Institution in the way of Tuition so long as the College stands. This is a brief outline of the scholarship plan as adopted by the Trustees of Davidson College. It would be well for every one to inform themselves of the details, by consulting carefully the proceedings of the Board, as they have been spread out on the columns of different public journals. The scholarship plan appears to be the popular mode of endowing literary Institutions at the present day. The system has been carried into successful operation in different States, and it seems to be eminently suited to all localities. But the plan adopted in Davidson College is more liberal in its spirit, and less open to objection than any I have had the opportunity of seeing.

I feel a deep and lively interest in the internal improvements that have been commenced, and that are in contemplation in this, my own, and that my native State. I have but little doubt, that when the finishing stroke is put upon the Central Rail Road, and the other improvements which will necessarily be engrafted upon, or grow out of this when all these are completed—then "the wilderness of North Carolina will be glad, and the desert will rejoice and blossom as the rose." Many of our citizens stirred by a zeal worthy of themselves, and worthy of the cause in which they are engaged, have done what they could to push forward these noble enterprizes. They have done much to wipe off that reproach which has too long been associated with the name of North Carolina. But there is no enterprize that takes a firm hold of the public good, both in Church and State, and at the same time reaches deeper down into the private interests of individuals, of families, and communities, than the full endowment of Davidson College on the plan recently adopted. After looking at this matter in all its bearings, and considering it in all its results, I am satisfied that there is no enterprize in which an intelligent community ought to be more eager to take an investment or secure an interest. It is the unanimous opinion of all who have examined it, that there is no stock that will declare such a dividend. I am more than anxious that the citizens of Western Carolina should wake up to the importance, and the advantages of this system. They have planted the Institution which is to be endowed on this plan. They have borne the heat and burden of the day in sustaining and building up the College to the present time. And when the Institution holds out a plan, that will secure many and decided advantages to the community that will take hold of it,—as a matter of right and justice, that plan ought freely to be offered to those who have contributed, to build up the Institution from a desire to promote the public good. There is no doubt but the scholarships will be taken, they will come in from other States, and from other parts of our own State, and take them out of our hands, and enjoy the benefits of the Institution which we have planted—which we have matured—if we are unwilling to avail ourselves of the privilege. But it is to be hoped that those who have manifested so much interest in other public enterprizes—will by no means be insensible to the claims of this—which in a higher degree than any other, brings close together the public and the private good.

W. W. P.

☞ The Charlotte papers will please copy.

For the Watchman.

"THE WORLD IS GOVERNED TOO MUCH."

I have noticed several pieces lately in the "Watchman" on the subject of Temperance; and in this progressive age, where one is apt to find more cant than reality, more assumption than merit, more pretension than performance, where all are supposed capable to teach, and are humble enough to learn, I too concluded to put the green veil of modesty and put on the brass helmet.

I am, Mr. Editor, a disciple of the Eclectic school of Psychology. I do not believe with the Byronic, that man is a great rascal and will always remain so, however much he may attempt to reform him; neither do I believe with the Platonic, that he is an incarnate angel in whom laugh would be cause of holy horror, and "to regale his soul occasionally," would be the worst species of Pandalum Magnatum; but I believe him to be sort of amphibious animal, whose laughter distinguishes him from all other animals, and is one evidence of his divinity—that good and bad are mixed together, that he has some honey but more vinegar in his composition. His virtues become proud when unwhipped by his vices, and his vices despair when uncherished by his virtues.—Scripture teaches that as oft as you cast one devil out of him, seven others take possession, and experience teaches that each one carries a Hydra in his bosom; and so soon as one head is lopped off another instantly springs up. Religion and experience both teach that the serpent must be *killed* and *scotched*, or you but scarpen its fangs and make more virulent its poison.—By a wound, its destination may be more spiral, its nature more subtle, but not less dangerous. The rattle may be less heard, but the bite more deadly.

I believe this Hydra, this many headed snake, is a lineal descendant of the one which deceived our first parents, and is symbolical of all the sins mentioned in the decalogue. Is drunkenness condemned by the laws of God? so is lying, cheating, stealing, fornication, adultery, and *false witness*. Is a woe denounced against those who rise up early in the morning, that they may follow strong drink? so in the same chapter against those who draw iniquity (of all kinds) with cords of vanity and sin, (without any exception) as it were with a cart-rope. Why then should we stumble over straws and leap over houses? Why strain so hard at gnats and swallow like oil whole droves of camels, alive and kicking! Why in the language of the witty Butler—

Compound for sins we are most inclined to,
By damning those we have no mind to.

