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JOHN G. CARLISLE, SPEAKER U. S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The subject of this sketch was born in Campbell (now Kenton) county, Kentucky, on the 5th of September, 1835, and his early life was devoted to preparations for the fulfillment of his ambition to become a lawyer.

He was admitted to the bar in 1857, and in 1859 he was elected to the office of clerk of the court in Covington where he studied until, at the age of twenty-three, he was admitted to the bar.

Gen. R. B. Vance is reported by the Charlotte Observer as saying that he proposes to introduce a bill to change the mode of collecting the tax on whisky and brandy. This plan will dispense with gaugers, storekeepers, etc., and provide for a collector in each county, who will sell stamps just as in the case of the tobacco tax.

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The country would go speedily to the bad if there were no minority party. They are absolutely essential to an honorable administration of public affairs.

The law ought to be so amended, says the Washington Gazette, that when a man makes an assignment in business, the stock of goods should not be thrown on the market and sold at retail at ridiculously nominal prices to the detriment of other dealers who are endeavoring to do a legitimate business.

The New York Herald says that Senator Edmunds was wisely introduced a bill to abolish the ironclad oath, and it ought to be promptly passed. This oath is a relic of war legislation.

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THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY FOR PAIN. RHEUMATISM, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, BACKACHE, HEADACHE, TOOTHACHE, SORE THROAT, QUINCY, SWELLINGS, SPRAINS, SORENESS, CALLOSITIES, FROSTBITES, BURNS, SCALDS, AND ALL OTHER LOCAL AFFECTIONS.

W. J. HARRISS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCER AND LIQUOR DEALER. (Old Stand) Opposite Court House.

Great Inducements. To dealers on goods in unbroken packages. It will be an excellent opportunity to give me a call before buying elsewhere.

WILSON NURSERIES. Choice Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, Strawberries, &c., for sale at reduced prices.

BRICKS!!! I am prepared to furnish the best brick, in any quantity desired.

GRIST MILL! My Grist Mill for grinding corn is at work every day.

PLANING MILLS. My Planing Mills are in constant operation, and I am prepared to furnish rough or prepared lumber at short notice.

Must be Sold. Call early and secure bargains.

8 DOLLARS. Will secure a policy for \$1,000 in the Home Mutual Life Association of Pa., on condition that the insured pay annually.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. Call on J. A. DUVALL.

U.S. CAPITAL PRIZE \$150,000. "We do hereby certify that the Monthly and Semi-Monthly drawings of the Louisiana State Lottery..."

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LUMBER FOR SALE. I have a large lot of lumber for sale. It will be delivered at any point desired.

ORANGES AND FLORIDA. Better than Breezes and Blossoms - Under a New Flag.

FIRST-CLASS BAR, Oyster Saloon, BILLIARDS. Whiskies, Brandies, Rums, Gins, Wines, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., at SMITH & RHODES.

BRICKS, BRICKS! GOOD ONES. I have discontinued my regular professional visits to Tolson on Saturdays, and will do all my law hereafter at my office in Wilson.

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RELIEF ASSOCIATION AND HOME OFFICE, - - - - Wilson, N. C. OFFICERS. J. B. STICKNEY, President.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES. F. W. BARNES, President First National Bank of Wilson. A. BRANCH, President Wilson Cotton Mills.

Great Excitement. Down With High Prices! I have a large line of cheap notions; ladies hose 10 pair, children 10 cts. per pair; mens socks, 10 cts. per pair or \$1.00 per dozen.

Good Goods at Way Down Prices. I will be able to command a liberal share of your patronage. Below please notice a few of my prices:

My Hamburgs, CLOTHING, - - - - FOR - Men, Youths, Boys and Childrens.

L. Edwards, Old Hardware Store, opposite the Bank, Wilson, N. C. WATCHES, JEWELRY SILVERWARE, CLOCKS, &c.

CHRISTMAS CARDS. Handsome Fringed Christmas Cards. SIX DOLLARS PER HUNDRED TO THE TRADE.

Walke & Williams, Drugs, Paints, Oils, &c. Corner Water Street and Riddick Sq. WILSON, N. C.

Valuable Real Estate for Sale. I offer for sale on terms to suit \$10,000 worth of Real Estate in the Town of Wilson.

NOTICE! Pay Your Taxes. Notice is hereby given to all delinquents, that unless their taxes are paid by December 1st, that cost will be added.

W. W. HARRIS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGIST, WILSON, N. C. Opposite Court House Square. Has moved to his new and handsome brick drug store. Next door to his old stand.