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## UNDERTAKERS.

THE subscribers offer their services to the public to furnish Coffins, Hearse, and every other requisite for Funerals. They have a considerable supply of Coffins ready made, and an abundant supply of Mahogany, Black Walnut and Gum and Poplar materials for making any size at a short notice. Orders left at the Cool Spring Mills will be promptly attended to.

HEARSE & JOHNSON,  
Fayetteville, June 29, 1857.

## To the Public.

THE subscriber has on hand a good assortment of Boots, Shoes and Gaiters.

Also, Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats of all kinds, Trunks, Valises, and Travelling Bags. All of which he will sell low for cash, in order to close out his present stock. Persons in want of Goods in his line will do well to give him a call.

L. BRANDT,  
Gillespie St., opposite P. P. Johnson,  
June 24, 1857.

## New Books.

THE Life of Charlotte Bronte, Author of Jane Eyre, &c. The Testimony of the Rocks, by Hugh Miller; Salad for the Sinner, by the Author of Salad for the Sinner; Indigenous Races of the Earth, by Nutt & Gillison; The Bee Keeper's Chart. Also, further supplies of Methodist, the Primes, Order House of David, Mrs. Hunt's Novels; The Baptist Psalmody; Barnes' Family Prayers; Christian Ministry; Cruden's Concordance; Adams' New Arithmetic; Parley's Common School History, &c.

E. J. HALE & SON,  
June 24, 1857.

## GEO. ALDERMAN,

Inspector of Naval Stores,  
Wilmington, N. C.

SOLICITS patronage. Prompt attention and quick despatch will be given to business entrusted to his care.

June 23, 1857.

## To The Public.

THE undersigned was appointed by the last County Court to take the Tax List for the Town and Ward of the County of Cumberland, and he will proceed to do so at his Store, the last twenty working days in July, as provided by law.

G. W. I. GOLDSTON,  
July 1, 1857.

## A. McRIMMON,

Commission and Forwarding Merchant,  
Wilmington, N. C.

July 6, 1857.

## NOTICE.

THE undersigned having executed a power of Attorney to E. F. Moore, he is hereby authorized to make all settlements for me and in my name, and generally to transact all business as I might or could do were I personally present.

J. J. MOORE,  
Fayetteville, June 3, 1857.

## NOTICE.

THE subscriber having, at June Term 1857, of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the County of Cumberland, qualified as Administrator upon the Estate of Willie F. Moore, hereby notifies all persons having claims against the said Estate to present the same properly authenticated within the time prescribed by law, otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their claims.

Debtors to the said Estate will please make payment immediately.

E. F. MOORE,  
June 3, 1857.

## FOR THE WEST!

Through in 36 Hours, and Crossing the Blue Ridge in the Day Time!

C. S. BROWN'S Tri-Weekly Line of Four-Horse Post Coaches, from Salisbury to Asheville, via Statesville, Newton, Morganton, Marion and Pleasant Gardens, connecting at Asheville with the line of Stages for the Warm Springs, Knoxville and Greenville, Tenn. This is the best stocked and best managed Road in North Carolina. It is the most expeditious, safe and pleasant, and at the same time the cheapest route for the West. Leaves Salisbury on Monday, Wednesday and Friday; leaves Asheville on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—running in close connection with the North Carolina Rail Road, North and South.

C. S. BROWN, Contractor,  
June 16, 1857.

## We call the attention of WHOLESALE DEALERS

TO our present Stock, and we have recently received—

500 bags Rio, Lagaira, Maricao and Java Coffee, 20 lbs Sugar, assorted grades,

75 lbs do. Refined, Crushed and Powdered,

95 boxes Sperm, Adamantine and Tallow Candles,

50 do Fancy and assorted Candles,

100 coils Kentucky, Jute and Manila Rope,

7 bales Bagging, Gunny, Dundee and Burlaps,

30 tons Hoop Iron,

120 boxes Cheese,

20 half-bbls Super Carbon Soda,

40,000 Cigars, various brands,

—ALSO—

Pepper, Spice, Ginger, Cloves, Nutmegs, Borax, Madder, Indigo, Spanish Brown, Brimstone, Fancy and Bar Soaps, Starch, Powder, Shot, Bar Lead, White Lead, Putty and Lined Oil, Window Glass, Snuff in Boxes, Eagle Mills do, in Half Bbls, Green and Black Teas, Hollow Ware, Sweden Iron, English, German, Cast Steel, Plovers, Straw Cutters, Corn Shellers, Sausage Cutters, and Stuffers, Trace Chains, Sole Leather, &c., &c.

