

A CHILD'S WISH. On her grave-stone these words were carved, "Lifted Higher."

When the sunlight fell with radiant glory Over her little bed, And the wind with gentle fingers, moved The tresses on her head.

With fainter voice she whispered, while The angel wings drew nigher, And loving ones had hushed their sobs—"Oh, Father, lift me higher."

Yet while she spoke the color died From out the evening sky, And twilight, clad in ashy robes, Passed slow and silent by;

Hogs, Sheep, Cattle, &c. I wish to engage 150 fat Hogs, weighing from 150 pounds and upwards, say 50 per month, commencing the 1st of October.

LAND FOR SALE. I will sell on Wednesday the 24th of October, that very valuable PLANTATION on which the late Wm. A. Riley lived, lying on the waters of Coldie Creek, adjoining the lands of E. Neil, T. D. Graham, and others.

GRAND OPENING OF THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF FALL GOODS. We are receiving daily a beautiful Stock of FALL GOODS, consisting of Calicoes, Delaines, Poplins, Alpacaes, &c.

"SPRINGS' CORNER." I now offer to the public a COMPLETE FALL STOCK OF STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, Hardware, Boots, Shoes, Hats and Groceries.

HIGHLY DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE. Wishing to change my business, I will sell 250 Acres of LAND in and adjoining the Town of Charlotte, (40 acres in corporation).

WOOD YARD. I have established a WOOD YARD in the city, where I shall keep Wood at one price the year round. Green and seasoned Hickory, Oak and Pine, delivered at a moment's notice, by the load or cord.

ADVENTURE IN AN OMNIBUS.—A lady in New York, having occasion to purchase some jewelry, entered an omnibus and came down Broadway to visit a store where such articles were sold.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS. Next Door to Charlotte Hotel. Having sold my entire interest in the Saddle and Harness business to Messrs. Hunter & Orsborne, and established myself in the

BANK STOCK. Several Shares of Stock in the 1st National Bank of Charlotte is offered for sale. APPLY AT THIS OFFICE. Sept 24, 1866.

NEW FIRM. H. B. WILLIAMS, S. B. MEACHAM. We have associated ourselves in the MERCANTILE BUSINESS, under the style of Williams & Meacham.

Commission Merchants, 188 Pearl Street, NEW YORK. Prompt personal attention to Sales of Cotton, Naval Stores and General Produce, with quick returns. Sept 17, 1866.

State of N. Carolina, Mecklenburg Co. In Equity.—To Full Term, 1866. Mary Springs against John B. Withers Original Bill.

Fail and Winter Importation, 1866. Ribbons, Millinery & Straw Goods. ARMSTRONG, CATOR & CO., IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF Ribbons, Bonnets, Silks and Satins, Velvets, Ruchers, Feathers, Straw Bonnets, Ladies Hats, trimmed and untrimmed; Slacker Hoods.

Fish and pure Tanners' OIL. For sale at SCARR'S DRUG STORES April 23, 1866. HARRISS & HOWELL, IMPORTERS, Shipping & Commission Merchants, 195 Water Street, NEW YORK, NORTH WATER STREET, WILMINGTON, N. C. Sept 10, 1866.

ALL SHIPMENTS TO HARRISS & HOWELL, Commission Merchants at Wilmington and New York, should be accompanied by shipping Receipts and Invoices from points of shipment, when Insurance attaches through to New York. Sept 24, 1866.

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO., INSURANCE, Auction & Commission Merchants, OPPOSITE FIRST NATIONAL BANK. Beg leave to inform the Public that they have established themselves in business, and respectfully solicit a liberal share of patronage.

To the Farmers Of Mecklenburg and adjoining Counties. Look to your interest. We have on consignment: 75 Bbls. Flour of Bone Dust; 75 " Soluble Pacific Guano; 5 Tons Peruvian Guano.

NEW FIRM. M. D. L. MOODY & CO., Having bought out RIGLER & ROBINSON, now occupy their old Stand, NO. 5, GRANITE ROW, where they will be pleased to have their friends call and see them, especially when they want any thing in the CONFECTIONERY line.

R. M. OATES & CO., (Successors to Oates, Williams & Co.) GENERAL GROCERY, Produce and Commission Merchants, Charlotte, N. C. Aug 20, 1866.

WILSON'S SPRINGS. Sulphur Springs, Cleveland Co. N. C. Lately owned and kept by Mr. Thomas Wilson, deceased. This well known watering place, having been leased by the subscribers for a term of years, is now open for the reception of visitors.

State of N. Carolina.—Catawba Co. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, July Term, 1866. Drury Hamilton, Administrator of Wheeler Edwards, dec'd, vs. Robt P. Edwards and others. Petition to Sell Land.

