BOUNTY LAND BILL.

S. W. DAVIS,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

ALL collections or other business attended to with promptness; particularly such as relate to the prosecution or Pension Claims, Land Warrants, and donations or Bounty Land against the General Government, under the late Bounty Land Law of March 3d, 1855, giving 160 Acres of Land to all Officers, Land and Naval Commissioned or non-Commissioned, all Soldiers, Seamen, Marks, or other persons, who have served in any of the Wars in which the United States have been engaged since 1790; and also to all Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, their widows and minor children.

Persons having such claims, by presenting them immediately, may secure an early issue of their certificates. Office, 5 doors south of Sadler's Hotel. 1-56

Respectfully Yours!

THE unsettled business of Pritchard & Caldwell, for 1854, has been placed in the hands of S. W. Davis for collection and settlement. Those indebted for that year will be doing us a great favor by closing their Accounts immediately, as we have invariably cash to pay, and "Money now, as all must know, is a hard thing to borrow."

PRITCHARD & CALDWELL.
April 7, 1855. 3 w

WHEAT MARKET,
Springs' Mills.

I wish to purchase three or four hundred thousand bushels of good merchantable wheat, for which I will pay the highest cash price.

Charlotte from its facilities of transportation is one of the best inland markets in the Southern States. I have erected large Merchant Mills contiguous to the Railroad capable of grinding three hundred barrels of flour per day, and to keep them running I must have wheat. So bring it along, if you want the highest figure for it.

I am prepared to grind for toll. If you want flour whose brand will be sufficient to sell it in any market in the world, here is the place to have it manufactured.—These Mills have already made a reputation not inferior to any in the country.

LEROY SPRINGS.
June 15, 1855. 47-tf

Whig, Charlotte; Banner, Salisbury; Enquirer, Yorkville; Standard, Chester, Intelligencer, Shelby; News, Asheville; will insert 3 months and forward bills to the subscriber at Charlotte.

Notice.

HAVING bought out the entire interest of Wm. E. Moss in the firm of DAVIDSON & MOSS, I will continue the business at the old stand, and am determined to offer great inducements to all who will favor me with a call, and especially to those who buy for **Cash.** The Notes and Accounts of the late firm are in my hands, and will be settled by me alone.

B. H. DAVIDSON.
April 20, 1855. 39tf

Watches! Watches! Watches!

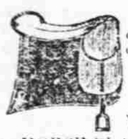
THE subscribers are now receiving a large stock of WATCHES from the most celebrated makers; also a rich stock of

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.

S. M. HOWELL,
Saddle and Harness Manufacturer,
Three doors south of Sadler's Hotel,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.



I WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Charlotte and the surrounding country, that I have now on hand AN EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF

Saddles, Bridles, Harness, Saddlery Hardware,
WHIPS, BUFFALO ROBES
HORSE BLANKETS, SADDLE CLOTHS,
SKIRTINGS, HOG SKINS,
Patent, Enamelled & Harness Leather,
together with every thing usually kept in my line of business.

☞ **Saddle & Harness Makers** furnished with every thing necessary for carrying on the business, on the most reasonable terms.

☞ All kinds of Saddles and Harness made at the shortest notice.

☞ Repairing promptly executed.

Oct. 20, 1851. S. M. HOWELL.

MECKLENBURG HOUSE,
BY S. H. REA.

HAVING purchased the building on the corner, a few doors north-east of Kerr's Hotel, and repaired and fitted it up in first-rate style, I would respectfully inform the travelling public that it is now open for the reception of regular and transient boarders. Drovers will find ample accommodations at my house.

Jan. 12, 1855. 25-1y S. H. REA

NEW BOOKS FOR SALE
AT
LOWRIE AND ENNISS'S BOOK STORE.

THE Slave of the Lamp, a Posthumous Novel, by William North. Ingenue, or the first days of the Blood, by Alexander Dumas. Translated from the original manuscript.

Fashion and Fancies, by Mrs. Stephens.

The Maroon, a legend of the Carribees, and other tales by W. Gilmore Simms.

The Castle Builders, by the author of "Heartsease," "The Heir of Radclyffe," "Scenes and Chances," etc.

The Old Inn, or the Travellers' Entertainment, by Josiah Barnes, Sen.

The above are all the very latest and most popular novels of the day.

