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UNDERTAKERS.

Will subscribers offer their services to the public to bury the dead, and to perform all the usual duties of Undertakers. They have a considerable supply of Coffins ready made, and an abundant supply of Mahogany, Black Walnut and Gum and Poplar materials for making any size of a short coffin. Orders left at the Cool Spring Mills will be promptly attended to.

HEARSEY & JOHNSON

Fayetteville, June 29, 1857.

To the Public.

THE subscriber has on hand a good assortment of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters. Also, Clothing, Forgetting Goods, Hats of all kinds, Trunks, Valises, and Travelling Bags. All of which he will sell low for cash, in order to close out his present stock. Persons in want of Goods in his line will do well to give him a call.

L. BRANDY

Gillette St., opposite P. P. Johnson.

June 24, 19.2m

New Books.

THE Life of Charlotte Bronte, Author of Jane Eyre, &c. The History of the Book, by Hugh Miller, Sold for the Society, by the Author of the "Footprints of the Solitary; Indebtedness of the Earth, by Not & the Golden; The Bee Keeper's Chart. Also, further supplies of Miscellaneous: The Prince of the House of David; Mrs. Hunt's Novels; The Baptist Psalmist; Barnes Family Prayers; Christian Minister; Croen's Concurrence; Adams' New Arithmetic; Parley's Common School History, &c.

E. J. HALE & SON.

June 24, 1857.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having executed a power of Attorney to E. F. Moore, he is thereby authorized to make all settlements for me and in my name, and generally to transact all business as I might or could be lawfully personally present.

E. J. MOORE

Fayetteville, June 3, 1857.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber having, at June Term 1857, of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the County of Cumberland, qualified as Administrator upon the Estate of Willis F. Moore, hereby notifies all persons having claims against the said Estate to present the same properly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

E. F. MOORE

June 3, 1857.

FOR THE WEST!

Through in 36 Hours, and Crossing the Blue Ridge in the Day Time!

C. S. BROWN'S Tri-Weekly

Line of Four-Horse Post Coaches, from Salisbury to Asheville, via Statesville, Newton, Morganton, Marion and Pleasant Gardens, connecting at Asheville with the line of Stages for the Warm Springs, Knoxville and Greeneville, Tenn. This is the best stage and best managed Road in North Carolina. It is the most expeditious, safe and pleasant, and at the same time the cheapest route for the West. Leaves Salisbury on Monday, Wednesday and Friday; leaves Asheville on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—running in close connection with the North Carolina Rail Road, North and South.

C. S. BROWN, Contractor.

June 15, 1857.

FOR SALE.

THE DWELLING HOUSE AND LOT on Gillespie Street, at present occupied by Doctor McSwain. Perfect title can be made. Apply to

THO. J. CURTIS.

ALSO

A GOOD FAMILY CARRIAGE in good repair and nearly new. Will be sold for half its value. —ALSO— A good MILCH COWS with young calves. Apply to

T. J. CURTIS.

April 29, 1857.

DAVID McDUFFIE,

Brickmason and Plasterer. Is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, including the putting up of Turpentine Stills in this and the adjoining counties.

Fayetteville, April 27, 1857.

J. WILLIAM PAGE, M. D.,

PITTSBOROUGH, N. C. D. B. PAGE may be found at his office when not professionally engaged.

May 6, 1857.

NOTICE.

ON the first Monday in September next, I will sell for Cash, at the Court House door, in the Town of Fayetteville, the following Tracts of Lands, or as much thereof as will pay the Taxes due thereon for the years 1854 and 1855—

Acres	Location of Land	By whom Listed	Value due
200	Black River	George T. King	\$1 21
200	Ball's Ford	Foster Mason	11 35
1669	East of Cape Fear River	McFarlan	12 25
2050	Carver's Creek	James & Garber	30 19
50	John McLean's Hanging	Jesse Butts	1 48
28	John King and others	James D. Bice	4 59
100	John Bell and others	John Carter	2 45
50	The Korribb Lands	John Carter	2 45
100	Capeau Branch	John S. Baughall	2 71
200		A. Graham for A.	
		McKeller	3 75
200	South side Big Rock Hills	Arthur Cannon	3 94
65	Condon Road	Ass. Phillips	3 52
100	head of Swan's Creek	Davis	2 71
100	Burnt Swamp	Wm. O. West	2 71
250	Big Rock Hills	Neill Lamour	3 42
415		Ella McLeod	2 89

20 QUARTER BOXES RAISINS.

20 Boxes Soda Biscuits.

20 Cheese.

For sale by C. E. LEBTE.