Why organize against drunkenness and shoot whole volleys of arrows at one target, and let others worse in the social economy go unwhipped of justice? It seems to me some ammunition might be more usefully expended even if discharged from some blunderbusses I have seen touched off. Even if the fire took effect, it would be like shooting two bullets in one hole, with the difference that one would be a twenty-four pounder and the other a pocket piece. It seems to me to bind oneself not to get drunk before the Order (when willing or unwilling, if we take the Bible for our guide) we are already under an obligation which we cannot escape, is much like an acknowledgment of an open account, or we have executed a bond. To say the least, it smelled on that wasteful and ridiculous excess noticed by Shakspeare:—

"To gild refined gold,
To paint the lily.",

So long as the "Sons" keep within their sphere, so long as they refrain from a bigoted inquisitorial spirit, and practice towards all men, Truth, Purity, and Fidelity, so long should their intentions receive the commendations of good men; but whenever they set up a golden calf to be worshiped, and erect a Procrustean standard by which the tall and the short are to be cut and stretched, whenever they become dumb and blind to the vices of their own members, and quick sighted and hippet-tongued to the same vices in others, they then become Stanish, and should not be encouraged. When I see orators confounding moderate drinkers with drunkards, and drunkards with murderers, I fancy their zeal has the better of their judgment; and that they would make bad jurymen in capital felonies. Such flashes of eloquence, such logical discrimination inspires me (not with "ineffable contempt,") but with a slight nausea, and makes me wonder why one should be less "*horrified*" at such sentiments when uttered by a tri-colored than a "white-robed" guardian of the public morals.

I would not willingly object to any society which has for its professed object one so laudable as the extirpation of drunkenness, and especially to one which boasts so much virtue and intelligence as the Sons, but I do think (and I am not singular in the belief) that it is overstepping the modesty of truth to say that the "Order" has effected what the Church was unable to accomplish. I think such claims are dangerous to the hopes of humanity, and lead directly to infidelity. It is giving more efficacy to the ordinances of man, than to the commandments of God. The constitution of the "Sons" require too, before admission to membership, that the applicant should have a "good moral character." "The sick need a physician; not those who are whole." If moderate drinkers are classed with drunkards, drunkards with murderers, certainly they have no claims to moral character. If moral men are alone admitted, the necessity of the Order ceases, and if "publicans and sinners" are shut out from this ark of safety, from this "sun-light of hope and happiness," it seems to me the only secure shelter from the pittiless peltings of the storm, would be the aforesaid "dragon wings"! As one of the humblest of "publicans and sinners," I surely would not fly for protection to the great stereotyped speech-maker of the Order, who I understand is in the habit of bearing "false witness" against a high dignitary of a Church to which he boasts of being attached. Against one (who when this orator was "mulling and puking in his nurse's arms,") was periling his life to save him from the scalping knife of the savage on our North-western frontier. Even if his charges were as true as they are untrue, a true son both of the Order and Church would like Shem and Japheth take a garment and go backwards and cover a father's nakedness rather than imitate the example of the accursed Ham, and publish it on the house-tops. I believe if the money given to this foreign perambulating lecturer was expended among the pious and learned of our clergy, I believe it would be an offering more acceptable to God and more beneficial to the State.

The age is progressive, but few or no new powers have been discovered by the modern Solons to move the moral machinery. I am rather inclined to the old and tried paths: to the disciple of Churches when free from false popular opinions—to the influences of religion as expounded by a faithful Ministry—to law, "whose seat is the bosom of God," as administered by able and upright Judges, honorable lawyers and conscientious juries—in schools which scatter the seeds of instruction broadcast over the land—in an independent Press with strength in its arm and light and freedom on its brow—in physical comforts where each man could realize the benevolent wish of Louis XVI, and have daily a fowl on his table, and last not least in the endearments of the family circle, where the claims of affection, the counsels of authority, and the solicitudes of true friendship and genuine virtue can never fall unheeded on an honest ear.

D.

NAVIGATION OF THE YADKIN.

In accordance with previous notice, a large and enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of Wilkes assembled in the Courthouse in Wilkesboro', on the 6th inst., (it being Tuesday of County Court,) when on motion of C. A. Parks, the meeting was organized by calling Col. A. Mitchell to the chair, and on motion of L. B. Carmichael, John W. Martin and C. A. Parks were appointed secretaries.

The chairman upon taking his seat, explained the object of the meeting to be, to devise ways and means by which to carry into effect, the charter granted by the last Legislature for the navigation of the Yadkin river, and to encourage the taking of stock in said improvement. He then addressed the meeting at some length, showing in a clear and forcible manner the importance of this work, and particularly to the counties contiguous to the river.

L. B. Carmichael being called for, addressed the meeting in an effective manner, and concluded by offering the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we duly appreciate the importance to any community, of a cheap and ready access to the markets of the world, and the impediments and deprivations that depress all industrial pursuits of a people, who like ourselves, are excluded from the great thoroughfare of trade; and we therefore heartily approve the proposed means of improving the Yadkin river to suit it for the purposes of navigation.