The above Goods we offer on the most favorable terms to prompt time or cash purchasers.

D & W. McLAURIN,  
Nov. 6, 1856.

## LAND FOR SALE.

1100 ACRES OF LAND lying on upper Little River, in Harriet County, well timbered and well located for the Turpentine business. It will be sold on accommodating terms. Apply soon to the Subscriber at Fayetteville

W. M. McL. McKay,  
Sept. 22, 1856.

## PROSPECTUS

OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERIAN.

LONG labored under a serious disadvantage from the want of a journal to advocate her claims and represent her interests. It is estimated that only 1000 Presbyterians are taken in the bounds of our three Presbyteries. We have 13,000 Communicants, and it is safe to infer that there are 30,000 Presbyterians in principle in the State. Our Synod stands fifth in the Union in point of numbers, and her membership is greater than that of any Synod South or West of Pennsylvania. Our sister States on the North and South, neither of which has a membership so large as ours, publish the Central, and the Southern Presbyterian, for the benefit of their people. The time has come when the Presbyterians Church in North Carolina should likewise do her duty to her children. It is a conceded and important fact, that hundreds of our members will take a State paper who will take no other. The Paper is needed to be the organ of our Synod and Presbyteries—to elevate and enlighten the people of our membership by diffusing evangelical knowledge—to promote the cause of Education—to develop the talents of our Ministry, and to strengthen the attachment of our people to the soil and sanctuaries of their own State.

Our Church in other States, and other Churches in this State, can supply their members with a Religious Journal, why may not we? Are North Carolina Presbyterians inferior in talent, energy and patriotism to their neighbors on the North or South, or to Christians of other denominations at home? Will the same or better opportunities of accomplishing this work, shall we leave it undone? In the language of one of our most able and useful Ministers, an adopted son of our State, "It ought to have been undertaken 20 years ago, but it is not too late to begin to do it now."

In the last two or three months, a fund of about \$5000 has been subscribed as a permanent capital. At a meeting of the contributors, held at Greensboro on the 14th of May, Rev. A. Baker, Chairman, the Paper was unanimously located at Fayetteville, under the name and title of the NORTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. Wm. N. Mebane and Rev. George McNeill were elected Editors; Rev. Messrs. George McNeill, Wm. N. Mebane, A. Baker, and C. H. Wiley, and Messrs. George McNeill, Sr., John H. Cook and David Murphy were appointed an Executive Committee to establish the Paper and manage its business affairs.

It is our wish and design to make the NORTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERIAN a journal of the first class, equal to the best in the country in typographical appearance and in adaptation to the wants of our Churches. Its columns will afford the latest intelligence, both foreign and domestic, and special care will be taken to give a full and accurate summary of State news. The name of the Paper is designed to be an exponent of its character and contents. From conviction, it will support the conservative, orthodox, Old School doctrines and order of the Church.

Our first appeal is to our own people—to N. C. Presbyterians. Whilst we rely confidently upon their favor, we trust that the native sons of North Carolina who have found homes in other States, and the adopted citizens of our State who form so important an element in our Ministry and membership, will take a deep interest in this enterprise and give it their hearty support.

Terms: 72 per annum in advance, or on delivery of the first number, \$2 50 in six months, \$3 at the end of the year. To clubs of 25 or more, paying in advance and when the Paper is sent to one address, a discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed. Our Ministers and Elders are earnestly desired to act as Agents, and to receive the contributions, which will please assist in procuring as many subscribers as possible, and forward the names, by August 1st, to this Office. As soon as 1500 subscribers are obtained, the first number will be issued. If a faithful and vigorous effort is made in the next two months by those who take a deep interest in this work, we will, without doubt, be able to begin the publication at the end of that time with a paying subscription list of at least 3000.

Address, Editors of the North Carolina Presbyterian, Fayetteville, N. C.

Fayetteville, May 20, 1857.

## FOR SALE.

THE DWELLING HOUSE AND LOT on Gillespie Street, at present occupied by Doctor McSwain. Perfect title can be made. Apply to

THO. J. CURTIS.

## ALSO

A GOOD FAMILY CARRIAGE in good repair and nearly new. Will be sold for half its value.

ALSO

3 good MILCH COWS with young calves. Apply to

T. J. CURTIS.

## DAVID McDUFFIE,

Brickmason and Plasterer.

I am prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, including the putting up of Turpentine Stills in this and the adjoining counties.

Fayetteville, April 27, 1857.

