Meeting of the Alumni.

At an informal meeting of a few of the Alumni of Davidson College, on the 9th of August, Rev. S. C. Pharr, D. D., was called to the Chair, and Rev. P. T Penick was appointed Secretary.

It having been ascertained that an association of Alumni had formerly been instituted, and from some cause or other had failed to meet in the last two or three years, it was resolved that a committee be appointed to seek out the Constitution and By Laws of said Association, and bring them before the meeting of the Alumni, to be called during the next Commencement of Davidson College; and if such a Constitution and By Laws cannot be found, to forme such as they may deem suitable, to be submitted to the next meeting of the Alumni. The same Committee was charged with the duty of securing an Orator to deliver an Address before the Alumni at the next Commencement of Davidson College.

This Committee consists of the following gentlemen, viz: Rev. S. C. Pharr, D. D., Dr. E. N. Hutchison, Rev. P. T. Penick, Dr. James H. Houston and S. W. Davis, Esq.

The Rev. Dr. Pharr having brought to the remembrance of the meeting, the death of J. M. Kirkpatrick, Esq., an Alumnis of Davidson College, it was Resolved, that Jno. L. Miller, J. R. McLean and Rev. R. N. Davis, be a Committee to prepare a suitable minute touching his death, and have it published in the *Yorkville Enquirer*, *North Carolina Whig* and *Western Democrat*, and transmit a copy to the family of our deceased brother.

It was Resolved that Rev. P. T. Penick, Rev. S. C. Alexander and Dr. R. R. Bert, be appointed a Committee to prepare for publication, and as extensive circulation as possible, before the next Commencement of Davidson College, an Address to the Alumni of that institution, calling upon them to come to the aid of their Alma Mater, in the noble cause of learning and religion.

It was Resolved, that Mr. F. H. Johnston, be a Committee to consult with the Faculty of Davidson College, and secure some suitable time during the next Commencement of Davidson College for the delivery of an Oration in public by an Alumnus of that institution.

It was Resolved, that the proceedings of this meeting be published in such newspapers in North and South Carolina, as shall secure for them an extensive circulation.

The meeting then adjourned.

S. C. PHARR, Chairman.

P. T. PENICK, Secretary.

A Harvest Incident.

The Detroit Advertiser tells of a team of bright bay five year old mares, 14 hands high, long and low built, sturdy, tough, strong, and smooth, recently matched by S. P. W——, of Calhoun Co., Michigan, for farm service; a better team never settled a mould board into green sward. W—— had sixty-five acres of noble wheat, and he had purchased a new McCormice's reaper, to which in the pride of his heart, he hitched the mares, scorning to disgrace his fine crop and new reaper by contract with anything in the shape of horse flesh, poorer than his very best.

The mares were harnessed to the "machine," a raw Dutchman, who had never seen a reaper, was put on to drive, and away they went; at the first revolution of the big reel, which they saw over their blinders, they became impressed with the idea that they were bound to run wild de machine," and sure enough they did, through the big wheat field, in all possible zig zag directions, cutting some, breaking down the balance, and scattering the grain far and wide behind them—the Dutchman c'ung to his seat for a while, yelling "whoe!" in nineteen different dialects, until the track of the reaper struck a stone, whereat he founded some ten feet in the air, describing a parabolic curve, with a radius of inconvenient length and finally brought up, hull down, in the middle of the field.

The mares kept on as though Ceres had hired Bacchus for a car-driver, and was bent on a bust the machinery rattling, the great reel revolving with fierce velocity, and the knives gnashing away at the grain like the teeth of a madman, until the breaking of a single tree ended over the machine and the mares stretched it for the barn, where they remained at last accounts. The next day six remarkably old-fashioned cradles were observed busily at work in that wheat field, and a notice headed

PATENT REAPER FOR SALE!

was to be seen posted on the front gate.

The Great Wadsworth Estate.

James Wadsworth owns about 8,000 acres of land in Avon, New York, as much more in Genesee, about 6 000 in the town of Rush, 5,000 or 6 000 in the town of Caledonia, and a great many thousands in other towns in this and other counties. And it is nearly all good land, the best in the State, and constantly increasing in value. He doesn't sell, but is forever buying. The effect is perceptible. There is a marked absence of rural taste, so generally inseparable from agricultural prosperity, and so important to domestic, if not to individual morality and happiness.

