style, in the basement of the Hotel.

August 26, 1856—3m

$25 Reward.



RAN AWAY from the subscriber near Ridgeway Post Office, Fairfield District, South Carolina, on or about the 22d day of June last, a mulatto negro fellow named CHAMP or CHAMPION, who is about 40 years of age, five feet 9 or 10 inches high, high cheek bones, stub nose, large mouth, which he inclines to keep open, thick curling lips, large teeth, full eyes, of which he has the habit of squiting when spoken to, very short chin, large and bony feet, and when walking turns his toes outwards, has a notable scar of this shape X, on the back of his neck, caused by two cuts with a lancet, has a scar also near the point of his elbow, resembling a burn, and has a lump about the size of a walnut on the outside of the right leg, a few inches above the ankle joint. Any one appehending said negro, and delivering him to me, or lodging him in any jail in the United States, so that I get him, will be paid by me a reward of Twenty-Five Dollars.

WM. E. ROSS,
Ridgeway, Fairfield District, S. C.
September 9, 1856—3w

Rags Wanted.

HUGGINS & HARTY, at their Store on the corner of Main and Trade streets will buy cotton Rags, and give the highest market price.

Charlotte, March 4, 1856.—1y

THE ELOPEMENT.

They locked me in an upper room,
And took away the key,
Because I wouldn't marry one
Who never suited me.
They did not know the female heart,
Or they had clearly seen
That locks were never made to keep,
A girl of seventeen.

They had a gilded cage in view,
And thought the bird secure,
Surrounded by the guards of power
And every artful lure.
They never thought of counterplots
In any one like me,
And little knew what I would do,
For love and liberty

They wanted me to "marry rich,"
Unmindful of the means—
To couple me with wealth and age
While I was in my "teens."
But being otherwise "engaged,"
No coaxing could prevail,
For I preferred to please myself,
And wouldn't be "for sale."

The night was dark, the window raised—
How could I answer no?
When that might be my on'y chance,
And Charley teas'd me so.
A Railroad station being near,
A carriage waiting by—
And such an opportunity
What could I do but fly?

Not being fond of solitude,
It had for me no charms,
While I could knot a silken cord
To reach a lover's arms.
"Resolved, therefore," I would not stay
To be imposed upon;
So, while they thought they had me, I
Was "going—going—gone!"

READ THIS AND Take Notice.

I, as surviving partner of Springs & Weddington, have to close up the business of said firm. I therefore notify all persons indebted either by note or book account, made at Clear Creek or Rocky River Store, that longer indulgence will not be given, as the largest number of said notes and accounts have now stood too long unsettled. The shortest and quickest course will be pursued for their collection. Call at the Grocery Store of Springs & McLeod, Charlotte, or at the Store, at Rocky River, where the business will be continued, and settle the same forthwith.

LEROY SPRINGS,
Surviving partner.
August 5, 1856—tf

The Charlotte Natual Fire Insurance Company,

CONTINUES to take risks against loss by Fire on Houses, Goods, Produce, &c., at usual rates. Office in Brawley's Building, up stairs.

DIRECTORS:

M. B. TAYLOR, President.
S. P. ALEXANDER, Vice President.
J. A. YOUNG, J. H. WHITE, J. H. CARSON, C. OVERMAN, A. C. STEELE, } Executive Committe.
J. H. WILSON, Agent.
JOHN F. IRWIN, Secretary.
July 22, 1856—tf

Wait For

THE WAGON!

Why is it Jenkins & Taylor sell Stoves so cheap? Because they buy them from the Manufacturers.

JENKINS & TAYLOR

WOULD respectfully announce to the inhabitants of Charlotte and vicinity, that they have removed from their Old Stand, to one door West of Elms & Spratt's Grocery Store, where they have now on exhibition, just received from the North, one of the most

EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENTS OF

STOVES

Ever offered in North Carolina, among which will be found the celebrated

Iron Witch Cooking Stove!

Which has gained such a famous reputation in the Southern Country for the last eighteen months. This Stove we warrant superior to any Cooking Stove now in use. It is simple in its arrangements, consumes less fuel, and does more work in a given time, than any other Stove now in use. We will put one beside any other Stove of the same size in the United States, and if it does not do more work in any given time, we will forfeit the price of the Stove, and quit selling and go our death for the better one.

