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NEW WHOLESALE Shoe and Leather House.

WILSON, McILWAINE & Co., 66 Sycamore Street, PETERSBURG, VA.

HAVE RECEIVED, AND OFFER FOR SALE

PLANTATION AND RAILROAD BROGANS, TRUNKS, VALISES AND CARPET BAGS, SOLE AND UPPER LEATHERS, SHOE FINDINGS, &c., &c.

Sole Wholesale agents in this city for the zale of MITCHELL'S METALIC TIPPED BOOTS and Shoes for Boys and Girls. Merchants are invited to examine their stock and piices, which they are deter-mined shall compete successfully with houses here or

Orders promptly and carefully attended to by JOHN B. WILSON, JOHN McILWAINE, R. W. ROBERTS.

1859.

FALL 1859.

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DRYGOODS AT WHOLESALE. STEVENSON, WEDDELL & CO. PETERSBURG, VIRGINIA. DESIRE to call the attention of Wholesale but to their large and attractive Stock of Foreign and Domrstic Dry Goods,

STAPLE GOODS, FANCY GOODS, DRESS GOODS. NOTIONS, &c., &c.

Especially adapted to the wants of the North Carolins, Virginia and Tonnessee trade, which will be offered to prompt or Cash buyers upon such terms and at such prices as cannot fail to give entire satisfaction. One of the firm will attend the New York auction tales during the season, and forward Tri-Weekly by camers large additions to their stock.
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS,

N. B.—Special and prompt attention will be be stowed to ordera.
September 13.

GRAY BROTHERS'

LATEST IMPROVED Steel Rod Door & Gate Spring. Newly Invented Graduating Bracket. Patented Jan. 11, 1859.

GRAY BROTHERS, in attaching their Newly Invented Graduating Bracket to their "old and well known Door and Gate Spring," are fully convinced the article now offexed combines all the requisites of a perfect Spring, and is really superior to any thing now in the market, and claims this superiority for the follow-

2. Pacility in operation.
2. Adaptability to any kind of Door or Gate.

COFFINS! COFFINS!

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., HAVING obtained the exclusive right for Orange County, to sell Pisk's Metallic Burial Cases, would respectfully announce that he is now prepared to fill all orders for these air-tight, indestructible Burial Cases.

All descriptions and sizes of Common Coffins also kept on hand.

The MetaHic Burial Cases will also be kept for

eale by D. D. Phillips. Hillsborough. Chapel Hill, March 4.



GROVER & BAKER'S CELEBRATED

FAMILY SEWING MACHINES.

495 Broadway, New York.
A NEW STYLE—Price \$50.

THIS Machine sews from two spools, as purchased from the store, requiring no rewinding of thread; it Hems, Fells, Gathers, and Stitches in a superior style, finishing each seam by its own operation, without requires to the hand-needle, as is required by other machines. It will do better and cheaper sewing than a geamstress can, even if she works four one cent on hour. Bend for a Circular.
J. C. TURRENTINE & SON,

January 18.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

All notes and accounts contracted previous to 1st January, 1859, with us, were due at that time. We expeet them to be closed without failure

at February Court. J. C. TURRENTINE & SON. February 22, 1859.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c. C. WEBB & Co. bave just laid in, at their Drug

Store, a large supply of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dye Stuffs, &c.

which they will sell cheap, either at wholesale or retail.

Physicians and Painters are particularly invited to give them a call, as they feel satisfied that they can sell on as accommodating terms as any establishment in the State.

A CARD.

D. ROBERTSON, DENTIST,

AVING located in Chapel Hill, respectfully offers
his professions, services to the citizensof the town
and surrounding country. He can produce satisfactory
testimonials of his skill in the profession.
His office is at Dr. Moore's. When requested, famities will be wasted on at their residence. Charges res-

if Dr. R. will be in Hillshorough the fourth week in each month, also Superior Court weeks, and oftener (without extra charge) if requested.

DE ROSSET, BROWN & CO. WILMINGTON, N. C. BROWN, DE ROSSET & CO. NEW YORK. Commission Merchants.

Particular attention given to the sale of Naval Stores, Cotton and other Produce. April 20.

CASH AND BARTER Exchange.