While there is no large landholder in the world more liberal, wise or intelligent than Mr. Wadsworth, it would be far better for the country, and incalculably better for the smaller landholders, if the lands owned by him were owned by two hundred thrifty poor men, who would live upon their small farm and contribute to the general architectural, horticultural and educational improvement of the country. There is a melancholy absence of those substantial farm houses, and tasty appurtenances so noticeable in other portions of Western New York.

All Mr. Wadsworth's land is rented, not leased and rented for but a single year. This has been the rule since about 1840. Every lease is renewed every year—a rule which gives Mr. Wadsworth entire control of his property and its cultivation and management. A shiftless tenant stands no chance for a release. And not only is this rule strictly adhered to, but Wadsworth dictates the character of the crops to be sowed in the several fields of each farm—which shall be sowed to wheat, which shall be reserved for pasture, which allotted to meadow, &c.—thus preventing any overworking of the land, or any deviation from what has been ascertained to the best system of agriculture.

The result is that thes lands are among the best cultivated lands in all this well cultivated region, and uniformly yield as heavy crops as any other in this prolific valley.

The rents, as I learn from "old settlers," are as follows: For the best wheat lands, 8 bushels of wheat per acre; for other wheat lands, from 5 to 7 bushels; and for lands, used for meadows, spring crops, &c., from $2 to $4 per acre. And the land is eargerly sought for at those prices.

[*Correspondent of Albany Journal*

MARRIED.

Married, at Davidson College, on the 9th inst., by Rev. E. F. Rockwell, Mr. JOSEPH W. GUDGER, to Miss LOUISA S. ARMOUR, all of this county.

DEATHS.

Died, at the residence of his son, in Grenada, Miss., on the 19th of August, 1855, after a protracted illness, ROBERT BINGHAM, a native of Mecklenburg county, N. C., aged 80 years, 6 months 13 days.

In this county, on the 12th instant, Miss E. A. MOORE, only daughter of Mr. Samuel Moore, aged about 15 years.

In this place, on the 15th instant, ADELAIDE W., infant daughter of W. F. and Martha Phifer, aged 1 year and 3 months.

Also at Carolina College on the 15th instant, Miss ELIZABETH, only daughter of Mr. Nathan B. Taylor, in the 17th year of her age. Miss Taylor was attending her literary courses at College when the fell destroyer marked her for his own. It must be a source of consolation to her surviving friends to know that she was prepared and ready for the Master's use.

"Why should we mourn departed friends,
Or shake at death's alarms?
'Tis but the voice that Jesus sends,
To call them to his arms."

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.

AN excellent house GIRL, and a good nurse. Aged about 35 years. For particulars apply to

T. A. BOONE.

July 28, 1855, 5—tf.

Notice.

THE citizens of Mecklenburg, and all who are interested in the success of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Rail Road, are invited to attend a Rail Road meeting to be held at Hopewell Church on Friday, the 31st of August. The meeting will be addressed by gentlemen of distinguished ability, and it is to be hoped that the people will take advantage of the opportunity, that they now have to hear them.

There will be also a Rail Road meeting in Lincoln county, at Beales' Old Field, on Saturday, the 1st of September. The public are respectfully invited.

C. C. HENDERSON,
H. W. GUION,
B. S. JOHNSON,
Executive Committee for Lincoln county.

August 28, 1855. 5-1t.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale a fine lot of well dried Lumber, at Rosses' Steam Saw Mill, six or seven miles from Chorlotte. Those who wish to purchase will do well by calling on him.

SAMUEL LAWING.

August 23, 1855. 5-3t.

Watches! Watches! Watches!

THE subscribers are now receiving a large stock of WATCHES from the most celebrated makers; also a rich stock of

Fashionable Jeweiry, Chains, &c.,

all of which will be sold low for cash or on short time to punctual dealers.

THOS. TROTTER & SON.

april 27, 1855 49tf

Whig copy.

Now Published.

THE BRIDAL CHAMBER, AND Its Mysteries.

Showing High Life at our Fashionable Hotels.