We constantly keep on hand a large and well selected stock of stationary of every kind, and are constantly receiving all the new books that are being published, and books that we have not got, we can get on the shortest notice.

June 22, 1855. 48-tf

Dissolution.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of WARING & HERRON, in the publication of the "Western Democrat," has expired this day by its own limitation. The accounts due the firm must be closed as soon as possible. Either is authorized to settle.

R. P. WARING,
RUFUS M. HERRON.

June 8, 1855.

NOTICE.

HAVING made out all the accounts due the "DEMOCRAT" Office for Advertising and Subscriptions, all persons indebted to us are requested to pay up without delay. The business of the late firm must be closed at July Court, or those indebted must take the consequences.

WARING & HERRON.
June 29 49

MRS. WHELAN,
Dress Maker,
2 DOORS NORTH OF KERR'S HOTEL.

ALL Dresses cut and made by the celebrated A. B. C. method, and warranted to fit.

Bonnets trimmed in the latest style at the shortest notice. April 20, 1855. 39tf.

A. R. PHILLIPS,
BROKER, AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

For the purchase and sale of REAL ESTATE, STOCKS, BONDS, NEGROES, all kinds of Merchandise and Country Produce.

☞ Office in rear of the Commercial Bank, Columbia, South Carolina.

June 15, 1855. 47-2m

R. P. WARING,
Attorney at Law,
Office in Lmergan's Brick Building, 2nd floor.
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

J. B. F. BOONE,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
BOOTS & SHOES,
SOLE LEATHER, CALF SKINS,
LINING AND BINDING SKINS,
SHOE TOOLS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION
Charlotte, N. C.
Oct. 20, 1854. 1

ELMS & JOHNSON.
Forwarding and Commission Merchants.
NO. 10 VENDUE RANGE,
CHARLESTON, S. C.
W. W. ELMS. C. JOHNSON.
June 23, '54. 4-6t.

CAROLINA INN,
BY JENNINGS B. KERR.
Charlotte, N. C.
January 28, 1853. 28tf

A. BETHUNE,
TAILOR,
No. 5, Springs' Row,
4 DOORS EAST OF THE CHARLOTTE HOTEL,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.
Feb. 16, 1855 30tf

Dr. R. M. Norment

RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the citizens of Charlotte and surrounding country. He hopes by devoting his entire attention to the duties of his profession to merit patronage. He may be found at all hours, at his office opposite the American Hotel, when not professionally engaged.

march 2, 1855. 32tf

Congress Gaiters for Ladies,

JUST Received at
Boone's Boot & Shoe Emporium.
May 25, 1854.

CHARLOTTE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THIS COMPANY is now organized according to the act of Incorporation, and are prepared to receive applications and issue policies against Loss by fire on all kinds of property and merchandize.

OFFICERS:

R. C. CARSON, President,
JOHN IRWIN, V. President,
WM. JOHNSON, Attorney,
J. F. IRWIN, Sec. & Treas.
M. L. WRIGHT, Agent.

DIRECTORS—R. C. Carson, John Irwin, J. A. Young, Joseph H. White, James H. Carson, Dr. M. B. Taylor, W. W. Elms, Wm. J. Linson, Leroy Springs, J. W. Osborne, Chas. Overman, and R. H. Brawley.

☞ Direct all communications to the Secretary.

JOHN F. IRWIN, Sec'y.
June 15, 1855. 47-tf

JUST RECEIVED,

HATS and CAPS on consignment, at Boone's Boot and Shoe Emporium.
Dec 29, 1854 23tf

MARBLE YARD
IN CHESTER, S. C.

THE subscribers inform the public generally, that they have opened a MARBLE YARD in Chester, S. C., near the Depot, where they are prepared, with competent workmen from the North, to execute all orders in their line of business, such as

Plain and Ornamental
Marble Work,
consisting of
MONUMENTS, TOMBS,
TABLETS, HEADSTONES, &C.

They will keep constantly on hand the best description of Italian and American Marble, and their articles will be afforded on as accommodating terms as they can be obtained either North or South.

☞ All orders, for any article, addressed to the subscribers, will be picked and forwarded with the utmost care and despatch.

SAMUEL McKINCH,
C. NEEF.
Chester, S. C., May 25, 1855. 44tf

New Confectionary and Bakery.

