Anecdotes, &c.

AN INVITATION TO DINNER.

It was observed that a certain rich man never invited any one to dine with him.—"I'll bet a wager," said a wag, "I get an invitation from him." The wager being accepted, he goes the next day to the rich man's house about the time he was to dine, and tells the servant he must speak with his master immediately, for he could save him a thousand pounds. "Sir," said the servant to his master, "here is a man in a great hurry, who says he can save you a thousand pounds." Out come the master. "What is that, sir, you can save me a thousand pounds?" "Yes, sir, I can but I see you are at dinner, I will go myself and dine, and call again." "O pray, sir, come and take dinner with me." "I shall be troublesome." "No not at all." The invitation was accepted. As soon as dinner was over, and the family retired, the conversation was resumed. "Well, sir," said the man of the house, "now to your business. Pray let me know how I am to save a thousand pounds?" "Why, sir," said the other, "I hear you have a daughter to dispose of in marriage." "I have, sir." "And that you intend to portion her with ten thousand pounds." "I do, sir."—"Why, then sir, let me have her, and I will take her at nine thousand!"

WAIT.

We were accosted last evening, says the editor of a Boston paper, by a gentlemanly looking man, evidently balancing a clever sized brick in his action: "I say, mister, you be kind enough to tell me the way to Broadway." "No Broadway here, sir, this is not New York." "No! eh! ha! yes, that's a fact. Well; I beg your pardon; your pardon; show me to—to Fourth street—Mil—Mister's hotel." "Now you're in Philadelphia, old boy.—Wrong again." "Ha! ha! well I'm —— confused, that's a fact. All right. Please tell me whe—whether it's left—left or right I take to Holliday street." "That's a street that hasn't got this way, yet. Perhaps you are thinking of Baltimore."—"Well, where the deuce am I, anyhow?" We told him Boston. He jammed his fists it to his pockets, after hitting his hat a swash, and stepped out observing: "Well, I'm —— if I follow this temperance caravan any longer!"

"WELL I GUESS NOT."

A toper some time since, says an exchange, went into a bar room in the western part of the state, where it is unlawful to sell liquor, and called for "something to drink."

"We don't sell liquor," said the law-abiding landlord; "but we will give you a glass, and then if you want a cracker, we will sell it to you for three cents!"

"Very well," said the customer, "hand down the decanter."

The "good creature" was handed down, and our hero took a stiff "bore," when, turning around to depart, the unsuspecting landlord handed him a stick of crackers with the remark,

"You'll buy a cracker?"

"Well, no," said the customer, "I guess not; you sell 'em too dear; I can get lots on 'em five or six for a cent, anywhere else."

A LEARNED BLUNDER

When Dr. Adam Littleton was compiling his Latin dictionary, somebody observes, assisted by an amanuensis, he dictated the word concurro. The scribe supposing that the various sense of the word in English would begin, as usual, with the most literal one, said "To concur, I suppose, sir." The Doctor immediately exclaimed peevishly, "Con cur! coming!" and accordingly, the amanuensis, supposing the latter word to be dictated, immediately wrote coming as the translation of concurro. It was even printed thus in the first edition of the 1678, through this laughable blunder was corrected in the subsequent editions.

THE MAN WITH A SHAVE VERY APT.—We find in the Gospel Banner the following advertisement:

"I am desirous of wearing the sessions of two male teachers by trade around the coming winter. I take this method therefore of making known the fact. If this notice meets the eye of any man (I mean physical as to sex) who is willing to teach as well as keep school, I should be happy to see him.

N. B.—No person who wears a shovel, spectacles, or smokes with a pipe, need apply, as sufficient instruction from such there has already been had."

CONUNDRUMS.

Why is a benevolent man like a cart horse? Ans. Because he always stops at the sound of "whoa."

Why is a pig's tail like a carving knife? Ans. Because it finishes over a ham.

☞ An Irishman in New Haven, being called upon for his excuse for not enlisting in the Lincoln army, responded that he "couldn't run well." He was passed over as wholly disqualified.