## J. WILLIAM PAGE, M. D.,

PITTSBOROUGH, N. C.

D. R. PAGE may be found at his office when not professionally engaged.

May 6, 1857.

## ECCLES'S MILL

HAS been newly repaired. Send your Corn and have it ground.

M. MCKINNON,  
March 20.

## JUST RECEIVED.

20 QUARTER BOXES RAISINS.

20 Half

20 Boxes Soda Biscuit.

20 " Cheese.

For sale by

C. E. LEETE,  
Dec'r 15.

## HANDSOME RESIDENCE

FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, desirous of changing his business and commodious Residence for sale. To those acquainted with this place it is not necessary to particularize, but he would much prefer to sell the place to some gentleman non-resident, that the Town may have the benefit of an increase of population and wealth. The Dwelling and out-houses are in a perfect state of repair, having been thoroughly and neatly fitted up within the last three months. To a family of the low country it would be a very pleasant residence in Summer. Terms accommodating.

THO. J. JOHNSON.

## ATTENTION!

BE called to the fact, that there are MANY who OWE me, and some of them seem to think it unnecessary to pay their Notes or Accounts: To those and ALL others I beg leave to say that pay day has arrived—or ought to have been so. Please call.

THO. J. JOHNSON,  
June 13, 1857.

## NEW BOOKS.

MILEDELCIA, from "Notes and Queries;" The Elephant Club, by Doesticks; Past Meridian, by Mrs. Sigourney; The Rifle, and Saddle-Bags, by Milburn; Christmas Stories.

JUVENILES: The Amazon! Stories, consisting of the "Whistler, or the Manly Boy;" Ella, or Turning over a New Leaf; Oscar, or the Boy who had his own way; The Indian Fairy Book; Abbott's Stories about Common Things. Also, further supplies of Hume and Macaulay's Histories of England; School Books, &c.

E. J. HALE & SON,  
Jan'y 17, 1857.

## SHEMWELL HOUSE,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

East side of Green Street, a few Doors North of the Market House.

THE Subscriber desires through this medium to acknowledge the liberal patronage bestowed upon his House the past year—and as he has just erected New Stables and Carriage Shed convenient to the House and to water he takes pleasure in saying to his patrons and the public generally, that he is still prepared to accommodate them with transient and permanent board, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore received. Every exertion on his part shall be used to render them comfortable during their sojourn with him. His table is always supplied with the best the market affords.

P. SHEMWELL,  
March 24, 1856.

## DOBBIN HOUSE!

POWERS & TROY, PROPRIETORS.

THE Proprietors of this Establishment announce to the public, that in consequence of the constantly increasing patronage extended to them, they have been induced to enlarge the accommodation by the addition of an extensive Dining Room on the lower floor, and suite of Rooms on the second floor, thus enabling them to accommodate all parties for whom with a call, and they pledge themselves to an increased exertion to give satisfaction to their patrons.

Spacious Stables attached and careful Ostlers in attendance.

The eligible location of the Establishment, with the experience of the Proprietors in providing for the comfort of their patrons, they hope will secure to them a liberal share of the travel.

The Western and Southern Stages arrive at and depart from this House.

Carriages in attendance on arrival and departure of Steam Boats, for the accommodation of passengers. Horses and Carriages furnished at any notice for carrying travellers to any part of the adjacent country.

J. W. POWERS. W. C. TROY,  
Fayetteville, May 12, 1856.

## VALUABLE PROPERTY

FOR SALE.

I OFFER for sale, my LANDS in the Town of Fayetteville, about 130 Acres, known as the

MUMFORD SWAMP.

About 80 Acres of it is fine Meadow Land, as the Crop now on it will show. Also, the

Valuable Brick Store and Lot near the Market Square, occupied by Mr. John A. Penberton.

A Large and Valuable Lot, fronting on Donaldson, Maxwell and Mumford Streets, known as the Hotel Garden Lot,—could be divided into several Building Lots,—very near the new Female High School Buildings.

Also, the Stable Lot adjoining, fronting on Mumford Street.

Several DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on both Winslow and Mumford Streets.

All this property can now be purchased on favorable terms, and a large part can remain on Bond and Mortgage if desired.

THO. J. CURTIS.

## ROBERT D. GREEN,

(LATE GREEN & WEAR.)

WATCH-MAKERS, JEWELLERS, &c.,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

R. D. G. begs to return his sincere thanks to the public for the kind patronage so liberally bestowed upon the late Firm, and informs them he has bought the interest of J. S. Wear, and will continue the business in all its branches at the old stand, under his entire superintendence.

