Sunday Reading.

THE REPROACH OF CHRIST.

If there are any who are sometimes doubtful of their piety, because they encounter no obloquy, or opposition; because the world always greets them with pleasant smiles, and with approving words, such doubts may be well grounded: and those who are thus exempt from all disfavor and reproach have reason to question at least the character of their piety. It is true that all they that live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution, in some form or other. The unregenerate world has not lost its old hostility to the gospel. This hostility, it is true, does not exhibit itself in the same way in every place and in every age: it may be suppressed, but like a hidden fire it smoulders still, and until the days of millenial peace dawn upon the world, the carnal mind will be enmity against God's law and against His loyal subjects. Just as the whole church, or as individual professors, become conformed to the customs and opinions of the world, the world's opposition will diminish in the direct ratio of that conformity. An obsequious, temporising, cowardly Christianity, will encounter little opposition. But let any member of any branch of the church however *fashionable* and *popular* it may be, rise above the low level of worldly conformity around him, let him boldly rebuke baptized errors, the tolerated vanities, and licensed inconsistencies, which render that branch of the church a caricature of what a church ought to be—let him draw a line of demarkation between himself and the world—let him stand up alone, if no one will stand by him, to breast the torrent of ungodliness which threatens to sweep away the very landmarks of vital Christianity, let him lift up his solitary voice to oppose the voices of the multitude clamoring for what is wrong—let him rebuke sin in every form and by whomsoever committed—let him so live that his silent example is a perpetual condemnation of all that is corrupt in the sentiments and wicked in the practices of those with whom he comes in contact, and then how quickly will it be seen that not only the hostility of the unregenerate in the world, but of the unregenerate in the church, will be kindled against him.

If then a Christian meets with no reproach for the sake of his Master, it may be well for him to examine himself, and to enquire how he is serving that Master. It may be well for him to make an experiment, and ascertain what the effect of a holier life, and a more aggressive piety, would be. If a man imagines that he can be governed by principles nobler and purer than those which society recognizes, that he can withdraw himself from its companionships, pursuits and pleasures—that he can go resolutely forward making sublime regard for duty the only rule for action, regardless of what the world may think or say, if conscience will but approve and heaven smile—if a man imagines he can be singular in his high devotion to truth and right, and in his uncompromising opposition to all that is wrong, and yet escape censure and obloquy, then that man has totally mistaken the character of the world he lives in. But such a profession and practice as we have described, will quickly convince him of his mistake. The ridicule which will be cast upon him—the misrepresentation of his motives—the whispered slanders which will float in the air—the charges of bigotry or hypocricy which will pass from one foul mouth to another, will soon teach him what is meant by "the reproach of Christ," and will take away all occasion in future to doubt his piety, because all men speak well of him.

But those who do thus incur the reproach of Christ have no reason to be discouraged. It is the badge of a true profession. If we are assured that it is one of the things we must meet with in the heavenward march, then when it comes, it will be another evidence that we are in the right way. The inspired Apostle speaks of reproach as one of the incidental blessings of the Christian pilgrimage, and declares it to be a cause for joy.

"If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye, for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you;" and so the believer under all the scorn and obloquy which may be cast upon him in consequence of steadfast adherence to truth and duty, may cheerfully sing,

"I on my face for thee must shame
Shame and reproaches be—
All foul reproach, and welcome shame,
So Thou remember me."

Central Presbyterian.

From the American Messenger.

PRAYER MEETING.

The Rev. John Newton says in a letter to a brother clergyman:

"I look upon prayer-meetings as the most profitable exercise—excepting the public preaching—in which Christians can engage: they have a direct tendency to kill a worldly, trifling spirit, to draw down a divine blessing upon all our concerns, compose differences, and enkindle—at least to maintain—the flame of divine love among brethren.—But I need not tell you the advantages you know them: I only would exhort you, and the rather, as I find in my own case, that the principal cause of my dryness and unfruitfulness is owing to an unaccountable backwardness to pray. I can write, or read, or converse, or hear with a ready will; but prayer is more inward and spiritual than any of these; and the more spiritual any duty is, the more my carnal heart is apt to start from it."

G. F. M.

"Watch, for ye know not the day nor the hour when the Son of man cometh."

NEW PLATFORM OF THE AMERICAN PARTY.

1. An humble acknowledgment to the Supreme Being who rules the universe for his protecting care vouchsafed to our fathers in their successful revolutionary struggle, and hitherto manifested to us, their descendants, in the preservation of the liberties, the independence, and the union of these States.