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA,
MECKLENBURG COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, April Term, 1861.

J. W. Morrow, vs. B. A. Culp. } Original attachment levy on land.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that B. A. Culp, the defendant in this case, is not an inhabitant of the State of North Carolina, but resides beyond the limits of the same, *It is therefore Ordered*, by said Court that publication of six successive weeks in the North Carolina Whig a newspaper printed in the Town of Charlotte notifying the said defendant to be and appear before the Justices of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions at the next Court to be held for said county of Mecklenburg, at the Court House in Charlotte on the 4th Monday of July next, then and there to plead answer or demur or judgment pro confesso will be taken against him.

Witness, W. K. Reid Clerk of said Court at office the 4th Monday at April A. D. 1861, and in the 85th year of American Independence.

W. K. REID, c. c. c.

May 21, 1861. Printers Fee. $6. 13 t

MERCHANT TAILORING

FULLINGS, SPRINGS & CO.

HAVE added to their Ready-made Clothing Stock, a Merchant Tailoring Department, to which they call the especial attention of their many friends and customers.

They intend making this experiment second to none in the State, either in style and quality of Goods, or in the manufacture of Garments.

At all times will be found a good stock of Black and Colored Cloths, English, French and American Cassimeres, and a variety of Vestings. Also, an assortment of

ROCK ISLAND CASSIMERES,

They feel confident of their ability to undersell any other house in the State, from the advantages they have in getting their goods.

Their goods are bought by the quantity, by one of the Firm who resides in the Northern markets, which gives him the opportunity of taking advantage of the prices of goods, thereby saving at least

☞ Twenty-Five Per Cent ☜

To their customers. ☐ Dimes saved are Dollars made. ☐ Try us.

E. FULLINGS,
JNO. M. SPRINGS,

September 25, 1860. 27tf

FALL OPENING.

New Store, New Goods!

AT

Leowenstein & Bro.

NEARLY opposite the Court House, where they have to exhibit a stock of

DRY GOODS,

CLOTHING,

BOOTS, SHOES HATS,

AND

CAPS,

and a large variety of

DOMESTIC GOODS

AND

GROCERIES.

Persons will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOEWENSTEIN & BRO.

October 3, 1860. 29tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
CALDWELL COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, May Term, 1861.

James C. Harper, vs. William Gaither. } Land Levy.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that William Gaither, the defendant in this case resides beyond the limits of the State of North Carolina, so that ordinary process of law cannot be personally served upon him, ordered that publication be made for six consecutive weeks in the North Carolina Whig, notifying said defendant to be and appear at the next term of our said Court to be held for the County aforesaid, at the Court House in Lenoir on the 5th Monday after the 4th Monday in June next, to show cause if any he can why the plaintiff's judgment shall not be confirmed and the land condemned for plaintiffs debt and cost.

Witness, S. P. Dula, Clerk of our said Court at Office in Lenoir the 4th Monday after the 4th Monday in March, 1861.

S. P. DULA, c. c. c.

June 4, 1861. Printers Fee $6. 49

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.
CALDWELL COUNTY.
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions August Term, 1861.

Perrin A. Long vs. William Gaither. } Levy on Real Estate in Lenoir.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that William Gaither is not a resident of the State of North Carolina, but resides beyond the limits of the same, *It is therefore Ordered*, that publication be made for six successive weeks in the North Carolina Whig, notifying said defendant to be and appear at the next term of our said Court to be held for the County aforesaid, at the Court House in Lenoir on the 5th Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, and plead, answer or demur to said complaint, or judgment will be confirmed, and an order of sale issued to levy.

Witness, J. R. Wilson, Clerk of our said Court at Office in Lenoir the 4th Monday after the 4th Monday in June, 1861.

J. R. WILSON, c. c. c.

Sept. 3, 1861. Printers Fee $6. 12n

Granite Mill Stones

FROM THE CLOUD CREEK QUARRIES

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT, S. C.

