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Attorney at Law,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.

GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT.
Office over the Drug Store, Irwin's corner.

January 1, 1861.

W. J. Kerr,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
CHARLOTTE, N. C.,
in the County and Superior Courts of Mecklenburg, Union and Cabarrus counties.
Office in the Beawley building opposite Kerr's Hotel, January 24, 1861.

ROBERT GIBBON, M. D.,
PRACTITIONER OF MEDICINE
AND
OPERATIVE SURGERY,
Office No. 2 Irwin's corner, CHARLOTTE, N. C.
January 1, 1861.

R. W. BECKWITH
Has constantly on hand
WATCHES, JEWELRY, PLATED WARE, &c.
Of the best English and American manufacturers.
Call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.
Watch crystals put in for 25 cents each.
January 1, 1861.

John T. Butler,
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Watch and Clock Maker, Jeweler, &c.,
OPPOSITE KERR'S HOTEL, Charlotte, N. C.
(Late with R. W. Beckwith.)

Fine Watches, Clocks & Jewelry, of every description, Repaired and Warranted for 12 months.
Oct. 16, 1860.

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DEALERS IN
Watches,
JEWELRY,
Silver & plated Ware
AND FANCY GOODS,
No. 5, Granite Range,
Opposite the Mansion House, CHARLOTTE, N. C.
Attention given to Repairing Watches and Jewelry.
September 18, 1860.

New Supply of
WATCHES, JEWELRY,
Solid Silver and Plated Ware.

The subscriber has lately purchased a very extensive supply of the above articles. His purchases being directly from the manufacturer, he is therefore able to sell at a very small advance on cost, and sons may rest assured that all his articles are warranted to be what he represents them to be.

Watches and Clocks carefully repaired and will give my personal attention.

R. W. BECKWITH.
Nov. 27, 1860.

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On and after the first day of October, THROUGH PRESS FREIGHT TRAINS will run Daily between Charlotte and Charleston, without transhipment, thus adding Freights to reach Charlotte in 5 days or less New York, and in one day from Charleston, and vice versa.

Also, THROUGH TICKETS will be sold from Charlotte to Charleston at \$8 50, and to New York, via Charleston Steamers, at \$12 50, and vice versa. The merchants and public are invited to try this cheap and expeditious route for freights and passengers.

A. H. MARTIN,
Oct. 2, 1860.

Gen'l Lt. and Ticket Agent.

SITUATION WANTED

As Conductor on some Railroad Train, or as Agent at some Depot, or as Mail Agent.

Testimonials of moral character, Southern principles and close attention to business, can be given.

Address L. A. HELMS,

Winchester, Union co., N. C.

Jan. 8, 1861.

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The Celebrated Female Pills.

These Pills do not cure all diseases, but they are warranted to cure Lucrare, or Whores—that dreadfully scourge female health, happiness and usefulness. They are not patented and are no humbug, but are a pure and safe remedy.

A North Carolina physician of high standing and of long experience in the treatment of female diseases, After much difficulty to convince you of their efficacy they are fair trials. For particulars, see wrappers. Price \$1 per box. For sale at the DRUG STORES.

Jan. 15, 1861.

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Superior Smut Machines,

at the Sign of the Golden Pad-Lock.

COCHRANE & SAMPLE.

February 19, 1861.

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FRUIT AND TREE STORE.

The subscriber has opened a fruit and fruit-tree store next door above the Rock Island Office, and will keep on hand a well selected stock of Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, Evergreens and Shrubbery; & Also, Fruits of various kinds—Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Pine Apples, &c., &c. E. W. LYLES.
Dec. 11, 1860.

Dissolution.

The firm of FULLINGS, SPRINGS & CO. was dissolved by limitation on the 1st January, 1861.

The business will be continued under the name and style of FULLINGS & SPRINGS, and they hope, by integrity and hard work, to do business, to merit the same success heretofore highly bestowed by their numerous friends and customers.

The present financial crisis and the uncertainty of business, for the future compel us to shorten our time of credit from twelve to six months to prompt paying customers—none others need ask it.