2. The perpetuation of the federal Union and Constitution as the palladium of our civil and religious liberties, and the only sure bulwark of American independence.

3. Americans must rule America, and to this end native-born citizens should be selected for all State, federal and municipal offices or government employment, in preference to all others; nevertheless,

4. Persons born of American parents residing temporarily abroad should be entitled to all the rights of native-born citizens; but

5. No person should be selected for political station, (whether of native or foreign birth,) who recognizes any allegiance or obligation of any description to any foreign prince, potentate or power, or who refuse to recognize the federal and State constitutions (each within its sphere) as paramount to all other laws, as rules of political action.

6. The unqualified recognition and maintenance of the reserved rights of the several States, and the cultivation of harmony and fraternal good will between the citizens of the several States, and to this end, non-interference by Congress with questions appertaining solely to the individual States, and non-intervention by each State with the affairs of any other State.

7. The recognition of the right of the native-born and naturalized citizens of the United States, permanently residing in any Territory thereof, to frame their constitution and laws, and to regulate their domestic and social affairs in their own mode, subject only to the provisions of the federal constitution, with the privilege of admission into the Union whenever they have the requisite population for one representative in Congress. Provided always, that none but those who are citizens of the United States, under the constitution and laws thereof, and who have a fixed residence in any such Territory, ought to participate in the formation of the constitution, or in the enactment of laws for said Territory or State.

8. An enforcement of the principle that no State or Territory ought to admit others than of the United States to the right of suffrage or of holding political office.

9. A change in the laws of naturalization, making a continued residence of twenty-one years, of all not hereinbefore provided for, an indispensible requisite for citizenship hereafter, and excluding all paupers and persons convicted of crime from landing upon our shores; but no interference with the vested rights of foreigners.

10. Opposition to any union between Church and State; no interference with religious faith or worship and no test oaths for office.

11. Free and thorough investigation into any and all alleged abuses of public functionaries and a strict economy in public expenditures.

12. The maintenance and enforcement of all laws, constitutionally enacted, until said laws shall be repealed, or shall be declared null and void by competent judicial authority.

13. Opposition to the reckless and unwise policy of the present administration in the general management of our national affairs, and more especially as shown in removing "Americans" (by dozens) and conservatives in principle) from office, and placing foreigners and ultraists in their places; as shown in a truckling subserviency to the stronger, and an insolent and cowardly bravado towards the weaker powers; as shown in re-opening sectional agitation by the repeal of the Missouri Compromise; as shown in granting to unnaturalized foreigners the right to Suffrage in Kansas and Nebraska; as shown in its vacillating course on the Kansas and Nebraska question; as shown in the corruptions which pervade some of the departments of the government; as shown in disgracing meritorious naval officers, through prejudice or caprice; and as shown in the blundering mismanagement of our foreign relations.

14. Therefore, to remedy existing evils, and prevent the disastrous consequences otherwise resulting therefrom, we would build up the "American Party" upon the principles hereinbefore stated.

15. That each State Council shall have authority to annul their several constitutions so as to abolish the several degrees, and substitute a pledge of honor instead of other obligation, for fellowship and admission into the party.

16. A free and open discussion of all political principles embraced in our platform.

Ho! for Kansas!

ROBERT SHAW takes this opportunity of informing the public generally, and all who intend going to Kansas in particular, that he intends to continue the

SADDLE & HARNESS BUSINESS,

at the old stand, in Springs' Corner Building, where he intends to keep constantly on hand a supply of

SADDLES, HARNESS, BRIDLES, &C., OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

His friends are respectfully invited to call and supply themselves, as every article in his line will be offered on the most reasonable terms.

REPAIRING done at the shortest notice and with neatness and dispatch.

February 19, 1856. tf

New Books,

AT LOWRIE & ENNISS' BOOK STORE.

THE PICTORIAL FIELD BOOK OF THE REVOLUTION; or illustrations by pen and pencil, of the history, biography, scenery, relics and traditions of the war for Independence. By B. J. Lossing.

MACAULAY'S HISTORY OF ENGLAND from the accession of James II., Harper's Two and Publish's 12mo Edition, either volume sold separately at publisher's prices.

HOME GAMES; or the intellectual and moral amusements of the home circle, gathered for the Family Circle from the rich experience of many faithful hearts. By Mrs. Mary C. Gilet.

LOOKING unto JESUS; a view of the everlasting Gospel, or the work and offices of Jesus, as carrying on the great work of man's salvation, from first to last, by Jesus Anderson.

