THE NEW STAY LAW.

An Act to change the Jurisdiction of the Courts and the Rules of Pleading therein.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That all warrants issued by a Justice of the Peace in civil cases, shall not be returnable within twelve months after the execution of the same, before some Justice of Peace for the county.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace shall extend to one hundred dollars, principal money, on all bonds, bills, promissory notes or accounts stated, and shall extend to sixty dollars principal money, upon accounts for goods, wares and merchandise sold and delivered or for work and labor done, or for specific articles, and all balances of sixty dollars and under, due on such last mentioned debts or demands, and on all judgments rendered therein, and on all forfeitures and penalties not exceeding one hundred dollars: Provided, That this section shall not be construed to take from the courts the jurisdiction in cases of less than one hundred dollars, upon which writs have been issued prior to the ratification of this act.

Sec 3. Be it further enacted, That all warrants issued by a Justice of the Peace, for any debt or demand within his jurisdiction, according to the provisions of the above section: Provided, That said debt or demand is due upon any contract, whether by bond or note or liquidated account, or any parol agreement made or entered into, and due prior to the 1st day of May 1865, shall not be returnable for trial within twelve months after the execution of the same, and at the return of the same, if the defendant or defendants shall pay to the plaintiff, his agent or attorney or to the officer executing the warrant, one tenth of the principal and interest, and all costs that may have accrued thereon, he, she or they, may have twelve months longer to plead, at the end of which being again notified of the time and place of trial, if the defendant or defendants shall pay one fifth of the principal, interest and costs, he, she, or they shall have twelve months longer to plead, at the end of which time, if the defendant or defendants shall pay one half of the residue of said claim, he, she, or they shall have twelve months longer to plead, at the end of which time the plaintiff shall have judgment for the remainder: Provided, That executions on justices' judgments on debts contracted prior to May 1st, 1865, already rendered, shall be stayed for twelve months from the date of the ratification of this act.

Sec 4. Be it further enacted, That on all debts contracted since the first day of May, 1865, and all warrants issuing for the same, shall be returned and tried according to the provisions of the Revised Code, chapter sixty-two, (62) and the remedy in all such cases shall be the same as in 1860.

Sec 5. Be it further enacted, That all writs in actions of debt, covenant, assumpsit or account, issued to Fall Term, 1866, or Spring Term, 1867, of the Superior Court, shall be returnable to Spring Term, 1868, and all of said actions now pending in the Superior Court shall be continued to Spring Term, 1868: Provided, That the Sheriff shall not be allowed in any case to levy execution before the first day of January succeeding the rendition of judgment.

Sec 6. Be it further enacted, That all writs in debt, covenant, assumpsit or account, shall be returnable to Spring Term of the Superior Court, and shall be served at least thirty days (Sundays included) before the return day. If during the return term, the defendant pay to the plaintiff, or into court for his use, one tenth of the debt or demand (principal and interest) and all costs to that time, he shall be allowed until next Term to plead. At the said Spring Term should the defendant pay to plaintiff, or into court for his use, one fifth of the residue and costs, he shall be allowed until the succeeding Spring Term to plead at the said Spring Term; should the defendant pay to the plaintiff or into court for his use, one half of the residue, he shall be allowed until the succeeding Spring Term to plead: Provided however, the plaintiff if required shall file his debt or demand in writing, and if the defendant shall make oath that the whole or any part thereof is not justly due, or that he has a counter claim, all of which shall be particularly set forth by affidavit, then the defendant shall only pay the instalment required of what he admits to be due, and the court shall order a Jury at the same or subsequent Term to try the matters in dispute between the parties, and at the next Spring Term the defendant shall be allowed to plead only upon the payment of one fifth of the residue of the admitted amount, and whatever the Jury may find him indebted over and above the same: Provided further, that should the defendant fail to pay the first or any subsequent instalment, then, and in that case, the plaintiff shall be entitled to Judgment and execution for said instalment: Provided however, any debtor tendering or paying to his creditor on any debt contracted prior to the first day of May A. D. 1865, the one tenth of his indebtedness without a suit having been brought on the same, the said one tenth shall be entered as a credit on the evidences of said indebtedness; thereafter the remainder of said indebtedness shall not be sued on for twelve months after the payment or tender of said one-tenth.

