

A Georgia Negro's Experience

One William Smith, a Conservative negro residing somewhere in Middle Georgia, concluded, a short time ago, to travel North and tell the people the truth with regard to his race in the South. A part of his experience in Washington is given in a letter to the Macon Telegraph, from which we quote:

What the Minutes Say.

"We are but minutes, little things, Each one furnished with sixty wings. With which we fly on our unseen track, And not a minute ever comes back."

"We are but minutes; each one bears A little burden of joys and cares; Take patiently the minutes of pain, The worst of minutes cannot remain."

"We are but minutes; when we bring A few of the drops from pleasure's spring, Taste their sweetness while yet we may, It takes but a minute to fly away."

"We are but minutes; use us well, For how we are used we must one day tell. Who uses minutes has hours to use; Who loses minutes whole years must lose."

House and Lots for Sale.

A House and Eight Lots are offered for sale, situated near the C. & S. C. Railroad Depot. The House is a two-story framed building, in good repair. There is a good Well of Water and out-houses on the premises.

For information apply to Edward Madden, or to this Office.

Nov 9, 1868 Impd

GROCERIES.

Miller & Black

Have received a large Stock of Groceries, consisting in part of Cotton Ties, Bagging and Rope, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses and Salt, Iron, Nails, Leather, &c.

In short, everything and anything kept in a first-class Grocery Store.

Thankful for past patronage, we invite our friends and the public generally to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Oct 5, 1868 MILLER & BLACK.

NOTICE.

Parties due by NOTE or BOOK ACCOUNT would do well to settle the same before the first of January next. Accounts remaining unsettled then will be handed to an officer for collection.

STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO. Charlotte, N. C., Oct 26, 1868.

Wholesale Buyers

From all sections are invited to examine our immense Stock, as we are closing out business.

H. & B. EMANUEL, Next door to Mansion House.

Remember the CITY BOOK STORE,

Where is constantly being received BOOKS, STATIONERY, BLANK BOOKS, Memorandums, Diaries for 1869, Wall Paper, Tissue Paper, in fact everything that you may find in a first class Book Store.

Remember I am Agent for the Wilcox and Gibbs Sewing Machine, the most complete and best on exhibition. See Circular.

Farmers! I am Agent for the Maryland Farmer Magazine, printed in Baltimore. Hand in your subscription—only \$1.

Last but not least, remember my terms are Cash. S. R. JOHNSTON, Next door to McAden's new building.

Oct 19, 1868.

To Teachers I would say, to avoid confusion and delay, you can be furnished at shortest notice any and all Books by leaving your orders at the City Book Store.

Oct 26, 1868. S. RUFUS JOHNSTON.

Dress Goods.

Splendid assortment of Dress Goods at a great sacrifice. Calicoes from 7 cents.

H. & B. EMANUEL, Next door to Mansion House.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

Important Notice. H. M. PHELPS Has the honor to inform his friends and the public that on account of an enlargement in his business, he has found it necessary to remove from his old stand, opposite the Court House, and that he can now be found at the handsome and commodious STORE ROOM ON TRADE STREET.

Next to STENHOUSE, MACAULAY & CO., where he will be pleased to receive his old friends, ensuring them the same attention and treatment they have always received at his old quarters. His stock of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS now in store will compare favorably with any in this or any Southern City, and will be sold at

Considerably Reduced Figures In order to make room for his Fall stock. A full assortment of Dry Goods and Domestic Dress Goods and White Goods, Clothing, Cassimeres and Jeans.

A well assorted stock of MILLINERY in all its branches. Groceries, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Notions, Hardware, &c. &c.

Remember the place. H. M. PHELPS, next to Stenhouse, Macaulay & Co's.

At the stand formerly occupied by the Farmers & Mechanics' Association.

Wall Papering.

Just received 1,000 pieces of Wall Papering. Also 100 pieces Bordering Paper, 200 pair Window Curtains, 100 Fire Screens, &c., for sale at New York prices.

August 10, 1868. H. M. PHELPS.

