

[Edenton Times.]  
A Young Fool.  
CRESWELL, N. C. Aug., 6th, 1877.

Two weeks ago our farmers were praying for rain—their crops of once beautiful and green corn and cotton were being parched by the intense rays of heat from the sun—the earth itself was burnt almost to a crisp. But a change came with the setting of the sun, a cloud arose and poured down upon us a most refreshing shower, and our hearts were glad; the next day came with much heavier showers, and so on each day increasing until up to last Tuesday night—when we thought that the storm had reached its climax, and satisfied with the harm already done, had scattered itself to the four winds of heaven—the clouds again gathered themselves together, and for three days and nights poured their mighty torrent of water upon us, deluging the entire crops around Lake Phelps and the lower land in the vicinity of Scuppernon river, doing damage to the houses, stock, poultry &c.

The lower portion of Creswell is submerged; the families living in that section have been compelled to move—to desert their homes and seek shelter on some higher ground. Much of the business done in the city is through the medium of boats.

Parties living on Lake Phelps, at a distance of six miles from here, paddle their skiffs down the main road, where the water is sometimes six feet deep, to transact business in this place.

In Mr. A. G. Walker's store at Spruill's Bridge the water lacks only about three inches of the top of the counters; his customers paddle their canoes in at the door, make their wants known to the polite clerk on the counter, who waits on them with his usual suavity, and they go on their way rejoicing.

Our oldest citizens say they have never before witnessed such a scene; the crops are an almost complete ruin, and in some instances entirely so.

Hogs, sheep and poultry drowned and often cattle. The river at Spruill's Bridge is swollen about ten feet—the bridge itself chained to trees to prevent being washed away, and below where the great Somerset and other Lake farms discharge their water by means of large canals, it is much higher, and the damage to farms in the low lands on the river below, consequently enormous.

### COMMERCIAL NEWS.

**WILMINGTON MARKET,**  
AUGUST 15-3 P. M.  
**SPIRITS TURPENTINE**—Quiet at 31½ cents per gallon. Sales of 100 casks at this figure.  
**ROBIN**—Firm at \$1 45 and \$1 50 for Strained and Good Strained.  
**TAR**—Steady at \$2 15 per bbl. Sales of receipts at quotations.  
**CRUDE TURPENTINE**—Market unchanged. We quote Yellow Dip and Virgin at \$2 15 per bbl. Hard nominal. Sales of day's receipts at quotations.  
**COTTON**—No sales reported and no quotations.

### DAILY RECEIPTS.

Cotton..... 11 bales  
Spirits Turpentine..... 421 casks  
Tar..... 1,260 bbls  
Crude Turpentine..... 90 bbls  
640 bbls

### MARINE NEWS.

#### ARRIVED.

Steamship Benefactor, Jones, New York, A. D. Casaux.  
Steamer D. Murchison, Garrason, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.  
Steamer Underhill, Platt, Smithville, O. G. Parsley & Co.  
Schr. Albert Mason, Rose, New York, Harris & Howell.

#### CLEARED.

Steamer D. Murchison, Garrason, Fayetteville, Williams & Murchison.  
Steamer Colville, Henry, Banerman's Bridge, A. H. Van Bokkelen.  
Steamer Underhill, Platt, Smithville, O. G. Parsley & Co.  
Schr. Albert Mason, Rose, New York, Harris & Howell.

#### Exports.

COASTWISE.  
New York—Schr. Albert Mason—111,656 feet lumber, 300 casks spts turp, 522 bbls rosin.

#### List of Vessels in Port August 13, 1877.

**BARKS.**  
Albatros, Nor, 222 tons, Bakke, R E Heide  
**BRIGS.**  
Favorit, Nor, 300 tons, R E Heide  
Annie, Br, 215 tons, Kutterhouse, Parsley & Wiggins  
Nebo, Br, Buckman, 173 tons, E Kilder & Son  
Francisco Baffo, Ital, 370 tons, Chiesa, Williams & Murchison  
**SCHOONERS.**  
Albert Mason, Am, 285 tons, Rose, Harris & Howell  
Jao A Griffin, Am, 305 tons, Foster, Harris & Howell  
E S Powell, Am, 577 tons, Williams, Williams & Murchison  
Jos Souther, Am, 380 tons, Watts, J H Chadbourne & Co

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### WHOLESALE PRICES.

