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FOR SALE AT THE CAROLINIAN OFFICE, **at 75 cents per quire.**

For any quantity over 6 quires, 60 cts per quire.

MARBLE FACTORY: BY GEO. LAUDER.

Nearly opposite to E. W. Willkings' Auction Store. FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Oct. 1, 1851—y

The largest Stock of Goods *ever offered by us.*

We are now receiving much the LARGEST STOCK of

Dry Goods,

Hats, Caps and Bonnets, Shoes, Boots, Umbrellas, &c.

Ever offered by us in this place, to which we particularly invite the attention of Merchants, as we are determined not to be undersold.
STARR & WILLIAMS.
Aug. 28, 1852. 705-tf

A. H. WHITFIELD,

CARRIAGE-MAKER,

Fayetteville, N. C.,

Would respectfully inform the public that he is still at his old stand carrying on the above business in all its branches. He returns thanks for the liberal patronage he has received, and hopes by a strict attention to business, and a desire to please all and give general satisfaction, to merit a continuance of the same.

He warrants all his work to be made of the best material and by experienced workmen—having a more *experienced* and *practical Smith*, he flatters himself that his work will compete with any made in the State for style, elegance and durability; and should any of it fail in 12 months (with fair usage) either in workmanship or material, he will repair it free of charge

Persons wishing to buy, would do well to call and examine his work, as he is determined to sell low for cash or on short time.

Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to.

☞ Repairing neatly executed at short notice and lowest possible prices.

Fayetteville, Feb. 12, 1853.

NEW DRUG STORE.

The subscriber having taken the Store on Green street, known as the McPherson Building, nearly opposite Dr. Robinson's Shop, is now receiving a fresh and well assorted stock of

Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, and Perfumery.

Together with a good assortment of Hair, Flesh, Tooth, Paint, and Whitewash Brushes; Cupping, Tooth, and Surgical Instruments; Galvanic Batteries, &c. &c. All of which he offers low for Cash or on time to punctual customers.

Orders respectfully solicited from Country Physicians and others, who may depend on procuring fresh and genuine articles, and that no pains will be spared to give satisfaction both in quality and in price.

☞ MEDICAL PRESCRIPTIONS carefully and accurately prepared.
J. N. SMITH.
Jan'y 29, 1853. 727-tf

House & Lot for Sale.

I offer for sale my Dwelling House and the adjacent lot situated on Haymount, in that neighborhood known as Athens. The House is two stories, and contains five rooms. The lot is about three quarters of an acre in extent The entire premises are in good repair, and are situated conveniently to an excellent well of water. For terms and any other information apply to HUGH GRAHAM,
Feb 19, 1853. tf Market Square.

Colored Daguerreotypes.

My room is again open for the reception of visitors, or those who may want Likenesses of themselves or families, single or in groups, and in every style imaginable, for I have recently purchased a variety of fancy cases to suit all tastes.

Hours for children from 11 a. m. until 1 p m.

Instructions in the Art given, and aperatus furnished if wished. My room is in the same place, Benbow's buildings, near Cape Fear Bank.
T. O. SMITH.
Nov 6, 1852. 3m

E. C. HALL,

OF ROME,

Successor of Hall, Sackett & Co.

Has now on hand a general assortment of

Dry Goods, Saddlery, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Hardware, Groceries.

A much larger and more general stock than ever opened on the East side of the Cape Fear—which he is prepared and determined to sell to punctual customers, either at wholesale or retail, at greatly reduced prices.

☞ He would call particular attention to his stock of BOOTS AND SHOES. The assortment is unusually large, and of every quality and style and having been bought for Cash, he can and will sell them very low.

You that wish Bargains will find it to your interest to give the Stock an examination before buying elsewhere.

Always on hand, a general stock of GROCERIES.
May 1, 1852.

WANT OF MONEY!

I will sell my SUMMER RESIDENCE, two miles from the Market, on the Fayetteville and Western Plank Road—one of the most desirable and healthy places in the county

Also, 40 Shares of Fayetteville and Western Plank Road Stock, and 30 Shares of Fayetteville Hotel Stock.

With the largest stock of Ready made CARRIAGES and BUGGIES ever offered in this place—over $5000 worth—completely finished. All of which I will sell at very reduced prices for cash or negotiable notes.