Sec 7. Be it further enacted, That so much of the ordinance of the Convention, passed on the 23d of June 1866, as shall come in conflict with this act, together with all other laws coming in conflict with the same, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Sec 8. Be it further enacted, That the time elapsed or elapsing from the twentieth day of May, 1861, until the first day of January 1870, shall not be counted so as to bar actions, or suits, or to presume satisfaction or abandonment of rights.

Sec 9. Be it further enacted, That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified February 12, 1867.

Garden Seeds.

The largest and most complete Stock ever brought to this market, from the celebrated Houses of
LANDRETH,
THORBURN and BUIST.
For sale at SCARR'S DRUG STORE.
Feb. 4, 1867.

GOOD NEWS FROM B. & L., At Corner Store under Mansion House.

We are now prepared to sell all goods at cost, in order to make room for Spring Stock.

Calicoes, Shirtings, Delains,
Poplins, Alpaccas, French Merinos,
Hoopskirts, Breakfast Shawls, Nubias,
Cassimeres, Sattinets, Jeans, Kerseys, &c.

Also a full stock of Ready-made Clothing, and a large assortment of Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c. All we ask is a CALL, we will make prices satisfactory.
BUXBAUM & LANG,
Corner Store, under Mansion House.
Feb 4, 1867.

Something New and Attractive. PRICES GREATLY REDUCED.

McLEOD & STEELE

Have just received another addition to their stock of WINTER GOODS, comprising many of the latest and most desirable styles of Empress Cloths, Repe, Poplins, French Merinos, Mohair Lustres, Alpaccas, DeLaines, Bombazines, Wool Plaids, Black Silks, Ladies' black and colored Cloths,

Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks,

Breakfast Shawls, Hoods, Nubias, Embroideries, Real Cliney Lace Collars and Setts, Plain and Embroidered Linen Setts, 1st and 2d Mourning Setts, Dress and Cloak Trimmings, Cloak Setts, Ladies' and Gents' Hemstitch Handkerchiefs, Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Black French Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, Table Linen, Damask Merino Table Covers, Opera Flannels, white and colored Flannels, bleached and brown Sheetings, Blankets, Rock Island Cassimeres, Hoop Skirts, (Empress Trail.) Balmoral Skirts, &c.

Call soon and Buy.
McLEOD & STEELE.
Dec 10, 1866.

THE BINGHAM SCHOOL,
MEBANESVILLE, N. C.

The Session of 1867 begins MARCH 6th. Course of instruction CLASSICAL, MATHEMATICAL and COMMERCIAL. Address,
COL. WM. BINGHAM.
January 7, 1867 2m

THE DELICIOUS CHEAT.

She said she loved me, oftentimes
She gave me kisses warm and sweet,
And I expended scores of rhymes
On the delicious little cheat.

I called her darling, angel, dove,
My bosom's queen, exhausting quite
The whole vocabulary of love,
And, sure, I thought that all was right.

But, when I pressed her to consent,
To name the happy bridal day,
Her cream to bonnyclabber went—
She laughed and said it wouldn't pay.

For I was poor and she was worse—
For I had truth and constancy—
But then the fascinating curse
Had more of common sense than I.

She wed a millionaire, and now,
When age has silvered o'er my head,
And brought some wrinkles to my brow,
I thank her for the words she said.

For had we too joined heart and hand
For "better or for worse" alway,
The worse would have grown worser, and
The devil would have been to pay.

FREE ADVERTISING.—The following was found posted on the wall of a post office: "Lost a red kaf. He had a white spot on 1 of his behind leggs. He was a she kaf. I will give three shillins to evriboddi to bring him hom."

COMMERCIAL. GROCERY STORE.