THE GOOD THAT COMES, by T. S. Arthur.

THE LAND OF THE WEST; or the Gold Seekers, by John Ballou.

TEMPLE HARRINGTON; or Life at a Watering Place, by Mrs. Hentz.

March 4, 1856.

BLANK DEEDS For sale here.

STOKLEY & OLDHAM,

GROCERS

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SMITH HOUSE,

CONCORD, N. C.

THE Subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the Travelling public generally, that he has re opened and taken charge of the old well known

"HARRIS HOTEL,"

in this place, under the name of the "SMITH HOUSE," and having thoroughly re-furnished and repaired the establishment, he is now prepared to accommodate Regular and Transient Boarders.

He flatters himself that every necessary arrangement has been made to promote the comfort of his guests. His rooms are comfortable and well furnished, his servants attentive and obedient and his table constantly supplied with the best of the season so that his friends shall want nothing to make their sojourn pleasant and agreeable.

His STABLES are furnished with the best Hostlers and in abundance of the best Provender.

WM. B. SMITH

Concord, N. C., Jan. 29, 1856. 49tf

REMOVAL.

BOONE & CO'S BOOT & SHOE EMPORIUM

IS REMOVED TO THEIR

NEW STORE,

NO. 3, BRICK RANGE,

Opposite the BURNT District,

WHERE they will be pleased to see their Old Friends and Customers.

BOONE & CO.

July 1, 1856. 1yr

Fancy Goods, Toys & Hosiery, VARIETY STORE,

208 King Street,

Opposite Victoria Hotel.

BERNARD S. BARUC,

SUCCESSOR TO S. WILLE

IMPORTER of all kinds of French English and German Fancy Goods, Toys of every description and Hosiery.

The Store being known for the last 12 years, it would be useless to give a special description of all the articles kept, but Merchants in the country can rely on finding there, always a large and full assortment of

FANCY GOODS.

At prices which will well compare with those of any Northern City. Call and judge for yourselves.

May 13, 1856. 12tf

Tan Bark Wanted!

BOONE & CO. want to purchase a large quantity of TAN BARK, for which the highest price will be paid in CASH.

Charlotte, May 6, 1856. 11tf

MASONIC HALL BAZAAR,

268 King (Cor. of Wentworth) St.,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

THE PROPRIETOR of this new Establishment begs leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has opened at the above Stand on his own and sole account, an entire fresh Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys, Hosiery, &c.

which being imported direct, he is enabled to sell at extremely low prices. His Stock consists partly of the following Goods:

Brushes, Combs, Buttons of every description, Purses, Spectacles, Scissors, Razors, Razor Straps, Shaving Boxes, Percussion Caps, Pistols, Steel Pens, Lead Pencils, Slates and Pencils, Pencil Cases, Pocket Books, Porte Monnies, Playing Cards, Bonnets, Dies, Jewelry, Perfumery, Violin Strings, Snuff and Sugar Boxes, Looking Glasses, Travelling Baskets, Reticules, Beads, Gilt, Steel, Silver, and Glass, Necklaces, Pipes, Papier Mache Goods and Desks, Fish Hooks and Lines, Hosiery Cotton, Thread, Silk, Worsted, Gloves of every description, Corset Laces, Silk, Thread Cotton, Sewing Silk, Patent Thread, Spool Cotton, Cotton, Ball and Cord, Binding, Braids, Tapes—Linen and Cotton, Galloons, Suspenders and Garters, Shirt Collars, Cotton and Merino Drawers and Shirts, Knitting and Sewing Cotton, Hooks and Eyes, Eyelets, Pins, Needles, Bodkins, Knitting Pins, Bonnet Wire, Wire Ribbon, Reed, Whalebone Busks, Boot Laces, Cotton Fringes, Thimbles, Hair Pins, Pens of every description, Combs, Cane Mitts, &c., with a general assortment of German and English Toys.

☞ Merchants visiting the City will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing, or send their orders, which will be most punctually attended to.

F. VON SANTEN,

Sole Proprietor of the Masonic Hall Bazaar.

May 13, 1856. 12tf

To the Public!

I HAVE just received and opened, the largest and most varied stock of

Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals,

Paints, Oils, Window Glass,

Putty, Dye-stuffs, Perfumery,

TOILET ARTICLES, &c., &c.,

ever offered in this market, all of which will be sold at extremely short profits for CASH. I defy competition, and if, wherever you want articles in my line you call, you shall be satisfied both with regard to Price and Quality.