All Kinds of Parlour and Box STOVES.

We have, and constantly keep an extensive and varied stock of

Tin, and Sheet Iron, Japan and Britannia Ware, Brass Kettles, Cast Iron Bedsteads, Hat Racks, Cradles &c.,

All of which will be sold Wholesale and Retail, cheaper than has ever been before offered in this vicinity.

We would return our thanks to our friends and customers for the very liberal patronage they have bestowed upon us, and they may rest assured, that we shall endeavor, by close attention to business, together with a determination to please, to merit a continuance of the same.

Our Motto is "Quick Sales and Small Profits."

Ladies and Gentlemen are particularly invited to call and examine our Stock.

ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK

Attended to with dispatch.

N B.—We will tell you why we had our advertisement "WAIT FOR THE WAGON,"—it is because we have three wagons constantly traveling through the country with Stoves.

☞ All orders will be faithfully and promptly attended to.

Charlotte, Sept. 25, '55—tf

ROBERT SHAW

TAKES this opportunity of informing the public generally, and all who intend going to Kansas in particular, that he intends to continue the

Saddle and Harness Business,

At his old stand, in Springs' Corner Building, where he intends to keep constantly on hand a supply of

Saddles, Bridles, Harness, &c
Of Every Description.

His friends are respectfully invited to call and supply themselves, as every article in his line will be afforded on the most reasonable terms.

REPAIRING done at the shortest notice and with neatness and dispatch.

Charlotte, Feb. 26, 1856.—tf

WASHINGTON AND A CORPORAL.

During the American Revolution, the commander of a little squad was giving orders to those under him, relative to a log of timber which they were endeavoring to raise up to the top of some military works they were repairing. The timber went up with difficulty, and on this account, the voice of the little great man, was often heard, in regular vociferations of "Heave way! there she goes! heave ho!" An officer, not in the military costume, was passing, and asked the commander why he did not take hold and render a little aid. The latter, astonished, turning round with all the pomp of an emperor, said, 'Sir, I am a corporal!' "You are, are you?" replied the officer, "I was not aware of that;" and taking off his hat and bowing, the officer said, "I ask your pardon, Mr. Corporal," and then dismounted, and lifted till the sweat stood in drops on his forehead. When the work was finished, turning to the commander, he said, "Mr. Corporal, when you have another such job, and have not men enough, send for your commander-in-chief, and I will come and help you a second time."—The Corporal was thunderstruck! It was Washington who thus addressed him!

MOUNTAIN HOUSE,

MORGANTON, N. C.

J. M. HAPPOLDT, Proprietor.

THIS establishment continues open for the reception of the Travelling public. Its character is a FIRST CLASS HOTEL; its admirable location as regards *coolness* and *quietness*, being remote from the noise and bustle of the Court Square, and the disorder of the *Drinking Establishments* in that vicinity; its fine Mountain views, and receiving the Mountain air fresh and unobstructed; and yet being near enough to the public square for any object of business, is too well known to admit of further commendation; and the proprietor has added and is still adding to its comforts and conveniences, and he hopes to merit and continue to receive the very large share of public patronage which he has formerly had.

J. M. HAPPOLDT.

N. B.—Persons desirous of coming direct from Charlotte to Morganton will find ready facilities of transportation—there being a daily line of Stages from Charlotte to Lincolnton; and at Lincolnton, Col. B. S. Johnston, the proprietor of the Hotel, keeps good horses, carriages and drivers for public use; and at Morganton the subscriber is also ready at any time to transport persons to any point to which they may wish to go. J. M. H.

August 5, 1856—3m

☞ Yorkville papers will please copy three months and forward bills to J. M. H.

CHARLOTTE HOTEL

BY

J. B. KERR, Proprietor.

EVERY accommodation afforded the patrons of the CHARLOTE HOTEL.

At this Hotel is kept the Stage Office for Bland & Baxter's daily line of stages from Charlotte via Lincolnton, Shelby and Rutherfordton to Asheville, N. C.