Groceries, Clothing, Staple Dry Goods, and many other articles, for which this would be a moderate statement of the Cash or Barter "alone" will be ta- beneficial effects of such a course. Wheat, Flour, Corn, Bacon, Lard, Butter, Chickens, Eggs, Tallow, Beeswax, Flaxseed, Feathers, of the fertilizers, as so small a quantity as

sion. D. C. PARKS.

ROCK SPRING ACADEMY. THE third session of this Institution will open the fourth Monday in July, 1859, and continue for twenty weeks. The Academy is situated 10 miles

twenty weeks. The Academy is situated 10 miles southwest of Hillsborough, and 12 miles west of Chapri Hill; in a very moral and healthy community, and where every necessary requisite for procuring an education, is extended.

We prepare students for college, or for the ordinary business of life. The terms are as follows:

Classical or Scientific Course, \$20
English, Higher Branches, 15
Elementary,

Board per month, including all expenses, 7 T. D. Oldham, J. Moore, and J. F. Mainer, will take parders. They are living very convenient. For fur-

ther particulars address, W. P. OLDHAM, Principal, Oaks, Orange county, N. C.

Revival of Business.

5. Most Durable and powerful.
6. Cheapest and most simple.
13 These Door and Gate Springs are kept on hand for sale by K. B. WAITT, Chapel Hill, and D. D. PHILLIPS, Hillsborough.

All work executed at the shortest notice.

JAMES S. WATSON.

JONES'S KEROSENE LAMPS. A NEW lot of these improved lamps, which do not go not when exposed to a current of air, and by a process of radiation save at least one third of the oil, the common lamps. Also, the common Kerosene lamps. Jones's lamps are kept only by us.
J. C. TURRENTINE & SON.

BACON AND LARD FOR SALE. I HAVE a large lot of first quality Pamily Cured bacon for sale. Among the lot there is the best and nicest Sugar Cured Hams. Persons wanting Bacon either for family use or laboring hands would do

H. L. OWEN.

NEW GOODS. April, 1859.

AM now opening one of the Largest and Best Stock of Goods ever offered in this place, which I can sell

Clover, Lucerne, Timothy and Herds Grass Seeds,

NEW STYLE MANTILLA SHAWLS,

Also White Crape Shawls, at
J. C. TURKENTINE & SON'S.

CHOICE CALF SKINS, Shoe Thread and Shoe Nails, by J. C. TURRENTINE & SON.

RAGS! RAGS!!! RAGS!!! RAGS WANTED, by J. C. TURRENTINE & SON.

DRIED APPLES and Peaches wanted; the highest I, C. TURRENTINE & SON.

CHENOLENE-Expressly for Shirts, Embroidered mate, must encourage the weevils.

Skirts; also, Brass and Whalebone Hoops, and But the second and most important point J. C. TURRENTINE & SON. September 16.

" May your rich soil, Exuberant, nature's better blessings pour O'er every land."

FALL TOP DRESSING.

Fall dressing is a matter of more impor tance to farmers who rely on their grass lands for their principal source of income, than most agricultural economists, whether theoretical or experimental, are aware. Should we affirm that a dressing of one cord of stable manure to an acre, or what is perhaps better, its equivalent in cost in pi phates, guano, or some of the concentrated fer-tilizers, would, if applied the last of Autumn, just before the growth as suspended for the winter, produce a more marked effect on the crop of hay, the next season, than quadruple that amount would if applied in the Spring. or at any other time, we should be consider The subscriber has opened one door ed by many a most hopeless book farmer and above "The Printing Office," where theorizer, whose imagination was more ferhe intends keeping a full stock of tile in facts than land under such treatment would be in crops. The results of the best

Dried Fruit, Tow and Cottons, Wool not to be hardly perceptible in its direct influence as a manure on a small surface, when applied to the crop in the early stages of its growth, will, if used over a large surface in the Fall, so conserve and husband the vital forces of the plant, and the nourishment which it derives from the atmosphere and the rain and snow of winter, that it will virtually amount to a large application of stimulant and food. The following is the modus operandi. The whole force of the application is expended on the after-growth of the grass, which being short from the recent passage of will remain sound as fully as though placed wildowed mother, and had promised her that the or in the strong nearly all melted in the showe water, it having nearly all melted in the thin planking of the ship.

To this place I made my way, and looked their rested directly upon the thin planking of the ship.