State of N. Carolina, Catawba Co. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—July Term, 1866. Franklin Huffman and wife Mary Ann, vs. Elias Langryer and others. Petition for Dower in the Lands of Paul Langryer, deceased.

State of N. Carolina, Catawba Co. Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—July Term, 1866. Jos H Rowe, Administrator of Alex Rowe, deceased vs. L. W. Rowe and others. Petition to Sell Land.

Augs. G. Meyer & Co., MANUFACTURERS OF White Lead, Saltpetre, Varnishes, Lampblack, Putty, Paints, &c. No 100 Lombard Street, BALTIMORE. July 17, 1866.

Table with columns: ARRIVE, STATIONS, LEAVE. Includes routes for Charlotte, Tuckasee, Beavards, Sharon, Lincolnton, Cherryville, and other stations.

Raleigh & Gaston R. R. Co., GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Raleigh, N. C., June 6, 1866. CHANGE OF TIME. On and after Thursday, June 7th, 1866, Trains will run as follows on the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad:

Reduction of Rates. On and after September 1st, the Local Freight and Passenger Tariffs over this Road will be reduced as follows, viz: FROM CHARLOTTE TO COLUMBIA.

James River Insurance Company, HOWARDSVILLE, VA. CHARTERED CAPITAL, \$1,500,000. C. W. DOWNING, Agent, Charlotte, N. C. This old, tried, and solvent company deals liberally, pays promptly, and asks patronage.

Hats, Caps, AND Millinery and Straw Goods, AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL. We would respectfully inform the trade that we have opened A branch of our Charleston House AT CHARLOTTE, N. C.

HIDES BOUGHT AND SOLD BY S. M. HOWELL, NEAR THE POST OFFICE, CHARLOTTE, N. C. September 3, 1866. S. M. HOWELL, MANUFACTURER OF SADDLES & HARNESS Near the Post Office, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Pensions! Pensions!! The undersigned is prepared to get all Old Pensions restored to the Pension Rolls and collect their back pay. All pensioners in the Revolution, the war of 1812, and the Mexican war, apply at once to C. W. DOWNING, Times Office, Charlotte, N. C. August 29, 1866.

C. W. Downing, NOTARY PUBLIC. Office in the Carson building, up stairs, under the "Times printing office." R. W. BECKWITH, WATCH-MAKER & JEWELER, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Begs leave to inform his old patrons of Mecklenburg and adjoining country, that he has resumed the above business in his Old Stand, where he will be happy to attend to all orders for goods in his line.

Watches, Sets, Rings, Silver-Ware, of the latest styles and of superior quality. TABLE CUTLERY, Clocks and Fancy Articles. He will make to order RINGS and other Jewelry of virgin gold. All he asks is a call. June 4, 1866.

CLOSING OUT AT COST. No Misrepresentations. In order to make a change in our business by Fall, we are determined to close out our entire Stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Gents' Furnishing Goods, &c, &c, and offer them at and below COST.

WHO WANTS A PIANO? Several Patrons of the Concord Female College have requested my aid in securing Good Pianos. For their use. This has induced me to make arrangements with some of the best manufacturers which enable me to furnish instruments of the first class at reduced prices.

New Foundry AND MACHINE SHOP, At Charlotte, N. C. M. MARTIN & CO., Having removed their Works from Stovesville, Gaston county, to Charlotte, respectfully inform their old patrons and the public generally that they have opened a Foundry & Machine Shop at the old Navy Yard lot, in the city of Charlotte, where they are prepared to make all sorts of CASTINGS.

HARRISS & HOWELL, General Commission Merchants, North Water Street, WILMINGTON, N. C., AND 196 WATER STREET, NEW YORK. Liberal advances made on consignments to our New York House on Produce, which will be FORWARDED through FREE of commissions.

TAYLOR & DUNCAN, CHARLOTTE, N. C., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Hardware, Crockery, &c. Respectfully inform the public that they keep constantly on hand a general assortment of Goods of the above lines, which they will sell at wholesale or retail on favorable terms for cash.

J. Y. BRYCE & CO., General Commission Merchants, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Particular attention paid to the selling of all kinds of Produce, Cotton and Tobacco. Highest cash price paid for Cotton. All orders from a distance promptly attended to. J. Y. BRYCE, W. H. BRYCE. March 5, 1866.

FRESH DRUGS, A general assortment, always on hand, at SCARR'S DRUG STORE. The Southern Express Company Offer unsurpassed facilities for the shipment (from AUGUSTA and points SOUTH) of Cotton, Cotton Goods, and heavy freights, for Savannah, New York, and all points NORTH and WEST.