J. & E. LONERGAN

TAKE pleasure in announcing to their friends and the public that they have just opened in the House on Main street, 2 doors east of the American Hotel, a Bakery and Confectionary Establishment.

Having secured the services of an experienced Baker and thorough workman, they are prepared to furnish **Bread, Cakes** and every thing in their line of the most superior description. They have just opened

An Extensive Variety of
WEST INDIA FRUITS,
AND ALL KINDS OF CANDIES, TOYS,
FANCY ARTICLES of every description,

And indeed every thing usually found in their line.

If a desire to please, and reasonable terms, will insure patronage they are determined to have it.

J. & E. LONERGAN.
January 25, 1855. 27-tf

N. B.—I have sold my interest in the Grocery to J. Lonergan. All persons indebted to the firm are earnestly requested to settle, as longer indulgence cannot be given.

E. LONERGAN.
Jan. 26, 1855

Wilmington, Charlotte & Rutherfordton
RAIL-ROAD.

BOOKS for subscription to the capital stock of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherfordton Railroad Company, are now open at the stores of Messrs. Irwin, Huggins & Co., and Williams, Dixon & Co., in the town of Charlotte. All persons are invited to come forward and aidin this good work.

WM. JOHNSTON,
JNO. A. YOUNG,
JOHN IRWIN,
LEROY SPRINGS,
JOHN WALKER,
WM. MAXWELL,
W. M. MATTHEWS,
A. C. WILLIAMSON,
W. W. ELMS,
C. J. FOX,
W. R. MYERS,
Commissioners.

April 10, 1855. 38-y

A GREAT DISCOVERY.

THE PEOPLE generally have conceded the fact that W. W. Waddell & Co's Lightning Rods is the only safe protector from that dangerous element that now exist. The premium was awarded to them both in London and New York, at the Worlds Fair, the points are constructed so as to attract from a distance, and composed of a compound of Copper and Silver, with platina points, which is warranted not to corrode. We the undersigned are prepared to furnish (all persons who may wish the protection of their lives and property) with the above Rods, and put them up all complete, at the shortest possible notice.

J. E. L. PHELAN & CO.
June 22, 1855. 49-tf

Received this Day,

GENTS' CARPET SLIPPERS, figured.
Ladies' " " with rosets.
" Colored Figured Velvet SLIPPERS,
" White Kid and Satin "
Children's Light Colored BOOTS, at
BOONE'S Boot & Shoe Emporium.
June 2, 1855. 4 tf

BLANK DEEDS FOR SALE HERE.

LOOK AT THIS SIMPLE WORD
CLOTHING!

AND yet, simple as it is, you hear a great cry made over CLOTHING! You take up the papers and almost the first word you see is

CLOTHING!!

You stroll over the city and you will see SMALL samples of

CLOTHING!!!

A little here, a little there,
And no assortment anywhere;

Until you get to **FULLINGS & CO.'S,** where every one runs to get

GOOD CLOTHES!

And why do they run there? Simply because they can get **CLOTHING Better Made, MORE FASHIONABLE,** AND AT **LESS PRICES** than at any House in North Carolina. We make a business of it—manufacture our own Goods, and every article sold by us is WARRANTED, or money returned.

"Competition is the Life of Trade,"

And we are bound to keep the

Largest and Most Fashionable
STOCK OF CLOTHING
IN THE STATE.

We have a full stock of

Childrens', Youths', and Boys' Clothing,
at low prices. Also,

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.
TRUNKS, VALICES, CARPET BAGS.
UMBRELLAS, CANES,
Porte-Monnies, Pen and Pocket Knives;
HAIR, TOOTH, AND NAIL BRUSHES,
&c. &c., &c.,

all of which will be freely shown and prices given,

At the Emporium of Fashion,
BY FULLINGS & CO.
Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 23, 1854. 18tf

CLARENDON IRON WORKS,
Wilmington, N. C.

THE CLARENDON IRON WORKS are now prepared to receive orders for Beam, Vertical, Horizontal or Oscillating Steam Engines, High or Low Pressure, and adapted to all purposes: Circular, Vertical and Portable Saw Mills complete; Pumps, Mining Machinery, Grist and Flour Mills, complete; Parker, Turbine and other Water Wheels, Equipping of Steamers, Car Wheels and Axles; Horse powers of various patterns; Rice Field Pumps and Engines; Rice Threshers; Shingle Machines, Shafting, Pullies, Hangers, Gears, and all other Mill Work.