All persons indebted to the old firm of Fullings, Springs & Co., must come forward and make immediate settlement, as it is absolutely necessary that the business be speedily closed up. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

Jan 15, 1861.

North Carolina

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

This Company, the oldest and most reliable in the State, insures white persons for a term of years or during continuance of life, on moderate terms. Slaves insured for one or five years, for two-thirds of their insured value. For insurance apply to

THOS. W. DEWEY, Agt.,
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Jan 8, 1861. ly

£100 a large stock of fresh FIELD and GARDEN

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Jan 1, 1861.

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RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has added to his extensive stock of Stoves and Tin Ware, a large and complete

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Circular, mitre, crosscut, hand, ripsaw, paneling, ganging, tenon, back, compass, webbs, and hatching saws; Braces and bits, Draw Knives, Chisels, Angers, Gimlets, Hammers, Hatchets, and Axes; Bricklaying, and pointing Trowels; Saw-setters, Screw-plates, Stocks and dies, Planes of all kinds, Spoke-shaves, Steel-blade beveling-tongs; Spirit Levels, Pocket Levels, Spirit level Vials, Boring machines, Gougers, and in fact everything a mechanic wants, in great variety and at very low prices, at TAYLOR'S Hardware Store and Tin-ware Depot, opposite the Mansion House, Charlotte, N. C.

May 29, 1860.

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Blacksmith's Tools.

Such as Bellows, Anvils, Vices, hand and slide Hammers, Buttermills, Farriers' Knives, Screw-plates, Stocks and dies, Blacksmith's Pincers and Tong, Raspers and Files of every kind, Cut horseshoe and clinch Nails, Borax; Iron of all sizes, both of northern and country manufacture; cast, plow, blister and spring Steel; &c., for very cheap at

TAYLOR'S, opposite the Mansion House:

Ludlow's Celebrated Self-Sealing Cans, of all the different sizes, at TAYLOR'S Hardware Store, opposite Mansion House.

Agricultural Implements of all kinds.

Straw Cutters, Corn Shellers, Plows, Hoes, Shovels, Forks, Axes, Picks, Mattocks, Grabbing Hoes, Trace Chains, Wagon Chains, Log Chains, Pruning and Hedge Shears, Pruning and budding Knives, garden Hoes and Rakes, with handles; Grain Cradles; grain, grass and brier Scythes, Bush Hooks, Wage boxes; Hollow ware, such as posies, bowls and dishes, skillfully made; stew-pans and kettles, Cauldrons from 20 to 120 gallons each; Iron and brass Preserving Kettles, Sheep Shears, &c., at TAYLOR'S Hardware Depot, opposite the Mansion House.

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A large assortment; Block Tin, Zinc Tin, Tin Plate, Babbit metal, &c.

Stoves, the largest Stock, of all sizes, at

TAYLOR'S Hardware, Stove and Tin ware Depot, opposite Mansion House

Beef Cattle Wanted.

Highest Cash Prices paid for Beees and Sheep.

I am still engaged in Butchering, and desire to purchase Beef Cattle and Sheep, for which I will pay the highest market prices. Those having stock for sale will find it to their advantage to give me a call. Inquire at Dr. Taylor's Tan Yard.

Aug. 21, 1860. 26-1f

J. L. STOUT.

NOTICE.

Private Lessons on the Piano,

either in his residence, or at the residence of pupils.

Lessons, practice and preparation will be paid to

order for tuning and repairing instruments, at shortest notice and on very moderate terms.

SHEET MUSIC and MUSIC BOOKS will be procured at store prices.

Having been engaged in the Piano business for more than ten years, I offer my assistance most particularly to all those who may desire to purchase Pianos or to exchange old Pianos for new ones.

Best references given.

Orders left at the post office or at Messrs. Davidson's Hall will receive prompt attention.

CHAS. O. PAPE, Prof. of Music,

Jan 8, 1861. ly

Charlotte, N. C.

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