Also, for the line of Tri-weekly Stages from Charlotte via Monroe, N. C. and Lancaster, S C. to Camden, S. C.

Patrons of the Charlotte Hotel conveyed to and from the depots free of charge.

J. B. KERR.

Jan. 8, 1856.—3m

MECKLENBURG HOUSE,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

I WOULD respectfully invite the attention of the public to my House, which is situated 3 doors north-east of KERR'S Hotel, which is now open for regular and transient boarders. Particular attention paid to feeding horses at either of my stables. All kinds of drovers will find ample accommodation at my House. Having sand lots, shed stables and plenty of water. Also, all kinds of smithing done, horse shoeing, buggy or carriage repairing, or new ones made out and out to order, as good as can be made in Charlotte, on the premises. And I say to the travelling public, that any thing in the way of livery conveyance, can be had from a saddle horse up to a coach and four, at the shortest notice. Any one calling on us in either branch of our business, no pains will be spared to give satisfaction.

S. H. REA, Proprietor,
F. M. REA, Agent.
May 20, 1856—tf

WALTON HOUSE,

Morganton, N. C.

THIS new Hotel is now opened for the reception of regular and transient Boarders and the travelling public. Every needful arrangement has been made to promote the comfort of those who may stop with me. My rooms are large, well ventilated and better furnished than any Hotel in North Carolina. It is my intention to make this a FIRST CLASS HOTEL.

My Stables are large and well-supplied with provender, and I am prepared at a moment's notice to supply my customers with Horses and conveyances to any part of the surrounding country.

C. S. BROWN, Proprietor.
June 24, 1856—3m

☞ The Stage Office for the Tri-Weekly Line of Coaches to Salisbury and Asheville, is kept at the Walton House.

CARROLL HOUSE,

Chester, S. C.

THIS large and splendid three-story building, on the east side of Chester Depot, is now open for the accommodation of persons travelling by the cars or otherwise.

The Proprietor is well aware that nothing short of **a well-kept House** will induce a custom to this, so recently gotten up; and although very solicitous of patronage, he refrains from those thousand-and-one promises which have been made only to be broken by many of his illustrious predecessors. He confidently hopes that he will be sustained, and upon trial give such satisfaction and accommodation as will send him on his way rejoicing.

J. L. CARROLL.
Chester, S. C., Feb. 26, 1856.—tf

RAIL-ROAD HOTEL,

CHESTER, S. C.

By J. R. NICHOLSON.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that his house, known as the "Rail Road Hotel," opposite the Chester Depot, is still open for the reception of regular and transient boarders and the travelling public; and that he is making every exertion to deserve and secure a continuance of the kind and liberal patronage which has hithertofore been extended to him. He flatters himself that every needed arrangement has been made to promote the comfort of all who stop with him: his rooms are airy and well-furnished, his servants are attentive and obedient, and his table constantly supplied with the best of the season, so that his friends will not want any attention necessary to make their sojourn pleasant and agreeable. His stables are furnished with good hostlers and an abundance of provender, and he is prepared at a moment's notice to supply his customers with private conveyances of every sort, to any part of the surrounding country.

He desires to return his acknowledgments to the public for past favors, and solicits for the future an equally liberal share of patronage.

Aug 20, 1854. 5,tf

☞ While Signor Blitz, the slighto'-hand trickster, was in Cincinnati, one evening he had a bright little fellow on the stand to assist him in his "experiments."

"Bub," said the Siguor, "do you think I could put the twenty ten cent pieces which that lady holds in her hand into your coat pocket?"

"No!" said the boy confidently.

"Think not?"

"I know you couldn't." said the little fellow, with great firmness.

"Why not?"

"Cause the pockets are all torn out."