CASTINGS.

Iron and Brass Castings of all descriptions, including Ornamental Iron Railing, Pipe, Bridge Castings, &c., &c. The Company would respectfully invite attention to their styles and patterns of Railing, which may be seen at their office.

Boilers.

Tubular, Flue and Cylindrical Boilers, Water Tanks, Chimneys, and all other kinds of Boiler Work.

Repairs.

A separate department and force will be kept for repairs, where work will be done thoroughly and with despatch.

Having large facilities, the above work will be done on as reasonable terms as elsewhere, North or South, and in a prompt and satisfactory manner.

Consultation by letter or otherwise, in regard to plans and designs for mills or their furniture, and for machinery generally, willingly answered. All orders or communications to be addressed to the undersigned.

HENRY M. DRANE *Agent.*
March 23. 35-tf

Fresh Spices.

PEPPER—whole and ground.
ALLSPICE—whole and ground.
CINNAMON, " " "
CLOVES, " " "
GINGER—Race and Jamaica, whole and ground.
NUTMEGS; Mace; Mustard in ½, ¼ and 1lb. Tins,
Just received by SCARR & CO.,
Mh 30 Druggists.

Fresh Supply Just Received,

ALCOHOL,
Burning Fluid,
Camphene, No. 1,
Turpentine,
Linseed Oil, (N. C.)
For Sale at
SCARR & CO'S.,
Feb 9 29 Charlotte Drug Store.

SADDLES & HARNESS.

THE subscribers have entered into copartnership and opened a new

Saddle and Harness
MANUFACTORY,
AT R. SHAW'S OLD STAND,
In Springs' Brick Corner Building,

where they have constantly on hand a large and splendid assortment of

SADDLES, HARNESS, BRIDLES, &c.,

of every description, according to the most approved style and fashion of the day. They are also prepared to manufacture anything in their line in the most substantial and workmanlike manner and better than the best.

We respectfully invite the public to call and examine for themselves.

Repairing done at short notice and with neatness and dispatch.

SHAW & PALMER.
march 2, 1855. 32tf

Notice to Debtors.

THE subscriber having entered into partnership with Mr. Palmer, is desirous of closing up his old business. He therefore most earnestly requests his former friends and customers, who are in arrears at his shop, to call between this time and our April court, and settle their accounts either by note or cash, the latter if possible.

R. SHAW
march 2, 1855. 32tf

Leather, Leather, Leather.

200 SIDES Hemlock Sole Leather.
50 " Baltimore White Oak,
Band and Sole Leather, just received at
BOONE'S BOOT and SHOE EMPORIUM.
Dec 29, 1854 23tf

FASHIONABLE TAILORING.

THE subscriber announces to the public generally, that he is now receiving a large assortment of new

Cloths, Casimeres
AND
VESTINGS,

for Gentlemen's wear, and will be sold for *Cash* at a small profit, or made to order according to the latest styles. Shop next door to Daniels & Allison.

Sept. 29, 1854. 10tf D. L. REA.

THE AMERICAN HOTEL,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

I BEG to announce to my friends, the public, and present patrons of the above Hotel, that I have leased the same for a term of years from the 1st of January next. After which time, the entire property will be thoroughly repaired and renovated, and the house kept in first class style. This Hotel is near the Depot, and pleasantly situated, rendering it a desirable house for travellers and families.

Dec 16, 1853. 22t C. M. RAY.

ICED SODA WATER.
PRITCHARD & CALDWELL

HAVE opened for the season their new and improved Soda Water Apparatus, and the sparkling and refreshing beverage may be had at all hours at the

may 18 GRANITE DRUG STORE

WILKINSON'S
DAGUERREIAN GALLERY.

☞ Rooms, Third Story, Granite Range, immediately over Trotter & Son's Jewelry Store.

THE subscriber having permanently located in Charlotte, respectfully invites the attention of Ladies and Gentlemen to his superior

PICTURES,

and would respectfully say that he is now taking Daguerreotypes upon an improved plan, which will not only add to the

BEAUTY AND ELEGANCE

of the Picture, but will render it

DURABLE AND BRILLIANT FOR AGES.