In one 12mo. volume, neatly bound in cloth. Price $1, which will be sent to any part of the Union free of postage.

L. GENEVA & CO.,
No. 78, Nassau st.,
aug 17 4-3.n New York city.

Notice.

THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Western Plank Road Company will take place at Richard A. Rozzell's on the 3rd Wednesday in September next (being the 19th day) to elect a President and Board of Directors for the next year, and to transact other important business of the Company.

C. C. HENDERSON, Pres't.

aug 13, 1855. 4 5t

Notice.

THE Western Plank Road Company will sell at private sale, on reasonable terms, one of

Starbuck's Steam Saw Mills,

all in running order: it is situated on the line of the Plank Road about 4½ miles east of Lincolnton, and if not sold privately before, it will be offered at public sale on Saturday, 23d day of September, at the place where it is located.

For further information persons wishing to purchase will please apply to me at Lincolnton, N. C.

C. C. HENDERSON, President
o. the W. P. Company.

aug 13, 1855. 4-6t

Bakery & Confectionary FOR SALE.

THE undersigned wishes to close his business and now offers a great inducement to any person wishing to engage in a profitable business. I will sell my Stock and Fixtures separately or together with the House and Lot. The stand is a good one, pleasantly and eligibly situated, and has a good patronage. Persons wishing to purchase will please give an early call and I will give them any information required.

J. MEAD.

aug 17 4-1m

Rare opportunity to buy Land.

THE Subscriber having determined to remove South offers for sale, privately, all his

Lands in Providence.

The Home Tract, Black Jack, Patterson and Wallace place.

THE HOME TRACT

lies on the Providence road, 12 miles south of Charlotte, in a healthy and agreeable neighborhood, near the Church, contains

850 Acres,

half of which is cleared and in a high state of cultivation, with a good Dwelling House and other improvements.

THE BLACK JACK PLACE

is 10 miles from Charlotte, on the same road, with comfortable improvements; also a good Store house, where a thriving business has for a number of years been transacted. The farm contains

112 Acres,

and is of unsurpassed fertility. The

TWO OTHER PLACES

are in the same vicinage, and is in the virgin growth and heavily timbered; one contains **45 acres**, the other **40**.

These lands are probably the most productive ever offered for sale in this county and affords, to those who wish to purchase, a rare opportunity for a safe and profitable investment. Those who wish to examine the premises can do so by calling on the subscriber who will take pleasure in showing them the lands.

JOHN M. MATTHEWS.

aug 17 4 tt

☞ Chester Standard, and Wadesboro' News, will copy 6 times and forward bills to the subscriber at Providence, P. O., Mecklenburg Co., N. C.

Notice:

STRAYED or STOLEN from the subscriber in Charlotte, on the 11th instant, a likely IRON GREY MARE, about 7 years old, rather small size, short neck, has a speck in her right eye, and a small lump on her right hind leg, had on Saddle and Bridle. Any information of the said animal will be thankfully received and liberally rewarded.

JOHN SMITH,
ag 17 4-1m of Gaston County.

JUST RECEIVED,

HATS and CAPS on consignment, at Boone's Hat and Shoe Emporium.

Dec 29, 1854 22tf

W. S. LAWTON & CO.,

THOS. ALEXANDER, Formerly of York Dis. S.C. — WM. SEABROOK LAWTON, Formerly of Lawtonville, S.C.

SOUTH ATLANTIC WHARF,
CHARLESTON, S. C.

Factors, Forwarding and Commission MERCHANTS,

FOR THE SALE OF COTTON, FLOUR, CORN, WHEAT, RICE, NAVAL STORES, &C.

Our Senior partner has been in the Factorage and Commission Business about twenty years, and we hope by experience and attention to give satisfaction.

aug 17 4

C. & S. C. RAIL ROAD COMPANY.

SHIPPERS of Produce or other Freight will forward their receipts to the consignee. All Freight will be retained in the Depot until the receipt is presented, and storage will be charged after 48 hours, from time of unloading.

P. W. KNAPP, Agent.

Columbia, Aug. 6, 1855. 3-2m

MONEY WANTED.

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of Miller & Phelan was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Therefore it becomes necessary to have all our accounts closed by Note or Cash without delay.