Resolved, We believe that great and permanent interests of the State, involving the future condition and prosperity of a large portion of its citizens, are to be essentially affected by the fate of this measure; and we believe that the counties lying on the Yadkin River, will find in the success of this measure inestimable advantages in the invigorated industry and enterprise of their citizens, and the enhanced profits of their pursuits; while in its failure, they will find their doom in hopeless toil, spiritless exertion, and impoverished homes.

Resolved That in consideration of the especial interest that we, the people of Wilkes County have in the proposed improvement of the Yadkin river, we pledge ourselves zealously to use all proper exertions to ensure the achievement of this object.

Resolved, That we recommend a general convention of the friends of the Yadkin navigation to be held at Doweltown, on Tuesday of the first County Court for Yadkin County, and that the chairman of this meeting appoint 20 delegates to represent the people of Wilkes County in said convention.

Resolved, That we recommend to our fellow-citizens of Wilkes, at convenient places and at suitable times, to call neighborhood meetings to take into consideration the subject of the improvement of the Yadkin river, and to promote the success of this measure.

After the adoption of the resolutions, J. B. Gordon, was called, who responded at some length, explaining the provisions of the charter, and called upon our citizens to rally to the rescue of our declining county.

Some little inquiry was made as to the amount of stock that would probably be taken, when in a few moments some ten or twelve thousand dollars was agreed to be taken.

In accordance with the fourth resolution, the chairman appointed the following delegates to represent Wilkes County in the proposed convention, viz:

Maj. L. Hickerson, John W. Martin, B. F. Petty, R. J. Cook, Felix Parks, A. W. Finley, John A. Parks, J. J. Gambril, Wm. Hampton, J. Pennel, J. B. Gordon, Lelan Martin, Jas. E. Reynolds, Alfred Foster, Wm. Martin, L. B. Carmichael, A. L. Hackett, H. Curtis, M. S. Stokes, and C. A. Parks. On motion, the name of the chairman was added to the list. On, motion it was

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be published in the Salisbury Watchman, with a request that the other State papers would copy.

The meeting then adjourned.

A. MITCHELL, Chairman.

JOHN W. MARTIN, C. A. PARKS, } Secretaries.

☞ The attention of the Citizens of the surrounding country, is invited to J. S. Johnson's Carriages, Rockaways and Buggies, built of the choicest materials, and by excellent workmen, now finished and being finished in a very superior style. He will give as good—or better bargains than can be had in the State.—Call and see.

Wanted 10,000 feet white oak, ashe and hickory and birch plank of the best quality, from 1¼, 1½, to 2 inches thick.

Salisbury, May 1, 1851. 52tf

MARRIED.

In this Town, on the 8th instant, by Obadiah Woodson, Esq., Mr. PETER H. SWINK, to Miss REBECCA SHUMAN, daughter of John Shuman, Sr.

In Stanly County on the 6th instant, by Rev. G. W. Farabee, Mr. NOAH SHAVER of this county, to Miss ELIZA G. KIRK.

BIRTHS.

"A babe in a house is like a well-spring of pleasure, a messenger of peace and love;
Yet it is a talent of trust, a loan to be rendered back with interest."

BORN,

March 21—A daughter to Hon. D. M. Barringer, in Madrid, Spain.
May 9th.—A daughter to J. H. Howard, town.
" " —A son to J. S. Johnston, town.
" 13—A daughter to John Thompson, town.
" 11—A son to Frank. I. Wilson, editor of the Mountain Banner. He wants 100 more subscribers to his paper.

Died.

In this town on the 7th instant, MARIA SHAVER, aged 27 years.

THE MARKETS.

Salisbury, May, 15.

Apples, (dried) 40 @ $00; Bacon, 9 @ 10; Cotton, 8 @ 8½; Cotton Yarn, 00 @ 90; Coffee 13 @ 14 Corn, 50 @ 55 Beeswax, 18 @ 00; Butter 12½; Flour, 5 @ 00; Feathers 28; Iron 3½ @ 4½; Linseed Oil 80; Molasses 35 @ 40; Nails 5 @ 5½; Oats 30 @ 00; Irish Potatoes $1 @ 00; Sweet do. 35 @ 40; Sugar, (brown) 8 @ 10; Do. Loaf. 00 @ 12½; Salt, sack $2½ 00; Tallow 9 @ 10 Wheat @ $1¼; Pork

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

May, 13.—Beeswax 20 @ 22: Bacon 10 @ 10½: Cotton 8 @ 9; Corn 80 @ 85; Coffee 12½ @ 13½: Flour 4¾ @ 5¼: Feathers 30 @ 32: Flaxseed $100 @ 00 Iron, Swedes, 5 @ 6: do. English 3½ @ 4: Lard 10 @ 10½: Leather, sole, 20 23: Molasses 25 @ 27: Nails, cut, 4½ 5: Oats, 50 @ 00: Sugar, bro., 6 @ 9: do. loaf, 11½ @ 13: Salt, sack, 1 30 @ 1 50: Tallow, 10 @ : Wheat $1 @ $1 10.