So little attention has been paid to the call made by me after the fire of the 2d Jan'y, on those indebted to me to call and settle, that I am induced to offer the above property at reduced prices to enable me to rebuild my Carriage Establishment and continue my business with convenience.

I shall place notes in proper hands for collection, if not paid soon. I have all my accounts made out to the 1st Jan'y 1852.
A. A. McKETHAN.
April 10, 1852. 685-tf

AT THE RED SIGN.

McDONALD & McMASTER,

DEALERS IN

Groceries, Liquors, Provisions, &c

Gillespie Street.

Yellow building, between the Market House and State Bank, FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

☞ Just received, 50 bbls Yellow and Mercer Planting POTATOES, at reduced prices.
Feb'y 26, 1853 tf

30 Sacks Wm. R. Holt's FLOUR, in 100 lb. sacks.
2000 Lbs Superior Mountain Butter, in small Firkins,
100 Casks Lime. For sale by
D. & W. McLAURIN.
Jan'y 19, 1853 tf

WANTED,

3000 Barrels common Rosin, immediately.
Apply to BRANSON & JOHNSON,
Successors to H. Branson & Son.
Jan 15, 1853 tf

C. W. ANDREWS,

Dealer in Stoves,

AND MANUFACTURER OF

PLAIN AND JAPAN

TIN WARE,

Copper, Tin Plate and Sheet-Iron Worker.

I have in my employment competent workmen, and am prepared to do all kinds of work, either in COPPER, TIN OR SHEET-IRON.

I have on hand all the necessary materials and machinery for making Factory Cans and Drums, and to do all kinds of factory work that can be done by any similar Establishment in the State.

Also, for sale, Patent Factory Can Rings, varying from 9 to 14 inches; Drum Beads, &c.

ROOFING, GUTTER & LEADER PIPES put up in the best manner.

Also, just received, a full supply of **COOKING STOVES**, of the most approved patterns, some of them very large for hotel and plantation use. ☞ Always on hand a good assortment of TIN WARE. C. W. ANDREWS,
South-east corner Market Square.
May 15, 1852 y

Medicines, &c.

Cod Liver Oil (Rushton & Clarks)	
Ayers' Pectoral,	Wistar's Balsam,
Swaim's Panacea,	Moffat's Bitters,
Wright's Pills,	" Pills,
Brandeth's "	Peters' "
Tricopherous	Fhan. Vermifuge,
Jaynes' Medicines,	Dead Shot "

For sale by J. N. SMITH,
Jan 29, 1852 tf Green street.

CLEMENT G. WRIGHT,
Attorney at Law,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
Office at the corner of Bow and Green streets.
Feb'y 5, 1853

White Corn Meal.

50 Bushels for sale by
BRANSON & JOHNSON
Feb'y. 12, 1853.

COPARTNERSHIP.

The undersigned have entered into a copartnership under the name and style of Geo. Williams & Co., for the prosecution of a general business. Location the same as occupied J. D. Williams for the last five years.
GEO. W. WILLIAMS.
JNO. D. WILLIAMS.
March 5, 1853. 632-tf

THOS. J. JOHNSON

Has just received
10 Bbls New Orleans Molasses,
10 " large Yellow Planting Potatoes
6000 Lbs Northern Bacon,
3000 Lbs N. C. do.
1000 Bushels Oats,
17 Hhds Cuba Molasses,
Ploughs and Castings, Blacksmiths' Tools.

Also, 1 light four-horse Wagon and 1 Buggy, 1 harness Horse, &c.
THOS. J JOHNSON, Person st.
March 5, 1853 tf

☞ Campbellton property for sale.

ROBESON COUNTY LAND FOR SALE.

The subscribers having purchased the entire interest of Thomas J. Curtis in the Land lately owned by him in the county of Robeson, offer for sale about **40,000 ACRES.** Much of this Land is fine timber and turpentine land, and will be sold in quantities and on terms to suit purchasers.

All persons are hereby warned not to trespass on any of these lands, as we will strictly enforce the law against all offenders.
JOSEPH THOMPSON,
ROBERT S. FRENCH.
Lumberton, March 1, 1853 3m

$75 Reward.