1869—ALMANACS—1869.

10,000 Blum's Farmers and Planters Almanacs for 1869, just received at the New Book Store. For sale by the single copy, dozen, hundred or thousand. Country merchants will do well to give us a call before supplying themselves for next season.

Oct 13, 1868. TIDDY & BRO.

B. KOOPMANN

A NEW AND SPLENDID STOCK OF Fall and Winter Goods, Now in Store, consisting of STAPLE and FANCY Dry Goods,

Cloths, Cassimeres, Rock Island Goods, Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Notions, &c.

A full assortment of Ladies' Cloaks and Shawls, Of the latest style and Fashion.

A splendid Stock of Dress Goods, Merinos, Empress Cloths, Mohair, Poplins, Delaines, &c. &c.

A Handsome Stock of Millinery Goods.

A full line of White Goods, Laces and Embroideries. My Woolen Department is complete, consisting of BLANKETS, FLANNELS, &c.

I have taken great pains in the selection of these Goods, and I am confident I can present as full and as complete an assortment as any house in the city. With regard to prices they will be sold as Cheap, if not Cheaper, than any other house.

All I ask is an examination of my Stock before purchasing, as I feel sure I can please the most fastidious, both as to taste and price.

Wholesale Buyers will find it to their interest to give me a call, as my stock is large and I will sell at short profits.

Nov. 2, 1868. B. KOOPMANN.

STRANGE RUMOR.—The story has been bruited about the streets that General Grant had announced to one of his friends in this city his purpose to give Gen. Lee a portfolio. It is known that Lee would become a member of Grant's cabinet if it would be known that Grant's words were not idle when he said "Let us have peace." Lee's accession to the Cabinet would be the perfection of moral, physical and political reconstruction acts.—St. Louis Times.

GROCERIES, &c.

W. H. H. GREGORY, (At J. T. Bryce & Co's Old Stand, Charlotte, N. C.)

Is now receiving a large and general assortment of Groceries and other Goods, which he offers to the public at low rates for cash or in exchange for Produce.

Iron Cotton Ties and Rope, Bagging, Iron and Nails, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses and Salt, Leather, Hardware and Crockery, Liquors of all sorts and best qualities, Champagne Wines—extra brands, Speed Oysters, Sardines, &c.

He keeps everything usually found in a Grocery and Provision Store; and as his stock is selected by himself in person, he can recommend it to be of the first quality.

Oct 19, 1868. W. H. H. GREGORY.

Buckwheat Flour.

A supply of a first-rate article just received by W. H. H. GREGORY, at J. Y. Bryce & Co's old stand.

Oct 19, 1868.

New Store and NEW GOODS.

J. ROESSLER & CO., (At Kawaleer old stand, 2d door from Bren, Brown & Co's Store.)

Have just received a large and general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c., which they offer to the public at fair and reasonable prices.

The Stock of Dry Goods, for Fall and Winter Wear, will be found to be one of the best ever brought to this market. The ladies are particularly invited to call and examine goods and prices.

Ready-Made Clothing, Of every description, for men and boys, is being offered at remarkably low rates.

CAPT. J. ROESSLER respectfully requests his old friends to give him a call at his new store, and he assures them that he will continue to exert himself to please them in the future as he hopes he has done in the past.

Sept 21, 1868. J. ROESSLER & CO.

Peruvian Guano,

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

In Store and for sale.

PACIFIC GUANO, HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

Call on HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

OBEE'S GUANO, HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

For sale by HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

BAUGH'S SUPERPHOSPHATE, For sale by HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

ZELL'S SUPERPHOSPHATE, For sale by HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

LIME, PLASTER AND CEMENT, For sale by HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.

Farmers can save money by calling on HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO., to buy Cotton Ties.

Hutchison, Burroughs & Co.,

General Life and Fire Insurance Agents, Office on Trade Street, CHARLOTTE, N. C. Sept. 7, 1868.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

S. B. Meacham, (The first Shoe House below the First National Bank.)

Has just received one of the largest stocks of Boots and Shoes, Leather, Rubber, &c.