CHERAW, May 13.—Bacon per lb. 10 @ 12: Butter 20 @ 28: Beeswax @ 20 @ 21: Coffee 12 @ 15: Cotton 6 @ 9½: Corn 90 @ $1 Eggs 12 @ 15: Flour 5 @ $6½: Feathers 30 @ 35: Iron 5 @ 6½: Lard 10 @ 12½: Leather (sole) 18 @ 22: Molasses 35 @ 40: do. Cuba 33 @ 37: Nails, cut, 6 @ 7: Rice 4½ @ 5; Sugar, brown, 8 @ 10: do. Loaf, 12½ @ 15: Salt, Liverpool, 1 40 @ 1 50.

A NEW SUPPLY!

1851.

By the usual Cheap Line!

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED a second supply of

SPRING AND SUMMER DRESS GOODS!

consisting of French jaconets, silk tissues, organda muslin, bonnets, ribbons, crape shawls, lace capes and collars, black French cloths, summer coating, black satin; all of which have been bought since the 20th of April, and if there is any advantage in buying late in the Spring, we have it. We have also, a fine lot of

SUMMER HATS,

Beebee's fine silk hats, (fashionable.) Having on hand a fine stock of all kinds of dress goods for ladies and gentlemen, we respectfully solicit a call as we intend to sell low. Also,

Groceries, Hardware and Cutlery, BOOTS and SHOES.

Come and examine our goods before purchasing, as it affords us great pleasure to exhibit them, and also sell as low as they can be bought in this market.

BROWN, FRALEY & CO.

Salisbury, May 15, 1851 2

Fayetteville and Western Plank Road Office,

MAY 1, 1851.

BOOKS OF SUBSCRIPTION FOR ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS increase of the Capital Stock of the Fayetteville and Western Plank Road Company, will be opened on the 20th day of May, and remain open for the space of thirty days at the following places, and under the direction of the following persons, viz:

At Fayetteville, under the direction of the President and Directors.

At Carthage, under the direction of Samuel C. Bruce, Col. John Morrison and Angus R. Kelly.

At Ashboro', under the direction of Hugh McCain, Jonathan Worth and A. H. Marsh.

At Normal College, under the direction of B. Craven, John S. Brown, and Daniel W. Crabb.

At Jamestown, under the direction of Geo. C. Mendenhall, Dr. S. G. Coffin, and John W. Field.

At Salem, under the direction of Francis Fries, Chas. E. Shober, Thos. J. Wilson, Geo. P. Wilson, and Darius H. Starbuck.

At Mount Airy, under the direction of Allen Denny, Robert S. Gilmer, and Job Worth.

At Lexington, under the direction of H. R. Dusenbury, Alfred G. Foster, W. R. Holt, John Mabry, and John W. Thomas.

At Mocksville, under the direction of Lemuel Bingham, G. A. Miller, and Dr. Wm. H. Beatty.

At Statesville, under the direction Thos. H. McRorie, Jos. B. Stockton, and J. S. McCubbins.

At Salisbury, under the direction of D. A. Davis, Jno. I Shaver, Jos. F. Chambers, and Calvin S. Brown.

At Deep River, under the direction of Charles Chalmers, Wm. Watson, P. G. Evans, Robert A. Stuart, and L. J. Haughton.

At Summerville, under the direction of Rev. S. Colton, John W. McKay, and Alex. D. McLean.

At Greensboro', under the direction of James Sloan, Lyndon Swaim, and Jesse H. Lindsay.

It is proposed by the Board of Directors of this Company, that all subscriptions made at Summerville shall be used only in constructing a branch from a point on the main line, to be selected by the stockholders, to Summerville.

That for all subscriptions made on Deep River, the amount to be solely applied to building a branch from the main stem to a point to be selected by the subscribers on Deep River.

That all subscriptions made at Greensboro', shall be applied only in building a branch to Greensboro'.

That all the subscriptions on the main line, from a point common to both Salem and Lexington to the Virginia line be applied solely to building the main stem via Salem, Bethania, and Mount Airy to the Virginia line.

That all the subscriptions made west of the point common to both Salem and Lexington, be applied to building the branch designed to go to Lexington, Mocksville, and thence to Statesville.

Each branch to become part of the main work and each stockholder to participate in the profits of the whole work. By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN M. ROSE, Clerk.

Countersigned,

EDW'D LEE WINSLOW, Pres't.

May 3, 1851 4t2

Superior Havana Cigars

AND best Virginia chewing tobacco, for sale by SUMMERELL, POWE, & CO.

May 15, 1851. 2tf.