He would also respectfully invite strangers visiting Charlotte to call and examine his specimens, as he is determined they shall compare favorably with any that can be taken North or South.

☞ Instructions, thorough and practical, given in this beautiful art, and all materials furnished.

NEAL WILKINSON.
January 26, 1855. 27-tf

$50 Reward.

RUNAWAY from the subscriber on the 3rd of February last, my negro man ISAAC. He is about 35 years of age, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, is of a dark copper color, tolerably high forehead, cheek Bones a little projecting, and I think his eye teeth a little defective. Said boy weighs about 165 lbs., quick spoken, tolerably intelligent. When he left he wore common apparel, such as common laborers usually wear. I will give Twenty Dollars reward for Isaac, delivered to me or confined in any jail so I get him again, or I will give Fifty Dollars reward for him with sufficient proof to convict any white person of harboring him. I bought said boy of Julius Alexander about eight years since. Mr. Alexander lived 12 or 14 miles south west of Charlotte and I think Isaac is strolling about through the country where I purchased him.

T. M. HAMILTON.
White's Store, Anson County, N. C.
March 9, 1855. 33-tf

SENNA FIGS.

A GREAT desideratum in Families and to persons suffering from habitual Constipation, being an agreeable and efficient Aperient, quite palatable, and free from those nauseous principles, which make it a matter of so much difficulty to administer medicine to children. For sale at

SCARR & CO'S. Drug Store.
Feb 16, 1855. 30-tf

BLACKSMITHING
Well done or no Pay required.

THE undersigned respectfully informs the public, that he has opened a BLACKSMITH SHOP on College street, opposite the Charlotte & S. C. Railroad Depot, where he is prepared to execute all kinds of Blacksmithing, Horse Shoeing, Repairing Boilers, making Mill Irons, &c.

All orders to J. R. Hand or Messrs. Irwin, Huggins & Co., or myself will be speedily attended to. Refer to Mr. C. Davis, on the North Carolina Railroad, and Wm. Glaze & Co., Palmetto Foundry, Columbia, S. C.

S. J. PERRY.
march 2, 1855 32-6m

Odd Fellows' Female Institute,
OF HOWARD LODGE, No. 35, I. O. O. F.,
Located at Shelby, N. C.

THE Trustees of Howard Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., will open a Female School in the town of Shelby, on the 1st Monday in June next, to be under the supervision and direction of the Trustees.

The most experienced and efficient Teachers have been employed, as the design is to render it one of the best in the up country.

They have now in course of construction a large and commodious building, which will be completed this year. The course of instruction usually taught in similar institutions.

RATES OF TUITION:

Orthography, Reading, and Writing, per Session of 5 months	$6.00
Geography, Grammar, Composition, &c.	10.00
Higher Branches, embracing Ancient Languages, Algebra, Geometry, Botany, Natural and Mental Philosophy, &c.	15.00
EXTRA STUDIES:	
Music, on Piano, Harp or Guitar, per session,	$20.00
Use of Instrument	2.00
Embroidery, Drawing, Painting, &c.	10.00
French	20.00

Board can be had in the best families on reasonable terms.

A. W. BURTON,
THOS. WILLIAMS, } Trustees.
D. FRONEBERGER,
Shelby, N. C., May 11, 1855. 43tf

MRS. M. SHAW'S
MILLINERY BAZAAR
AND
DRESS MAKING ROOMS.
(Four doors south of the American Hotel.)

MRS. SHAW respectfully announces to her numerous friends and patrons of the Town and surrounding Counties, that she has just returned from Charleston, and is now opening a superb assortment of

French Millinery,
consisting in part of a
Great Variety of Bonnets,
Rich and Elegant Ribbons,
Laces, Artificials, Trimmings, &c.,

to which she invites the attention of the Ladies.

She is prepared to put up Ladies' Dresses according to the fashion and in the latest style.

April 13 38-tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
STANLY COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions—May Term, 1855.

Jacob W. Little, Adm'r of James Little, deceased. } Petition for Settlement.
vs.
Sophiah Little, Olmstead Little, Lorenzo M. Little, Mary E. Long, James E. Love and wife Narcissa, James M. Hunnycutt and wife Clarinda, Isreal Little, James Little, John Alexander Little, Wm. A. Little and Martha Little.