Ranaway from the subscriber on the 13th Feb, three negro fellows, ELIJAH, LIZAMOND, and LAFAYETTE. Said negroes were between the age of thirty and forty, of a dark yellow complexion, stout built, and about 5 feet 10 inches high. The above negroes were hired from Robt Alston of Chatham county, and I expect they are now lurking about his plantation, where they have wives.

The above reward will be paid for the apprehension and delivery of said negroes to me, or $25 for the delivery of either one of them.
D. W. ROGERS.
Lumberton, N C, March 2, 1853 tf

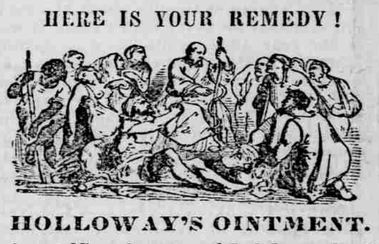
LIVERY STABLES.

The undersigned continue to carry on the Livery Business at this place. They have lately largely increased their stock, and can now offer to the public as good Horses, Carriages and Drivers as can be found in the southern country.

Thankful for the large patronage heretofore extended to us, we solicit a continuation of public favor. We promise a satisfactory trip to all who may wish to travel.

Stables at the West end of Mumford street, where one of the proprietors may always be found, or at the Store first door east of Mr T S Lutterloh's.
J. W. POWERS & CO.
Fayetteville, March 5, 1853 y

HERE IS YOUR REMEDY!



HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

A most Miraculous cure of Bad Legs, after 43 Year's Suffering.

Extract of Letter from Mr Wm. Galpin, of 70 St. Mary's Street, Weymouth, dated May 15th, 1851.

To Professor HOLLOWAY:

Sir—At the age of 18, my wife (who is now 61) caught a violent cold, which settled in her legs, and ever since that time they have been more or less sore, and greatly inflamed. Her agonies were distracting, and for months together she was deprived entirely of rest and sleep. Every remedy that medical men advised, was tried, but without effect—her health suffered severely, and the state of her legs was terrible. I had often read your advertisments, and advised her to try your Pills and Ointment: and, as a last resource, after every other remedy had proved useless, she consented to do so. She commenced six weeks ago, and, strange to relate, she is now in good health. Her legs are painless, without seam or scar, and her sleep sound and undisturbed. Could you have witnessed the sufferings of my wife during the last forty-three years, and contrast them with her present enjoyment of health, you would indeed feel delighted in having been the means of so greatly alleviating the sufferings of a fellow-creature.
(Signed) WILLIAM GALPIN.

A Person 70 Years of Age Cured of a Bad Leg of 30 Years Standing.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Wm Abbs, Builder of Gas Ovens of Rushcliffe, near Huddersfield, dated May 31st, 1851.

To Professor HOLLOWAY:

Sir—I suffered for a period of thirty years from a bad leg, the result of two or three different accidents at the Gas Works, accompanied by scorbutic symptoms. I had resource to a variety of medical advice, without deriving any benefit, and was even told that the leg must be amputated, yet, in opposition to that opinion, your Pills and Ointment have effected a complete cure in so short a time, that few who had not witnessed it would not credit the fact
(Signed) WILLIAM ABBS
The truth of this statement can be verified by Mr. W. P. England, Chemist, 13 Market street, Huddersfield.

A Dreadful Bad Breast Cured in One Month.

Extract of a Letter from Mr. Frederick Turner, of Penshurst, dated December 13th, 1850.

To Professor HOLLOWAY:

Dear Sir: My wife had suffered from bad breasts more than six months, and during the whole period had the best medical attendance, but all to no use. Having before healed an awful wound in my own legs by your unrivalled medicine, I determined again to use your Pills and Ointment, and therefore gave them a trial in her case: and fortunate it was I did so, for in less than a month a perfect cure was effected, and the benefit that various other branches of my family have derived from their use, is really astonishing. I now strongly recommend them to all my friends.