Ever brought to this market, and which will be sold as low as at any house in the South.

His goods are warranted as represented. Prices will be made to suit purchasers.

Call at Meacham's Shoe Store, just below the new Bank Building and examine goods and prices.

Sept. 7, 1868.

DR. JAS. N. BUTT,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Drugs and Medicines of every description and kind, Corner Trade and College Streets, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Pure No. 1 KEROSENE—It is safe and non-explosive. If lighted torch be plunged in it, it will extinguish it as quick as water. It is from six to eight times as cheap as candles, and from four to six times as brilliant.

Buy a Lamp, which I can sell for 50 cents, and if it does not give perfect satisfaction you may return it. I have just received a splendid lot of new Lamps. Call and see them.

Chills and Fever.

I am treating numbers of persons successfully for Chills and Fever. If you are suffering in this way I think I can assure you of a successful treatment, having practiced for over twelve years in a fever and ague district.

Preserve this Notice.

You can get at Dr. Jas. N. Butt's Drug Store the following sizes of WINDOW GLASS:

Glass 8x10, 10x12, 10x14, 10x15, 10x18, 10x18, 12x20, 10x23, 10x24, 12x14, 12x15, 12x16, 12x18, 14x20, 12x22, 14x18, 14x18, 14x22, 14x24, 16x18, 16x20, 16x24, 18x20, 18x22, 18x24, 20x24, 20x30, &c., &c.

Attention!

You can get Medicines and Prescriptions at all hours of the day and night, and on Sunday, at

JAS. N. BUTT'S Drug Store, Charlotte, N. C., Oct 12, 1868.

Via Goldsboro, N. C.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. The route for freight via Goldsboro, to and from the North, has the same tariff, and same connections, with the Petersburg & Weldon Railroad, as the Raleigh & Gaston route has. Time as quick and freight as low as any route in North or South Carolina.

J. A. SADLER, Solliciting Agent.

Pictures! Pictures!!

The undersigned Photographic Artist, of Baltimore, Md., calls the attention of his friends, and the public in general, to his newly opened PHOTOGRAPH AND AMBIOTYPE GALLERY, where he is now prepared to take A No. 1 Pictures of each and every style and finish. Satisfaction guaranteed in every picture. Copies taken from the smallest into the largest portrait. Also pictures neatly fitted in Rings, Breastpins and Lockets. All I ask is, "give me a trial."

N. B.—Parties desiring to learn the trade and art of taking Pictures can do so by applying to

HENRY BAUMGARTEN, Charlotte, N. C.

Photograph Gallery over James Hart's Store, Feb 21, 1868.

Next door to Court-house

Reduction.

Koopmann's Bitters will hereafter be sold at \$1 per bottle. Oct. 19, 1868.

THE LATEST NOVELTY.

Now arriving daily, and on inspection at the Corner Store, GRAY'S BLOCK, (nearly opposite the Court House), a large and carefully selected Stock of choice

Family Groceries,

Which we propose to sell down for the Cash either at wholesale or retail. We intend to keep good Goods, and sell them as cheap as any other House in the city.

We have Bagging, Beards Patent Buckle Tie, a good assortment of Hardware and Wooden Ware; in fact everything usually kept in the Grocery line. Try us before purchasing.

Oct. 5, 1868. W. W. GRIER & CO.

Receiving daily at S. Grose & Co's,

A select stock of Groceries recently purchased, which we offer very low. Call and examine our Goods before you purchase. S. GROSE & CO., Trade Street, nearly opposite the Post Office.

Hams and Syrup.

A choice lot of Sugar Cured Hams, and Maryland Golden Syrup and New Orleans (new crop) Syrup, at

S. GROSE & CO'S, 500 Bushels of ONIONS, at S. GROSE & CO'S, Sept. 7, 1868.

Hardware, Crockery, Hats,

Clothing, Wall Paper, and an immense Stock of other Goods, all selling at a great sacrifice.