It appears to the satisfaction of the Court that Lorenzo M. Little, one of the defendants in this case is not an inhabitant of this State. It is ordered, that publication be made in the Charlotte Democrat for six weeks, notifying the said Lorenzo M. Little to be and appear at the next Term of our said Court to be held for the county of Stanly, at the Court House in Albemarle, on the second Monday in August next, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the said Petition, or the same will be taken procohfesso as to him and heard *ex parte.*

Witness, Richard Harris, Clerk of our said Court at office in Albemarle, the second Monday in May, 1855, and of American Independence the 79th year.

Issued the 15th day of June, 1855.

June 22—48-6w (Pr's fee $5.) R. HARRIS, Clerk.

Ice Cream,
GINGER POP AND ICED LEMONADE
can be had every day at
Lonergan's Bakery and Confectionary.
2 doors north of the American Hotel.
may, 18 1855 42 tf

RHETT & ROBSON,
FACTORS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Nos. 1 and 2 Atlantic Wharf.
CHARLESTON, S. C.

☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments.

Reference:— H. B. Williams, President of the Bank of Charlotte.

July 27th 1855. 1 6m.

C. JOHNSON,
FORWARDING and COMMISSION MERCHANT,
SOUTH ATLANTIC WHARF,
CHARLESTON, So. Ca.

Wait for the Waggons!

WHAT FOR? say you. Well, we will tell you. It is because JENKINS & TAYLOR have opened a

Mammoth Stove Store,

One door west of W. W. Elms' Grocery, on Mint street where can be found the largest, cheapest and best stock of

STOVES,

ever offered in North Carolina, all of which will be sold at the lowest CASH Prices. In addition to our regular assortment, we have six different sizes of the celebrated

IRON-WITCH AIR-TIGHT
COOKING STOVE,

with which we *challenge the world* to produce a better. We have also all kinds of Stoves suitable for Churches, Stores, Parlors, Bed-rooms, &c., &c.

Now, we will tell you why we head our advertisement "*wait for the waggons.*" It is because we have three waggons constantly running through the country with Stoves and will deliver them within **50** miles of Charlotte. All Stoves sold by us will be put up free of charge and warranted to do well; and now, as we have told you about the Stoves we will say to you, that we have all kinds of

Brittania, Japan, Tin and Sheet Iron
WARE,
BRASS KETTLES, STOVE PIPES, &c.,
constantly on hand.

☞ All ORDERS sent to us will be promptly attended to by

JENKINS & TAYLOR.
Charlotte, March 10, '55. 33-tf

Railroad Hotel,
CHESTER, S. C.
By J. R. NICHOLSON.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that his house, known as the "Railroad Hotel," opposite the Chester Depot, is still open for the reception of regular and transient boarders and the travelling public; and that he is making every exertion to deserve and secure a continuance of the kind and liberal patronage which has hitherto been extended to him. He flatters himself that every needed arrangement has been made to promote the comfort of all who stop with him:—his rooms are airy and well-furnished, his servants are attentive and obedient, and his table constantly supplied with the best of the season, so that his friends will not want any attention necessary to make their sojourn pleasant and agreeable. His stables are furnished with good hostlers and an abundance of provender, and he is prepared at a moment's notice to supply his customers with private conveyances of every sort, to any part of the surrounding country.

He desires to return his acknowledgements to the public for past favors, and solicits for the future an equally liberal share of patronage.

Aug 20, 1854. 5tf JOHN R. NICHOLSON.

Splendid Variety of Ladies' Gaiter Boots

RECEIVED this day consisting of
Ladies' Black Silk Julian GAITERS,
" " " Heighland "
" Tan " Julian "
" " " Creole "
" Cal. Silk Tip "
Misses' Black and Cal. Silk GAITERS, at
BOONE'S SHOE STORE.
Ladies, call and see them.
March 2, 1855. 32tf

A GREAT VARIETY OF STOVES?
WHERE?
AT
MOORE & BYERLY'S,

WHO are disposed to sell on the most accommodating terms. Their supply consists of

COOKING, PARLOR AND OFFICE
STOVES

of different kinds. Call and examine their supply. They also have on hand an assortment of

Tin, Japan & Britania Ware,

which they would like to dispose of for cash or Country Produce.