W. W. Phelan is authorized to close the accounts of the firm.

We hope our customers will come forward and give their notes or pay the Cash.

MILLER & PHELAN.

July 27th 1855. 3 3w

CHARLOTTE HOTEL.

THIS Hotel situated in the centre of the town of Charlotte, convenient to all the places of business—is still kept open for public accomodation.—The proprietor has been engaged in keeping a public house at this stand for fourteen years. He now offers to the use of the public a new edition of his former house greatly enlarged and improved, presenting in front a two story **Verandah** 150 feet in length by 12 feet in width, handsomely shaded by trees in the side walk, affording a pleasant promenade at all hours of the day.

The house is thoroughly furnished throughout, and in every part of it creature comforts are abundant and tangible, especially in the **Dining Room**, where the inner man is renewed day by day.

Connected with this Hotel are stables affording room for 100 horses, abundantly furnished with grain and provender, attended by faithful and obliging hostlers

The proprietor feels confident that with his long experience and many new advantages added to his own native disposition to be pleasing and agreeable, he is prepared to offer to his friends and the rest of mankind, as many comforts and as much good cheer as will be found anywhere, perhaps a little more so.

☞ Try the Charlotte Hotel.

J. B. KERR,

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 10, 1855. 3-3m

Columbia Carolinian, Wilmington Journal, Asheville News and Yorkville Citizen, please insert 3 months and forward accounts to this office. law3m.

PRIVATE BOARDING SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

LINCOLNTON, No. Ca.

Mrs. WM. J. ALEXANDER, Principal.

THE Course of Studies will comprise the usual branches of a thorough English education, together with the French language, Music and Drawing. Mrs. ALEXANDER is now prepared to receive Boarders into her family.

Terms Per Session of 5 Months:

Senior Department,	$15 00
Junior "	12 00
Music on Piano,	20 00
" on Guitar,	10 00
Fine Needle Work,	5 00
French,	12 00
Board, including washing, fuel and light, per month,	9 00

Use of the Piano for practice, one dollar per month.

☞ 2nd Session commences on the 1st Monday in October.

Aug. 10, 1855. 3-tf

Administrators Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Peter Rhyne, dec'd, will please to make settlement immediately, as that is the only remedy to save cost.

HENRY SETZER,
CALEB RHODES,
Administrators with the will annexed.

Dallas, N. C., july 27, 1855. 1-3w

CARRIAGE SHOP.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he is still carrying on the **Carriage Making Business** in all its various branches with all the increased facilities afforded by modern improvements. He has now on hand a large number of BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, ROCKAWAYS, &c., made on the most approved styles out of the best material, to which he asks the inspection of purchasers. His establishment is on College and Depot streets, where he will be glad to see his friends.

JOHN HARTY.

july 28, 1855. 1-tf

WANTED.

A GOOD MILK COW, for which a fair price will be paid. Enquire at this Office.

june 29 49

Selling off at Cost!

I HAVE bought the entire Stock of GOODS of Allison & Daniel and will sell the same at first cost for CASH.

The stock is large and well selected, embracing a fine assortment of

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress Goods, Window Curtains, Carpetings, &c., &c.

C. E. SPRATT.

april 20, 1855. 39tf

A Notable Fact!

OUR unsettled accounts for year before last, and last year, we must have closed by Cash or good Notes *"right straight along" without respect to persons.* Our creditors make us "FAT IN THE ASSES," on all occasions, and we *"cavil"* doubly by ourselves ANY LONGER.—"Talk enough."

PRITCHARD & CALDWELL,

march 9, 1855. 33 tf No 3 Granite Row.

LOOK HERE!

WE, the undersigned, have on closed the large and extensive Stock of **Groceries** belonging to the firm of Elms & Spratt, at which place we will be found at all times, ready and willing to wait on all those who may favor us with their patronage. By keeping on hand a full supply of

Family Groceries,

we will be prepared to fill all orders punctually, that may be intrusted to our care. Our motto is "quick sales and small profits" for cash or barter.

The highest cash prices will be paid for produce.

ELMS & OVIES.

may 27, 1855. 45tf

Save your Costs!