H. & B. EMANUEL, Nov 2, 1868. Next door to Mansion House.

SMITH'S

Boot, Shoe and Leather Store, Next door to Dorey's Bank, Charlotte, N. C.

Is the largest Wholesale and Retail Shoe Establishment in North Carolina.

The quality of their Stock is superior in every respect, and unequalled in style, finish and workmanship. The prices are as low as can be afforded.

They buy their Goods exclusively from Manufacturers, or have them made to order. They pay no rent and do the business themselves, and can, therefore, and will sell all styles and qualities of Boots and Shoes at lower prices than can be found elsewhere in this market. Every pair of Boots and Shoes is warranted as represented. "One price to all," and "fair dealing," is their motto.

Leather, Shoe Findings & Belting.

Their stock of Leather and Shoe Findings is most complete, embracing every grade of Hemlock and Oak Sole Leather, Tipper Leather, French and American Calf Skins, Kip, Lasts, &c. They also furnish all widths of Rubber and Leather Belting at Manufacturers' prices.

Ask for SMITH'S SHOE STORE, the oldest established Shoe House in the State.

Their Wholesale Department.

They are now receiving their Fall and Winter Stock, the largest and most complete ever brought to this market, and propose to sell to merchants at NEW YORK WHOLESALE PRICES.

Their expenses being much less, and as they buy exclusively from manufacturers, there is no reason why they cannot sell at as low prices as the New York Jobber. All they ask is a fair trial. Remember and ask for SMITH'S SHOE STORE, Next Door to Dorey's Bank, Charlotte, N. C. August 31, 1868.

NEW BOOKS! GOOD BOOKS!! and Cheap Books!!!

Just received at Tiddy's "New Book Store," Bibles of all sizes, from the largest to the smallest. All prices, to suit everybody.

Prayer Books,

A handsome assortment, some really elegant, which can be had at low prices. Hymn Books—Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist and Lutheran, all the different sizes published, can be found at our store.

Albums,

We have the handsomest and most complete assortment ever offered in this market, which we offer at remarkably low prices. They are Lippincott's make, and have the most perfect binding with ordinary use will last always, and a little longer.

Mission Book, Flowers of Piety, Christian Guide (5 styles), Key of Heaven, Path to Paradise, &c.

Our Miscellaneous stock is large, every one can find something to read, for a small sum. We charge nothing for showing our goods—call and examine whether you want to buy or not.

Our stock of School Books is now complete. Wholesale buyers and Teachers buying for Schools will certainly find it to their advantage to call and see us before buying elsewhere.

Stationery.

Something nice just received in the Stationery Line. Stamped initial paper with envelopes to match, put up in neat and attractive cases. A full line of fancy and plain Paper and Envelopes.

We have a full stock of Job Office Material, such as Bristol Board, Printer's Blank and China Cards, all sizes and qualities. Paper, Flatcap, Postcap, Letter and Note, &c.

Best News and Wrapping Paper at Manufacturers' prices. All we ask is an inspection of stock and prices, as we will not be undersold.

TIDDY & BRO.

Rags! Rags!!

The highest price paid in Money for clean Cotton and Linen Rags at the New Book Store.

June 15, 1868. TIDDY & BRO.

R. H. COWAN & CO.,

General Commission and Shipping Merchants, AND Wholesale Grocers.

Agents for M. Davis & Son's (Liberty, Va.) celebrated Virginia Cheating Tobacco.

Agents for Lister Bros' Superphosphate of Lime.

Agents for Vulcan Iron Works, Richmond, Va.

WILMINGTON, N. C., No. 32 North Water Street.

R. H. COWAN, JNO. W. CAMERON, JAS. H. HILL, June 29, 1868.

Catawba English and Classical HIGH SCHOOL,

NEWTON, N. C. The next Session will commence the 1st Monday in JULY next. No names are spared in bringing pupils thoroughly for the best Colleges in the country, and in giving them a thorough business education. Special attention given to MATHEMATICAL TRAINING. Tuition per Session of 20 Weeks from \$9 to \$22.50 in currency.