Lost,

WITHIN the last seven or eight months, the following notes, viz: One note on William S. Wallace, bearing date the 13th December, 1853, for $19,50 cents; one do. on do., the same date, for $8,94 cents; one ditto, on W. S. Alexander, same date, for $13,37½ cts.; one ditto, on G. A. Cook, same date, for $13,-11 cents;—the above notes all payable 12 months after date. Also lost, one note on Dr. J. Miller, dated 16th January, 1854, for $24,34 cents, due one day after date; one ditto, on Nancy Alexander, for $1 10, date not recollected; one ditto, on William Shaffer, for $144, bearing date 13th December, 1853, due 12 months after date; one ditto, on Nicholas Tredenick, for $67 and some cents, drawn in May, 1854. The above notes were lost on the way from Wiley School-house to Amzi Reid's, in Mecklenburg. The finder will be handsomely rewarded, by returning said notes to me, and any information concerning them will be thankfully received.

RICHARD TREDENICK.
Sept. 9, 1856—3w

Importer, Wholesale and Retail

DEALER IN AMERICAN AND IMPORTED

Guns & Rifles

FOWLING and Fishing Tackle,
Table and Pocket Cutlery,
Walking Canes,
Belts and Port Monies,
Percussian Caps, Gun-Powder,
Patent Shot and Balls,
Powder Flasks, Punches and Belts, Bird Bags,
Nipples and Wreuches,
Washing Rods and Ticklers,
Dog Chains and Collars,
Gun-Maker's Materials, &c. &c.

Volcanic Repeating Fire Arms.

☞ **RIFLES, CARBINES & PISTOLS,** loading from 6 to 24 balls, and can be discharged with greater rapidity and certainty than any other Pistol or Rifle, Thirty charges can be loaded and discharged in fifty seconds.—No cap, no priming, no recoil, no lateral discharge. The ball is a patent loaded ball, on the Minie principle, and is perfectly water-proof, and goes always SURE and SAFE. Also,

Sharp's elebrated Rifle,

Throwing a ball with perfect accuracy eight hundied yards. Also, Revolvers and Five Shooters, at Manufacturer's prices, to the trade.

S. SUTHERLAND,
No. 132, Main Street, opposite Eagle Square,
Richmond, Va.

A DIPLOMA, of the First Class, was awarded by the Virginia Mechanics' Institute, for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts, to Samuel Sutherland, of Richmond, for a case of Guns, Pistols, and Rifles, exhibited at the Exhibition of articles of American Manufacture, held in the city of Richmond, on the 16th day of November, 1854.

J. A. BELVIN, Pres't.
J. W. LEWELLEN, Sec'y.
[May 20, 1856.—3m]

EAGLE FOUNDRY,

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA.

Philip Rahm,

Cary Street, between Pearl & 15th Streets,

MANUFACTURES

Locomotive Engines, Tenders, Rail-Road Cars,

AND all descriptions of Railroad Machinery, Stationary Engines of any required power; also, portable Engines, with a decided improvement over any others heretofore made, (from 4 to 40 horse power,) on wheels, and so well adapted to farming purposes, getting lumber, &c., with improved Circular portable Saw Mills attached, of 1st, 2d, and 3d class. Mining Machinery, Grist & Saw Mill Machinery, Forgings and Tobacco Factory Fixtures of every kind; also, Brass and Iron Castings made to order.

P. RAHM.
Richmond, March 18, 1856.—6m

State of North Carolina,

MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—July Term, 1856.

S. Williamson, L. L. Parks. } Orig'l Attachment.

IT APPEARING to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant in this case resides beyond the limits of the State: It is therefore ordered by the Court, that publication be made six weeks, in the Western Democrat, a newspaper published in the town of Charlotte, notifying the said defendant to be and appear at the next term of our said court, to be held for said county, at the court-house in Charlotte, on the fourth Monday in October next, then and there to plead, answer, or demur, or judgment *pro confesso* will be taken against him.

Witness, Wm. K. Reid, Clerk of our said Court, at office in Charlotte, on the 4th Monday in July, 1856, and in the 80th year of American Independence.