A LOT of these very superior stones for Mill proprietors, being superior to the French Burr in every respect, and cheaper and more easily procured in Europe. The undersigned is prepared to furnish them at the above rate, at any depot in Charleston or Augusta, immediately.

Address E. W. McLENNA,
Oct. 23, 1861—3tpd. Lowndes, S.C.

ROBT. H. COWAN,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT
WILMINGTON, N. C.

☞ Office, South Corner Market and Water Streets.

October 11, 1861. 1y

COUNTING-HOUSE ALMANAC

FOR

1862.

Being the Second after Bissextile or Leap Year, containing 365 Days, and until the 4th of July, the 86th of our Independence.

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J. S PHILLIPS

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAVING located in Charlotte, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.

A complete assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings always on hand, which will be made to order at the shortest notice, after the latest fashion.

Store three doors South of the Mansion House.

September 27, 1860. 29tf

Z. B. JOHN,

General Collecting Agent

Eutaulowa, Perry County, Alabama.

WILL attend promptly to the collection of all claims placed in his hands.

Estate Claims looked after, *Land Claims* perfected and overcoming obstacles taken up at reasonable charges.

TEXAS CLAIMS.

☞ Collections made in Texas, as heretofore, through my attorneys in that State. Prompt attention may be safely depended on.

February 26, 1860. 43-1y

WALTON HOUSE.

AT THE LEASE OF THE PRESENT Proprietor will terminate on the 25th of May next, I solicit a share of the public patronage for the ensuing year, this popular Hotel, to a man who can give such references, (some *stay need apply*) as will satisfy the owners that it will be kept so as not to detract from the reputation which it enjoys as a first class Hotel.

The Patronage of the House is large and increasing. From its central position, and established character cannot fail of success, if properly conducted. Any further information in detail will be given by addressing.

T. G. & W. M. WALTON.
Morganton, N. C.

Feb. 5, 1861. 52t—M

JOHN S. WILEY,

MANUFACTURER AND IMPORTER OF

HAVANA SEGARS,

AND DEALER IN

chacco, Snuff, Matches, Paper &c.,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

SERMBATA'S Pipes, &c., constantly on hand.

January 1, 1860. 6tf

WHEAT WANTED.

THE planting community will take notice that their Wheat Crop will be purchased at the Charlotte Steam Flouring Mill, at market prices. Those having Wheat for sale may find it to their advantage to call at the Mill before disposing of it elsewhere.

JOHN WILKES & CO.

July 9, 1859. 4tf

J. Y. BRYCE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

COTTON and all KINDS of PRODUCE,

TRADE STREET,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

☞ All orders attended to with despatch.

April 17, 1860. 4tf

WASHINGTON HOTEL,

(CHANGE OF PROPRIETORS.)

BROAD STREET NEWBERN, N. C

JOHN F. JONES, Proprietor.

THE Undersigned respectfully announces to the travelling public that he has taken the establishment, and charge of this old and popular establishment, and is now prepared to accommodate travelers and private families by the day or month, on accommodating terms.

The TABLE will always be furnished with the most delicacies that home and foreign markets can afford.

The **Washington Hotel** has large rooms, is nearer the depot, the court house, and the business streets than any other in the city.

An *Omnibus* will always be at the depot and landing, on the arrival of the cars and steamboat, to convey passengers to the Hotel free of charge.

By stopping at this Hotel, passengers will have ample time to obtain meals.

Having also a large and commodious Stable, and an excellent Ostler, he is fully prepared to board horses by the day, week or month at the most reasonable rates.

JOHN. F. JONES.

March 1, 1859. 51tf

Charlotte Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

THIS COMPANY continues to take risks against loss by fire, on Houses, Goods, Freights, &c., at usual rates.

☞ Office at the Drug Store of E. Nye Hutchison & Co.,

OFFICERS.

A. C. STEELE, *President.*
C. OVERMAN, *Vice President.*
E. NYE HUTCHISON, *Sec'y & Treas'r.*

DIRECTORS.