The Pills should be taken conjointly with the Ointment in most of the folowing cases:

Bad Legs	Chiego-foot,	Fistulas,
Bad Breasts,	Chilblains,	Gout,
Burns,	Chapped Hands,	Gladula Swellings
Bunions,	Corns, (soft)	Lumbago,
Bite of Mosquitos	Cancers,	Piles,
and sand flies,	Contracted and stiff Joints,	Rheumatism,
Coco-Bay,		Scalds,
Elephantiasis,	Sore Nipples,	Skin Diseases,
Sore Throat,	Scurvey,	Sore Heads,
Tumors,	Ulcers,	Wounds,
Yaws.		

Sold by the Proprietor, 244 Strand, (near Temple Bar,) London, and by all respectable venders of Patent Medicines, throughout the British Empire, and by those of the United States, in pots and boxes, at 37½ cents, 87 cents, and $1 50 each. Wholesale, by the principal Drug houses in the Union, and by Messrs. A. B. & D. SANDS, New York; and Mr. J. HORSEY, 84 Maiden Lane, New York.

There is very considerable saving in taking the larger sizes.

N B.—Directions for the guidance of patients are affixed to each pot or box.

FORTUNES MA... From a small ... making money, ... tech, and ... profounded press, points ... of making immense ... process of advertising ... less large ... have ... be made ... sons of ... make ... work ... will ... Marcy, Cushing and the gallant whole souled young Democrat, James C. Dobbin Judge Cushing and Hon Wm. L. Marcy are too well known to require eulogium—but Mr Dobbin, though not so well known, is not the less talented. In his own State (N. Carolina,) he has done yeoman service for the cause for many years past, holding many important posts of honor and trust at the hands of the people, and was more recently the regular nominee of the Democracy of the State Legislature for the U. S. Senate. All who were at the National Democratic Convention which nominated Gen. Pierce, will remember the part he took at a time when discontent prevailed throughout that body. Amid the cries for adjournment, James C. Dobbin rose and in the most touching manner appealed to the Democracy—stating that North Carolina having done all she could for the man of her choice, Jas. Buchanan, he now come by authority of his fellow-delegates, to offer the vote of that State to a man who in the councils of the nation, had displayed unequalled patriotism, and ability, and rare sense, and who on the tented field of battle, had met the enemies of his country with heroic bravery and undaunted courage—Franklin Pierce of New Hampshire.

It would be folly to describe the enthusiasm which followed this speech; thunders of applause spoke the approbation of the Convention, and it was on that ballot that the President elect received the nomination Mr Dobbin is thoroughly acquainted with the demands of the Navy, and will make this branch of the national defence what it should be. Success to the chivalrous, generous Dobbin."

SAD EFFECTS OF INTEMPERANCE.—On Saturday the 19th ult., Mr Robert Dickson attended the constable's election at Gunter's in the South eastern part of Orange, and drank freely during the day In the evening when quite drunk, he left for his home on horseback; and it is supposed was thrown from his horse as soon as he got out of sight of the store. On the Monday following his body was found, hard frozen, the life being entirely extinct. Since the body was found, persons in the neighborhood remember to have heard some cries in that direction, but they supposed it proceeded from negroes, and not from one in distress. The impression is, that having been thrown from his horse, he was too drunk to help himself, and in consequence of the exposure, perished with cold. We learn that an inquest was held over his body, and a verdict rendered in accordance with the above facts.

Mr Dickson was a robust young man, about thirty years of age, and but for the unfortunate habit of drinking, might have made a useful citizen. That habit not only destroyed his usefulness, but has brought him to a sudden and terrible death—a fearful warning to those who are following in his footsteps.—*Hillsborough Recorder.*

Among the contributions to the Washington National Monument during the last month was the sum of $20 from Fayetteville.

FAMILY FLOUR.

A few Barre's Superior Family Flour. Also, 40 Barrels Yellow Planting Potatoes. For sale by GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.
March 5, 1853. 632-tf

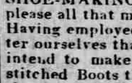
Fresh Stone Lime.

Just received, 400 casks Fresh Stone Lime.
For sale by J. W. POWERS & CO.
March 5, 1853 732-3t

The undersigned having purchased Mr T S Lutterloh's Distillery and Cooper Shops, have entered into copartnership under the name of McLaurin & Strange for the purpose of carrying on the distilling of Turpentine and the manufacture of spirit barrels.
D. McLAURIN,
WM McLAURIN,
JAS. W. STRANGE.
Feb 19, 1853

☞ The highest cash price paid for Turpentine, white oak Staves, and oak or ash Heading. Call on James W Strange, who can always be found at the Still. McLAURIN & STRANGE.
Feb'y 19, 1853. tf

NOTICE.