W. K. REID, c. c. c.
Sept. 2, 1856—6w [Prs. fee $6]

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Jacob Coon and Jacob Lenhardt, et al. vs. John F. Lenhardt, and others. } Original Bill in Equity

IN this case, it appearing upon the affidavit of Jacob Coon, that defendant, John F. Lenhardt, is not a resident of this State, and is beyond the ordinary process of this Court: It is therefore ordered, that advertisement be made in the Western Democrat for six weeks, notifying said John F. Lenhardt, that he be and appear at the next Court of Equity, to be held for the county of Lincoln, at the Court House in Lincolnton, on the 8th Monday after the 4th Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer, or demur to plaintiff's bill of complaint, or judgment *pro confesso* will be entered against him, and the case set for hearing as to him exparte, and a decree made accordingly.

W. J. HOKE, C. & M. E.
August 12, 1856—6w. [Pr's fee $6.]

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Catharine Dellinger vs. Volentine Dellinger } Original Bill in Equity

IN this case, it having been ordered by an interlocutory decree of the Court, advertisement is hereby made, that defendant, Volentine Dellinger (who is now a resident of this State,) be and appear at the next Court of Equity, to be held for the county of Lincoln, at the Court House in Lincolnton, on the 8th Monday after the 4th Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer, or demur to complainant's bill of complaints, or judgment *pro confesso* will be entered against him, and the case set for hearing exparte. And B. S. Johnson, as the Administrator, with the will annexed of A. J. Shull, dec'd, Jacob Sholl and Henry Shull, are hereby enjoined from paying over to defendant, or any person claiming under him, any estate or money in their hands, to which the defendant otherwise would be entitled, as the husband of complainant.

W. J. HOKE, C. & M. E.
August 12, 1856—6w. [Pr's fee $6.]

OF COURSE NOT.—We have no desire, says the New-London Chronicle, to injure the molasses trade, but we simply state the fact, that Mr. Richards, who keeps a store on the Hartford road, a few days since, found in one of his empty molasses hogsheads the body of a stout negro, who was probably asleep in the hogshead when it was filled on the plantation.

PIEDMONT

Sulphur and Chalybeate Springs,

BURKE COUNTY, N. C.

THESE Springs are 16 miles north of Morganton, N. Carolina, located in a beautiful **Mountain Cove,** and surrounded with magnificent SCENERY. From this point the celebrated TABLE ROCK, the LINNVILLE FALLS, the CAVE, and other curtosities, are of easy access, and make, to and fro, an easy and pleasant day's recreation, and change of scenery, calculated not only to gratify but invigorate the invalid, as well as those who seek pleasure among the mountains, during the season of oppressive heat, and a retreat from the disease so common to febrile regions.

The superiority of these Waters has been sufficiently tried to prove their efficacy, and many broken-down, and almost wasted invalids, have been fully restored to health by their use.

The waters have been analyzed by Dr. Happoldt, of Morganton, and other Physicians, who are ready to bear testimony to their efficacy in certain disorders. Those wishing to visit these Springs, by calling on Dr. Happoldt, at the "Mountain Hotel," will obtain *all* the information desired, as regards their curative effects and application to certain forms of disease.

The Proprietor, in order that the Patrons of his Springs may have their stay rendered desirable and comfortable, has secured the services of Mrs. PRESNELL, a lady who has had considerable experience and enjoys a high reputation in public house keeping. He therefore promises that his TABLE shall be furnished with the best the country affords, and served up in a manner to please the most fastidious. Nothing shall be wanting to make every department adequate to the *wishes* and *wants* of those who honor him with their company.

JAMES C. ESTIS,
July 15, 1856.—3m

RALEIGH & GASTON RAIL-ROAD.

Raleigh & Gaston R. R. Office, RALEIGH, Feb. 8, 1856.

AS THE NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD is now completed to Charlotte, notice is hereby given, that

Goods and Produce

Brought down that Road, intended for transportation over the Raleigh & Gaston Rail-Road, will be received by this Company at the North-Carolina Rail-Road Depot in Raleigh (owned jointly by the two Companies) and will be transported thence without delay or extra charge; and goods designed for the Western Merchants and others along that Road, will likewise be delivered at the same point.

All dues for freight must be paid at Petersburg or Portsmouth, except on way freight, which must be paid in advance or on delivery of the goods.

AEvery effort will be made by the Officers and gents of the Co mpany to give satisfaction in he transportation of Goods and Produce.

Owners and shippers of Goods are requested to have them distinctly marked, so that their destination may be known.