THE Notes and Accounts of the late firm of A. Brevard & Co. has been placed in the hands of S. W. Davis, Esq. for collection and settlement. Those indebted either by Note or Account, are requested to make an immediate arrangement, as further indulgence cannot and will not be granted.

ALEXANDER & JOHNSTON.

April 7, 1855. 38tf

Removal.

R. W. BECKWITH has removed his Jewelry Store to No. 2, Johnston's Row, three doors South of Kerr's Hotel.

Feb 16, 1855. 30-1y

GREAT ATTRACTION.

THE SUBSCRIBERS respectfully announce to their customers and the public in general, that they have removed their **Stock of Goods** from their old stand to the just erected new brick Store immediately opposite Messrs. Parks & Hutchison, and a few doors south of Mr. Kerr's Hotel, where they will keep, as heretofore, a general assortment of

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

CLOTHING HARDWARE, GROCERIES, HATS BOOTS, SHOES, &c., &c., all of which they will sell at their well-known low prices! From this day we offer our whole stock of

SUMMER DRY GOODS AND READY-MADE CLOTHING AT AND BELOW NEW YORK COST,

with the intention of making room for a very heavy Stock of **Fall Goods.** We therefore invite every one wishing to take the chance of obtaining Great Bargains, to our present Stock, which mostly has been bought this spring at the Northern Markets, at the lowest rates.

WE WILL OFFER

CALICOES at from 4 5, and very good at 6¼ cents and upwards,
GINGHAMS at 12½ and 15 cents " "
FANCY MUSLINS at 6¼ and 8 cents " "
Choice Styles " at 10, 12½ and 16 2 3 cents " "
BAREGES and SILK TISSUES at corresponding low prices,
Rich, Plain and Fancy Dress SILKS at 50 and 75 cents.

Our stock of White Goods is very heavy. Plain and dotted Swiss Muslins and Jaconets from 12½ cents upwards. Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs from 8 cents upwards. Irish Linen from 25 cents upwards. Our stock of Hosiery and Gloves, as well as Shirtings and Sheetings, and every other article in that line is very large, and they will be sold accordingly. We intend to offer for Gentlemen also, greatly reduced prices in the Ready-Made Clothing line, and guarantee every one who purchases of us to save money. Our Stock is extensive and must be reduced before Fall.

☞ Merchants in the country will find great inducements offered.

DRUCKER & SOMMERS.

Charlotte, July 17, 1855. 52-tf

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES OF SUMMER GOODS.

AT COST FOR THE BALANCE OF THE SEASON!

ELIAS & COHEN wish to close out the balance of their **SUMMER STOCK**, will as they have heretofore done at this late season of the year, offer their splendid Stock of

LADIES DRESS GOODS,

comprising in part, SILK TISSUES, BAREGES, BAREGE ROBES, White and Colored LAWNS, MUSLINS, &c., at COST FOR CASH. They will also include a large assortment of

SILK & STRAW BONNETS, BLOOMERS,

and a full assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S READY-MADE CLOTHING, HATS & STRAW GOODS,

which will positively be sold at Cost and no mistake.

☞ We do not promise to sell the whole of our Stock at Cost, although we will sell everything at our usual low Prices. What we promise we will perform. Call and see.

ELIAS & COHEN, *No. 2, Granite Row.*

Charlotte, July 17, 1855 52-tf

☞ Just receiving a large Lot of Groceries of all kinds, which will be sold cheap.

PRITCHARD AND CALDWELL

HAVE Just Received and are now opening, at the **Granite Drug Store,** one of the Largest and best selected Stocks of

DRUGS, MEDICINES & CHEMICALS,

DYE-WOOD & DYE-STUFFS,

OILS, PAINTS AND PAINTERS' ARTICLES, VARNISHES,

WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY, GLASS-WARE,

FRENCH, ENGLISH & AMERICAN PERFUMERY, FINE TOILET & SHAVING SOAPS.

Fine Hair, Tooth, and Paint Brushes,

SURGICAL & DENTAL INSTRUMENTS,

TRUSSES AND SUPPORTERS OF ALL KINDS,

SPICES, SNUFFS, AND MANUFACTURED TOBACCO,

All the Patent or Proprietary Medicines of the Day,

Superior Inks,—Pure Wines and Brandies for Medicinal Purposes,

EXTRACTS FOR FLAVORING, ACHIULATED DROPS, very refreshing and delicious,

STABLER'S, AND JACOBS'S DIARRHEA CORDIAL,

GILMAN'S HAIR DYE (instantaneous in its effect.) PHALON'S MAGIC HAIR DYE,

CHOICE POCKET AND FANCY ARTICLES, &c., &c., &c.

