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THE President is said to be tired of appointing Ohio men to office, says an exchange.

THE signing of the Greater New York charter by Governor Black gives the great metropolis the 3,000,000 inhabitants which has been so long talked of.

A shower of sulphur fell at Harrisburg, Pa., on Monday night last. Such a reminder of the hereafter ought to have a chastening effect upon a Legislature which, indifferent as it has been to earthly admonitions, may possibly pay deference to a message from the skies.—Ex.

Our law makers had better take notice.

LAST week the Manufacturers' Record issued a Seaboard Air Line supplement.

In it the industrial and agricultural resources of the territory tributary to the Seaboard system, and the work which that railroad is accomplishing in developing Southern cities and country, are de described. Among other things it calls special attention to the fine water power at Weldon and at Roanoke Rapids.

THE United States Senate has confirmed the appointment of Thomas R. Purnell, of Raleigh, to be United States Judge Eastern District of North Carolina, to succeed Judge A. S. Seymour, deceased.

The appointment is for life and Mr Purnell is said to be eminently qualified to assume the judicial ermine. He is a native of Halifax county and has many relatives and friends in this county who rejoice at his good fortune in securing the appointment.

SOME curious typographical errors occasionally creep into the largest and best papers, and no paper is free from them. But the most remarkable one we have seen appeared in the Richmond Dispatch, a journal that comes near being perfect. Here it is:

"Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Emily G. Warren to Elbert Bradley. The funeral will take place next Tuesday evening, the 27th inst., at Broad street Methodist church the pastor officiating."

Surely the devil had a hand in this "pi."

The Supreme Court of this State has recently held that photographs are competent evidence in a trial. They will be especially useful to juries whenever a knowledge of the locality is desirable, as in trials for homicide, railroad collisions, accidents at crossings, mill dam suits, ponding water and the like. In the case in question, it seems the court excluded the photographs because not taken until two years after the accident occurred and when the locality had been altered, but the principle of the admissibility of photographs was sustained.

THE New Orleans Picayune thinks that from present prospects it is unsafe to count on a large cotton crop this year. It says that there is no doubt that a large crop has been planted outside the overflowed district, but that the weather has been very unfavorable to planting operations throughout a good portion of the cotton belt, and hence the crop is sure to have a late start. As to the flooded district, the Picayune says that it will be able to make a cotton crop this season, provided there is no June rise in the river, but that sigh a June rise the situation would be most serious. In any event, however, the crop in the Mississippi Valley must necessarily be late, and subject to all the dangers of an early fall. It may be noted, however, that the commercial world does not take a very gloomy view of the situation, if we may judge by the price of cotton. Up to this time, the price has not been materially affected by the Mississippi floods.

The Best Remedy For Rheumatism.

From the Fairham (N. Y.) Register.—Mr. James Rowland of this village, states that twenty-five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had read of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr Rowland's purchase at first, but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief he says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cent sizes.

For sale by W. M. Cohen, Weldon, J. N. Brown, Halifax, Dr. A. S. Harrison, Enfield.

The Episcopal convention is in session in Raleigh.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

NORTH STATE CULLINGS.

News Notes as Culled from Our State Exchanges.

Lumberton has voted bonds for a system of sewerage.

Newbern is erecting a tobacco warehouse 60x150 feet.

The wet ticket won in Morganton by twenty-seven majority.

The State Press Association will meet at Morehead City June 6-10.

The Bank of Lumberton has been organized with a capital of $15,000 paid in.

A year ago forty registered distilleries were at work in Gaston county. Now there are only six.

Funds for the proposed monument or statue to Senator Vance come in with marked slowness.

An epidemic of fires seems to have struck Cherokee county. Several houses were burned last week.

There is talk at Raleigh of Gov. Russell calling a special session of the Legislature at an early day.

A postoffice inspector has gone to Jackson county to investigate the sale of a postoffice for a mule.

The new cotton mills at Hillsboro are now being equipped with machinery both for spinning and weaving.

Six convicts of Troy, Montgomery county, were arrested Monday for making spurious nickles and quarters.

A Seaboard Air Line conductor, Mr. David Jones, broke his leg just above the ankle while stepping from a train at Apex.

The wheat crop of North Carolina for 1896, was 4,621,922 bushels, of which 4,183,264 bushels were consumed where grown.

A monument is to be erected at Charlotte in honor of the Mecklenburg declaration of independence, and will cost $2,000 which is in hand.

