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Business Directory.

Wholesale—Charlotte Hotel, by Hampton & Alexander, one square south of the Courthouse; Mansion House, by H. T. Sloan, 2 doors south of the Courthouse; Carolina Inn, by J. B. Kerr, half a square north of the Courthouse.

Physicians—Dr. Caldwell & Harris, office opposite the Mansion House; Dr. C. J. Fox, office No. 6, corner of Market House; Dr. J. M. Huppel, office opposite the Charlotte Hotel.

Lawyers—Wm. J. Alexander, office two squares south of the Courthouse; James W. Osborne, office 2d door north of the Courthouse; Wm. R. Myers, office in Hamilton's building; E. B. McDowell, office adjoining Mr. Myers; N. W. Alexander, office at the Mansion House; John F. Hoke, office at Carolina Inn.

Merchants—R. C. Carson & Co., 3d door south of the Courthouse; Leroy Springs, 1st door north of the Courthouse; C. E. Moss & Co., next door to Leroy Springs; Elms & Martin, 1st door north of the Courthouse; on west side of main street; David Parks, 2d door north of Elms & Martin; Wm. Carson, half a square south of the Courthouse.

Wholesale and Retail—Sumner, Truitt, on the corner of Liberty and N. E. Street; Truitt's, on the corner of Liberty and N. E. Street.

Tailors—Alexander Graham, west wing Irwin's corner; A. Bathum, east wing Springs' corner.

Saddlers and Harnessmakers—Robert Shaw, 1st door south of Mansion House; A. Montgomery, opposite Carolina Inn.

Carriage-makers—Overman & Trotter, 2 squares north of the Courthouse. They also keep up an extensive blacksmithing establishment.

Blacksmiths—Wm. F. Alexander, next door south of Overman & Trotter.

Shoemakers—William A. Todd, 2d door south of Overman & Trotter.

Shoemakers—William Hunter, 2d door south of Overman & Trotter.

Shoemakers—H. C. Owens; R. M. Sterling; A. J. and N. Gray.

Shoemakers—William Carlan, 2d door south of Overman & Trotter.

Shoemakers—James Eagle, 2d door south of Overman & Trotter.

Shoemakers—R. H. Braxley, next door to Carolina Inn; John G. Farrell, next door to Charlotte Hotel.

Shoemakers—Bonaparte, Charlotte Hotel; I. Adams, Mansion House.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Sheriff—T. N. Alexander, office in the Courthouse.

Supervisor of the Poor—J. B. Kerr, office 1st door south of Carolina Inn.

County Clerk—C. T. Alexander, Jr., office adjoining that of superior court clerk.

Comptroller—Henry C. Owens.

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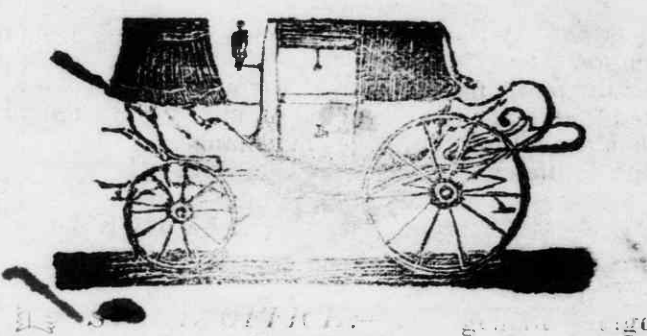
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Charlotte Hotel, ONE SQUARE SOUTH OF THE COURT HOUSE, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

THIS well known public house, now under the management of the undersigned, is open for the reception of company. The proprietors will give their attention exclusively to their Hotel, and every exertion will be made to render it what a well-managed public house should be—a convenient retreat for rest, pleasure and comfort.



Office is kept at the Charlotte Hotel, where seats in any of the Stages leaving Charlotte can be procured at all times, and where stage passengers shall meet a comfortable reception.

DROVERS will find at the Charlotte Hotel every necessary accommodation—secure dry lots and grain cheap, with the best attention.

THOMAS F. HAMPTON, M. W. ALEXANDER, Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 1, 1843.

Mountain Beef.

THE subscriber having made arrangements with Mr. Jourdan, Council of Ashe county, to furnish him regularly with the best beef Cattle his county affords, he will be prepared to give his customers beef of the very best quality, in Charlotte every morning during Court weeks, and on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of each week during the rest of the season, and regularly at his country stands.

THOMAS GOODLAKE, August 27, 1843.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

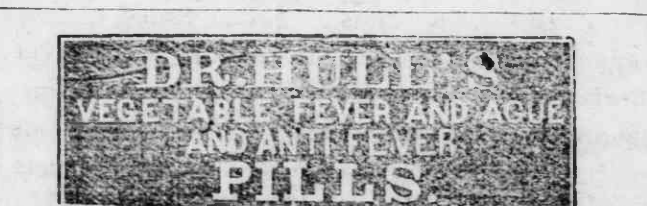
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, October Term 1843.