We have opened a Grocery Store in No. 4 Granite Row, opposite the Mansion House, and invite our friends to examine our Goods and prices. We deal in

Bacon, Lard, Flour, Meal,
Molasses, Sugar, Coffee, Salt,
Rice, Cheese, Fish, Hams, Bagging,
Rope, Twine, Leather, Soap, Candles,
Teas, Candies, Raisins, Figs, Crackers,
Chains, Axes, Snuffs, Tobaccos, Knives,
Locks, Pickles, Sauces, Blacking, Baskets,
Tubs, Buckets, Brooms, Cotton,

And every article of prime necessity to cheap and good living. We particularly invite those buying by the case to examine our prices and Goods, while those buying by order will be dealt with the same as if present. In brief, we intend dealing fairly, openly, liberally and honestly, and invite a share of public patronage.

FRANK TORRANCE,
WILLIAM GRAY.
Charlotte, Jan. 28, 1867

Millinery and Ladies Fancy Goods.

MRS. E. FULLINGS is offering her Stock of Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Feathers, &c., at greatly reduced prices. Ladies are invited to call and examine these Goods and hear prices.
Dec 10, 1866.

NEW FURNITURE MANUFACTORY
AT CRESWELL'S OLD STAND
ON CHURCH STREET.

The citizens of Charlotte and the public at large can always have their wants in the FURNITURE and UNDERTAKERS' LINE promptly and elegantly supplied, at moderate rates, by the most expert and accomplished Cabinet workmen from Germany.

Leave orders at Dr. Pritchard & Co's, or at the Shop with MR. VOREGE.

☞ Repairing satisfactorily done.
January 14, 1867 tf

State of N. Carolina, Union county.

Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions—Jan. Term, 1867.

Hugh Downing vs. the Stewart Gold Mining Company.

Attachment levied on Land, one Steam Engine and fixtures, 1 Horse, a Wagon and Gear, and other Personal Estate.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendants, "The Stewart Gold Mining Company," reside beyond the limits of the State; it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six successive weeks in the Western Democrat, a paper published in the town of Charlotte, notifying said absent defendants to be and appear before our next Court to be held for the county of Union, at the Court House in Monroe, on the 1st Monday in April next, then and there to answer the plaintiff according to law, or the estate so levied on will be ordered to be sold

Witness, J. E. Irby, Clerk of our said Court at Office, the 1st Monday in January, and in the 91st year of American Independence, 1867.

[55-6t [pr. adv. $10.] J. E. IRBY, Clerk.

State of N. Carolina, Union county

Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions—Jan. Term, 1867.

Cannon & Co, vs. R. G. S. Austin.

Attachment levied on Land.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that R G S Austin, the defendant in this case, resides beyond the limits of this State; it is ordered by the court that publication be made for six weeks in the Western Democrat, a paper published in the town of Charlotte, notifying said absent defendant to be and appear at our next court to be held for the county of Union, at the court house in Monroe, on the 1st Monday in April next, then and there to answer the plaintiff according to law, or the land levied on will be ordered to be sold.

Witness, J. E. Irby, Clerk of Union County Court, at Office, the 1st Monday in January, and in the 91st year of American Independence, 1867.

[55-6t [pr. adv. $10.] J. E. IRBY, Clerk.

State of N. Carolina, Union county.

Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions—Jan. Term, 1867.

Ellen E. Armfield vs. Emsley A. Armfield, heir at law of D. F. Armfield, dec'd.

Petition for Dower in the real estate of D. F. Armfield, deceased.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the defendant, Emsley A. Armfield, resides beyond the limits of this State; it is therefore ordered by the court that publication be made for six successive weeks in the Western Democrat, a paper published in the town of Charlotte, notifying said absent defendant to be and appear at our next court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the county of Union, at the Court House in Monroe, on the 1st Monday in April next, then and there to answer, plead or demur to said petition, or judgment pro confesso will be taken and a writ of Dower ordered.

Witness, J. E. Irby, Clerk of our said court, at Office in Monroe, the 1st Monday in January, and in the 91st year of American Independence, 1867.

[55-6t [Pr. adv. $10] J. E. IRBY, Clerk.

State of N. Carolina, Union county.

Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions—Jan. Term, 1867.

Elias Preslar and John W. Preslar, Ex'rs. of Levi Preslar, dec'd., vs. Sherod Preslar and others.