To this place I made my way, and looked there rested directly upon the show water, it having nearly all melted in the thin planking of the ship.

To this place I made my way, and looked down. I heard the splashing of water, and though the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained much injury, for the shock was slight, but was very angry and gave think we had sustained mu which being short from the recent passage of will remain sound as fully as though placed widowed mother, and had promised her that the cask. I called out to him and thought thus forced upon it without sending up new spires, so that the effect is a visible thickening of this after-growth, which serves as a cover and protection for the soil through the winter. Now the atmosphere contains ammonis, carbon and other principles of nutrition which are brought down by the dews and rain, but the volatile parts of which are liable to rapid escape, unless some mode is taken to fix them in contract with the plants they are designed to nourish. This is effected the scythe, can not assimilate the nutriment in store. by chemical absorption, and partly by what with a may be termed more of a mechanical effect, ther. and which is the most important. There is a bad conductor, which being but little disturbed by the winds, holds in its embrace all the vobut is inconvenient if it is desirable to sell the boy's disposition. I was forced to acthe boy might leave it, whose feet were brastile nutriment which is brought down from the great atmospheric source above. An in-teresting illustration of this, and one often met with, may be seen in the sometimes tenfold amount of grass which springs up under appletree brush, which has been trimmed off in the Fall and allowed to remain till the next Spring. No one for a moment would suppose that the brush acted as a proper manure, by furnishing any food to the vegetation beneath, vet it has all the effect of manure by helping the grass to save that which is brought from other sources. The effect of this kind of treatment has been the most marked after a plant being of very hearty and vigorous ammonia, which is even apparent to the sen- the tens of thousands of acres of grain that ses, in case it has lain on the ground any spread out on every hand, or to supply the slowly towards the companion way.

Length of time. We are reminded in this other signs of thrift and industry that every His looks, words, and the slow, careless Jack Withers was taken to the cabin; there England, whose effect is directly the opposite railroads and canals and lakes lay there ready of this and the abandoning of, which would to take it to market, and a visit to some of have precisely the same relative results as the cities and towns of the three States the adopting of top dressing. We refer to showed very plainly that there was no lack to manner in which he have, and a manner in which he have a manner in which he have, and a manner in which he have, and a manner in which he have, and a manner in which he have the adopting of top dressing. We refer to showed very plainly that there was no lack a late Fall feeding, by which the damage to of purchasers. At Cincinnati, for instance, undaunted as a rock, the field must always exceed many fold the there are four large distilleries, consuming

where it was allowed to remain untouched.

WEEVILS IN CORN-REMEDY.

In order to keep weevils out of corn, the corn house should be so constructed that there shall be a free circulation of air above the body of corn, so that all the hot air rising 17- from the corn may pass out and fresh pass in. In order that this may be effected, the roof should project over the walls, ventilating holes being left immediately under the pro-jecting roof between all the joists. A close corn-house, especially in a warm, damp cli-

is this; to thoroughly sweep the corn house, that all the dirt from the corn, the weevils, the cobwebs, &c., may be entirely cleared out, and then a thourqueh white washing given to the whole, and let every chick and

corn on hand, it must be moved out of the way until the purgation process is gone

through.

The foregoing plan I have pursued for

out any effect. In conclusion, I would say that the free inside; the first is a mere show, the latter a ished on ship." real benefit.

DIGGING AND STORI NG POTATOES.

"G. K., States Hill, N. Y." inquires. Co. Gen., Sep. 15, 1859,) about the best time to dig potators to keep from rotting. Allow us to offer our views on the subjectalso on storing, collected from our own ex-

safer in the ground than in the cellar, at least until frost severe enough to freeze the ground came upon them. Have we any good reason When I was about forty years of age 1 the boxes alone. conducted experiments show, however, that digging has been advorated as a means of was an old craft, and had seen full as much Jack might have easily gone down, and to saving potatoes beginning to rot, but our service as she was capable of seeing with that point I easily crawled on my hands and trials of the practice only changed the place safety. But her owners were willing to trust knees. I called out there but could get no It is not pretended that the increase of grass the next season is owing to the nutriment derived directly from the application of the fertilizers, as so small a quantity as picking up and sorting over two or three day out, when we ran foul of a small iceburg.