They also inform the public generally that they are now prepared to execute all Job Work in their line.—All ORDERS, therefore, for

Roofing, Guttering or Stove Pipe,

will be punctually attended to and on the shortest notice.

MOORE & BYERLY.
july 3, 1855. 51-tf

SCARR & CO.,
CHEMISTS & DRUGGISTS,
(LATE FISHER & HEINITSH.)
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

RESPECTFULLY inform the inhabitants of Charlotte and vicinity, that they have just received a fresh supply of MEDICINES, which are offered with confidence to their approval, regard having been paid more to the purity and strength of the Drugs, than to the price.

A full stock of the various Proprietary Medicines constantly on hand.

Brandy; Port, Sherry, Madeira and Malaga Wines, selected for Medicinal purposes.

Paints, Varnishes, Fluid, Camphene, &c.

Landreth's Garden Seeds.

Feb 16, 1855. 30-tf

State of North Carolina,
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.
Superior Court of Law—Spring Term, 1855.

Rebecca A. Alexander, } Petition for Divorce.
vs.
W. F. Alexander.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that W. F. Alexander, the defendant in this case, resides beyond the limits of this State: It is therefore ordered by the Court, that advertisement be made in the Western Democrat, for three months, notifying the said defendant of the filing of this petition, and that unless he appears at the next Term of this Court, to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at the Courthouse in Charlotte, on the 7th Monday, after the 4th Monday in September next, and answer said petition, the said will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to him.

Witness, Jennings B. Kerr, Clerk of our said Court at office, the 7th Monday, after the 4th Monday in March, A. D., 1855.

J. B. KERR, C. M. S. C.
july 20, 1855. (Pr's fee $10.) 52-3m

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.
Superior Court of Law—Spring Term, 1855.

Nancy Miller, } Petition for Divorce.
vs.
John Miller.

IT appears to the satisfaction of the Court, that John Miller, the defendant in this case, resides beyond the limits of this State: It is therefore ordered by the Court, that advertisement be made in the Western Democrat, for three months, notifying the said defendant of the filing of this petition, and that unless he appears at the next Term of this Court, to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at the Court House in Charlotte, on the 7th Monday, after the 4th Monday in September next, and answer said petition, the said will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to him.

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NEW GOODS.

PARKS & HUTCHISON are now receiving the largest and most varied assortment of

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Dress Goods

ever purchased by them. They solicit an examination of their stock, bought ENTIRELY BY CASH. Their Goods will be SOLD LOW.

april 27, 1855. 40tf

Citrate of Magnesia.

A FRESH case of this celebrated refreshing Aperient, just opened by

SCARR & CO.
Feb 16, 1855. 30-tf

TO THE PATRONS OF
PERRY DAVIS'
VEGETABLE
PAIN KILLER.

Owing to the large amount of Counterfeit Pain Killer put up and sold as genuine by unprincipled men, we have been obliged to resort to very expensive measures to protect ourselves pecuniarily, and the public from great injury, by buying and using their worthless counterfeits. The comparative plain and simple style in which our Pain Killer has been put up, has made it very easy for those disposed, to imitate it very successfully, as far as its external appearance, in style of bottle, lable, and color of the article; but we need not say that the compound is a miserable, filthy production, and calculated to do great injury to those who might use it with the confidence that they have been accustomed to use the genuine Pain Killer. Parties whose business it is to counterfeit valuable preparations, do it in such a secret manner, that it is almost useless to attempt to punish them by legal measures, as it is difficult, and we might say impossible to bring the proof home to them.

Considering the great difficulty in protecting ourselves and the public by prosecuting parties, we have been to a very great expense in getting up a finely executed

STEEL ENGRAVED LABEL,

for our bottles. We also attach to our bottles a Steel Engraved Note of Hand, which we issue as our obligation, and to counterfeit which is held to be forgery by the laws of the United States, and which parties will not dare attempt to do. The great expense attending the getting up and printing of these labels will prevent the attempt to counterfeit, thus securing to the public that the article they purchase is the genuine Perry Davis' Pain Killer, manufactured by Perry Davis & Son, Sole Proprietors.

The Pain Killer will be put up in a new style of pint bottle, with the words,

Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer,

blown in the Glass. We have discontinued the use of the 37½ cent bottles and now put up only four sizes, viz: 12½ cents, 25 cents, 50 cents and $1 per bottle.