NOTICE.

SALE OF TOWN LOTS.

WILL be sold on the 10th day of July, and days following, the Lots in the Town of WILSON, Yadkin County, on a credit of one and two years.—The town of Wilson is a beautiful and healthy location, near Hauser and Wilson's store in Doweltown. The lots are all in the woods and perfectly level.

By order of the Commissioners.

May 15, 1851 8t2

SALT AND MOLASSES.

160 SACKS SALT, 6 bbls reboiled New Orleans Molasses, 20 bags Rio Coffee, just received for sale cheap for cash. M. BROWN & SON.

Salisbury, May 15, 1851 2

STRAY MARE.

STRAYED from the plantation of the subscriber four miles South of Salisbury on the 1st of May, a bay mare, seven or eight years old—fifteen hands high—with marks of the collar on her, and her shoulders sunk as if she had the Swinney. She may have attempted to get to my former residence in Catawba, and got lost. I will liberally compensate any one who will return her to me at Salisbury, or to my plantation South of Salisbury. BURTON CRAIGE.

May 15, 1851. 2tf

LADIES' DRESS GOODS.

Salisbury, May 8, 1851.

E. MYERS Is now in receipt of his Spring and Summer snpply of Ladies Dress Goods, consisting in part of plain and figured silks and poplins, berage de Laines; plain and printed berages at 25 cts. per yard; silk Tissues, grenadines, lustres and alberines, French lawns and jaconets, English, French and American prints, French and Scotch ginghams, muslin and linen do. Also, a splendid assortment of plain, figured, checked and striped Swiss muslins, bishop lawns, Embossed and Embroidered muslins. All of which he is offering at

Unprecedented Low Prices!

Don't forget the store with the sign of the **RED FLAG!**

Salisbury, May 8, 1851. 1

$25 REWARD.

BROKE jail and made his escape on the night of the 23d of April last, a man by the name of Morris S. Hart. Said Hart is about five feet four or five inches high, slender built, and somewhat stoop shouldered; pale swathy complexion with light urban hair, front teeth defective or out, right hand deformed and smaller than common, supposed to be about 25 or 26 years old. Said Hart, I understand, was raised in Ashe County, N. C., and will probably make his way for that place. The above reward of $25 will be given for the delivery of said Hart to me in the Town of Monroe, Union County, N. C., or a reasonable compensation to any person that will give any information of said Hart, so as to bring him to justice. Said Hart was sentenced to six months imprisonment at the last term of the Superior Court of Union County, and which term of imprisonment had not expired.

D. RUSHING, Sheriff.

Monroe, April 24, 1851. 3t1

STRAY HORSE.

TAKEN up on the 18th instant, and entered on the stray book for Davie County, by Daniel Sharpe, six miles south of Mocksville, near the place known as the Shoals, on the South Yadkin, a sorrel mare, supposed to be 8 or 9 years old, a little white on the left hind foot, some saddle marks on the back, had on when taken up a halter collar with a few links of chain. Appraised at $70. S. W. NAYLOR, Ranger.

Davie Co., April 26, 1851—pd 3t1

$50 REWARD.

THE undersigned will give a reward of fifty dollars for evidence sufficient to convict the person or persons who broke into the Powder House, on Saturday night the 3d instant, situated in the great south square of the town. W. MURPHY & CO.

Salisbury, May 8, 1851. 3t1

EMBROIDERIES?

Embroideries?

Salisbury, April 17, 1850.

THE subscriber has just received a most splendid assortment of fine embroideries, consisting of Lace Muslin, Capes and Pelerines, Muslin and Lace Collars, cuffs and sleeves, valenciennas, collars, cuffs, chemizetts, infants robes and waists, Swiss and cambric edgings and insertings, muslin bands, flouncings, lace head dresses, infants caps, &c. All of which are of late importation and have been purchased at reduced rates.

He would most respectfully invite the LADIES to give them an examination. He takes great pleasure in showing his goods, and is confident he is offering them at lower prices than they have ever before been offered in this market. Dont forget the store with the sign of the Red Flag. (50 E. MYERS.

THE RED FLAG?

Salisbury, April 3, 1851.

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

THE SUBSCRIBER IS NOW RECEIVING HIS stock of **Spring and Summer Goods,** consisting of the usual variety: all of which having been purchased since the 10th March, after the

Great decline in Goods,

to which fact he would call the attention of his friends and the public generally.

48 E. MYERS.

IMPORTANT NEWS FOR

Rail Road Contractors and Others!