This will inform the citizens of Fayetteville and surrounding country, that we have formed a copartnership for the purpose of carrying on the BOOT AND SHOE-MAKING BUSINESS. Our desire is to please all that may favor us with their custom. Having employed the best of workmen, we flatter ourselves that we can give satisfaction. We intend to make the best pump, channiel and stitched Boots that can be made in the State, of the best material and workmanship. Also, Shoes of every grade from a brogan to the finest pump. We earnestly solicit a share of public patronage.
MALCOM FAULK & CO.,
Opposite Mr Lauder's Marble Factory.
Feb'y 5, 1853 3m

life, but to suppose that ... must, as a matter of course, acquire wealth by such means, is as absurd as to imagine that all the penniless and shoeless of London are capable of rising to the dignity and wealth of an alderman or the lord mayor of London simply by reading the "Young Man's Best Companion." Money is not so easily made as the writer of the article referred to would lead people to suppose; if it be so, few need be poor. But to our text: fortunes made by advertising. Undoubtedly the greatest man of the day as an advertiser is Holloway, who expends the enormous sum of twenty thousand pounds annually in advertisements alone; his name is not only to be seen in nearly every paper and periodical published in the British Isles, but as if this country was too small for this individual's exploits, he stretches over the whole of India, having agents in all the different parts of the upper, central, and lower provinces of that immense country, publishing his medicaments in the Hindoo, Oordoo, Goozratee, and other native languages, so that the Indian public take the Pills and use his Ointment according to general directions, as a Cockney would do within the sound of Bow Bells We find him again at Hong Kong and Canton, making his medicines known to the Celestials by means of a Chinese translation. We trace him from thence to the Philipine Islands, where he is circulating his preparations in the native languages. At Singapore he has a large depot; his agents there supply all the Islands in the Indian Seas. His advertisements are published in most of the papers at Sydney, Hobart Town, Launceston, Adelaide, Port Philip, and indeed in almost every town of that vast portion of the British empire. Returning homewards, we find his Pills and Ointment selling at Valparaiso, Lima, Callao, and other ports in the Pacific. Doubling the Horn, we track him in the Atlantic—Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Santos, Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, and Pernambuco: he is advertising in those parts in Spanish and Portuguese. In all the British West India Islands, as also in the Upper and Lower Canadas, and the neighbouring provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, his medicines are as familiarly known, and sold by every druggist, as they are at home. In the Mediterranean we find them selling at Malta, Corfu, Athens, and Alexandria, besides at Tunis and other portions of the Barbary States.

Any one taking the trouble to look at the 'Journal' and 'Courier' of Constantinople, may find in these, as well as other papers, that Holloway's medicines are regularly advertised and selling throughout the Turkish empire; and even in Russia, where an almost insurmountable barrier exists, the laws there prohibiting the entree of patent medicines, Holloway's ingenuity has been at work, and obviates this difficulty by forwarding supplies to his Agent at Odessa, a port situated on the Black Sea, where they filter themselves surreptitiously by various channels, into the very heart of the empire. Africa has not been forgotten by this indefatigable man, who has an agent on the River Gambia: also at Sierra Leone, the plague spot of the world, the inhabitants readily avail themselves of the Ointment and Pills; thus we can show our readers that Holloway has made the complete circuit of the globe, commencing with India, and ending, as we do, with the Cape of Good Hope, where his medicines are published in the Dutch and English languages: and while speaking of Dutch, we have heard that he has made large shipments to Holland, and is about advertising in every paper or periodical published in that kingdom: we might add that he has also started his medicine in some parts of France; in some portions of Germany; as also in some of the Italian states. We have been at some little trouble to collect all these facts, because we fear that the article before alluded to, "the Art of making Money," is calculated to lead people to spend their means in hope (as the author states) of making a hundred thousand pounds in six years for their pains, by holding up as an easy example to follow such a man as Holloway, who is really a Napoleon in his way. Many may have the means, but have they the knowledge, ability, energy, judgment, and prudence necessary? Failing in any one of these requisites, a total loss is certain. Holloway is a man calculated to undertake any enterprise requiring immense energies of body and mind. He has made a large fortune by his labours; and is, we should suppose, every day greatly increasing his wealth. Of course it is not to our interest to deter the public from advertising; but, as guardians of their interest, we think it our incumbent duty to place a lighthouse upon what we consider a dangerous shoal, which may perhaps sooner or later prevent shipwreck ... known the merits of his preparations ... nearly the whole world.