It is said that at Charlotte Monday in the municipal election there was an almost open purchase of votes, quotations ranging from $1 to $25.

John W. Moore, colored, for 22 years a clerk in the Wilmington postoffice, has been arrested and bound over to the Federal Court for robbing the mails.

In Pitt county Saturday night white caps visited and severely whipped a negro and a white woman who were living together. The woman was badly injured.

The Rutherfordton Vindicator announces that by a vote of 71 to 31 the Dispensary established by the Legislature shall go into operation at Rutherfordton.

Senator Pritchard has accepted the invitation of the Grand Army of the Republic, department of Tennessee, to deliver an address in Knoxville, May 4.

The State Treasurer while examining some boxes in his department, last week, packed many years ago, found $12,000 of certificates of stock of the Atlantic & North Carolina railroad.

The election held in that part of Chatham county which was annexed to Alamance county two years ago, decided by a decisive vote that people there desire to stay in Alamance county.

Engineer Swart was instantly killed near Waynesville his engine running down a grade getting beyond control and jumping the track. At least twenty large logs, with which the train was loaded, were piled on Swartz.

In Beaufort county last week a man named Lewis Oden was murdered by his 13-year-old son, who acted in collusion with his two sisters. The boy and one of the girls confessed and all three are in jail.

J. S. Dunn, of the Forty-sixth North Carolina regiment, declares that six men of his company (F.) aided by three or four Croatan Indians members of Company A, burned the Appomattox.

It is said that a large petition will be sent to Raleigh asking the governor to commute the death sentence of Charles Bobo, the negro who murdered another at New Bern, the claim being that it was really murder in the second degree.

The effort that was made the past Winter to bring about a reduction of the cotton acreage in Texas appears to have been fruitless of results, as the acreage planted this year is the largest in the history of the State, being eight per cent greater than that planted last year.

The secretary of state has a letter from Jonathan Tore, a Mormon, who wants to enter a tract of land in Columbus county, presumably for a church. On the envelope is a picture of the Mormon "temple" at Salt Lake City, and the words "Southern States Mission, Church of Christ of Latter Day Saints North Carolina Conference." The Mormons now have twenty-six preachers, or proselyters, at work in this state.

The Westfield (Ind.) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAory, for many years in the employ of the L., N. & A. Ry. here, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for ten years or longer—am never without it in my family. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it." It is a specific for all bowel disorders.

For sale by W. M. Cohen, Weldon, J. N. Brown, Halifax, Dr. A. S. Harrison, Enfield.

THE Iowa Legislature has selected the wild rose as the official State flower.

IT is proposed to make the son of the late Representative Holman his successor.

THERE are 700 deer forests in Scotland, comprising at least 2,000,000 acres of land.

THERE are more than 100,000 children in the national schools of Germany who stutter.

THREE girl students have been expelled from Wellesley College for drinking and smoking cigarettes.

THE fact that woman is becoming to a very large extent self supporting was emphasized last week by a unique gathering in Philadelphia—a working girl's convention. There are at the present time between four and five millions of women and girls in the United States that are employed in earning a living.

THE statement made by General Weyler some few days ago to the effect that he had completely subdued the western part of Cuba turns out to be another one of his many baseless fabrications. Instead of being subdued, the Cubans in the western part of the island are even more defiant of Spanish authority today, if such a thing is possible than when the revolution commenced over two years ago.

Everybody Says So.

Catarrh Cured. Gentlemen: The most wonderful thing happened to me the other day. I was not feeling well, had a slight cough and catarrh in my head. I used your Catarrh Cure, cleansing, healing, strengthening and invigorating. Perhaps you will be a friend of C. C. C. when I say, its 25c. size lasts a month. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

PRESIDENT McKinley eats beefsteak and onions because he likes them.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Troublesome Tetter

Suffered for Years and Could Find No Cure Until Hood's Sarsaparilla was Tried—Scrofula Cured.

"I suffered [illegible] on one of my limbs just above the ankle. I tried a great many remedies, but nothing did me any good. The sore was very troublesome for 12 or 13 years. In the spring I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and after using several bottles of this medicine I was completely cured. Hood's Sarsaparilla also increased my weight." F. P. Rainwater, Statesboro, Georgia.

"When my boy was three months old he broke out with eruptions. He was treated by a physician and the eruptions would seal but would break out again. We resolved to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when he had taken two bottles he was cured. He has had no trouble with scrofula since, but is perfectly well." JOHN R. SMITH, Shady Spring, W. Va.