H. B. CASPER & CO., have this day received from New York a large stock of

SOLE LEATHER,

French Calf Skins, Boot & Shoe Trimmings

generally. Those about to engage in Rail Road contracts would find it to their interest to call and look at our large stock of heavy shoes. To the Ladies and Gentlemen, we would say that we have as fine and good materials for manufacturing as can be found in any of the Northern Cities. It has become quite common to *bray* and make a flourish about materials having been bought for cash, &c., but we say without fear of contradiction that we have the

Best Workmen on BOOTS and Ladies SHOES

to be found in this State. As to prices, we will sell as low as the lowest. We warrant all our work to fit well. A call is respectfully solicited from the public. Our shop is one door below the Book Store, and formerly occupied by Mr. Jacob Lefler.

H. B. CASPER & CO.

Salisbury, May 1, 1851. 52

TAILORING.

THE subscriber begs leave most respectfully to announce to his old friends and patrons and the public generally, that he is still to be found at his old stand in Cowan's Brick Row, Salisbury, where he is ever ready and willing to execute all orders in his line. He is constantly in receipt of the

LATEST AND MOST APPROVED FASHIONS,

which together with a good degree of experience, he flatters himself, will enable him to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. All work done at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms. J. A. WEIRMAN.

Salisbury, March 26, 1851. 48

BOGER & WILSON

JEWELERS & SILVERSMITHS,

KEEP constantly on hand an extensive assortment of

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver-Ware,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, REVOLVING PISTOLS, Perfumery, Soap sand Fancy Articles

of every description. Persons wishing to purchase articles in the above line, will do well to call and examine their fine selection, one door above the store of W. Murphy & Co.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired in the best manner, and warranted for twelve months.

Lepine and plain Watches altered to Patent Levers and warranted to perform well.

Salisbury, May 1, 1851 tf12

Excitement Not Over Yet!

THE SUBSCRIBERS would call the attention of the public to their stock of celebrated

LEFLER BOOTS AND SHOES,

now on hand, the manufacture being superintended by Mr. Jacob Lefler, who has been experienced in the business for the last twenty years, and has always given universal satisfaction. Just receivd from New York and Philadelphia, a fine lot of

Calf Skins and Shoe Trimmings,

bought entirely for cash, at reduced prices, enabling them, with the advantage of their Tan-Yard, to sell lower than any establishment in Salisbury.

HARNESS, &C.

They also have on hand a fine stock of

HARNESS, BRIDLES, &C.,

made by an experienced workman, which they are selling at reduced prices. Persons wanting any articles in their line of business, will please give them a call before buying elsewhere. Hides of all kinds will suit as well as the cash. Come one, come all Shop opposite the Post Office, and six doors below the store of J. F. Chambers & Co.

BROWN & HAYNES.

Salisbury, April 24, 1851 51

SOMETHING NEW

FOR THE

SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE!

ENNISS, SHEMWELL, & CO.

Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Dry-Goods,

RESPECTFULLY beg leave to announce to their friends and customers, that they are now receiving a large and desirable stock of

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

embracing all the new styles of Foreign and Domestic Fabrics, suited to the spring and summer trade, among which are

Striped and plaid China silks, fancy French Jaconets, dotted Swiss muslins, barege, de lanes, white and colored satins, cheni ginghams, orange and blue lawns, embroidered muslins, checked, book and Swiss muslins, embroidered Canton crape shawls, needle worked capes, collars and cuffs, rich embroidered robes, lace and muslin mantillas, (Paris style) French gingham and prints, (great variety) hosiery, table damask, towellings, cotton and linen sheetings 12-4 wide, Irish linens, bleached and brown shirting, brown and black cloths, fancy cassimeres, fancy silk vestings, together with a beautiful stock of Ready Made Clothing, embracing fine dress and frock coats, brown, olive, black, blue and drab business sack and frock coats, linen coats at all prices, cassimere and linen pants, fancy silk vests, fine shirts, cravats, &c.

HARDWARE & CUTLERY,

Hats, bonnets, boots and shoes, which have been purchased for cash with great care, and will be sold unusually low. Our stock is now much larger than it has ever been, and as regards beauty, we think it decidedly the prettiest and stock ever offered in the State.—Ladies and the public generally are very respectfully invited to an examination of our stock.

Corner, Mansion Hotel.

Salisbury, April 3, 1851 48

Bargains, Bargains.

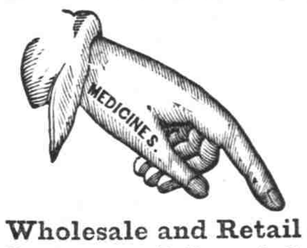
THE undersigned having concluded to dispose of their Large and Desirable Stock of Goods, would inform the public, that all goods on hand will be sold at **REDUCED PRICES.** ☞ Having about **$18,000** worth of goods in store, embracing every style, fashion and fabric, we flatter ourselves that we can offer inducements which are unprecedented, that we can please the most fastidious taste. We invite you to come and examine for yourselves. No charge for looking! Not wishing to identify ourselves with any of the humbugs or isms of the day, we will not trouble you with a long and tiresome list of merchandise, but rest assured that we can furnish you with any thing usually found in a well selected stock of goods.