Respectfully,

H. M. PRITCHARD, *M. D.,*

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGIST,

No. 3, Granite Row.

May 6, 1856. 11tf

☞ Notice.

THE Tax Lists for 1855 are now in my hands, and I hold them ready for collection. I request all persons to inform me of any taxables which may not be listed.

All persons that have not paid their taxes for 1854, will surely come up and *fork over* now.

R. C. SHERR, *Sheriff.*

April 15, 1856. 8tf

Cash paid for Hides.

THE highest market price paid for HIDES in CASH, by

S. M. HOWELL,

3 Doors South of the Mansion House.

April 8, 1856. 5tf

Mattresses

READY MADE, of Spunks or Sponge. Persons wishing different sizes and styles, will please call on

J. A. ORDERS promptly filled.

T. M. FARROW.

April 15, 1856. 8tf

S. M. HOWELL,

Saddle & Harness Manufacturer,

THREE DOORS SOUTH OF SADLER'S HOTEL,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

THE subscriber thankful for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon him during the past year, has now made more extensive preparation for the future demand for work in his line, and will endeavor to furnish all that may want Saddles and Harness, with a superior article at the lowest possible prices. He has now on hand a very large assortment of

Saddles, Bridles, Harness,

Saddlery Hardware,

Whips, Buffalo Robes, Saddle Cloths,

Skirting, Hog Skins,

Patent Enamelled & Harness Leather,

together with every thing usually kept in my line of business.

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

☞ REPAIRING promptly executed.

S. M. HOWELL.

October 30, 1855. 37tf

Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford RAIL-ROAD COMPANY.

PURSUANT to an order of the Board of Directors of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherfordton Rail Road Company, books are again open for subscriptions to the Capital Stock of said Road, at the Rock Island Store, and the offices of Wm. Johnston, C. J. Fox and S. W. Davis. All who feel an interest in the honor and prosperity of the old North State, are solicited to come forward and aid in this great work, the only real public enterprise that has ever sprung upon our people.

CHARLES J. FOX,
S. W. DAVIS,
WM. JOHNSTON,
JNO. A. YOUNG,
JOHN WALKER,
LEROY SPRINGS,
B. H. DAVIDSON,
Commissioners.

Oct. 30, 1855. 37tf

WANTED,

10.000 LBS. COTTON & LINEN RAGS wanted. Apply to

WILLIAMS, GILLESPIE & CO.

February 22, 1855. 1-4f

AYER'S PILLS.

FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A

FAMILY PHYSIC.

THERE has long existed a public demand for an effective purgative pill which could be relied on as sure and perfectly safe in its operation. This has been prepared to meet that demand, and an extensive trial of its virtues has conclusively shown with what success it accomplishes the purpose designed. It is easy to make a physical pill, but not easy to make the best of all purgatives. Such a pill should have none of the objections, but all the advantages, of every other. This has been attempted here, and with what success we would respectfully submit to the public decision. It has been unfortunate for the patient hitherto that almost every purgative medicine is acrimonious and irritating to the bowels. This is not. Many of them produce so much griping pain and revulsion in the system as to more than counterbalance the good to be derived from them. These pills produce no irritation or pain, unless it arise from a previously existing obstruction or derangement in the bowels. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity; but it is better that any medicine should be taken judiciously. Minute directions for their use in the several diseases to which they are applicable are given on the box. Among the maladies which these pills soon cure are Costiveness, Piles, Colic, Dysentery, Humors, Scrofula and Scurvy, Colds and Fevers, the first stages of Dropsy and impurity of the blood, Irregularities; in short, any and every case where a purgative is required.

They have also produced some singularly successful cures in Rheumatism, Gout, Dropsy, Gravel, Erysipelas, Palpitation of the Heart, Pains in the Back, Stomach, and Side. They should be freely taken in the spring of the year, to purify the blood and prepare the system for the change of seasons. An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, and restores the appetite and vigor. They purify the blood, and, by their stimulant action on the circulatory system, renovate the strength of the body, and restore the wasted or diseased energies of the whole organism. Hence to occasional dose is advantageous, even though no serious derangement exists; but unnecessary dosing should never be carried too far, as every purgative medicine reduces the strength, when taken to excess. The thousands cases in which a physic is required cannot be enumerated here, but they suggest themselves to the reason of every body; and it is confidently believed this pill will answer a better purpose than any thing which has hitherto been available to mankind. When their virtues are once known, the public will no longer doubt what remedy to resort when in need of a cathartic medicine. Being sugar-coated, they are pleasant to take, and being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use in any quantity.