B. Morrow, C. T. Alexander, and D. M. Barringer vs. Alexander Robertson.

ORIGINAL ATTACHMENT.

In this case, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant, Alexander Robertson, is not a resident of this State; it is therefore ordered that publication be made for six successive weeks in the Mecklenburg Jeffersonian and the Charlotte Journal, notifying said defendant to be and appear at the next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions to be held for the County of Mecklenburg, at the Courthouse in Charlotte, on the 4th Monday in January next, then and there to plead or reply, or judgment final will be rendered against him, and the property levied on condemned to satisfy plaintiff's demands.

Witness, Charles T. Alexander, Jr., Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the 4th Monday in October, A. D. 1843, and in the 68th year of American independence. C. T. ALEXANDER, c. m. c. c. Printer's fee, \$5 60.



A certain and effectual Cure for Ague and Fever, the treatment of Biliousness, Nausea, General Debility, and nervous weakness.

The most flattering recommendations of this medicine have been received from many eminent Physicians and others who have used it. And it is presumed that no medicine has ever been used whose action has been more beneficial, pleasant and invigorating, and called forth from afflicted sufferers such expressions of heartfelt gratitude and thankfulness.

Persons taking the Pills soon find themselves relieved—Chill broken! Fever gone! Stomach and head free and healthful!!! Strength and appetite increasing and improving, and all nervous weakness fled.

When taken according to the directions accompanying them, they never fail to cure the Chill and Fever the first day, and never sicken the stomach or operate upon the bowels.

Their action upon the whole system is so charming, that persons are invariably surprised and pleased with their rapid and complete restoration to health.

The pills are purely and solely Vegetable; and the happy combination of the ingredients and their proportions are such as to produce a medicine which never fails to relieve when relief is at all attainable.

Each box contains 20 doses of Pills—Price, One Dollar. The above valuable medicines are for sale in Charlotte, by B. Oates, Concord, C. B. Wheeler, Salisbury, John Hoke, Lincolnville, Greenville, S. C. Dr. C. B. Wheeler, Supt. 1843.

DR. SPENCER'S VEGETABLE PILLS

A PUBLIC BLESSING.

These Pills have long been known and appreciated for their extraordinary and immediate powers of restoring perfect health to persons suffering under nearly every kind of disease to which human frame is liable.

They are particularly recommended to all those persons who are afflicted with any kind of a chronic or lingering complaint, as there is no medicine better for the public which has so natural and happy effect upon the system in correcting the stomach and liver, and to the formation of healthy chyle, and thereby purifying the blood.

They are acknowledged by the hundreds and thousands who are cured by them, to be not only the most mild and pleasant in their operation, but the most perfectly innocent, safe and efficient medicine ever offered to the public.

HEADACHE—SICK OR NERVOUS.

Those who have suffered and are weary of suffering with this distressing complaint, will find Spencer's Vegetable Pills a remedy at once certain and immediate in its effects.

As a remedy in summer and bowel complaints, they display their wonderful powers to admiration, and are far superior to anything in use for these complaints.

In Dyspepsia and Liver complaints, they stand unrivaled. Many have been cured in a few weeks, after having suffered under the dreadful complaint for years.

In Habitual Costiveness, they are decidedly superior to any Vegetable Pill ever brought before the public; and one 25 cent box will establish their purgative virtues, and place them beyond the reach of doubt in the estimation of every individual.

They are invaluable in nervous and hypochondriacal affections, loss of appetite, and all complaints to which females are so liable.

They are mild in their action, and convey almost immediate conviction of their utility from the first dose. They may be taken by persons of any age; and the feeble, the firm, the nervous and delicate are strengthened by their operation, because they clear the system of bad humors, quiet nervous irritability, and invariably produce sound health.

Upwards of three hundred and seventy thousand boxes of these infallible Pills have been sold within the last twelve months in three States alone, and more than three times the same quantity in other States.

As an anti-bilious medicine, no family should be without them. A single trial of them is more satisfactory than a thousand certificates.

Price 25 cents per box, with full directions. But it may not be amiss to insert the following testimonials of their excellence:

[From a very respectable Planter in Washington Co., Ala.] Washington Co., Ala., March 8, 1843.

To Dr. SPENCER, DEAR SIR: I have used your Vegetable Pills in my family the last year with great success, and I consider them the best Pill I ever used.

My wife and child were both cured of the Bilious Flux. I can say to you that I made great use of them last season. I had TWENTY of my Blacks sick with the Flux, and I administered your Pills freely, and I did not lose a single case. My neighbors speak in the highest terms of them.

Respectfully Yours, JESSE JORDAN, Union Co., Ky., November 21st, 1842.