The highest market price will be paid for all produce in exchange for goods.

M. BROWN & SON.

Salisbury, May 3, 1851—49

DRUGS! DRUGS!



Wholesale and Retail!

Drs. Summerell, Powe & Co.

HAVING purchased the large and valuable stock of Drugs, Medicines, &c., of Brown & James, have removed to the stand lately occupied by them opposite the Mansion Hotel, where in addition to the large assortment now on hand, they are receiving fresh supplies from the North of all articles in their line, which they are selling on the most reasonable terms. They wish particularly to call the attention of country merchants and Physicians to their stock, for they have now the largest assortment ever offered for sale in Western No. Carolina, and are determined to keep every thing on hand that may be wanted in their line; and will sell cheaper than the same articles can be bought elsewhere in this section of country. Their assortment is composed in part of the following articles; Calomel, (American and English) blue mass, do do, corrosive sublimate, hydrarg cum-creta, red precipitate, jalap, rhubarb (English and Turkey) opium, morphia, (sulphate muriate and acetate) sulphur, sublimed do, lac do, carbonate ammonia, sugar lead, bi carb sodo, bitart potasse. The various gums and gums resons, all kinds of extracts and tinctures, sulph ether, sweet spirits nitre, spts lavender comp. The essential oils and essences, bark and quinine. The various preparation of iron and iodine—Also a large assortment of paints, oils, dye-stuffs, varnish, (several varieties,) acids, &c. They have also many articles for house keepers, such as Delluc's flavoring extract for pies and the like. Farina, starch, tapioca, arrow root; all kinds of spices, bath brick for cleaning knives, camphorated patchuly for protecting clothes from moths, Lyon's magnetic powders for the destruction of rats, bed bugs, &c. Also, the following popular remedies—Brandreth's pills, Peters' do, Townsend's sarsaparilla, Sands' do, Swaine's do, Ayer's cherry pectoral, Jayne's expectorant, vermifuge, sanative, &c., cod liver oil, Surgical Instruments. Orders by mail punctually attended to.

Salisbury, April 3, 1851 48

PROSPECTUS OF THE

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST.

TO be published at Asheville, North Carolina, and edited by W. C. Berry, J. M. Bryan, Jas Blythe.

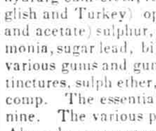
TERMS—THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST will be published on a handsome sheet of 29½ by 32½ inches, and upon new type, once every two weeks, at $1 00 per annum in advance, or $1 50 if not paid in advance.

Widows, Ministers, and Postmasters will be charged only $1 00, payable during the year, and $1 50 after the end of the year.

CLUBS.—Ten copies will be furnished to clubs for $9! 20 copies for $17 50!! 25 copies for $18 75!! All persons obtaining subscriptions, are requested to forward them to James M. Edney, Asheville, N. C., free of postage, by the 20th of May. If by that time 500 good subscribers are obtained, arrangements will at once be made for its publication. Subscribers will only be expected to pay upon the receipt of the first number. JAMES M. EDNEY, Publisher.

Asheville, N. C., April 1851 3t52

MYSTERIOUS RAPPINGS!



THE subscribers would respectfully call the attention of the public to their

FURNITURE ROOMS,

at the old stand opposite the Rowan Hotel, where they have on hand, and are manufacturing the most fashionable furniture, that has ever been manufactured in this country, viz: fine

Mahogany Dressing Bureaus, Pier and Centre Tables, with Marble Tops,

WARDROBES, SOFAS,

spring seat rocking and a fine lot of cane bottom and

WINDSOR CHAIRS.

They also have on hand a large assortment of plain Furniture, and a full assortment of Coffins. All the above articles shall be sold as

CHEAP FOR CASH,

as they can be bought any where in this country, and we would say to the public that all our furniture is made by or under our own supervision. All we ask is a call to satisfy both in furniture and price. We return our thanks for past and present patronage, and hope by punctuality and promptness in our business, to merit an increase. All kinds of produce or lumber taken in exchange at the market prices

WILLIAM ROWZEE,
SAM. R. HARRISON.

Salisbury, April 17, 1851. 50

Blank Warrants for sale here.

DO YOU WSH TO BUY.

IF YOU DO.

Call at the large Store East of the Court-House!

Where Goods can be had at reduced Prices!

NEW SPRING GOODS!