For minute directions, see wrapper on the Box.

PREPARED BY

DR. JAMES C. AYER,

Practical and Analytical Chemist,

LOWELL, MASS.

Price 25 Cents per Box. Five Boxes for $1.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,

For the rapid Cure of

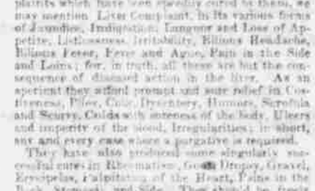
COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

THIS remedy has won for itself such notoriety from its cures of every variety of pulmonary disease, that it is entirely unnecessary to recount the evidences of its virtues in any community where it has been employed. So wide is the field of its usefulness, and so numerous the cases of its cures, that almost every section of the country abounds in persons publicly known, who have been restored from alarming and even desperate diseases of the lungs by its use. When once tried its superiority over every other medicine of its kind is too apparent to escape observation, and where its virtues are known, the public no longer hesitate what antidote to employ for the distressing and dangerous affections of the pulmonary organs which are incident to our climate. Not only in formidable attacks upon the lungs, but for the milder varieties of Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, &c., and for Children it is the pleasantest and safest medicine that can be obtained.

As it has long been in constant use throughout this section, we need not do more than assure the people its quality is kept up to the best that it ever has been, and that the genuine article is sold by—

H. M. PRITCHARD, Charlotte,
J. FISK & CO., Concord,

and by all the Merchants & Druggists every where.



JOB PRINTING.

JOB PRINTING of all kinds will be neatly and expeditiously executed at the North Carolina Whig office.

S. H. RANSOM. U.C.G. ALBANY.

WAIT FOR THE WAGGON.

WHY is it PENNSYLVANIA TRADERS sell Stoves so cheap? Because they buy their STOVES from the Manufacturers.

JENKINS & TAYLOR

Would respectfully announce to the inhabitants of CHARLOTTE and vicinity, that they have removed from their Old Stand, to one door West of Elm's & Spratt's Grocery Store, where they have now on exhibition, just received from the North, one of the most extensive assortments of

STOVES

Ever offered in North Carolina, among which will be found the celebrated

HIGH WATER AIR-TIGHT

COOKING STOVE,

which has gained such a famous reputation in the Southern Country for the last eighteen months.—This Stove we warrant superior to any Cooking Stove now in use. It is simple in its arrangements, consumes less fuel, and does more work in a given time, than any other Stove now in use. We will put up one beside any other Stove of the same size in the United States, and if it does not do more work in a given time, we will forfeit the price of the Stove, and quit seeing and go our death for the better one.

ALSO, ALL KINDS OF PARLOR & BOX STOVES.

We have, and constantly keep on hand, an extensive and varied stock of

TIN AND SHEET IRON,

JAPAN AND BRITANNIA WARE,

BRASS KETTLES, CAST IRON BEDSTEADS,

HAT RACKS, CRADLES, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold, Wholesale and Retail, cheaper than has ever been offered in this Vicinity.

We would return our thanks to our friends and customers for the very liberal patronage they have bestowed upon us, and they may rest assured, that we shall endeavor, by close attention to business, together with a determination to please, to try and merit a continuance of the same.

OUR MOTTO IS "QUICK SALES & SMALL PROFITS."

Ladies and Gentlemen are particularly invited to call and examine our Stock.

ALL KINDS OF JOB WORK ATTENDED TO WITH DESPATCH.

N. B.—We will tell you why we issue our advertisement "WAIT FOR THE WAGGON,"—it is because we have three waggons constantly travelling through the country with Stoves.

☞ *All orders will be faithfully and promptly attended to.* ☜

JENKINS & TAYLOR.

Charlotte, October 23, 1855. 35tf

G. F. ANDERSON. W. D. REYNOLDS.

ANDERSON & REYNOLDS,

MERCHANTS,

No. 10, Roanoke Square,

NORFOLK, VA.

Pay strict attention to the sale of Flour and Grain of all kinds of Produce, avoiding unnecessary charges and rendering prompt returns.

DR. RICE'S ABYSSINIA MIXTURE,

For Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Consumption, Piles, Affections of the Kidneys and Bladder, Gravel, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, the Whites, Weakness and other Female Complaints. Price per bottle, 75 cents and $1 25.