R. A. HAMILTON, President.
[Feb. 19.—tf]

Office of Charlotte and S. Carolina Railroad Company, JUNE 26, 1856.

TARIFF OF THROUGH FREIGHT

Between Charleston and Charlotte.

Class.	Articles.	Rate.
First Class,	Measurement, per c. ft.	$0 16
Hogsheads,	Molasses,	7 00
Barrels,	do.	2 00
Do.	Fish,	2 00
Half barrels	do.	1 25
Do.	Flour,	70
Sacks	do. 200 lbs.	80
Do.	do. 100 lbs.	40
Do.	Salt,	80
Blacksmiths' Bellows, all sizes,		2 50
Buckets, per dozen,		50
Corn, per bushel,		16
Wheat, do.		16
Coffee, per 100 lbs.		60
Candles, do.		70
Cheese, do.		70

On and after the 1st of July, 1856, the above Rates of Freight will be charged upon all the Through Articles enumerated. All others will be charged at the present Local Rates.

T. J. SUMNER,
[July 15, '56—tf] General Superintendent.

RATES OF FREIGHTS BETWEEN
Charleston and New York,
By the Palmetto line of Steamers.

WYATT, STOGNER & LLOYD,

FACTORS

AND

General Commission Merchants,

Adger's North Wharf,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

THE undersigned, Factors and Commission Merchants, offer to receive, forward, and ship merchandise and produce at the following rates. The prices here named are those which are generally charged by all the line of sail vessels, but having no control over any other Line than the one we have an interest in, we cannot say that the prices here named can be considered permanent, except by our Line. By that they are permanent. The "Palmetto Line" has ten fine first class Brigs and Schooners, constantly running, and will carry freights as follows:

Wheat, 6 cents per bushel.
Flour, in barrels, 20 cents.
" in sacks, 10 cents.
The drayage, wharfage, insurance, and forwarding commission, per bushel, for wheat, is - - - - - - 4½ cts.
Flour, per barrel, - - - - 16⅔ cts.
Flour, per sack, - - - - 13 cts.
Freight on all cases, boxes, &., &c., from New York to Charleston, per cubic foot, - - - - - - 4 cts.

We measure every thing, to prevent over charges. Every thing shipped by the "Palmetto Line" of vessels (Dollner & Potter, New York agents, and Holmes & Stowry, of Charleston) and consigned to us, shall be freighted for the above prices.

Produce and Merchandise consigned to us will have the best attention.

WYATT, STOGNER & LLOYD.
August 12, 1856—3m

Wrapping Paper.

THE Merchants of Charlotte and vicinity can be supplied with all kinds and qualities of **wrapping Paper,** *from* the Raleigh Wrapping Paper Mills.

C. W. BENEDICT,
Proprietor

☞ RAGS taken in exchange for Paper at the highest price. C. W. B.

Raleigh, March 4, 1856.—1y

MOTHER TOO.—The husband of a beautiful wife, upon returning home one day, was met by one of his offspring, all smiles, clapping his hands and saying "Pa, Mr. B—— has been here—he's such a nice man—he kissed us all around, and kissed mother too."

Town Taxes for 1856.

THE town Taxes for 1856, and all arrearages, are now due, and must be settled by the first day of August, or I will proceed to collect according to Act of Assembly, without any discrimination.

S. A. HARRIS,
July 1, 1856.—5w Tax Collector.

Town Taxes.

PERSONS indebted for Town Taxes, for either or all of the years 1852-'3-4' and-'5, are requested to make *immediate* payment.

All who disregard this notice, by failing to pay, will find their property advertised for sale, in 20 days from this date. Now, you have fair warning.

S. A. HARRIS,
April 22, 1856.—tf Tax Collector.

NEW MARBLE YARD
In Charlotte.

THE subscribers have established a Marble Yard, on the second square south of the Court-House, and respectfully offer their services to all who may desire any thing in their line of business. They will keep on hand the best and handsomest kinds of Foreign and American Marble, and be prepared at all times to furnish

Monuments, Grave Stones,

Mantel Pieces, Furniture Marble, Table Slabs, Marble Steps, &c.