A. C. STEELE, J. L. BROWN,
M. B. TAYLOR, S. T. WRISTON,
C. OVERMAN, F. SCARR,
WM. JOHNSTON.

JOHN L. BROWN, F. SCARR and S. T. WRISTON, *Executive Committee.*

April 26, 1859. 7tf

MANSION HOTEL,

IN

ALBEMARLE.

THE subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to his friends, and the public generally, that he has taken the long established and well known Hotel, and has made every possible preparation to accommodate the business, travelling and visiting portions of the public, in the most satisfactory manner.

Particular attention is paid to his

TABLE,

and every comfort is provided in his

ROOMS.

His STABLES are abundantly supplied and attended by careful ostlers; and he will despatch the proprietor gives his personal attention.

A comfortable OMNIBUS runs regularly to the depot on the arrival of the cars.

With these efforts to please, a liberal share of the public patronage is confidently solicited.

WM ROWZEK.

November 15, 1859. 3tf

SPRING

AND

SUMMER

GOODS.

THE subscriber has received a large and varied assortment of

GOODS,

for Spring and Summer, which for cheapness and neatness, cannot be surpassed, consisting in part of

Black and colored CLOTHS,
Black DOESKINS,
Plain, Black and Fancy CASSIMERES,
French Drab D' ETES,
Plain Black and Figured Silk VESTINGS,
Fancy Linen DRILLS,

and all other goods usually kept by him in a first class Tailoring Establishment. All of which will be made to order or sold by the yard on accommodating terms.

J. S. PHILLIPS.

In returning my thanks to the citizens of Charlotte, for the very liberal patronage they have bestowed on me, I would respectfully state that I have just received a nothing stock of the latest, which I am prepared to make up in the most fashionable manner, and warranted to give satisfaction.

J. S. P.

April 17, 1860. 4tf

CHARLOTTE HOTEL,

BY

J. H. BECKWITH,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

THE Proprietor of this Hotel is still at his post ready to receive the friends of "more kind" to the travelling public and others who may call on him, and he believes himself that he comfortable quarters can be found with him as any where in the country. Being situated nearly in the centre of Mecklenburg, Farmers Men will find this Hotel a most convenient and desirable location. He has been engaged in the business at this place nearly eighteen years, and he thinks it is the most central and popular in the former house, and it has been greatly enlarged and improved, presenting in front a two story VERANDA 100 feet in length by 12 feet in width, to comfortably shelter by trees on the side walk, affording a pleasant promenade at all hours of the day.

The House has been thoroughly furnished throughout, and in every part of it creature comforts are abundant and tempting, especially in the DINING ROOM, where the "inner man" is "treated" day by day.

Connected with this Hotel are Stables affording room for 100 horses, abundantly furnished with grain and provender, attended by faithful and obliging ostlers.

The Proprietor feels confident that with his long experience and many new advantages even to his desire to please, he is prepared to offer his friends and the "rest of mankind," as many comforts and as much good cheer as will be found anywhere, perhaps a little more so.

☞ Stop at the Charlotte Hotel.

J. H. KERR

October 19, 1858. 3tf

R. W. BECKWITH

HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND

WATCHES, JEWELRY,

PLATED WARE, &c.

OF THE BEST ENGLISH AND AMERICAN MANUFACTURE. Call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

SCARRS' DRUG STORE

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

A Reliable House for Pure

CHEMICALS, DRUGS, &C.

CHOICE AND ELEGANT PERFUMERIES.

Hair, Nail and Tooth Brushes of the Finest Quality.

PURE WINES AND BRANDIES

For Medical Purposes.

OILS, Paints, FLUID.

FINE WHITE KEROSENE.

KEROSENE LAMPS.

April 2 1 tf

PRESERVE YOUR TEETH.

A. W. ALEXANDER,

SURGEON DENTIST.

GRADUATE OF THE BALTIMORE DENTAL COLLEGE.