Petition for Settlement.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Hiram Reynolds and wife Tabitha, Henry H Brown, Samuel W Preslar, Miriam D Giles, wife of Sam'l Giles, Rachael L McLane, wife of Joseph McLane, and Noah, Levi and Joseph, children of Terressa, who intermarried with John Vickery, defendants in the Court and heir at law of Levi Preslar, deceased, now reside beyond the limits of this State; it is therefore ordered by the court that publication be made for six successive weeks in the Western Democrat, a paper published in the town of Charlotte, notifying said absent defendants to be and appear at the next term of this court to be held for the county of Union, at the Court House in Monroe, on the first Monday in April next, then and there to answer, plead or demur, or judgment pro confessso will be taken and the case stand for hearing.

Witness, J. E. Irby, clerk of our said court at Office, the 1st Monday in January, and in the 91st year of American Independence, 1867.

[55-6t [Pr. adv. $10] J. E. IRBY, Clerk.

Cash Equity Sale.

For the purpose of satisfying the exigencies of a Decree of the Court of Equity of Mecklenburg County, made at Fall Term, 1866, I will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for ready money in gold, at the Public Square in Charlotte, on Monday the 11th day of March next, that valuable House and Lot and premises now occupied by J. M. Sanders, situated on Tryon Street, adjoining the lots of Allen Cruse and F. W. Ahrens.

A. C. WILLIAMSON, C. M. E.
January 21, 1867.

EDWARD FULLINGS

Is now offering his fine Stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

Below New York cost. I am compelled to sacrifice my Goods to raise funds. Persons desirous of obtaining good Clothing at remarkably low figures, will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing and be convinced.

I am prepared to make up to order my superior stock of Cloths and Cassimeres in the latest style, and at greatly reduced prices; and to offer my fine assortment of

Hats and Furnishing Goods
At and below cost.

N. B. All persons indebted, either by note or account, to "Fullings & Co.," "Fullings, Springs & Co.," or "Fullings & Springs," will please come forward and settle.

☞ Don't mistake the place, No. 4, Granite Row, one door below the Southern Express Office, and directly opposite the Mansion House.
January 21, 1867.

SPLENDID BARGAINS!

A. Sinclair

Is now offering his entire Stock of WINTER DRESS GOODS, Shawls, Cloaks, Ready-made Clothing, Shoes, &c., **At Cost.**

Good Calicoes at 12½ cents per yard; good bleached Shirting at 12½ cents.

Also, constantly on hand a full line of Rock Island Goods, at Factory prices; Rock Island Ready-made Clothing, cheaper than the Shoddiest Northern Goods.

Call early and secure Bargains at
Jan 14, 1867 SPRINGS' CORNER.

1867.
SPRING FASHION'S DEMAND.

J. W. BRADLEY'S

Celebrated Patent Duplex Elliptic

HOOP SKIRT,

OR

Empress Trail.

DOUBLE STEEL SPRINGS.

Each Hoop being composed of two perfectly tempered SINGLE SPRINGS, braided tightly and firmly together, edge to edge, forming one Hoop, and making the STRONGEST and most FLEXIBLE, the LIGHTEST and most DURABLE spring made.

They will not bend or break like the single springs, but will always preserve their

PERFECT AND BEAUTIFUL SHAPE

In all CROWDED ASSEMBLAGES,
CHURCHES, THEATRES,
RAILROAD CARS,
For PROMENADE or HOUSE DRESS.

In fact, they are superior to all others, combining
COMFORT,
ECONOMY,
LIGHTNESS,
and DURABILITY.

Inquire for Bradley's Duplex Elliptic or Double Spring SKIRT.

This popular Skirt is universally recommended by the fashionable Magazines and the Press generally.

☞ Manufactured exclusively by the sole owners of the Patent, WESTS, BRADLEY & CARY,
97 Chambers and 79 and 81 Reade streets,
NEW YORK.

These Skirts are kept on hand in large supply

For Sale in Charlotte
BY
BREM, BROWN & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

Clothing, Embroidery, Hoop Skirts, Notions, Carpets, Hats, Boots, Shoes, &c.