Decr 15, 65tf

GEO. ALDERMAN,

Inspector of Naval Stores,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SOLICITS patronage. Prompt attention and quick dispatch will be given to business entrusted to his care.

June 23, 1857.

19-12m-pd

A. McRIMMON,

Commission and Forwarding Merchant,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

July 6, 1857.

Groceries, Hardware, &c.

THE undersigned are now receiving a LARGE ASSORTMENT of

Groceries, Hardware, Iron, Steel,

Hollow-ware, Shoes, Leather,

and Saddlery,

which they will sell at Wholesale at a small advance on Cost for Cash, or on our usual time to prompt dealers.

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.

July 18, 1857.

Dr. Hawk's History

OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The Subscribers are now prepared to furnish the 1st volume of this valuable work, which has received the highest commendation wherever it has been read, not only for its literary execution but for its typographical getting up. It may be obtained, either by order from our General Agent for the State, H. W. Horne of this place, or any of his Assistant Agents. The price varies according to style of binding: in handsome cloth \$1 25; in Library Sheep \$1 50; in half calf \$1 75. It is sold only for Cash. None will be charged, either by ourselves or our Agents. A liberal discount will be made where quantities are taken to sell again.

It will be sent by mail to any part of the country, on receipt of the price and 24 cents for postage.

The 2d volume is in course of preparation. The succeeding volumes will probably contain about 500 pages each, and will be sold at a proportionally higher price, viz. half a cent a page for the cloth binding, 25 cents additional for sheep and 60 cents additional for the half calf binding.

E. J. HALE & SON.

Fayetteville, April 29, 1857.

P. S. The Agent and his Assistants design to visit every county in the State, with the book, as soon as convenient. In the mean time, orders to him or to us, accompanied by the cash, will receive prompt attention.

PROSPECTUS

OF

THE NORTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERIAN.

LONG labored under a serious disadvantage from the want of a journal to advocate her claims and represent her interests. It is estimated that only 1000 Presbyterian Weeklies are taken in the bounds of our three Presbyteries. We have 13,000 Communicants, and it is safe to infer that there are 50,000 Presbyterians in principle in the State. Our Synod stands fifth in the Union in point of numbers, and her membership is greater than that of any Synod South or West of Pennsylvania. Our sister States on the North and South, neither of which has a membership so large as ours, publish the Central, and the Southern Presbyterian, for the benefit of their people. The time has come when the Presbyterian Church in North Carolina should likewise do her duty to her children. It is a conceded and important fact, that hundreds of our members will take a State paper who will take no other. The Paper is needed to be the organ of our Synod and Presbyteries—to elevate and enlighten the piety of our membership by diffusing evangelical knowledge—to promote the cause of Education—to develop the talents of our Ministry, and to strengthen the attachment of our people to the soil and sanctuaries of their own State.

If our Church in other States, and other Churches in this State, can supply their members with a Religious journal, why may not we? Are North Carolina Presbyterians inferior in talent, energy and patriotism to their neighbors on the North or South, or Christians of other denominations at home? With the same or better opportunities of accomplishing what we long for, shall we leave it undone? In the language of one of our most able and useful Ministers, an adopted son of our State, "It ought to have been begun 20 years ago, but it is not too late to begin to do right."

In the last two or three months, a fund of about \$5000 has been subscribed as a permanent capital. At a meeting of the contributors, held at Greensborough on the 14th of May, Rev. A. Baker, Chairman, and the Paper was unanimously located at Fayetteville, under the name and title of the NORTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. Wm. N. Mebane and Rev. George McNeill, Wm. N. Mebane, A. Baker, and C. H. Wiley, and Messrs. George McNeill, Sr., John H. Cook and David Murphy were appointed an Executive Committee, to establish the Paper and manage its business affairs.

It is our wish and design to make the North Carolina Presbyterians a journal of the first class, equal to the best in the country in typographical appearance and in adaptation to the wants of our Churches. Its columns will afford the latest intelligence, both foreign and domestic, and special care will be taken to give a full and accurate summary of State news. The number of the Paper is designed to be an exponent of its character and contents. From convention, it will advocate the conservative, orthodox, Old School doctrines and order of the Church.