IS FULLY PREPARED TO DO ALL DENTAL Work in the latest improved styles, and will be at Rockfish two weeks in each month beginning from the first Monday (or the month) and will appropriate the remainder of his time to all persons desiring work done at their residences who will oblige him very much by addressing him at Charlotte, N. C.

☞ ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Office, opposite Kerr's Hotel, Brown's building, up stairs.

April 16, 1861. 3tf

☞ **Notice.**

JOHN T. BUTLER

PRACTICAL

WATCH and CLOCK

MAKER,

JEWELLER, &c.

OPPOSITE KERR'S HOTEL,

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

(Late with R. W. Beckwith.)

Fine Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, of every description, repaired and warranted for 12 months.

October 16, 1860. 30tf

Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Rail Road.

WESTERN DIVISION.

ON and after Monday the 15th instant, the Passenger and Mail Train will be run on this Road daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

GOING WEST.

Leave.		Arrive.
7 00 A. M.	Charlotte,	
7 45 "	Tuckaseege,	7 42 A. M.
8 15 "	Bevards,	8 10 "
8 45 "	Stanley,	8 37 "
	Lincolnton,	9 00 "

GOING EAST.

Leave.		Arrive.
11 00 A. M.	Lincolnton,	
11 23 "	Stanley,	11 20 A. M.
11 50 "	Bevards,	11 43 "
12 15 P. M.	Tuckaseege,	12 13 P. M.
	Charlotte,	1 00 "

By order, V. A. McBEE
Acting Master of Transportation.

Lincolnton, April 4, 1861. 2tf

NEW SUPPLY OF

Watches, Jewelry, Solid Silver

AND

Plated Ware,

THE subscriber has just returned from the North where he has purchased a very extensive supply of the above articles. His purchases being made entirely from the manufacturers, he is enabled to offer at a very small advance on cost and persons may rest assured that all his articles are warranted to be what he represents them to be.

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

R. W. BECKWITH.

October 2, 1860. 29tf

Notice.

ALL persons indebted by note or book account to the Estate of the late Thomas J. Holton are requested to come forward and settle the same as no longer can be given and all persons having claims against said Thomas J. Holton's Estate are requested to present the same within the time prescribed by law or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

E. NYE HUTCHINSON, *Ex'tr.*
of THOS. J. HOLTON.

February 5, 1861. 45

☞ **Notice.**

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Andrew Springs, dec'd., will make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against said estate, will present them duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

T. H. BREM *Ex'r.*

October 30, 1860. 3tf

HOOP POLES,

STAVES AND CORD WOOD.

WANTED at the CHARLOTTE STEAM MILLS.

Oct. 7, 1861. JOHN WILKES. 5t

SANFORD'S LIVER INVIGORATOR,

NEVER DEBILITATES.

IT is compounded entirely from Gums, and approved by all who have tested it with recondence it is recommended.

It has cured thousands who had given up all hopes, and pronounced incurable.

The best medicine in the world for those suffering from the effects of young or old, and really with the vitals.

Let the debtors of young or old use the LIVER INVIGORATOR for Liver Complaints, Dyspepsia, Summer Complaint, Dropsy, Sour Stomach, Costiveness, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Fever and Ague, Jaundice, Headache, and may be used as a Family Medicine. HEADACHE, in twenty minutes, if teaspoonfuls are taken.

All who use it are giving it their testimony.

SIX WATER IN THE MOUTH WITH THE INVIGORATOR, AND SWALLOW BOTH TOGETHER.

Price One Dollar per Bottle.

— ALSO, —

SANFORD'S FAMILY CATHARTIC PILLS,

COMPOUNDED FROM

Pure Vegetable Extracts, and put up in GLASS CASES, Air Tight, and will keep in any Climate.

The Family Cathartic Pill has been used in the practice more than any other Pill, and has given more general satisfaction than any other Pill. Pill is the Family Cathartic Pill, for Costiveness, Pain in the Back, Loss of Appetite, Sick Headache, Jaundice, Dropsy, Worms in Children, Fever and Ague, Headache, Dizziness, Coming of the Blood, Piles, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, Fever and Ague, Jaundice