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NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Lelia L. Harris, deceased, before the clerk of the Superior court of Halifax county, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the 9th day of April 1898 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Persons indebted to said estate must make immediate payment. This the 9th day of April 1897.

W. L. HARRIS, Executor,
apr 15 6t. Lelia L. Harris, deceased.

NOTICE.

By virtue of authority vested in me by deed in trust from H. B. Moore and wife, Susie A. Moore to George W. Davis bearing date of 1st day of March 1887, and recorded in office of Register of Deeds for Halifax county, North Carolina, April 5th 1887, book 76, B. 27, I will sell at the court house door in the town of Halifax, N. C., for cash, on the 7th day of June 1897, at 12 o'clock, M. one certain tract or parcel of land situate in said county and bounded as follows to-wit: Beginning at Nicholson's corner, and running N. 54° E. 226 poles, 17 links to Nicholson's corner in Rue's line, then S. 30° E 158 poles 10 links to stump pole with pointers, then S. 55° W. 80 poles to dogwood and post oak, then S. 16 E. 52 poles 20 links to the run of Gum Swamp, then down said run 23 poles to a forked gum near Adams Springs then straight to beginning, being the tract of land on which the said H. B. Moore formerly resided adjoining the lands of W. E. Spruill, B. B. Nicholson and wife J. E. Rue and others, and containing 191 acres, more or less. Said sale made to satisfy and in accordance with provisions of said trust deed.

☞TERMS OF SALE:—Cash. Time of Sale, 12 o'clock M.

THOS. H. TAYLOR,
April 23, 1897. Trustee.
apr 29 4t

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. This is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are found needed, if afflicted with any actual disease, one may be recommended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well informed, everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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TAX SALE.

I have this day levied upon the following described real estate to satisfy the taxes now due and unpaid for the year 1896 and will sell at public outcry at the court house door in the town of Halifax, county of Halifax, and State of North Carolina, at 12 o'clock M., on Monday the 7th day of June 1897.

	Tax and Cost.
Mrs W H Arrington, 1 town lot	4 03
James Adams, 62 acres land,	6 25
R O Burton heirs, 120 acres land,	2 56
Mrs L M Bonner, 1 town lot,	1 70
Tom Carter, 15 acres land,	1 29
Leon Carter, 20 acres land,	2 20
J H Cousins, 20 acres land,	3 56
Ned Daniel, 1 town lot,	6 03
Mrs. Josephine Evans, 1 town lot	2 30
W T Herring, 150 acres land,	5 37
C D Heinsing, balance, 30 acres,	3 04
W C Hill, 1 town lot,	6 70
Major Hannon, 1 town lot	5 50
Alex Jackson, 27 acres land,	1 47
J H P Leigh, 1 town lot,	9 37
J W Iver, 10 acres land, balance,	2 94
George W. Lewis, 2 town lots	9 44
Isaac Liggins, 1 town lot,	2 03
William Malone, 1 town lot,	3 40
J M Moore, 1 " "	6 80
Mrs W E Powell, 125 acres,	1 26
J M Powell, 100 acres,	3 40
Tom Pointon, 250 acres land,	8 50
Eliza Pointon, 1 town lot,	1 70
David Reid, 1 town lot, balance,	2 70
J W Burke, 210 acres land,	6 24
George Rainy, 20 acres,	3 50
S A W Richards, 66 acres,	1 92
Dock Stephens, 1 town lot	2 37
Bolley Shearin, 2 acres,	3 00
C L Shaw, 50 acres land,	2 40
Green Smith, 1 town lot,	2 74
Jim Vincent, 1 town lot,	1 00
Mrs L A White, 6 acres land,	2 70
Mrs Lucretia Kerley, acres,	2 18

J. B. BRICKELL,
Tax Collector Weldon township.

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ANNUAL STATEMENNT

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Of Disbursements in the Town of Weldon for the Year Ending May 1st, 1897.

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Weldon, N. C., May 1st, 1897.

To the Honorable Board of Town Commissioners

I beg leave to herewith hand my annual report.

The total amount of taxes from real and personal property for the year ending May 1, 1897. $1010.75
189 polls at 75c. 141.75

Total real, personal and poll, $1152.50
Amount of Privilege and other license tax, $395.42

Total, $1547.92

Rate of taxation (25) twenty five cents per hundred dollar valuation.

Expenses of town of Weldon from May 1, 1896 to May 1, 1897, $1132.50

The following is a list of disbursements in detail:

MAY 1896.