They keep the largest Stock and cheapest Goods to be found in the city.

At Brem Old Stand on Trade street.
January 28, 1867 5m

A NOTICE

That will not be, I am afraid, noticed,
But those whom it concerns and who fail to notice will be otherwise notified in future, sure.

I want all persons indebted to me, either before, during, or since the war, to come forward and pay up. A reasonable time, in addition to the many years, months and weeks that have been given, may be expected. After that, look out for snakes. "Its the truth I'm tillin of ye, jest."
Jan 14, 1867 tf H. M. PRITCHARD.

BOOTS and SHOES AT SMITH'S SHOE STORE,

Next Door to National Bank, Charlotte, N. C.

As we keep nothing else but Boots and Shoes, Rubber Belting and Shoe Findings, we are prepared to sell to our customers at prices "lower than the lowest." Having made the "SHOE STORE" a permanent institution, we now invite everybody to call and see us, and be satisfied both as to the quality and price of our Goods.

N. B.—Every article warranted as represented. One price to all.
Jan 21, 1867. B. R. SMITH & CO.

GOODS AT N. Y. COST.

Wilson Brothers,
(*Under the Western Democrat Office,*)

Are selling out their entire stock of Dry Goods, Hardware, &c, at New York cost.
Dec 10, 1866

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). On the Tract there is a good Mill-site, 22 feet fall, with a first rate Dam recently built, and race dug, and all the large timbers for a Mill House on the ground. The Tract can be divided. It is worth the attention of any one wishing a paying property, or as an investment. Any information can be had by applying to the subscriber. W. F. PHIFER.
Sept 10, 1866. tf

HIDES
BOUGHT AND SOLD BY
S. M. HOWELL,
Near the Post Office, *CHARLOTTE, N. C*
September 3, 1866

LEONARD H. SMITH,

(*For many years at the Corner Drug Store,*)

Having purchased of Williams & Covert their entire Stock of Goods in this city, consisting of

Hats, Caps, Straw Millinery,

and other Goods too numerous to mention, would solicit a share of public patronage from his friends and the public generally.

Mrs L. A. NORRYCE, a Lady of experience and taste, has been engaged to attend to the Millinery Department, and will trim all kinds of HATS and BONNETS in the most approved and latest styles at the shortest notice.

I expect soon to carry on the MANTUA-MAKING BUSINESS in its various branches on a large scale.

☞ Three doors above National Bank, Carson building,
Dec 10, 1866

CATAWBA
English and Classical High School,
NEWTON, N. C.

The next Session of this Institution will commence the 7th of January next, and the sessions will hereafter commence regularly on the first Monday of January and July respectively. We are happy to inform the public that the School is in a flourishing condition, and that the plan of messing, which enables board to be secured for half the usual rates, or less, contributes to the advantage of those who adopt it, and to the success of the School.

Should it become necessary, other competent instructors will be employed, and no pains shall be spared to thoroughly fit young men for College, or give them a practical business education.

Pupils have access to a good Library, and have the advantages of a well regulated Literary Society, which is no small consideration.

Tuition from $10 to $18, specie rates.

Board in families from $10 to $15 (currency) per month.

For Circular and further particulars, address J. C Clapp, Newton, N. C.

J. C. CLAPP, A. B.
Dec 3, 1866. S. M. FINGER, A. B.

PERUVIAN GUANO SUBSTITUTE!

BAUGH'S RAW BONE
SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME.

Manufactured under the formula originated in 1854 and patented by

BAUGH & SONS,

Sole Proprietors, at the Delaware River Chemical Works, Philadelphia, U. S. A.

This old established MANURE is manufactured from Bones that have not been burned or steamed, and it contains all their original organic matter. It is active in its operation, and is a fertilizer of great durability. It does not exhaust the soil like Peruvian Guano, but on the contrary permanently improves it.

Previous to 1861 it was introduced into the Southern States to considerable extent, and again in 1865, where it has been used with remarkable success upon

Cotton, Corn, Tobacco, & all Crops.