Gold Mine Balsam,

or Dyspeptic Bitters or Tincture Tonic Nervine.

A letter from Hon. Duff Green, Druggist, Milton N. C., dated Aug. 14, 1847:

Dr. J. Knox—Dear Sir: Your medicines have given entire satisfaction in this section of country. The Abyssinia Mixture especially is highly appreciated. It has never failed to cure in any case—it sells so fast, that I never had enough to supply the demand. You will please send me a large supply of it as soon as you get home.

J. B. CALLUM.

AGENTS—Wm. W Summers, Wadesboro; R. T. Long, Rockingham; Pilley & Yorke, Concord; T. J. Holton and Dr. J. F. Gilmer, Charlotte; Sill & Sill and J. H. Enniss, Salisbury; and E. Perry, Lexington.

WM. A. GWYER,

GENERAL AGENT FORWARDING AND COMMISSION

MERCHANT,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

ARRANGEMENTS having been completed between the Wilmington and Manchester Rail Road Company, and the South Carolina Rail Road Company for the transportation of Freight expeditiously from Wilmington to the West via Charlotte, I offer my services to the *MERCHANTS and PRODUCERS* of Western Carolina. Goods will be promptly forwarded by the earliest, and Produce of every description received, sale or shipped to other markets. My long experience in the business, together with ample facilities for the successful prosecution, furnish ample guarantees of my ability to serve my correspondents faithfully. Western produce will be disposed of, for a commission of 2½ per cent on gross sales. Merchandize will be forwarded for a commission of 12½ per cent on drafts or receipts. I refer to the Presidents of all the Banks in Wilmington.

W. A. GWYER.

April 3, 1855. 70f

C. JOHNSON,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION

MERCHANT

SOUTH ATLANTIC WHARF,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

Washing Made Easy.

A NEW and cheap Washing Machine for washing clothes can be had at the store of J. M. Sanders. I now prefer they can be had by leaving their Table with Mr. Sanders have them connected with a Washing Machine.

Call and examine the Machine and if you don't pronounce it good then I am no judge of Washing, that's all.

P. S. WHISNANT.

Jan. 15, 1856. 47tf

Merchants' Hotel,

KING-ST., CHARLESTON, S. C.

BY JAMES M. HURST,

ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS PER DAY.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF

Constable Warrants

FOR SALE HERE.

Fashionable Tailoring.

CHESTER, S. C.,

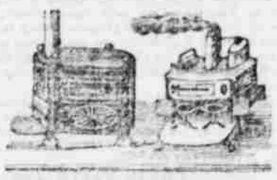
By J. R. NICHOLSON.

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 customers and the travelling public; and that he is making every exertion to deserve and receive a continuance of the kind and liberal patronage which has hitherto been extended to him. He flatters himself that every necessary 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 sincere acknowledgements to the public for past favors, and solicits for the future an equally liberal share of patronage.

JOHN R. NICHOLSON.

Oct. 8, 1855. 33tf



Exactly So!

THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Charlotte and the public generally, that he is still carrying on the

TINNING BUSINESS,

opposite Kerr's Hotel, where can be found at all times a full assortment of

PLAIN & JAPAN'D

TIN-WARE,

which will be sold low, either by the wholesale or retail. I have added to my STOCK OF WARE,

Furnished Tea and Coffee Pots, Tea Trays, Table and Tea Spoons, Toilet Sets, Spice Boxes, Nurse's Lamps, Tea and Coffee Canisters, Cooks Ladles, Glass Lanterns, Lard Lamps,

and a great many other articles in that Line. I have also a few sets of

Brass Andirons, Shovel and Tongs, Sad or Smoothing Irons, &c., &c.,

all of which will be sold as low as they can be bought at this place. I have also on hand, a few

COOK & PARLOR STOVES,

which will be sold super-by low for CASH.

☞ JOB WORK, such as

Roofing, Guttering, Stove Pipes, &c.,

executed at short notice and at moderate prices.

☞ Thankful for past favors I would solicit a continuance of the same.

SAML. T. WRISTON.

Nov. 13, 1855. 39tf

☞ Notice.

THE subscriber would inform the farmers of this and the surrounding counties, that he is prepared to make

Threshing Machines, Gearing for Cotton Gins and Saw Mills, and Cotton Presses and Screws.

Terms reasonable. ORDERS forwarded to Rocky Mount, Mecklenburg county, N. C., punctually attended to, if within 20 miles of the place.

W. H. NICHOLSON.

Nov. 20 1855. 40tf

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