For Sale, A superior toned CHURCH BELL, with iron frame and a yoke. Inquire at this Office. November 27, 1865. High Shoals IRON MANUFACTURING CO., GASTON COUNTY, N. C. This Company having gone into operation, solicit the patronage of dealers and the public. They are now prepared to execute all orders in the best style, from the superior Iron on their property.

GREENSBORO' MUTUAL INSURANCE CO. Capital \$500,000. One of the safest and most reliable Companies in the country. Insurance effected on as reasonable terms as any company. C. W. DOWNING, Agent, Charlotte, N. C. Feb 12, 1866.

CHARLOTTE Steam Refined Candy Manufactory, BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY, Wholesale and Retail. The subscriber is now manufacturing all sorts of CANDIES, CAKES, BREAD, &c. &c. Plain and Ornamental Cakes, for Weddings and Parties, always on hand or made to order.

EXPRESS COMPANIES. The SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY have moved their office in RICHMOND under the Spotswood Hotel, Main street, between Eighth and Ninth streets. The Southern Express Company are now prepared to forward, at reduced Rates, Currents, Freight, Valuables and Cattle. To all accessible points in the South.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD. Notice.—To give facilities to the public on the line of this Road for the transportation of small packages by Express, an arrangement has been made with the SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY, by which their wagons in Richmond and Danville will call for and receive all Express Freight intended for this Road, on notice being given at their office, and their wagons will deliver all Express Freight arriving by this Road FREE OF ANY EXTRA CHARGE FOR RECEIPT OR DELIVERY, and the rates of Express Freight will be the same as charged by this Company.

IRON AND CASTINGS. 30,000 lbs. wrought and rolled Iron, Castings, &c, for sale for cash or barter for corn, oats, peas, cotton yarn, and cloth of different kinds. My Blast Furnace is now in operation and I am prepared to fill orders for Machinery, Cooking Ware, &c. Terms cash. I want to employ some good hollow-ware Moulders and some good Miners. I wish to make contracts for the cutting of 5,000 cords of wood; also for coal. Apply soon at my Furnace six miles East of Lincolnton, N. C. J. W. DERR. February 12, 1866.

To Bakers and Confectioners. AMMONIA. A large quantity of Ammonia can be bought low by the Jar at SCARR'S DRUG STORE. February 5, 1866. W. GOODMAN, of Mississippi, A. P. MERRILL, Jr., of New York, General Commission Merchants, 36 NEW STREET, NEW YORK. We have made an arrangement by which Mr D W COURTS, late Public Treasurer of North Carolina, becomes interested in all the business sent us from that State. He is not associated now with the firm of Bennett, Van Pelt & Co, New York. We hope his friends will patronize us. Dec 25, 1865.

At the Old Established DRUG STORE OF F. SCARR, may be found everything in the Drug line of genuine quality. February 26, 1866. C. H. ROBINSON, DR. H. H. ROBINSON. C. H. ROBINSON & CO., Commission & Forwarding Merchants, WILMINGTON, N. C. Prompt attention given to orders and consignments. Jan 20, 1866. J. M. HINES of Va., SHORB BROTHERS, Successors to SHORB, RANNEY & Co., Importers and Dealers in China, Glass and Earthenware, No. 62 VESLEY STREET, April 9, 1866.

For Sale, A superior toned CHURCH BELL, with iron frame and a yoke. Inquire at this Office. November 27, 1865. High Shoals IRON MANUFACTURING CO., GASTON COUNTY, N. C. This Company having gone into operation, solicit the patronage of dealers and the public. They are now prepared to execute all orders in the best style, from the superior Iron on their property. The following articles are enumerated, viz: Square " and axes " and width " Flat bar " for plates " and width " Tire " " " " " Band " " " " Hoop " " " " " Nails of all sizes. " Castings—heavy and light. Hollow-ware of every kind and description, Stoves, Plough-shares, Mould-hoards. Coaring of every size—light and heavy. Horse-shoe Iron and nails. The Company will shortly be prepared to produce Railroad Iron, and to re-roll the material with expedition. All orders promptly executed. Applications to be made in person, or by letter at the works or at Charlotte. Address FRD. D. STUART, High Shoals, Feb. 12, 1866.—if Supl.

Southern Express Company. The Southern Express Company has opened communication with all Northern and Western States, and is now prepared to forward Freight, Money and valuable Packages safely and promptly. Messengers leave Charlotte daily, connecting at Raleigh with Adams' Express Company, and at Richmond with Adams' and Harnden's Express Companies. All parcels will be forwarded by this Company to all points South and North having no rail facilities. T. D. GILLESPIE, Agent. Charlotte, June 19, 1865.

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