A trial will convince any planter of its merits. Pamphlets containing well known Southern evidence furnished upon application to New York or Philadelphia offices.

☞ Sold by dealers in all the principal cities and towns throughout the United States and British Provinces.

BAUGH & SONS, sole Manufacturers, Office No. 20 South Delaware Avenue, Philadelphia.

Baugh Brothers & Co.,
General Wholesale Agents, 181 Pearl Street, NEW YORK.

For sale in Charlotte, N. C., by HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.
February 18, 1867 3m

BAKERY.

I have opened a BAKERY at my old Stand, opposite the Presbyterian Church, where will be kept constantly on hand fresh *BREAD, CAKES*, &c. Families supplied at all hours, and on reasonable terms.

I also, keep a full supply of

FAMILY GROCERIES

and supplies, consisting of Bacon, Flour, Lard, Sugar, Coffee, Teas, Cheese, Fish, Sardines, Tobacco, Cigars, and all fine Groceries.

A share of the public patronage solicited. I have been long in business here, and am determined to keep up my reputation for selling good articles at fair prices. M. D. L. MOODY.
Sept 24, 1866. tf

WITTKOWSKY & RINTELS,

(*Between the two Drug Stores,*)

Are receiving a large and varied assortment of

Fall and Winter

GOODS,

BOOTS AND SHOES, READY-MADE
CLOTHING, &c,
Which they are desirous of selling off at
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
At a small advance on NEW YORK COST.

☞ Country Merchants and others are respectfully requested to call and examine this Stock of Goods before making their purchases.

WITTKOWSKY & RINTELS,
Opposite the Democrat Office, between the two Drug Stores, Charlotte.
Oct 1, 1866 tf

BURNETT, McINNIS & EARL,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 36 Whitehall Street, NEW YORK.

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

Cotton, Tobacco, Naval Stores, and all sorts of Southern Produce will have the special attention of our Mr. McInnis, who flatters himself that he understands handling Southern produce—he having been for the last 18 years engaged in business in Wilmington, N. C,
Oct 8, 1866. 6m

Charlotte & S. C. Railroad.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 5, 1866.

On and after Wednesday, 6th inst., Through Passenger Trains will be run over this Road as follows.

Leave Columbia,	3 10 A. M.
Arrive at Charlotte,	9 40 A. M.
Leave Charlotte,	6 10 A. M.
Arrive at Columbia,	1 40 P. M.

JAMES ANDERSON,
Nov 13, 1866. Superintendent.

A NEW
TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

The subscribers having united themselves under the style of ROBINSON & GRAHAM, for the purpose of conducting the Tailoring Business, nearly opposite the National Bank, flatter themselves that from their long experience in the business they will be able to give general satisfaction, and thereby merit and receive a liberal patronage.

CUTTING attended to promptly, and done in the best style. We warrant all our work.

R. M. ROBINSON,
Feb 4, 1867. A. GRAHAM.

CHARLOTTE FEMALE INSTITUTE,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

The current session commenced on the 1st October, 1866, and will continue until 30th June, 1867. Pupils are received at any time and charged from date of entrance. Ministers' daughters received free of charge for Tuition.

Expenses per Term of Twenty Weeks:

Board, including every expense except washing,	$105 00
Tuition in Collegiate Department,	25 00
" in Primary "	20 00

Music, Modern Languages, Drawing and Painting, taught by competent and thorough instructors.

For Circular and Catalogue containing full particulars, address REV. R. BURWELL & SON.
Jan 7, 1867. Charlotte, N. C.

J. T. BUTLER,
WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.,

Has just received the finest Stock of GOODS ever offered in this market, consisting of

WATCHES.

Fine Gold Hunting American and English Watches of the best makers. Ladies fine Gold Hunting Geneva Watches; fine Silver American, English and Swiss Watches. Watches of all sorts and all sizes, from Five Dollars to Three Hundred.

CLOCKS.

I have some of the best, which I will sell at prices to please any one.

JEWELRY.

I would say to the ladies, come and see for yourselves, the finest Stock ever offered in this city, consisting of fine Jet Sets; fine Gold and Enamel Sets; fine Coral Sets; Locket Pins, Ear-rings, &c.