W M Cohen, money paid out for work,	$41 00
Gus Downy, street work,	.20
Harrell's P'tg House, books	3 50
Standard Oil Co.,	1 91
Chief Police,	16 66
Night police,	20 00
Lamplighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 33

JUNE 1896.

Chief of Police,	16 66
Night police,	20 00
Lamplighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 34
Standard Oil Co.,	14 68
Meals, prisoners,	2 80
Pumps,	64 48
Meals for prisoners,	.30
Taking tax list,	15 00
Hands watching fire,	1 50
Rebate on taxes, M Fredlander,	.75

JULY 1896.

Annual report, Roanoke News,	28 00
Work on streets,	1 80
" "	.30
Well fixer,	3 00
Piping from E. Clark,	2 13
Shovel,	.90
Working and fixing streets,	53 45
Timber and nails,	6 30
Meals, prisoners,	1 30
Chief of Police,	16 66
Night "	20 00
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 33

AUGUST 1896.

Chief of Police,	16 66
Night "	20 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 34
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Nails and timber for streets	9 56
" " "	2 64
" " "	2 67
Rent of mule for street,	.75
Nails,	.24
Street commissioners,	2 25
Extra police,	2 75
Standard Oil Co.,	10 75

SEPTEMBER 1896.

Harrell's P'tg house, books,	4 00
Standard Oil Co., oil and freight	10 69
Chief of Police,	16 66
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 34
Meals for prisoners,	.70
Dr. I. E. Green, health officer,	25 00

OCTOBER 1896.

Standard Oil Co.,	3 02
Roanoke News, publishing (ordinances)	10 00
Coffin pauper,	2 00
Grave pauper,	1 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 33
Chief of Police,	16 66
Lamp lighter,	15 00

NOVEMBER 1896.

Chief of Police,	16 66
Night "	20 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 34
Work on streets,	32 80
Timber,	19 91

DECEMBER 1896.

Chief of Police,	16 66
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 34
Standard Oil Co.	1 54
Mattress and shovel,	2 00
Matches,	.50
Well fixer,	2 50

JANUARY 1897.

Chief Police,	16 66
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 33
Postage,	80
Standard Oil Co.,	5 45
Mattress,	1 75
Blankets,	2 25
Guarding jail,	1 00
Wicks and matches,	1 09

FEBRUARY 1897.

Chief Police,	16 66
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk,	8 34
City attorney, expenses to Raleigh,	9 00
Meals, prisoners,	1 20
Standard Oil Co.,	4 74
Expenses in arresting prisoner	2 00
Hammer and matches,	.85
Lumber,	.32

MARCH 1897.

Coffin pauper,	2 00
Making staples,	.30
Iron, city jail,	1 75
Mrs Metlice,	2 25
T W Russell,	8 25
W B Dickens,	6 38
Weldon Land and Brick Imp. Co., work,	9 38
Standard Oil Co.,	6 00
Work on streets,	.40
" "	.75
W H Day, Jr., work	3 75
Well fixer,	2 50
Chief Police,	16 66
Attorney and clerk,	8 33
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Emry & Pierce, m'dse,	10 66
E Clark, "	1 65

APRIL 1897.

Coffin pauper,	2 00
Copy of bridge bill,	1 90
Grave pauper,	.50
Hauling "	.50
Harrell's Pr'g House, books,	1 00
Standard Oil Co.	4 74
Chief Police,	16 66
Lamp lighter,	15 00
Attorney and clerk, (T. C. H.)	8 34
Health officer, (Dr. I. E. G.)	25 00

Accounts paid out at regular meetings during 1897:

Rebate on taxes,	4 17
Registrar,	7 98
Work on streets,	1 20
" " "	8 00
" " "	1 60
" " "	12 10
" " "	1 20
" " "	1 20
Work on streets,	.60
" " "	3 00
" " "	1 32
" " "	3 00

Total expenses town of Weldon for the year ending May 1, 1897 $1132.50

Respectfully submitted,
T. C. HARRISON, Clerk.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for the Town of Weldon, N. C.

The following are the statistics of births and deaths within the corporate limits of the town of Weldon, N. C., for the 12 months ending May 1st, 1897:

BIRTHS.

White males,	11	
" females,	6	
" still born,	1	Total. 18
Colored males,	10	
" females,	13	
" still born,	2	Total. 25
Total births,		43

DEATHS.

White total,		11
Colored "		22
		33
Less accident,		2
Non resident,		1
Total resident population,		29

AGES.