Our first appeal is to our own people—to N. C. Presbyterians. While we rely confidently upon their favor, we trust that the native sons of North Carolina who have found homes in other States, and the adopted citizens of one State who form so important an element in our Ministry and membership, will take a deep interest in this enterprise and give it their hearty support.

Terms: \$2 per annum in advance, or on delivery of the first number; \$2 50 in six months; \$3 at the end of the year. To clubs of 25 or more, paying in advance and when the Paper is sent to one address, a discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed. Our Ministers and Elders are earnestly desired to act as Agents, and all others friendly to the cause will please assist in procuring as many subscribers as possible, and forward the names, by August 1st, to this Office. As soon as 1500 subscribers are obtained, the first number will be issued. It is a faithful and vigorous effort made in the next two months by those who take a lively interest in this work, we will, without doubt, be able to begin the publication at the end of that time with a paying subscription list of at least 3000.

Apply to Messrs. Editors of the North Carolina Presbyterian, Fayetteville, N. C.

Fayetteville, May 20, 1857.

ECCLESIAS MILL

AS been newly repaired. Sent your own and have it ground.

M. McKINSON.

March 30, 94-

JUST RECEIVED,

20 QUARTER BOXES RAISINS.

20 Boxes Soda Biscuits.

20 Cheese.

For sale by C. E. LEBTE.

Decr 15, 65tf

TO THE PUBLIC.

M. M. FERGUSON, Photographic Artist, would respectfully announce to the citizens of Fayetteville and vicinity, that he designs leaving this place for a few months, and all those wishing to have their pictures taken, would do well to give him a call at his Room over Bentley & Houston's jewelry store, by the 15th of August, as his Rooms will be closed from that time until his return.

Fayetteville, July 29.

NOTICE.

HAVING procured the services of a new and first class Baker, we are prepared to supply our customers and those who may give us a call, with superior

LOAF BREAD AND CAKES

of various kinds, on liberal terms. Orders for Fruit, Pound, Sponge, or Plain Cakes, promptly attended to. For the accommodation of our town customers, we have on hand a number of printed tickets (five cents each) which can be procured by calling at

BANKS'S CONFECTIONERY,

Green Street.

July 29.

VALUABLE LANDS FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber, being desirous of moving South or changing his business, offers for sale the following tracts:

One Tract, containing 1700 or 1800 Acres, on which is my family residence, situated ten miles North-east of Fayetteville, on the East side of Cape Fear River, through which the F. & N. Plank Road passes. It contains a fine Oak Grove, with substantial Buildings, and is well supplied with pure water. The above tract consists of swamp and uplands, a portion of each kind being under cultivation and in excellent order, and contains two fine pastures for stock, abundantly supplied with fresh water. The unenclosed portion is heavily timbered.

One Tract, between 3000 and 400 Acres, lying one mile North of the above, and immediately on the Plank Road, on which is a valuable Saw and Grist Mill, in perfect order. The tract is well supplied with pine timber.

One Tract, 100 to 500 Acres, of rich and productive Swamp Lands, a portion of which is well fenced and under cultivation, known as the King and Norman Land, situated one mile from the river, between the Ashe and Armstrong Lands. The unenclosed portion contains valuable Cypress and Oak Timber.

One Tract, 124 Acres of Piney Wood Lands, heavily timbered, and known as the Little Creek tract.

One Tract, 50 Acres, which lies in Great Creek, and contains the greatest abundance of Juniper Timber for Shingles.

Persons wishing to purchase can get all the necessary information from the subscriber at his residence, or from James Murphy, at Gray's Creek, either of whom will take pleasure in showing the above lands.

JOHN MURPHY, Sen'r.

Cumberland County, July 27, 1857.

NOTICE.

TO all persons that have left Guns with me for repairs previous to the first of August, 1857, I recall pay charges and take them away; otherwise they will be sold for repairs.

M. A. BAKER

August 3, 1857.

All persons indebted to M. A. Baker

would confer a favor by calling and settling their accounts by the 15th of August, 1857.

M. A. BAKER.

August 3, 1857.

FOR SALE.

THE following VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, the property of E. C. Hall, Jr., is offered for sale, and consists of the following tracts:

That desirable place known as Rome, containing about 200 Acres, with all the improvements. This place will be sold entire or divided, to suit purchasers, it being probably one of the best business stands in the country, and is very desirable to those wishing to enter the mercantile business.

No. 2, Consists of a Lot and Brick Store, (2 tenements), in Campbellton, on Bridge Street, near Chardon Bridge, and is a very desirable stand for business.