It is not pretended that the increase of rotting from the hill to wherever the dug a valuable cargo in her, so I wouldn't refuse answer. A short distance farther was a space potatoes were placed, giving us the trouble to go myself. We were bound for Liverpool, mambered had been left open on account of picking up and sorting over two or three day out, when we ran foul of a small iceburg. times, to save, in the end, no more potatoes It was early in the morning, before sunrise, would have let everything that might have Janes, &c., bought or sold on commis- fluence as a manure on a small surface, when then we should have done had they remained and not above five or six feet of ice was a been stowed there rested directly upon the

they are designed to nourish. This is effected square, running up from the pit, will serve end of the mizzen-top-galiant halliards till I waited to hear no more, but hurried on the could hardly stand. I asked him if he deck as soon as possible, and returned with the chemical absorption, and possible and returned with the could hardly stand. isp of straw in the very co-

stratum of air between the top of the after the ground, if proper precautions as to sen- ment he staggered back again-t the mizzen timbers were completely worm eaten to the growth and the surface of the soil, which is a tilation and protection from moisture and most from absolute weakness, and I left him very heart, and one of the outer planks had in winter, and if rotting commences it may knowledge that he was one of the smartest ced against the cask, before him. Half-a-do-proceed to large extent before discovery, and most faithful lads I had ever seen. When great, save on the most porous soils, and with great care in roofing.

fields of corn" waved before the eye, the he didn't move I'd help him. winter, when much snow has fallen, as snow growth. The greatest marvel was where the pendent tone. is known to be a most powerful absorbent of hands were found to plant, and till, and reap advantage to the cattle. The after-growth together ten thousand bushels of corn daily of a rope, and beat him until my are which they would destroy, even after the four others of the same capacity. At Lockfrost has robbed it of its nutriment for them, four others of the same capacity. At Lock"How's that," said 1. would often be the means of doubling the land, ten miles from Cincinnati, are a flourdressing, caused it to groduce a ton more hay two large distilleries, using about five thou-rant. agricultural implement manufactory, and a ty, the reader can infer the amount of busi- the operation. ness, of its kind, and the enterprise and activity of the Western people.

N. Y. Commercial Advertises.

is never troubled with weevils, and my planation is in a hot, damp part of the seaboard. ger, but still a seaman of much experience, the same men told me that they had heard Previously to my using the lime I was very much disturbed by the weevils, and had recourse to sassafras roots, old hides, and Capt. Morton expressed himself very decidmany other things reccommended, but with- edly in favor of time honored institutions, it. "He'll beg before he'll starve," I thought,

the cat-o'-nine-tails. use of lime makes your corn-house smell Streeter, in reply, "that the condition of our head, in order to make the sailors hear him. sweet, and gives it the appearance of neat- man-o'-wars-men will be in every case bene- Some of the men asked leave to go down and ness and cleanliness, so admired by all, even fitted by the abolition of flogging, though I look for him, but I refused. I threatened though praticed by comparatively few. am sure that it might be so. I mean, of to punish the first man that dared to go Many planters white-wash outside, but never course, for such offences as are usually pun-down.

masters more passionate or severe than I was, had been in the hold thirty-six hours, and all than one occasion my life has been in danger weak to cry out now. It was hard for me to the cat and the rope's end almost as freely vation, it might go harder with me still. So prevalent among potatoes, that they were as I used my tongue; and I used to wonder at length I made up my mind to go and see

I would see him well treated-that was if he he looked up. ldest weat got enough, and he told me I might flog him a lantern and three men. I leaned

which I tound fault.

e didn't move I'd help him. have let in a stream of water of that capaci-"I didn't hear ye," he said, with an inde-ty. It would have been beyond our reach

" No words," said I. "I s'pose I can speak," he reforted, moving knew it must be where the iceberg struck

connection of a practice of farmers in New where met our eyes. The great network of manner in which he moved, fired me in a be managed to tell us his story. Shortly af-

crop of the next season, if allowed to reing mill, making two hundred barrels of better flog out," was the reply.