To any pattern, according to the most approved styles, and upon terms as low as at any Marble establishment in the South.

All orders for Marble work, addressed to the subscribers, will meet with prompt attention, and will be packed with care and forwarded with dispatch. The public's patronage is respectfully solicited.

GLEN & MCCOY.
Charlotte Feb. 19, 1856.—1y

CHARLOTTE MARBLE YARD

THE subscribers having formed themselves into a company, respectfully tender their services to the people of Charlotte and the country generally in their line of business. They are prepared to furnish Monuments, Gravestones, Mantle Pieces, Furniture Marble, Table Slabs, Marble Steps, to any pattern cut from Marble, according to the most approved taste and styles, and upon the most accommodating terms ever offered in the Southern country. They will keep constantly on hand the best description of Egyptian, Italian and American Marble.

All orders, for any article, addressed to the subscribers, will meet with prompt attention, and will be packed and forwarded with the utmost care and despatch.

The yard is situated on the north-west corner of the Charlotte Depot Yard.

WM. TIDDY & SONS.
Jan. 8, 1856.—1y

PROFESSOR WOOD'S

HAIR RESTORATIVE.

It has worked Miracles!

THAT all the bald and gray can be restored perfectly to original growth, so far as their locks are concerned, does not admit of a doubt; besides it will cure every possible disease of the scalp, whether developed as dandruff, itching, or in the shape of cutaneous eruptions—even scald-head—and in no possible case will it fail of *curing*, as if by magic, nervous or periodical headache, and if used twice a week by the young, regularly, it will preserve the color, and keep the hair from falling, to any imaginable age. Read and judge.

Logansport, Ia., June 1855.

Messrs. O. J. Wood & Co.:

GENTS:—Yours of the 13th came duly to hand. Enclosed, please find thirty-eight dollars, it being the amount for Hair Restorative. I have sold it all. * * * If you choose, you may send six dozen bottles Hair Restorative; I think I can sell it. It has worked miracles in this place. I sold a man six $1 bottles, that was bald, and it fetched new hair out all over his head.

Yours, respectfully, M. H. GRIDLEY.

C. R. R. Office, Vandalia, June 21, 1851.

PROFESSOR WOOD—

DEAR SIR: I take pleasure in bearing voluntary testimony to the excellence of your Hair Restorative. Three months ago, my hair was very gray. It is now a dark brown, (the original color,) smooth and glossy. The only application I have made to it, has been the Hair Restorative prepared by you, and which, from the result in my own case, I can most cordially recommend to others,

Respectfully, yours,
EDWARD WOLCOTT.

Vincennes, Ia., June 21, 1853.

PROF. O. J. WOOD:—As you are about to manufacture and vend your recently discovered Hair Restorative, I will state, for whomsoever it may concern, that I have used it, and known others to use it—that I have, for several years, been in the habit of using other Hair Restoratives, and that I find yours vastly superior to any other I know. It entirely cleanses the head of dandruff, and with one month's proper use, will restore any person's hair to the original youthful color and texture, giving it a healthy, soft and glossy appearance; and all this, without discoloring the hands that apply it, or the dress on which it drops. I would, therefore, recommend its use to every one desirous of having a fine color and texture to hair.

Respectfully, yours, WILSON KING.

St. Louis, June 29, 1853.

PROF. WOOD:—As you are about to prepare and vend your recently discovered Hair Restorative and as you request my opinion of it, I will state, that my hair was, a few months ago, very gray, and after using two bottles of your Hair Restorative, it resumed its original color; and since its application, all dandruff has disappeared from my head, and I have been troubled with no disagreeable itching of the scalp. I am satisfied, that those who use it, will not regret it, as it gives the appearance of having been recently oiled. I am prepared, therefore, to recommend its use to all who are desirous of having a beautiful head of hair.

I am, sir, yours, etc. E. L. STEWART.

PROFESSOR WOOD—

Dear Sir. My hair had, for several years, been becoming prematurely gray, accompanied by a harshness which rendered the constant application of oil necessary in dressing it. When I commenced using your Hair Restorative, about two months