SILVER WARE.

Silver Tea and Table Spoons, Forks and Thimbles; plated Tea and Table Spoons, Forks, Butter-Knives and Cups, Castors, &c.

SPECTACLES.

Fine Gold, Silver, Steel, &c., to suit all ages.

Guns, Pistols and Cartridges, and Musical Instruments.

The above Goods I will sell cheaper than you can buy them in New York or elsewhere.

The highest price paid for
OLD GOLD AND SILVER.

Watch Glasses only 25 cents.

Please accept my sincere thanks for your kind and liberal patronage to me since my return from the army.
Sept 17, 1866. J. T. BUTLER.

R. SHAW. W. E. SHAW.

COPARTNERSHIP.

I have taken into Copartnership my son W. E. Shaw, and will enlarge and extend my business. We will keep constantly on hand,

Harness, Collars, Saddles, Bridles, Martingales,

And everything kept in a complete Saddle and Harness Establishment. We shall continue to Manufacture our own Goods, out of the very best Material, and warrent the quality. All orders promptly filled.

REPAIRING done at the shortest notice and satisfaction guaranteed.

☞ Three doors South of Mansion House, Charlotte, N. C.
Jan 21, 1867. 6m

J. BUXBAUM & CO.,

(*2d Door from the Court House,*)

Respectfully inform the public that they are constantly receiving additions to their large Stock of

DRY GOODS,

Ready-Made Clothing, Boots, Shoes,

HARDWARE AND CROCKERY.

They invite an examination of their Stock of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting of every variety of Goods in that line

Also, a full assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, in large supply.

These Goods will be sold at moderate rates at

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL

Country Merchants will find it to their advantage to give us a call and examine our Goods and prices

All are invited to visit our Store before making their purchases. We charge nothing for showing our Goods. J. BUXBAUM & CO,
Oct 8, 1866. 2d door from Court House.

STENHOUSE & MACAULAY,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Charlotte, N. C., and 66 Pearl St, New York.

Prompt personal attention to the sale of cotton, cotton yarns, naval stores, &c., and the purchase of merchandise generally.

REFERENCES—John Wilkes and T H Brem, Esq'rs, Charlotte, N C; Jordan Womble, Esq, Raleigh, N C; O G Parsley & Co, Wilmington, N C; D Paul & Co, and Robt Mure & Co, Charleston, S C; Wilcox & Hand, Augusta, Ga; Dunlop, Moncure & Co, Richmond, Va; Tannahill, McIlwane & Co, N Y; Partridge, Wells & Co, New York.
Aug 15, 1866.

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. I can save each purchaser from $40 to $100. Price lists of the manufacturers will be sent to those who desire them, to aid them in making selections.

When selections shall have been made the money can be sent to me at my expense, by the Southern Express, and a Piano will be shipped to the Depot the purchaser may designate. Each Piano sold will be fully warranted. Address me at Statesville, N. C. J. M. M. CALDWELL.
May 7, 1866 y

New Foundry AND MACHINE SHOP, At Charlotte, N. C.

M. MARTIN & CO.,

Having removed their Works from Stowesville, 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

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June 25, 1866 Charlotte, N. C.

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In this department every article can be found that may be desired.

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We are Agents for the sale of the celebrated Fairbanks' Scales, all sizes.

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May 14, 1866

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Plain and Ornamental Cakes, for Weddings and Parties, always on hand or made to order.

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MEALS FURNISHED AT ALL HOURS.

Transient and Permanent Boarding.

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Is stocked with the choicest Wines, Liquors, Ales and Cigars. E. W. GROOT.
Oct 15, 1866 6m Proprietor.

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Rolled Iron, in flat Bar, round and square—all sizes.
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All kind of Iron used for Farming purposes.
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High Shoals, Dec 3, 1866.

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T. D. GILLESPIE, Agent.
Charlotte, June 19, 1865 tf

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Turner's "North Carolina"
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Almanacs for 1867, just received at the New Book Store. TIDDY & BRO.
Jan 14, 1867.