N. B. All Watches left with him for repair will be taken apart in the presence of the owners, and the necessary repairs pointed out to them and a written contract given for the same, which work will be warranted two years.

On hand and for sale now, the most varied and choice selection of CLOCKS and other nice pieces that has ever been offered to the public in North Carolina, which he will sell at New York prices, and also warrants for two years.

All debts due to and by the late firm will be paid and received by

R. D. GREEN,  
August 25, 1856.

## O. HOUSTON

WOULD inform his friends and former customers that he may be found 2 doors below the Cape Fear Bank, and 3 doors above the old stand south side Person Street, where he intends to keep on hand,

Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Whips, Collars and every thing belonging to his trade. He respectfully invites his friends from the country to call and examine his stock before purchasing.

He will attend to Repairing of Harness and Saddles punctually, and his charges shall be moderate. He would request all indebted to the firm of HOUSTON & OVERY to settle with W. Overy or himself, as they are compelled to settle the firm's debts.

August 27, 1856.

## FOR SALE.

At Reduced Prices, for CASH

on SHORT TIME,

250 CARRIAGES, BAROUCHES,

Rockaways and Buggies

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

MANY of which are finished, and the balance being finished daily. Among which are many New and Beautiful styles, and one VERY FINE CARRIAGE. Some of them very light, and all made in the best manner and of the best materials. My facilities for doing Carriage work are GREATER than any establishment South, and I can afford and am determined to sell work of the BEST QUALITY as low as it can be built for by any one.

Those who are indebted to me will please pay up, as my business requires my out-standing debts to be collected.

A. A. MCKETHAN,  
Feb. 3, 1855.

## WOOL ROLLS.

WOOL carded with dispatch at Blount's Creek Factory.

SHEETINGS,

9s and 10s,

Cotton Yarn, and

Wool Rolls, for sale by

GEO. McNEILL,  
June 1854.

## BISHOP BAVENSCROFT'S WORKS.

THE 2d edition, (with hundreds of typographical errors of the old edition corrected,) is published for the benefit of the Missionary cause of the Episcopal Church in North Carolina. The price of the 2 vols. is, in cloth binding, \$4, in sheep \$4 50. Orders, accompanied in every instance by cash, may be addressed to

E. J. HALE & SON,  
Fayetteville, May 8, 1856.

## Narrative of the Expedition of an

American Squadron to the China Seas and Japan, by Com. Perry, U. S. Navy, with numerous illustrations, edited by Rev. Dr. F. L. Hawks.

Also, further supplies of Mrs. Hunt's Novels, Miss Murray's Travels through the U. S.; Mitchell's Traveller's Guide; Steel Pens, &c.

E. J. HALE & SON.

## Worth & Utley,

Forwarding and General Commission

MERCHANTS.

Fayetteville, N. C.

J. A. WORTH. JOS. UTLEY.

## W. P. ELLIOTT,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Agent for Lutterloh & Co's Steamboat Line

Will attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care.

Oct. 21, 1856.

## JOHN P. SAMPSON,

Commission and Forwarding Merchant,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Will give particular attention to the sale of Naval Stores, Cotton, &c.

Feb'y 25, 1856.

## W. H. TURLINGTON,

Commission Merchant, No. 42 North Water St.,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Will give his prompt personal attention to the sale or shipment of all Consignments of Naval Stores or other Country Produce.

Nov. 8, 1856.

## JAS. C. SMITH & Co.,

Factors, Commission and Forwarding

MERCHANTS.

NO. 2 SOUTH WATER STREET, UP STAIRS,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Oct. 21, 1856.

## J. C. POE,

DEALER IN

STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS,

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES,

AND READY-MADE CLOTHING.

Particular attention paid to Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings.

Hay Street, Fayetteville, N. C.

May 26, 1855.

## JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM,

COMMISSION

AND

FORWARDING MERCHANT,

Wilmington, N. C.

Prompt personal attention given to all Consignments, and Cash advances made on Produce to be shipped to other ports or sold in this market.

Feb. 12, 1855.

## J. S. BANKS,

Commission Merchant,

Wilmington, N. C.

Jan'y 1, 1856.

## T. C. & B. G. WORTH,

Commission & Forwarding Merchants,

BROWN'S BUILDING, WATER STREET,

Wilmington, N. C.

Usual advances made on consignments.

Jan'y 17, 1856.

## THO. C. FULLER,

Attorney and Counselor at Law.