And I did flog him again. I beat him unthe timbers had wholly given away, and that

saw mill manufactory. At Beesenburg is and quickly seizing the lad by the collar, I ed for help. But he was so far away, so low one of the best grist mills in Ohio. At Mid- led him to the main hatchway, and had the down, with such a dense mass of cargo about dletown there are four grist mills, capable hatch taken off. I then thrust him down it, him that his voice scarcely reached other of producing from eight hundred to a thou- and swore I would keep him there until his cars than his own. Some of the men heard and sarrels of flour daily, and two large paper mills. At Carlisle, in the same vicinity, are two or three flouring mills, and two distilleries consuming from four thousand to five thousand bushels of corn daily. At Miamisburg are one large flouring mill and a large manufactory of agricultural implements. At Dayton there are five or six large flouring mills and distilleries. From these few tacts, gathered in only one locality, the reader can infer the amount of busing the mount of the men heard him but thought he was taking to himself.

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swer. So I closed the hatch and and went not have done it while he had life in him. away. At ten o'clock I called again and I He said he thought not of himself-he was Also given to the whole, and let every chick and other crevice have plenty of time put into it. This every man ought to have a wife. He says, the flogging had taken away his senses, had course must be pursued every fall before hariful a man is happily married, that one rib is not some of the men assured me that they worth all the bones in his body.

It is the opinion of a Western editor, that got no answer. I might have thought not of himself—he was ready to die—but he would save the rest if he could—and he had saved us, surely saved us some of the men assured me that they had heard him, not an hour before, talk-

ing to himself. I did not trouble him On my way across the Sound I fell in with again till morning. After breakfast I went two old sea captains-John Streeter and Ass to the hatchway and called out to him Morton-with whom I had some slight ac- once more. I heard nothing from him, nor more than twenty years, with the greatest quaintance. Capt. Streeter was about three could I see him—I had not seen him since success. My corn, although soft, (good seed) score, and had followed the sea during most I put him down there. I called out several

> and so determined to let him stay there. I "I am not prepared to say," remarked Capt supposed he had crawled forward to the bulk

At noon I went again, and as he did not "For my part," returned Morton, "I answer me this time, I resolved that he should shouldn't care to take command of a ship if come to the hatchway and call for me ere ! the power of punishing refractory seamen as went any more. The day passed away, and I thought proper were taken from me."

"Well," said Capt. Streeter, "I used to think just so. In fact, there were but few the boy had, and of his widowed mother. He Men used to run away from me, and on more of forty without food or drink. He was too from violence of men I have abused. I used give up, but if he had died from absolute star-

more if I wished it. I felt a strong inclina- side the boy, and could scarcely believe the Pitting polatoes in heaps on the surface of tion to throw the boy overboard, but at the mo- evidence of my own senses. Three of the The danger of excessive moisture is also I ssked him to do anything be would be off about him, and he was wet to the skin. I great, save on the most porous soils, and like a rocket; but when I roughly ordered saw that the plank must burst the moment him to do it, then came the disposition with the strain was removed from it, so I made hich I found fault.

One day when it was very near noon, I lifted him up. Other men were called down A FEW FACTS ABOUT THE WEST.

A recent tour through portions of Onio.

Illinois, Indiana, and Michigan gave us enlarged ideas of their immense productiveness. For interminable distances " smiling I spoke ripped out an oath and intimated if sex feet long by eight inches wide, and would

long ere we could have discovered it, and would have sunk us in a very short time. I

"Speak to me again like that, and I'll flog and when he became used to the glimmer that came through the dead-lights, looked aboot for a snug place in which to lie, for his andaunted as a rock. I caught up the end he awake he heard a faint sound, like water of a rope, and beat him until my arm fairly streaming through a small hole. He went to the open place in the cargo, and looked down, and he was sure that he saw a small jet of wa-"There is a little more life in me you'd ter springing up from the ship's bottom. He We once heard it stated that a single bag dale is a flouring mill capable of producing til he sank from my hand against the rail; the water without was pressing inward. He of phosphates applied on an acre as a Fall top two hundred barrels daily. At Hamilton are and then I sent one of the men for my quadinch more it must all go, and the ship be lost, than the land adjoining, and we have seen precisely the same statement in regard to the relative productiveness of an acre where a gether of producing one thousand barrels of cow fed three or four weeks in the Fall, and flour daily; a large paper mill; an extensive late.

When it came and I had adjointed it for my observation. I found that the sun was altered paper the broken plank in the ready past the meridian, and that I was too late. This added fuel to the fire of my madness, cod his feet against the cask, and then call-

After supper I went to the hatchway, and called out to him, but he returned me no an-