Board in families from \$8 to \$12 per month; in clubs at about half these prices.

For Circulars and particulars, address J. C. Clapp, Newton, N. C.

June 8, 1868. S. M. FINGER, A. B.

Concord Mills.

Having opened a House in Charlotte, near the Post Office, for the sale of our own manufactured Goods, we invite the attention of merchants and others to our YARNS, SHEETINGS, SHIRTINGS, OSNABERGS, CARPET CHAIN, STOCKING YARNS, &c. &c.

Best Cotton taken in exchange for Goods. We sell low for Cash.

August 12, 1868. J. McDONALD & SONS, Concord, N. C.

Deposits.

Deposits of Cash and any property received in any amount and interest allowed per agreement, and if preferred certificates of deposit issued bearing interest at rates stipulated, at the City Bank of Charlotte.

W. A. WILLIAMS, Cashier. July 6, 1868.

NISBET & MAXWELL,

CHARLOTTE, N. C. Candy Manufacturers and Bakers.

Also, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Groceries, Confectioneries, Pipes, Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars, Toys, Musical Instruments, Notions, &c.

Park's Building, No. 24, Tryon Street. July 27, 1868.

NEW STOCK OF GROCERIES.

Hammond & McLaughlin, (At Oates' Corner.)

Have received a full stock of new Groceries, consisting in part of

A large lot of Bagging, Iron Cotton Ties and Rope, Sugar, Coffee and Tea, Molasses, Iron and Nails, Salt, Leather of all sorts, Anything and everything in the Grocery line may be found at their Store.

HAMMOND & McLAUGHLIN, Sent 11, 1868.

WANTED,

By the undersigned, all the new work that may be needed in the Saddle and Harness line. Also, all the Repairing that may be necessary about your premises. Work warranted and perfect satisfaction guaranteed.

Next door to J. Y. Bryce & Co's, Trade Street, Charlotte, N. C. Sept. 7, 1868.

L. W. OSBORNE.

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY!

Dr. Byrn's Magic Pain Cure. This is a new and wonderful Medicine. It is used for the various forms of Headache, which, in ordinary cases, it cures in a few minutes time; also, Neuralgia, Nervousness, Cold in the Head, and Weakness of the Nerves, is speedily brought under its influence. Ordinary or mild cases of Catarrh in the Head, can also be checked by its use, and prevented from going further, which is of great importance, and even cases of long standing can be cured by persevering in the use of the medicine. It is perfectly harmless, and is warranted to give satisfaction.

People often express wonder and astonishment to find themselves so suddenly relieved from all pain; yet the remedy contains no Opium, no Chloroform, no Ether, nor any thing of a narcotic nature. It is prepared from roots, herbs, leaves, gums and flowers, and is absolutely harmless, even for an infant. This remedy is a genuine, and is used as a liquid, and this is one reason why it cures so quickly. There are no diseases more common than those for which it is recommended. Millions of suffering mortals would be willing to pay almost any price to secure a few hours relief and rest, if they knew of a remedy that would give immediate ease. Then by all means be cured permanently by using the Magic Pain Cure.

Price 50 cents. E. L. SHERRELL, P. M. at Sherrell's Ford, Catawba county, N. C., is agent for the counties of Catawba, Lincoln, Iredell, Gaston, Rowan and Mecklenburg, N. C.

For sale by Druggists in Charlotte and by Druggists generally. Sent 21, 1868. 3mpd

Stoves, Tin-Ware, &c.

D. H. BYERLY, (In the Basement Store under Mansion House.)

Keeps for sale a full assortment of Stoves of every description, Hollow-Ware, Tin-Ware, Japan-Ware, &c. &c.

Spears' Anti-Dust Cooking Stove is a superior article, and has given general satisfaction. I have sold a large number within the past year.

Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron work executed at short notice. Repairing promptly attended to.

I return my thanks for the liberal share of patronage heretofore received.

D. H. BYERLY, Under Mansion House, March 16, 1868.

THE CITY DRUG STORE

Kilgore & Cureton, No.