No. 3, Is Three vacant Lots in Campbellton, known in city plot as Nos. 109, 111, 112, and half of lot 113.

No. 4, Is a Dwelling House and Lot on Hayton, corner of Plank Road and Adams St. A very desirable residence for the whole year.

No. 5, Is a Corn Mill and Steam Engine and Boiler, of 10 or 15 horse power. This is well worth the attention of those living where water power is not available, and will be sold at a great bargain.

For terms apply to

J. H. HALL, Assignee.

August 1, 1857.

BURKHAVEN'S HOLLAND BITTERS:

Carter's Spanish Mixture.

Shallenburg's Pills.

Hampton's Vegetable Tincture;

Bayer's German Bitters;

Wood's Hair Restorative;

Sund's Sarsaparilla;

Oxygenated Bitters;

Agar's Cherry Peppercall;

Brown's Essence of Ginger;

Davis's Pain Killer;

Thompson's Eye Water;

Jayne's Medicines;

Harrison's Hair Dye;

Dr. Pratt's Electric Oil.

For sale by

SAM'L J. HINSDALE.

August 2.

B. F. PEARCE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Umbrellas and Ready-Made Clothing,

HAY STREET,

Fayetteville, N. C.

B. F. PEARCE, [J. W. PEARCE, JR.]

July 30.

TAKEN UP.

ADmitted to the Jail of Cumberland county, on the 16th July, a negro woman by the name of A. L. A., who says she belongs to Daniel Cameron of Harrett county. She was committed as a runaway. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, or she will be dealt with as the law directs.

WM. R. BOLTON, Jailor.

August 3, 1857.

MEDICAL INSTITUTION

OF VALE COLLEGE.

THE Course of Lectures for 1857-8, will commence on Thursday Sept. 17th, and continue 4 months.

BENJAMIN SULLIVAN, M. D., LL. D., Prof. Emeritus of Chemistry and Pharmacy.

ED. LEVY, M. D., Prof. Emeritus of Materia Medica and Therapeutics.

JOS. H. KNIGHT, M. D., Prof. of the Principles and Practice of Surgery.

CHARLES HOOKER, M. D., Prof. of Anatomy and Physiology.

HENRY BROSSON, M. D., Prof. of Materia Medica and Therapeutics.

WORTHINGTON BOOKER, M. D., Prof. of the Theory and Practice of Physic.

BENJAMIN SULLIVAN, Jr., M. D., Prof. of Chemistry and Pharmacy.

PLINY A. JEWETT, M. D., Prof. of Obstetrics. Lecture fees \$08 50; Matriculation, \$5; Graduation \$15.

CHAS. HOOKER, Dean of the Faculty.

New Haven, July 17.

NEW BOOKS.

ILLUSTRATED from "Notes and Queries;" The "Religious Club Bibles;" Past Meritism, by Mrs. Sigourney; The Bible, Ass and Saddle Bags, by Milburn; "Christmas Stories."

JUVENILES: The Abuelv Stories, consisting of the "Whistler, or the Manly Boy;" Ella, or Turning over a New Leaf; Oscar, or the Boy who had his own way; The Infant Fairy Book; Abbott's Stories about Common Things. Also, further supplies of Hume and Macaulay's Histories of England; School Books, &c.

E. J. HALE & SON.

July 17, 1857.

Harper and Godey's Lady's Book,

for August, 1857.

E. J. HALE & SON.

FINE LOCATION FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale his RESIDENCE and other buildings at Chalk Level, Harrett County. Connected with the property for sale are some

500 or 600 acres of good land, a Store House a Tan Yard and Mill,

the latter is somewhat out of repair, but capable of profitable improvement. The location is admirable for a country store, and no better investment of capital could be made than the purchase of this property. The subscriber intends removing to the West, and will make the terms of sale as easy as any reasonable man could wish.

—ALSO—

A very desirable DWELLING in Averaboro for Sale. Terms of purchase made easy. A great bargain to be had.

—ALSO—

FORTY SHARES OF FAYETTEVILLE BANK STOCK. This Stock is known to be the best in the market, and commands a high premium. The subscriber has been buying it from the West.

For further information, terms &c., address

A. H. DEWAR

Chalk Level.

August 1st.

NORTH CAROLINA READERS.

NUMBERS 1 AND 2.

PREPARED WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE WANTS AND INTERESTS OF

North Carolina.