The following quotations represent the wholesale prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.

BAKING—Sunny.....	12½ @ 13
Double Anchor.....	12½ @ 13
Standard Domestic.....	11 @ 12½
BACON—North Carolina, Hams, ½ lb.....	12½ @ 15
Sides, ½ lb.....	9 @ 12½
Western Smoked.....	13½ @ 15
Hams, ½ lb.....	9½ @ 10
Sides, ½ lb.....	7 @ 8
Dry Salted—Sides, ½ lb.....	8½ @ 8½
Shoulders, ½ lb.....	5½ @ 6
BEEF—On the hoof.....	2 @ 2½
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine Second Hand, each.....	1 75 @ 2 00
New York, each, new.....	2 00 @ 2 50
BEE SWAX—½ lb.....	28 @ 30
BRICKS—Wilmington, ½ M.....	8 00 @ 10 00
Northern.....	00 @ 14 00
BUTTER—North Carolina lb.....	15 @ 20
Northern, ½ lb.....	25 @ 35
CANDLES—Sperm ½ lb.....	25 @ 40
Tallow, ½ lb.....	00 @ 00
Adamantine, ½ set.....	12½ @ 13½
CHEESE—Northern Factory, ½ lb.....	17 @ 18
Dairy cream, ½ lb.....	16 @ 17
State, ½ lb.....	30 @ 33½
COFFEE—Java, ½ lb.....	19 @ 22
Rio, ½ lb.....	24 @ 24
Laguaira, ½ lb.....	87½ @ 87½
CORN MEAL—½ bushel.....	4 @ 6
COTTON TIES—½ lb.....	7¼ @ 7¼
DOMESTIC—Sheeting, 4-4 ½ yard.....	95 @ 95
Yarn, ½ bunch.....	16 00 @ 20 00
FISH—Mackerel, No. 1, ½ bbl.....	9 50 @ 0 00
No. 1, ¼ bbl.....	13 50 @ 00 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ½ bbl.....	7 50 @ 0 00
No. 2, ¼ bbl.....	10 50 @ 00 00
Mullet, ½ bbl.....	3 50 @ 4 00
N. C. Herring, ½ bbl.....	5 00 @ 8 00
Dry Cod, ½ lb.....	7¼ @ 8 00
FLOUR—Fine, ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 7 00
Super, Northern, ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 8 00
Extra do " " ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 9 00
Family " " ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 10 00
City Mill—Super ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 10 00
Extra ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 11 00
Ex. Family ½ bbl.....	0 00 @ 12 00
FERTILIZERS—Peruvian Guano, ½ 2000 lbs.....	70 00 @ 00 00
Baugh's Phosphate " " 00 00 @ 00 00	
Carolina Fertilizer " " 50 00 @ 65 00	
Ground Bone, " " 00 00 @ 40 00	
Bone Meal " " 00 00 @ 45 00	
Flour " " 00 00 @ 47 00	
Nassau Guano, " " 55 00 @ 65 00	
Complete Manure " " 00 00 @ 67 00	
Waldo Phosphate, " " 00 00 @ 70 00	
Wando Phosphate, " " 00 00 @ 70 00	
Berger & Brutz's, " " 00 00 @ 00 00	
Wilcox, Gibb & Co., manipulated Guano.....	55 00 @ 70 00
GLUE—½ lb.....	9 @ 15
GRAIN—Corn, store, ½ bushel.....	00 @ 82
Extra do " " ½ bushel.....	00 @ 75
Corn, yellow, ½ bushel.....	None
Oats, ½ bushel.....	55 @ 60
Peas, cow, ½ bushel.....	1 25 @ 1 50
HIDES—Green, ½ lb.....	4 @ 4½
Dry, ½ lb.....	10 @ 12½
LARD—Eastern, ½ 100 lbs.....	1 10 @ 1 20
North in River, ½ 100 lbs.....	95 @ 1 05
HOOP IRON—½ ton.....	80 00 @ 00 00
LARD—Northern ½ lb.....	11½ @ 12
North Carolina ½ lb.....	00 @ 13
LIME—½ bbl.....	1 35 @ 0 00