☞ We make our purchases for Cash, and offer goods equally as low as they can be obtained from any similar establishment in this section.

WARRANTED TO BE FRESH, PURE AND GENUINE.

ORDERS from the Country promptly filled, and satisfaction guaranteed, with regard both to price and quality.

PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS

Will receive particular attention at all hours of the day and night.

July 13, 1855. 51 tf

FLORIDA LAND AGENCY.

THE undersigned has established an agency in the town of Alligator, Columbia County, Fla., for the purchase, sale or location of Land Warrants, the purchase and sale of lands generally, improved and unimproved. The fact now being established that a Rail Road is to be constructed immediately, connecting the Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico, running through the entire length of the county, East and West, and in view of the great fertility of our soil, the unusually fine growth of pine timber on the land, the healthfulness of the climate, and the reasonable terms on which lands can now be obtained, there is perhaps no section of the Union which affords equal inducements to the emigrant from the older States. Having had some experience in farming on the different kinds of land, and acquired a general knowledge of them throughout the county and having acquired unusual acilities for pointing out such as are for sale either of public or private lands, he feels very confident of making it the interest of all persons wishing information, or who may have determined to settle in Florida to call on him.

W. O. JEFFREYS.

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REV. G. McNEILL, Dr. MALLETT — Fayetteville, N. C.
MESSRS. W. M. LAWTON & Co., Charleston, S. C.

Alligator, Fla., June 23, 1855. 49-1y

LAND FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale the Plantation on which he resides, situated on Little Sugar Creek, 8 miles South of Charlotte, in the Providence region, and 1 mile East of the C. & S. C. Rail Road. This tract contains about **850 Acres,** of this amount, about 200 acres are in cultivation. The largest half of the cultivated land is fresh, having been cleared in the last few years. On the place there is a very comfortable dwelling house and all necessary out buildings, including an excellent Gin House and Screw, just built.—Also, a Spring and well of good water. The above land is situated in a healthy neighborhood—surrounded by an industrious, intelligent and moral community.—The subscriber will take pleasure in showing the land to any person desirous of purchasing.

J. M. DORY.

july 18, 1855. 1 tf

Whig copy.

Notice

MY Notes and Accounts having been placed in the hands of S. W. Davis, Esq., for collection, those who are indebted to me individually, or as one of the old firm of Steele & Harty, are respectfully requested to make settlement by April Court, if not sooner.

A. G. STEELE.

Feb 2, 1855. 28 tf

FOUND A RELIABLE MEDICINE.

THE CELEBRATED

COLLETON BITTERS,

A Purely Vegetable Preparation,

AND A SOVERIGN REMEDY FOR

DYSPEPSIA.

THESE BITTERS are purely a Vegetable compound, and are offered to the public under the fullest conviction that they will be found a safe and sovereign Remedy for Dyspepsia.

They have been thoroughly tested not only by numerous families and physicians in the South, who have furnished ample testimony as to their decided excellence, but also by the Proprietor, who for ten years, suffered all the gloom incident to that stubborn and distressing disease.

EXTRACT

I do hereby certify that I have known and used your celebrated compound COLLETON BITTERS in my family for more than fifteen years, and I do verily believe it to be one of the most valuable Family and Plantation Medicines in use, having witnessed their beneficial effects in so many instances that with truth it may be affirmed they well deserve the high encomiums which they have received from the afflicted who have partaken of their invigorating and health restoring properties.

Signed, CHARLES G. CAPERS,
Planter, St. Helena, S. C.

The undersigned, sole agents for the above Medicines, take pleasure in stating that they are intimately acquainted with the manufacture of the "Colleton Bitters," hence they do not hesitate to commend the article, as possessing rare virtues, and well calculated to afford relief in

DYSPEPSIA AND ITS KINDRED DISEASES.

Retail price, 50 cents a Bottle!