DISTRESSING OCCURRENCE—*A whole family Burned to Death.*—It pains us to learn that on Saturday night, 16th ult., the house of a Mr Stogner, living near Hailey's Ferry, in Richmond county, was consumed by fire, together with Mr Stogner, his wife, and their two children. The house was of logs, and when discovered was falling in. The remains of the unfortunate family were found together after the house was consumed.—*Wadesboro' Argus.*

SINGULAR PHENOMENON.—Some months ago, Mr Nicholas Flint, of Great Valley, in digging a well, after excavating to the depth of about 40 feet, and finding no water, determined to dig no deeper, as the space had already become so small that he was afraid, should he sink it deeper, that the sides would fall in, if he attempted to stone it up. He accordingly abandoned it, throwing planks across the mouth to prevent accident, intending to fill it up again when he had leisure. One day he heard a singular noise which seemed to proceed from the well, and on going to it, he discovered that it was caused by a heavy draft of air, forcing itself up from the well. This continued for some days, when the current of air became reversed, and there was a strong draft *downwards*, so much so, that light substances brought near the crevices in the planks, were instantly drawn in. He then procured a piece of pump-log about two feet long, with an aperture of two inches in diameter, and inserted this firmly in one of the planks. The air as it forces itself into or out of this tube, makes a roaring sound, which can be heard for nearly a mile. In fact, this well seems now to perform all the breathing functions of a huge pair of lungs, although the inhalations and exhalations continue for a much longer period than in any *other animal* now known—as it is sometimes several days in drawing in its breath, and as long a time in forcing it out. The boys in the neighborhood often amuse themselves, while exhalation is going on, by pulling their caps over the end of the tube, to see them thrown several feet into the air. Another fact is, that the respiratory organs of this "breathing monster" seem to be entirely under the control of the atmosphere; so that in addition to its other singularities, it acts the double part of thermometer and barometer. For some hours preceding a change from a lower to a higher degree of temperature, the inhalations grow less and less, until it is finally imperceptible; then the air commences rushing out—the current growing stronger and stronger, until the weather has become settled, after which it again subsides to await another depression of the mercury, 'to take in another breath.' Who will elucidate this mystery?—*Cataraugus Whig.*

ADVERTISING FOR A WIFE.—We clip the following advertisement from the Yorkville (S. C.) Miscellany of a recent date. It is a pity that a young man of respectable parentage, good personal appearance and sober and industrious habits should have to resort to the newspapers to make his wants and wishes known to the fair sex. He must be exceedingly modest.

WANTED.—A Young Man of this village, of respectable parentage, wishing to enter the holy bands of wedlock, offers himself as a candidate. The advertiser is about 24 years of age, of good personal appearance, sober and industrious. For further particulars address J. A. S., at this office. Strict confidence observed.
February 24, 1853.

THE MASSACHUSETTS TRUANT LAW.—By a law of Massachusetts, the authorities of Towns and cities are empowered to arrest and punish all boys who absent themselves from school and spend their time in idleness about the streets or elsewhere. The law works well, and whenever it has been executed the results are beneficial to truant boys and to society. Boston is divided into three districts under this law, and an officer is appointed in each to look after vagrant children. In September, October, and November, three officers arrested 625 truant children, who were dealt with according to their desert by the courts. Confirmed truants, of whom there were 191, were sent to the House of Reformation, Schools of Reform, or Farm Schools; others to Charity Schools or to the Alms House. The majority of the young offenders were induced to attend school punctually. The decrease of crime among the juvenile population, it is believed, will be one of the excellent results of this system.