LUMBER—City steam saw'd Ship stuff, resawed, ½ M ft.....	24 00 @ 27 00
Rough cargo plank, ½ M ft.....	22 00 @ 25 00
West India cargo, second ing to quality, ½ M ft.....	20 00 @ 23 00
Dressed flooring, seasoned, 20 00 @ 35 00	
Scantling and boards, common, ½ M ft.....	15 00 @ 23 00
MOLASSES—Cuba, hhd gal.....	40 @ 41
Cuba, bbls, ½ gal.....	45 @ 57
Sugar house, hhd, ½ gal.....	00 @ 38
" " bbls, ½ gal.....	35 @ 40
Sugar Syrup, bbls, ½ gal.....	45 @ 60
NAILS—Cut, 4d to 20d, pk'g 3 25 @ 4 00	
OILS—Kerosene, ½ gal.....	23 @ 30
Lard, ½ gal.....	1 10 @ 1 45
Linsed, ½ gal.....	1 00 @ 1 10
Rosin, ½ gal.....	70 @ 80
PEANUTS—Sweet, ½ bushel.....	75 @ 80
POTATOES—Sweet, ½ bushel.....	50 @ 1 00
Irish, Northern, ½ bushel.....	4 50 @ 4 75
PORK—Northern, city mess, 17 00 @ 00 00	
Thin, ½ bbl.....	00 @ 15 00
Prime, ½ bbl (extra).....	00 @ 15 00
Rump, ½ bbl.....	00 @ 00 00
RICE—Carolina, ½ lb.....	6 @ 7
East India, ½ lb.....	00 @ 00
Rough, ½ bushel.....	1 20 @ 1 30
RAGS—Country, ½ lb.....	2¼ @ 2¼
City, ½ lb.....	2 @ 2½
ROPE—Alum, ½ bushel.....	00 @ 00
Liverpool, ½ sack.....	85 @ 00
American, ½ sack.....	00 @ 00
Cadiz, ½ sack.....	75 @ 00
SUGAR—Cuba, ½ lb.....	9½ @ 10
Porto Rico, ½ lb.....	10½ @ 00
A—Coffee, ½ lb.....	00 @ 13½
B— " " ½ lb.....	00 @ 12
C— " " ½ lb.....	00 @ 11½
Ex C— " " ½ lb.....	00 @ 11½
Crushed— " " ½ lb.....	00 @ 14
SOAP—Northern, ½ lb.....	5 @ 7½
SHINGLES—Contract, ½ M.....	4 00 @ 0 00
Common, ½ M.....	2 50 @ 3 00
Cypress saps, ½ M.....	5 50 @ 0 00
Cypress hearts, ½ M.....	7 50 @ 0 00
STAVES—W. O. bbl, ½ M.....	18 00 @ 20 00
R O hhd, ½ E.....	00 @ 00 00
Cypress, ½ M.....	13 00 @ 00 00
TALLOW—½ lb.....	9 @ 10
TIME—Shipping ½ M.....	12 00 @ 13 00
Mill, prime per M.....	50 @ 10 00
Mill, fair per M.....	7 50 @ 8 50
Inferior to Ordinary, per M.....	4 00 @ 6 00
WHISKEY—North'n, per gal.....	1 40 @ 5 00
North Carolina, per gal.....	1 75 @ 2 50
WOOL—Unwashed, per lb.....	18 @ 20
Washed, per lb.....	28 @ 30

### Notice of Dissolution.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP lately existing between CHARLES D. MYERS and JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT, under the firm name of CHARLES D. MYERS & CO., was dissolved on the 6th day of August, 1877, by mutual consent. All debts due or owing to the said partnership must be paid to John L. Boatwright, who is alone authorized to receipt for the same, and all claims and indebtedness due by the said partnership must be presented to him for payment.  
CHARLES D. MYERS,  
JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT,  
August 7, 1877.

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JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT,  
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### A Card.

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### Miscellaneous.

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