THE undersigned takes the earliest opportunity to inform their friends and the public in general, that they are now receiving and opening a beautiful stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

which they are offering at low prices, consisting in part of the following, viz:

English, French and American gingham, white and colored tarlton muslins, plaid and embroidered grenadines, bortensia and other very fine dress goods, printed and embroidered lawns, black and fancy silk, bl'k, white and colored kid gloves, 300 pieces calicoes, white and colored doylies, striped and tambord drapery muslins, summer shawls, French, Swiss and Jaconet muslins, bl'k and fancy cassimeres, French and English cloths, Ready Made Clothing,

French Lace, Florence and Crape BONNETS,

Umbrellas and parasols, books and stationary, wall paper, large assortment, Java and Rio Coffee, green and black tea, loaf, crushed, granulated and refined sugar, Stewart's syrup, a very superior article, dairy cheese, sperm and patent candles, Philadelphia calf-skins, sole leather, lining and binding skins, Miles & Son's boots and ladies shoes, Beebee's hats,

CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS,

a large stock, chase hides and enamelled leather, sheet tin, sheet, hoop and tire iron, anvils, vices, new plates, hardware and cutlery, saddler's tools, saddle trees, hog-skins,

Tanner's Oil, White Lead, window Glass, &c., &c.

The above goods with many other articles not named, were selected with the greatest care. One of our firm having spent near two months in the Northern cities making our purchases, and bought with cash exclusively, and we are now prepared to offer to our friends and the public, at our large store, corner of the Court-House, at **Wholesale or Retail,** one of the largest, best selected and handsomest stock of desirable Spring and Summer Goods ever opened in this Town. Call and see,—get some of the bargains, they are going off rapidly.

J. F. CHAMBERS & CO.

Salisbury, March 27, 1851—47

BOGER & MAXWELL

ARE RECEIVING THEIR

SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK OF GOODS!

WHICH THEY INTEND TO DISPOSE OF ON THEIR USUAL ACCOMMODATING TERMS.

PLEASE FAVOR US WITH A CALL—EXAMINE, HEAR PRICES AND JUDGE FOR YOURSELVES.

Salisbury, April 14; 1851 50

SPRING & SUMMER FASHIONS FOR 1851.

HORACE H. BEARD,

TAILOR,

HAS just received, (at his old stand,) from New York, the ☞ *American and European Fashions*, for the **SPRING AND SUMMER,** and will continue to receive them quarterly. He is prepared to execute all orders in his line of the trade, in a fashionable and workmanlike manner, at the shortest notice. From his long experience in the art of cutting and making garments, he feels confident that he can give satisfaction to his customers.

He respectfully returns his thanks to his friends and the public for their liberal support tendered him heretofore, and will endeavor by increased efforts to please his customers, to merit a continuance of their favors.

HORACE H. BEARD.

N.B. All kinds of country produce taken at the market prices for work.

Salisbury, March 21, 1851.

Cloths, Cassimeres and VESTINGS.

APRIL 17, 1851.

E. MYERS has just opened a few pieces of blue, brown, invisible green, black and green cloths, black and fancy cassimeres. Also, a beautiful assortment of Marseilles Vestings. Gentlemen desirous of purchasing an extra superfine suit of clothes, are solicited to call and examine his cloth before purchasing, as he has an article that cannot be beat at the sign of the Red Flag. 50

INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND BLIND.

THE Board of Directors of the North Carolina Institution give notice, that a Department will be opened for the instruction of the BLIND, at the commencement of the next session on the 15th of July. It is highly desirable that early notice should be given of those who may wish to enter this department, in order that the necessary arrangements may be made.

Applications for admission from Deaf Mutes or Blind persons, must be made to William D. Cook, Principal of the Institution, who will furnish all necessary information. April 17—5t50

TO CONTRACTORS.

THE undersigned, Commissioners appointed by the County Court of Cabarrus, to contract for the building of a Poor House in said County, will receive sealed proposals for contracts until the 20th day of June next.

The main building to be 50 feet in length by 38 feet in depth, two stories high, with wings attached to each end, of 32 feet front by 44 feet in depth, one story high.

The main building is divided by passage of ten feet in width in each story with two rooms on each side of passage with portico in front 12 by 30 feet, two stories high.

The wings are divided into five rooms each, with back porch 12 by 47 feet.

The building to be of brick, and to be covered with shingles, the foundation to be of rock, well ranged work, the window and door sills to be of hewn stone of a proper size, the building to be plastered with sand finish. The whole to be completed by the first day of January, 1853.

To be paid in equal installments; the first payment when the foundation is laid, one half when the building is completed. The balance in 12 months thereafter.

Persons desirous of bidding can see the plan and specifications of the building by calling on either of the undersigned at Concord.

A. J. YORK,
WM. S. HARRIS,
JOS. MISENHAMER, } Commissioners.

Concord, Cabarrus co., May 6, 1851. 6t1

Ladies Summer Mantillas!

May 8, 1851.

THE subscriber has received a small lot of Plain and watered silk, turc satin and Muslin Mantillas for summer, which are very beautiful. He would invite the ladies to call and give them an examination.

E. MYERS.

1 Sign of the Red Flag.