	White.	Colored.	Total.
1 day to 30 days,	2		2
1 month to 6 months,		2	2
6 " 12 "		1	1
1 year to 3 years,	1	5	6
3 years to 5 "	1	1	2
10 " 20 "		1	1
20 " 30 "		1	1
30 " 40 "		2	2
40 " 50 "	3	4	7
50 " 60 "	1	1	2
60 " 70 "		2	2
70 " 80 "	1	2	3
80 " 90 "	1		1
90 " 100 "	1		1
Totals,	11	22	33

Rate of mortality of whole resident population 20 per 1000 per annum.

Rate of mortality of white population 15.71 per 1000 per annum.

Rate of mortality of colored population 24 per 1000 per annum.

The above calculations are based on a population of 1450 white 700, colored 750.

CAUSES OF DEATH.

Child birth,	2
Teething,	1
Not known,	6
Malarial fever,	3
Measles,	1
Consumption,	2
Typhoid malarial fever,	1
Old age,	4
Accident,	3
Diptheria,	1
Scarlet fever,	1
Pneumonia,	2
Paralysis,	1
Dropsy,	2
Apoplexy,	1
Pernicious Anaemia,	1
Remittant fever,	1
Total,	33

Respectfully submitted,
J. T. GOOCH, Mayor.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for the town of Weldon, N. C.

The following cases were heard in the Mayor's court for the year ending May 1, 1897:

13 judgment suspended.
4 discharged.
20 sent to grand jury.
17 fines imposed.
—
54 total.

Total fines imposed,		$115.00
Paid through mayor to Treasurer,	$20.77	
Paid through Officer Daniel to Treasurer,	2.50	
Sent to jail,	25.00	
Appealed,	25.00	73.27
		$41.73

Respectfully submitted,
J. T. Gooch, Mayor.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for town of Weldon:

We beg leave to report that the following is our report of the chief of police:

To bal. due on fines for year ending May 5, '96,	$50.46
To bal. due on fines for year ending May 5, '97,	41.73
Total now due,	$92.19
To fine for Jim Kelly $1, Will Randall $1,	2.00
	$94.19
By credit 1896 fines, Miller's escape from jail, $5.00	
By credit 1896, fines, Banks, released, 5.00	10.00
To balance due town,	$84.19

Respectfully submitted,
T. C HARRISON.

The above reports show the receipts and disbursements of the town of Weldon for the fiscal year ending May 1st, 1897. T. C. HARRISON, clerk.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of town of Weldon:

We, the committee to settle with the tax collector, W. G. Purnell, report as follows:—

To real and personal property tax for the year 1896,		$1010.75
To poll tax,		141.75
To privilege tax,		395.42
Total,		$1547.92
By treasurer's receipts,	$1204.48	
By insolvent list,	23.29	
By 5 per cent commission on 1524.63	76.33	$1304.10
To bal. due town,		$243.82

W. M. COHEN, T. C. HARRISON, } Committee.

☞NOTE.—Since the above report was made the tax collector has paid treasurer, $134.34 and his books show $109.48 uncollected.

T. C. Harrison, clerk.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the town of Weldon:

We, the committee to settle with the treasurer beg leave to report as follows:

To am't from all sources		$1706.55
By am't paid to order of Board,	$1415.56	
By treasurer com on receipts " " disbursements	36.53	
	35.54	
	$1487	
Less amt rescinded Sept 13,	27.42	
	$1459.95	
Making a total expended for the town of Weldon,		$1495.51
Amt due town of Weldon,		$210.04

Respectfully submitted,
T. C. HARRISON, } Committee to settle with Treas.
E. A. CUTHRELL, }

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MERRY MONTH OF MAY

FIRST WEEK'S SURPRISE

A Down Fall in prices of Clothing, Shoes, and Dry Goods for the next 10 days at

FREDLANDER'S.

W. D. SMITH,

Weldon, N. C.

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Among my stock of liquors I have on hand the celebrated I. W. Harper, Davenport & Morris' "Old Grover," and Ives' "Monticello."

I have also opened up a barrel of six year old APPLE BRANDY

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Also have on hand full supply of imported and domestic wines. Among the latter will be found the

Choicest Products

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——I have some of the OLDEST AND BEST——

North Carolina Corn Whiskey,

made by Harrison & Co., the best corn whiskey makers we have in our Territory.

I have on hand all kinds of pure whiskies and am prepared to give my friends

Entire Satisfaction

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