To Dr. SPENCER, DEAR SIR: As I am somewhat opposed to Patent Medicines, considering them generally a mere catchword and a cheat upon the public, I have heretofore had but little to do with them, and it was not without much persuasion on the part of your traveling agent, that I was prevailed upon to accept of an agency for the sale of your Pills.

But now I must confess, in justice to your Vegetable Pills, that they have proved to be what you assert them to be. I am entirely out of them, and had I been supplied, could have sold double the quantity.

Your Pills have been of great benefit in this section; my neighbors having derived great benefit from their use. I have been troubled for the last fifteen years with Dyspepsia, and an affection of the Liver and Spleen: as a remedy, I have tried Brandreth's and all the most popular Pills, and have had the advice of Physicians, all of which afforded me but momentary relief, but sir, from the use of only one box of your Pills, I am relieved from my most fashionable yet distressing complaint.

Yours, &c., JOHN DYER, [The following is from Col James Porter, Esq., a respectable citizen of Gibson co., Ten.] Gibson Co., Ten., December 10, 1842.

To Dr. SPENCER, DEAR SIR: This is to certify, that I have used in my family within the last eight months, one dozen boxes of your Vegetable Pills, and I consider them decidedly superior to any other Pills I have ever used.

I have been afflicted for the last three or four years with a severe dyspeptic and liver affection, accompanied at times with a nervous head-ache which at times totally unfitted me for physical or mental efforts and for the enjoyment of the common blessings of life, and must acknowledge, that your Pills have so far restored me that I feel nearly as well as ever, and I really think that the further use of them will make an entire cure. I was also troubled with a bad cough and affection of the lungs, proceeding, as I suppose, from the complaint, and I am entirely relieved from that. Some of my neighbors are also using the Pills with the most decided benefit.

The Pills cannot be too highly recommended, and I candidly confess, that I have derived more real benefit from them than any other medicine I have ever taken, and I think every family should always keep a supply of them on hand.

JAMES PORTER, Agency of the Bank of Charleston, at Camden, S. C. OCTOBER 23, 1843.

CHECKS on the North, and on Charleston will be furnished, and Sight and time Bills purchased at this Agency during the season, on application to PAUL V. H. BRIGGGS, at the Agency, October 1843.

National Finances.

From the annual Report of the Secretary of the Treasury, made to Congress at the commencement of the present session, we make the following extracts—being all that we can now make room for in our columns:

RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES, &c., FOR 1842. According to the statement of the Treasury's accounts on the 1st day of January, 1842, there was in the Treasury \$28,685,111 08

From which is to be deducted, as not available— Amount deposited with the States, - \$28,101,644 91

Balances of trust funds, 1st January, 1842 374,521 18

The outstanding warrants at the close of the year 1841 were - \$13,268 46

Total liabilities - 23,280,431 55

Deficiency of means to meet warrants \$804,323 47

Estimated receipts second quarter: From customs - \$3,100,000

From lands - 537,000

Estimated receipts third quarter: From customs - 1,600,000

From lands - 530,000

Estimated receipts fourth quarter: From customs - 1,600,000

From lands - 520,000

Miscellaneous - 50,000

Total means - 16,736,131 77

Of the specific appropriations already made by law applicable to the service of the last and the current fiscal year, there remains unexpended \$10,500,635 89

Of this balance, there will not be required during the year, but will be required during the next year, for the civil list, foreign intercourse, and miscellaneous - 2,387 41

Military establishment - 2,568 65

And which will not be required, and may be carried to the surplus fund - 1,440 78

Leaving of the specific appropriations, which, according to the data furnished by the respective departments will be required during the year - 16,296,660 60

To which is to be added, amount of permanent and indefinite appropriations which will be required - 2,577,713 88

Additional appropriations necessary - 299,012 96

Total - 19,263,395 94

This sum is composed of the following items: Civil list, foreign intercourse, and miscellaneous - \$4,759,037 60

Army proper - 2,775,528 96

Fortifications, ordnance, arming militia, &c. - 2,674,906 91

Indian department - 1,642,482 71

Pensions - 954,578 46

Naval establishment - 5,053,070 76

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Balance in the Treasury, July, 1843 10,434,507 55

Total means 17,048,521 29

EXPENDITURES. Civil, miscellaneous and foreign intercourse \$1,016,257 17

Army proper 858,785 15

Fortifications, ordnance, arming militia, &c. 610,400 90

Indian department 850,171 88

Pensions 805,800 01

Naval establishment 2,049,887 36

Interest, &c., on public debt 95,555 48

Total, exclusive of redemption of Treasury notes and interest - 6,817,357 98

Paid on redemption of Treasury notes and interest - 6,002,031 54

Total payments for the quarter - 13,219,389 52

Leaving a balance on the 1st October, 1843, of - 3,829,131 77

Estimates for the remaining three quarters of the fiscal year.

Balance at the end of the first quarter, 30th of September, 1843 - \$3,829,131 77

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