We have also a very fine Engraving on Stone for the Box labels, specifying the contents of the box, where and by whom manufactured, &c. We have also added to our Pamphlet of directions and certificates a cover beautifully finished, presenting on the first page a very excellent likeness of Perry Davis, the original inventor of the Pain Killer. The bottle labels, and one label on each box, has also a correct likeness of Perry Davis, which it will be impossible to counterfeit successfully.

We have been to this expense, that the public might have perfect confidence that they were getting the genuine article when they buy a bottle as above described. To those who have so long used and proved the merits of our article, we would say that we shall continue to prepare our Pain Killer of the best and purest materials, and that it shall be every way worthy of their approbation as a family medicine.

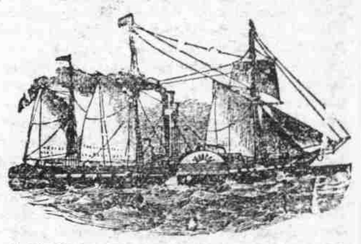
PERRY DAVIS & SON,
Manufacturers and Proprietors.
Providence, R. I., July 27th 1855.

The Pain Killer is sold by

PRITCHARD & CALDWELL, Charlotte, N. C.; also by Sill & Sill, Salisbury; Boatright & Barkuloo, Columbia; and by Druggists, Grocers and Medicine Dealers generally.

July 27th 1855. 1-1y.

TO SHIPPERS.



HUGH L. TINLEY & CO.,
(SUCCESSORS TO TINLEY & HERRON,)
RECEIVING AND FORWARDING AGENTS, AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 2 Exchange Street, South Atlantic Wharves,
Charleston, So. Ca.

GIVE their personal attention to the sale of Cotton as customary, or by special contract, all other kinds of Produce and Manufactures, and make prompt returns of the same, for 2½ per cent. commission.

We will CONTINUE, as heretofore, to give our special attention to the Receiving and Forwarding of all goods consigned to us, for 10 cents per package.

Machinery, large packages of Furniture, &c., charged in proportion to trouble and responsibility, for advancing freights and charges, 2½ per cent.

☞ Persons shipping Goods or Produce through this house, may rely upon their interest being POSITIVELY PROTECTED, both against overcharge and loss of goods.

We have in no instance nor will we detain any goods for freight and charges.

We would respectfully beg leave to refer to the following gentlemen, with whom we have had business transactions:

John Caldwell, President of the S. C. R. R., Columbia.

U. Passailaigue, Superintendant of Public Works, Columbia.

F. W. McMaster, Librarian of S. C. College, Columbia.

P. W. Fuller, Columbia.

John King, Jr., S. C. R. R. Agent, Charleston.

Henry Missroon, Agent of New York Steamers,

Holmes & Stoney, Agents of New York Sailing Packets.

H. F. Baker & Co., Agents of Baltimore and Philadelphia Sailing Packets.

J. W. Caldwell, Agent of Baltimore Steamers and Boston Sailing Packets.

july 13, 1855. 51-1y

ATTACHMENTS for sale at this office.

Piedmont Sulphur and Chalybeate
SPRINGS,
IN BURKE COUNTY, N. C.
Sixteen miles North of Morganton, will be open for the reception of Company, on the 15th of June, 1855.

THIS delightful Summer retreat cannot be surpassed by any of the fashionable Watering Places within the State of North Carolina. Here invalids, as well as those seeking pleasure, may find a Summer residence, calculated to restore the last energies of the Physical Constitution and gratify the most fastidious.

The proprietor has enlarged his spacious accommodations by considerable additions, and is prepared to receive a large company. He will spare no pains to contribute to the benefit and gratification of those who favor him with their company.

This fine watering place is surrounded by some of the greatest Natural curiosities in this Country. The Table Rock is only seven miles from the springs, Hollow Spring Cave is one mile, Ravin Rock Falls four miles, and Falls of Linville is nine miles.

And all in a great country for hunting and fishing. Deer and turkeys are plenty in the neighborhood of the springs.

By calling on Dr. Happoldt, proprietor of the "Mountain Hotel," in Morganton, every necessary information pertaining to the medical qualities of these waters can be obtained.

JAMES C. ESTES, Proprietor
June 8, 1855. 46-3m