For which sum an incalculable amount of suffering may be arrested. The trade will be supplied on liberal terms. BAVILAND, HARRAL & CO.,
Druggists, Charleston, S. C.

☞ This Medicine can be obtained of Scarr & Co., Charlotte, Reid & Greir, Fullwood, and other respectable Druggists and Merchants throughout the State.

Feb 16, 1855. 30-1y

PIANO FORTES.

MR. RAMSEY, of Columbia, So. Ca., **Piano Forte and Music Dealer,** is constantly receiving a good supply of Pianos with the LATEST IMPROVEMENTS, which has given them the premium over all others. 6 and 6½ octaves from $250 to $300. 6½ to 7 $300 to $400. 7 to 7½ $400 to $450. Carved work and Grand Pianos from $500 to $1000.

Mr. R. being a practical Piano Maker can insure to his customers a perfect instrument.

Columbia, june 29, 1855. 49-1y

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NEW GRAND DUCHY OF BADEN LOTTERY LOAN.

Capital 14,000,000, Fls.

THIS LOAN is guaranteed by the Government, and will be drawn in different prizes, as follows:

11 of 50,000 Fls. | 15 of 40,000 Fls.
12 of 35,000 Fls. 23 of 15,000 Fls. 2 of 12,000 Fls.
55 of 10,000 Fls. 40 of 5 000 Fls. 2 of 4,900 Fls.
58 of 4,000 Fls. 356 of 2,000 Fls. 1011 of 1,000 Fls.
&c. &c. &c.

The Lowest prize being 12 Florens.
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The next Drawing takes place at Carlsruhe, under the Direction of the Baden Government, on the 31st August, 1855, when every drawn number must obtain one of the above mentioned Prizes, which will be paid in cash, at the office of the undersigned. Those fortunate Shareholders not residing on the spot, will have their amount of Prizes gained paid to them through an established Bank. The Lists of the result will be sent to each Shareholder, and the successful numbers published in the Newspapers.

The Price of Tickets is Two Dollars.

The following advantages are given by taking a number of Tickets, viz:

11 Tickets cost only $20 55 Tickets cost only $80,
23 Tickets cost only 40 100 Tickets cost only 150

The Price for Tickets can be sent in Bank Notes or Drafts, payable in any of the commercial towns of Germany, Holland, France, England, Scotland, or Ireland.

For Tickets and Prospectuses apply to the undersigned Banking house, which is appointed for the sale of Tickets.

MORIZ STIEBLE SONS, Bankers,
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N. B.—Letters to be directed "per Steamer, via Liverpool," to MORIZ STIEBLE SONS, Bankers, in Frankfort on the Maine.

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July 27th 1855. 1-5w.

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THE undersigned propose to commence about the first of June next, in the City of Washington, the publication of a weekly newspaper, to be called the Spectator, designed for general circulation among the people of the United States. Its columns will contain a full digest of the news of the day, foreign and domestic; a weekly review of finance and the markets; a synopsis of the proceedings of Congress during its session; tables of election returns, the important political action of State legislatures, and of party conventions; interesting miscellaneous and select literary articles; articles on agriculture; together with original articles upon the leading topics of the day. Much valuable information relative to the operations of the Executive Departments of the Government, together with the weekly list of new patents, will be found in its columns. A large portion of its space will be devoted to light literature, original and selected. Its location as the political centre of the Union, will afford opportunities always to procure the latest information on public affairs.

It is the intention of the undersigned to make the Spectator an acceptable visitor to every house in the Union, and it will therefore not assume on any occasion the position of a partizan paper, nor will it owe any allegiance to men; but entertaining fixed and decided views on questions of political economy, and upon our system of government, it will disseminate and promulgate them as occasion may require—always keeping carefully in view the interests of the country, growing out of foreign as well as domestic affairs.

The Spectator will be printed in quarto form, on good paper and new type; each number containing eight pages of matter, making one volume annually of 416 pages. Each volume will be accompanied by a full and complete index of its contents, thus making it a most valuable paper for preservation and reference. It will be published every Saturday morning, at $2 per annum, payable always in advance. No paper will be continued beyond the time for which it is paid.

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that is to be had, together with every article that is requisite to refresh and regale the inner man. Their

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